

WEST SHORE SCHOOL DISTRICT

NEWBERRY ELEMENTARY



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To Whom It May Concern:

My name is Heidi Culleiton and I am one of the Literacy Specialists at Newberry Elementary in Etters, PA. I am writing to you today to thank you for sponsoring Stephen Kozan from the Student Author Movement and allowing him to visit with our students today. Due to the ongoing pandemic, our students have not had any opportunities in several years to experience visits like this one.

The 5th graders at our school were extremely engaged from the start and throughout the author presentation. After Mr. Kozan's "Flash Fiction" writing activity, one of our learning support teachers commented that this was the most that she has seen several of her students write. Another of our 5th grade teachers said that "Mr. Kozan was the best author visit that we have ever had". The students left the presentation excited to find out who will be chosen to have his/her book published.

In closing, our whole school community would like to thank your organization again for sponsoring this unique and interactive opportunity for the students of Newberry Elementary!

Sincerely,

Heidi Culleiton
Literacy Specialist
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