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GINGERBREAD MADNESS | NUTRITION AND WELLNESS CLASS COMPETE IN GINGERBREAD ARCHITECTURE

Tie for 1st — Made by Kristin Berroth, Sarah Healey, Colleen Nelson, Mikayla Reves, Ian Carroll and Nick Terrapin. Their gingerbread house was made out of gingerbread and graham crackers. The idea of this group was to make a little village with fountain in the middle with sharks swimming in it, little people walking on the sidewalk, and cars parked in the parking lot. Their village was very happy and colorful.

4th — Made by Christina Quatham, Jayna Hurla and Ashley Hund. They made their house out of graham crackers. They didn't really know what they were going to make at first but they ended up making a castle looking house. In the process of making the house/castle Hurla proceeded in dropping frosting on the floor.

3rd — Made by Kayla Schmitz, Bri Orton, Jared Hedges, and Matt Frank. This house was made out of gingerbread. They were trying to make a small city and each of them had their own house except for Schmitz and Orton because they shared one. They wanted to put fish in their pond but it wasn't possible so they just left it blue.

Tie for 1st — Made by Jordan Hedges, Dakota Schuckman, Zach Anderson and Hanna Falk. This house was made out of graham crackers, frosting and candy. Their idea was to make a log cabin house. It was two graham crackers long, one and a half graham crackers wide and three graham crackers tall.

— By Taylor Falk | senior

SANTA COMES TO WHS

Parenting classes host Christmas party

by Ian Carroll
sophomore

Last week, 3A and 4A parenting classes hosted the Alma Grade School's preschool and daycare.

The classes had to think of a theme for their party, while at the same time including small motor activity, large motor activity, and a craft.

The 3A class theme was candy land. The activities included coloring, making candy Christmas trees and Simon Says. The class gave the kids cookies and juice while Ryker Williams read "The Night Before Christmas" to them. After that the Preschool went back to their classroom.

The 4A classes theme was winter wonderland. The activities including, elf, elf, santa (duck, duck, goose) for the large motor activity, coloring for the small motor activity, and making santa faces for a craft. The kids got cookies and juice for a snack while Shane Flach and Ian Carroll read "The Night Before Christmas."

When the kids thought they were leaving they started hearing jingle bells and in came Santa Claus and Alfred the Elf. "I told Alfred to make time so I could come visit them," Santa said.

Claus asked the kids what they wanted and Alfred gave them a bag of gummy bears.

"I want a cowboy hat," said preschool student Jeffery Cole Frank.



Top: Santa and Alfred talk to a child from the daycare about what he wants for Christmas.
Above Left: Sammy Zeller helps the preschoolers decorate Christmas trees with candy.
Above Right: Parenting students participate in elf, elf, santa with the children.
Far Left: Haley Turner talks with children from the daycare.
Left: Hanna Falks helps students from the preschool decorate their snacks.

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