



## Artist on Campus

By Isis Valdivia

We all know the art teacher, Mrs. Dry. Or do we? Do we know who her favorite artist is or her favorite type of art? Well, I didn't before now. I found out she doesn't have a favorite artist she has three. Degas, Monet, and Van Gough. Her favorite type of art is colored pencil. Did you know that Mrs. Dry is part Indian? She is from the Seneca tribe. Mrs. Dry's mom taught her how to make Corn Husk Dolls. Mrs. Dry hasn't always taught art. She's taught other grades and if she was offered another class she would take it. She has always known she loves art. She even loved art when she was a toddler. Mrs. Dry is a very interesting person. She knows so much about art. She's my favorite art



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# Mr. Roadrunner

By: Kerry Gill

On March 14, five of our 8<sup>th</sup> grade boys at Marshall Ranch competed in a male beauty pageant named "Mr. Roadrunner." These five boys included Marcel Perez, Davey Widney, Jipson Shaji, Kahliq Muhammad, and Abrahm Coury. They were escorted by Kerry Gill, Elexis Sanchez, Roxy Valencia, Savanna Cooley, and Elsy Lopez. They performed in a variety of events including muscle flex, formal wear, dance competition, talent, and a short question portion. After all the boys put forth their best effort, Jipson Shaji came in 1<sup>st</sup>, followed by Marcel Perez in 2<sup>nd</sup>, and Abrahm Coury in 3<sup>rd</sup>. A special thank you goes out to Mr. Ogilvie, all the parents and teachers that contributed to the first ever Mr. Roadrunner pageant!

## Big Earthquakes Hit Japan

By Allyson Downey

This year a 6.8 magnitude earthquake shook north-eastern Japan. The earthquake was centered about 170 miles off the east coast. It came a few days after the 1 year anniversary that caused the big nuclear meltdown and tsunami. There were 2 earthquakes in 2011; 1 was a 9.8 magnitude and the other was an 8.0 magnitude earthquake. Over a million people were killed or lost. When the 2012 earthquake hit; the Japanese were more prepared.





# Entertainment

## Summer Movies

For Kids 2012

*By Michael Choate*

The top summer movies for kids in 2012 are the best rated movies by some of the best critics. Some of the movies are Disney and Pixar's adventurous movie "Brave". Another great movie to see during Summer Break is the laugh out loud family comedy "Madagascar 3 Europe's Most Wanted". Cool down from the summer heat with this outstanding movie "Ice Age: Continental Drift". Or this movie that was based on a famous book by a well known author Jeff Kinney, "Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Dog Days". Hope you enjoy all of these great movies and more! Happy Summer!

## *Burger King VS McDonald's*

*By Nadine Haddad*

You must be wondering what this is about. Well, for people who are wondering what this is about, this is about Burger King VS McDonalds and their health facts. So to get you started on the burgers I will be comparing, I can tell you one thing, they're both full of fat and barely have any protein in them. The protein in McDonalds Big N' Tasty with Cheese has 27 grams and the protein in Burger King's Whopper with Cheese has 33 grams. These shocking numbers might blow your mind but it is the truth, so the calories for McDonald's Big N' Tasty is 510 calories and the calories for Burger King's Whopper Sandwich with Cheese is 760 calories. Another thing that is interesting is their saturated fat in the burgers. The saturated fat in Burger King's Whopper has 16 grams and McDonald's Big N' Tasty has 11 grams. Now you know how much unhealthy things are in these two delicious burgers so the next time you buy a burger from McDonalds or Burger King just remember these surprisingly high numbers in their calories.

