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Pelahatchie Elementary families, thank you!



By Guest Columnist, Robin Sanders, Principal, Pelahatchie Elementary

Special to Pelahatchie News
Thank you to the families who support our school. To you who speak positively about our school, teachers, and community, we thank you.

Thanks to those who have embraced the safety guidelines. We know, without a doubt, your support has helped to make this a success.

To the families who ensure that students go to bed so that they are well rested and ready to learn each day, thank you.

For those who encourage your students to go to school, even when they need a little push of encouragement to get out the door to get on the bus or out of the car at the car rider drop off, thank you.

To the families who let their teachers know they are appreciated and doing a good job, thank you.

Thank you to the families who may get a call or email about classroom or bus behavior and work with us to resolve the issue and help encourage appropriate behavior. To our "choice" families, thank you for ensuring each day that your student is on Zoom, ready to learn and submitting work on time. This is a major adjustment for teachers to ensure that both their traditional learners and at-



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Pelahatchie Elementary School named its BEST (Bringing Everyone's Strengths Together) for August. The two honored here are pictured (l to r): Paige Tucker, second grade teacher; and Sonya Myers, administrative assistant.

home learners are progressing, and they are extremely grateful for your support.

To the families who let us know when there is a need to improve a procedure or process, thank you. Your feedback helps for continued success of Pelahatchie Elementary.

Families that support Pelahatchie High School sports and events, you help to make Pelahatchie a success. Thank you.

Pelahatchie families that have welcomed me with a smile and words of encouragement, THANK YOU!

There are many days set aside each year for appreciation, but I don't think there is a day or week set aside to appreciate parents and families that support their school. We want you to know we appreciate you!

Walters places first in poster contest



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Pelahatchie High School (PHS) sophomore Maddie Grace Walters placed first in the American Association of Teaching Spanish and Portuguese (AATSP) 2020 Mississippi Chapter Poster Contest - Hand-Drawn competition. She represented the Mississippi Chapter at the national level as an AATSP Poster Contest Finalist.

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and firewalls," said Jake Williams, StateScoop's associate publisher and director of strategic initiatives. "It's about getting people what they need, serving the community and being a beacon of hope in times that force us to rework everything we know about how government connects to the citizen. Though this year's StateScoop 50 Awards honor projects and people from a pre-COVID-19 time, we quickly saw the impact of them as you all responded to the pandemic. Even more than in past years, we are endlessly thankful to be a

part of this community."

As part of the virtual announcement, winners will be featured in a series of podcasts. Winners will also be featured in a video interview.

A graduate of Mississippi College, White and his family live in the Cross Roads community of Pelahatchie. He is active in the Pelahatchie United Methodist Church. White has had two children graduate from Pelahatchie and one who is currently in the eleventh grade. He coached basketball at East Rankin Academy in 1996 and 1997.

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