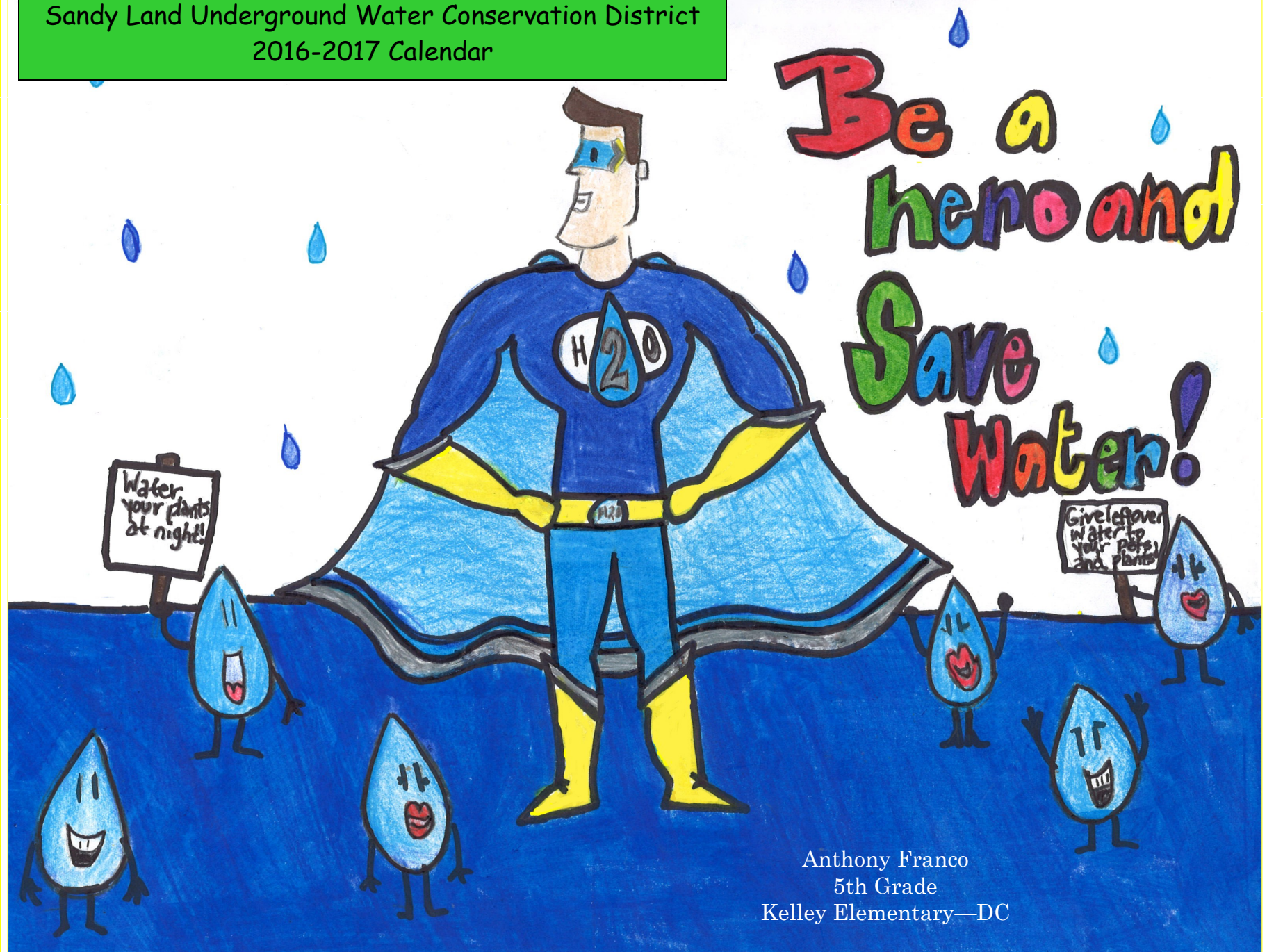


Sandy Land Underground Water Conservation District
2016-2017 Calendar



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No Water No World!!!

Spring



Conserve Water, Save Our Earth, All four Seasons!!



AUGUST 2016



EVERY DROP COUNTS! "STOP THE DRIP...SAVE A DROP!"

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22 First Day of School	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

SANDY LAND UNDERGROUND WATER
CONSERVATION DISTRICT



Water Conservation Tip: During summer months, remember to water lawns before 10am and after 6pm. This practice helps prevent evaporation during the heat of the day, allowing you to save money on water bills!



Water Barrel Water...

Kate Hilburn
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Good 'Til The Last Drop





SEPTEMBER 2016



EVERY DROP COUNTS! "STOP THE DRIP...SAVE A DROP!"

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5 Labor Day	6	7	8	9	10
11 Patriot Day	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

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Water Conservation Tip: When doing laundry, match the water level to the size of the load. Wash only full loads to conserve water and save on energy bills.



How to conserve water

Don't let the faucet leaking



If you let a faucet leaking, you will waste 5 gallons of water a day



You can water your plants with rain water



Water your plants at night

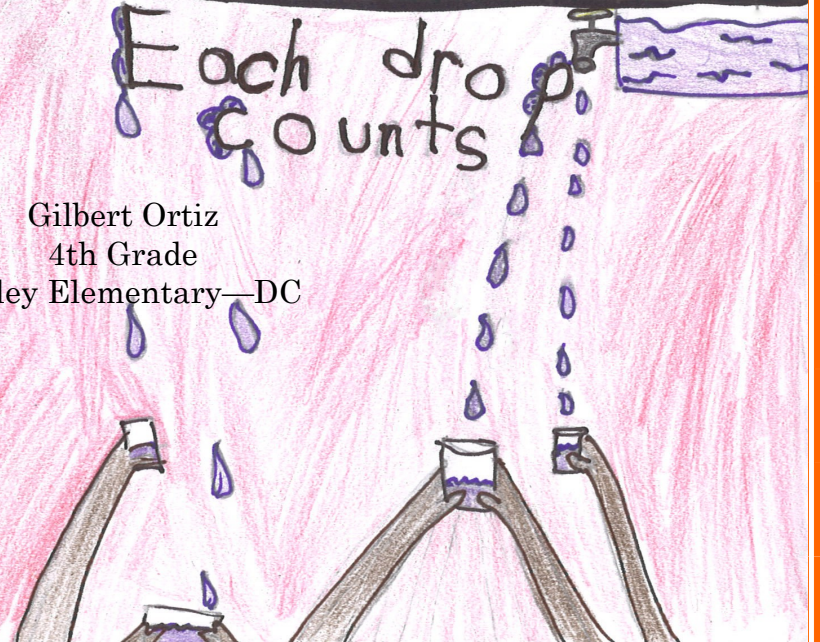


If you water your plants at night the water won't evaporate



Each drop counts

Gilbert Ortiz
4th Grade
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OCTOBER 2016



EVERY DROP COUNTS! "STOP THE DRIP...SAVE A DROP!"

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10 Columbus Day	11	12	13	14	15
16	17 Boss's Day	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31 Halloween					

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CONSERVATION DISTRICT



Water Conservation Tip: Use the garbage disposal sparingly. Instead, compost vegetable food waste and use it to provide nutrients for gardens or potted plants—saving gallons of water each time!



"Only water at night to stop transpiration and evaporation on your plants!!"

Conserving Water



Rogue "Rocky" Garcia
5th Grade
Plains Middle School





NOVEMBER 2016



EVERY DROP COUNTS! "STOP THE DRIP...SAVE A DROP!"

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
6 Daylight Savings Ends	7	8	9	10	11 Veteran's Day	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24 Thanksgiving Day	25	26
27	28	29	30			

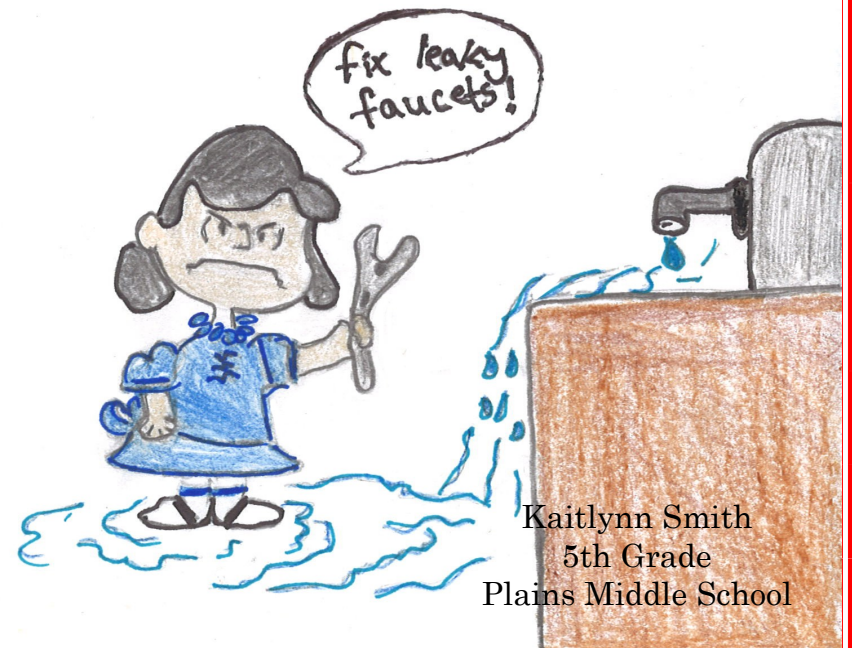
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CONSERVATION DISTRICT



Water Conservation Tip: Collect the water you use for rinsing fruits and vegetables, then reuse it to water your houseplants.



Help Conserve your water, Don't be a "Block head," conserve water!



Kaitlynn Smith
5th Grade
Plains Middle School



DECEMBER 2016



EVERY DROP COUNTS! "STOP THE DRIP...SAVE A DROP!"

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7 Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24 Christmas Eve
25 Christmas Day	26	27	28	29	30	31 New Year's Eve

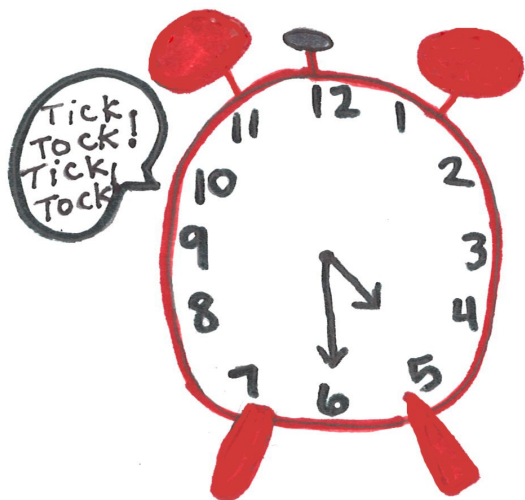
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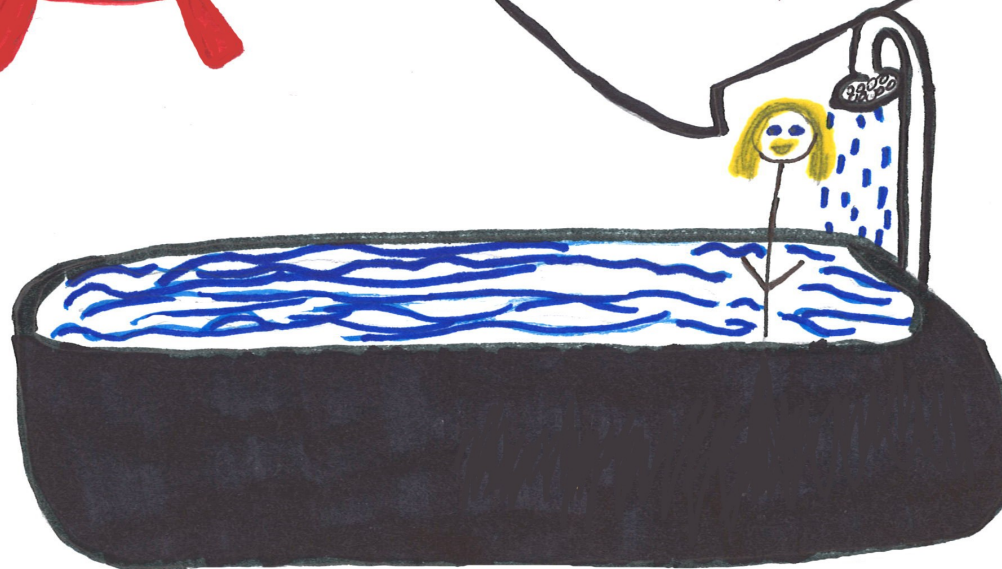
Water Conservation Tip: Wrap outdoor faucets with insulation to prevent frozen pipes and broken lines. Turn sprinklers off when temperatures drop below freezing.



Let's ^{Conserving Water!!!} Save WATER!!



Don't use more than 5 minutes.



Kate Franklin
5th Grade
Plains Middle School





JANUARY 2017



EVERY DROP COUNTS! "STOP THE DRIP...SAVE A DROP!"

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 New Year's Day	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

SANDY LAND UNDERGROUND WATER
CONSERVATION DISTRICT



Water Conservation Tip: Soak pots and pans instead of letting the water run while you scrape them clean. Use eco-friendly soaps so that "grey water" produced from doing dishes can be used to water trees or outside plants.



Fix dripping
Sinks



Do you know if you
fix a dripping sink
you can save fifty% of the
gallons of the worlds
water collection?

Treat your water
like money!

SAVE
WATER



SAVE
MONEY

Treat your
water like
money!

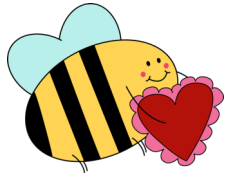
If you water your
yard when the sun is
out and shining the
water can evaporate
and waste water.

Don't Water
Your Yard
If the Sun
Is out!

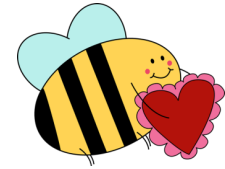


Kristen McWhirter
4th Grade
Plains Elementary





FEBRUARY 2017



EVERY DROP COUNTS! "STOP THE DRIP...SAVE A DROP!"

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2 Groundhog Day	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14 Valentine's Day	15	16	17	18
19	20 President's Day	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28				

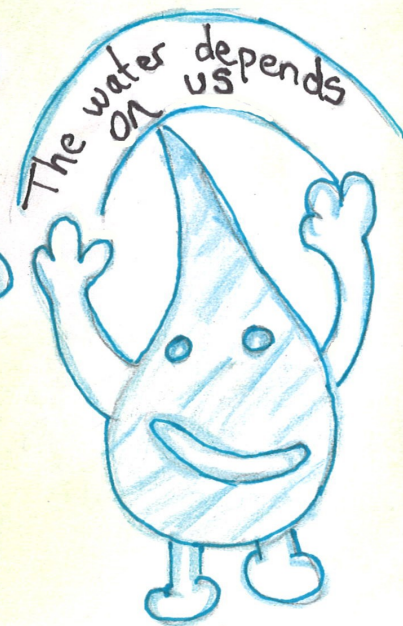
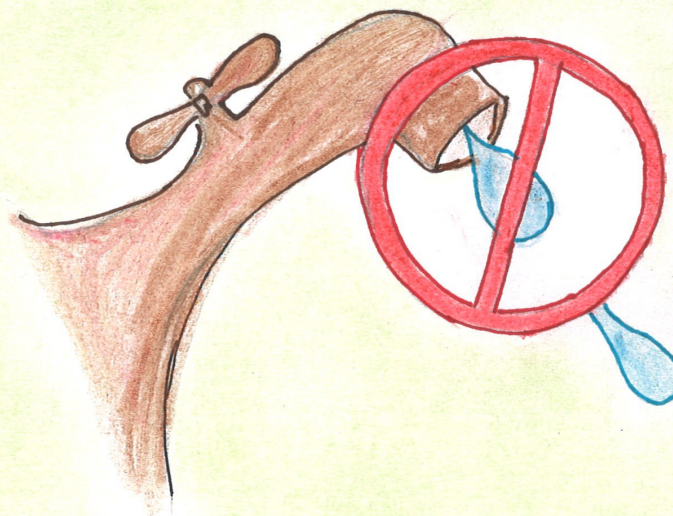
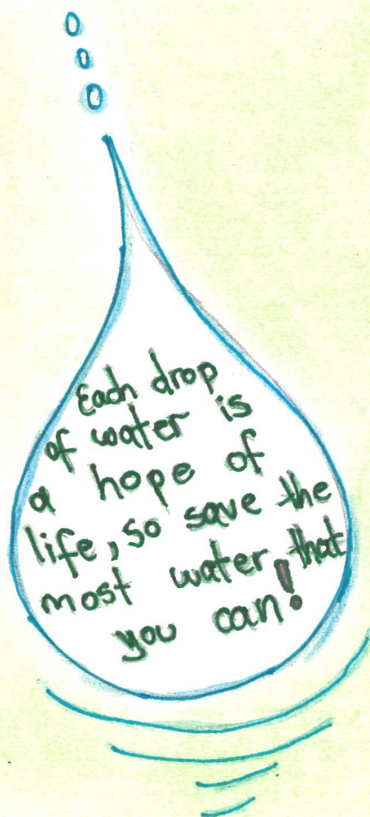
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Water Conservation Tip: When you have ice left in your cup, don't pour it in the drain. Use the ice to water your plants or pets.



THE WATER IS NEEDED TO SURVIVE!!



Juan Pina
4th Grade
Kelley Elementary—DC



MARCH 2017



EVERY DROP COUNTS! "STOP THE DRIP...SAVE A DROP!"

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Ash Wednesday	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12 Daylight Savings Begins	13	14	15	16	17 St. Patrick's Day	18
19	20	21	22 World Water Day	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

SANDY LAND UNDERGROUND WATER
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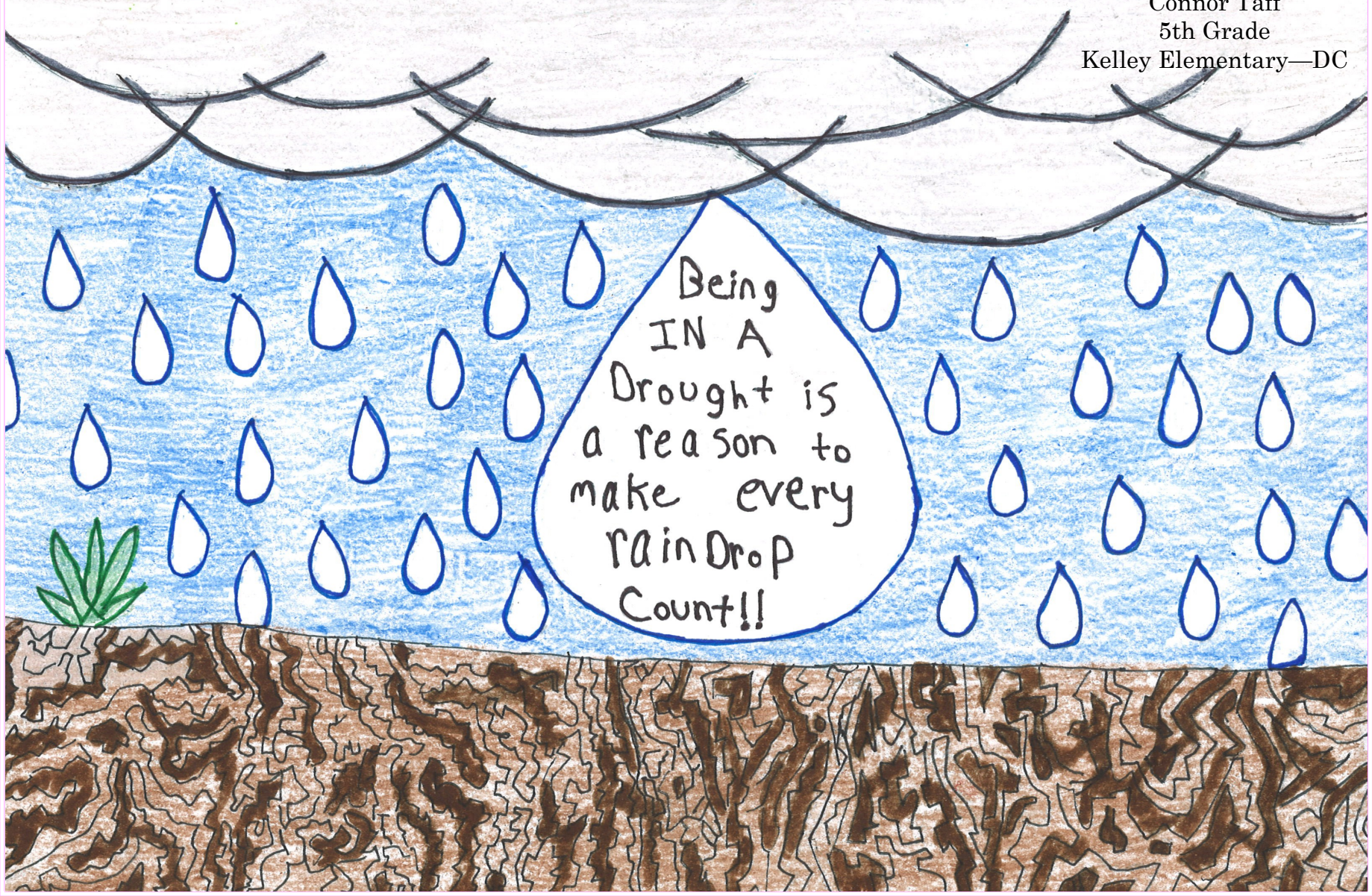


Water Conservation Tip: When running a bath, plug the tub before turning the water on. Adjust the temperature as the tub fills. Even better . . . Take a 5 minute shower!



RAINDROPS

Connor Taff
5th Grade
Kelley Elementary—DC



Being
IN A
Drought is
a reason to
make every
RainDrop
Count!!



APRIL 2017



EVERY DROP COUNTS! "STOP THE DRIP...SAVE A DROP!"

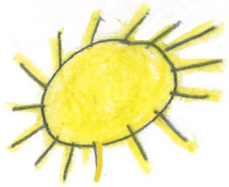
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 April Fools Day
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14 Good Friday	15
16 Easter	17	18	19	20	21	22 Earth Day
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30						

SANDY LAND UNDERGROUND WATER
CONSERVATION DISTRICT



Water Conservation Tip: Use rain barrels to collect rainwater for use during dry spells. Rain water is chlorine free, doesn't contain mineral deposits or harsh chemicals, and it's FREE!!





When it rains, save water. Save plants. ♥♥♥

Don't let the rain go down the drain.



Mackenzie Burkett
5th Grade
Kelley Elementary—DC



MAY 2017



EVERY DROP COUNTS! "STOP THE DRIP...SAVE A DROP!"

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 May Day	2	3	4	5 Cinco de Mayo	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14 Mother's Day	15	16	17	18	19	20 Armed Forces Day
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29 Memorial Day	30	31			

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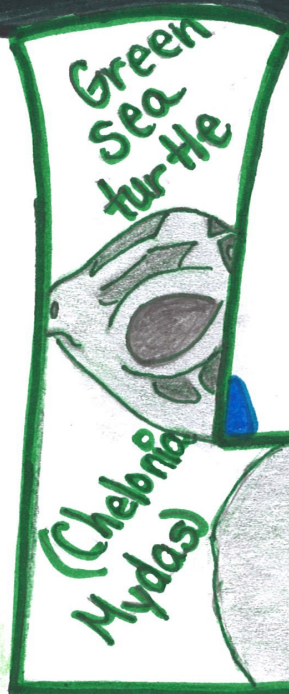
Water Conservation Tip: Install an instant water heater near your kitchen sink so you don't have to run the water while it heats up. Use EPA approved "WaterSense" appliances which are 20 percent more efficient than regular appliances.



Karyme Martinez
5th Grade
Kelley Elementary—DC

Killer Whale
(*Orcinus orca*)

Water is



Facts to conserve water!!!!

Take short showers instead of bath tubs
Purchase a hose timer
Collect rain water.



JUNE 2017



EVERY DROP COUNTS! "STOP THE DRIP...SAVE A DROP!"

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14 Flag Day	15	16	17
18 Father's Day	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

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Water Conservation Tip: Water your lawn and garden in the morning or evening when temperatures are cooler to minimize transpiration and evaporation.



Keep calm and water on.

Plants + water



Kylee Cross
5th Grade
Plains Middle School



JULY 2017



EVERY DROP COUNTS! "STOP THE DRIP...SAVE A DROP!"

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1
2	3	4 Independence Day	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

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Water Conservation Tip: During summer holiday gatherings, share conservation tips with your friends and neighbors! Form a neighborhood "water watch" group to help others with conservation efforts.



Water Information Sites

Sandy Land Underground
Water Conservation District
www.sandylandwater.com

USGS—United States Geological Survey
<http://www.usgs.gov/water/>

Saving H2O: SLUWCD Education Website
www.savingh2o.org

Texas Alliance of Groundwater Districts
www.texasgroundwater.org

Texas Water Development Board
www.twdb.texas.gov

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality
www.tceq.state.tx.us

Texas Living Waters Project
www.texaslivingwaters.org

Texas Groundwater Association
www.tgwa.org

Water IQ— Know your water
www.wateriq.org

Fun Water Sites for Kids

Project WET—The Role of Water in Our Lives
www.discoverwater.org

Saving Water's Water Busters Games
www.ecogamer.org/education

Texas Water Kids
www.texaswater.org/conservation

Water Use It Wisely Tip Tank Concentration
www.wateruseitwisely.com/kids/games

USGS Water Science School
<http://www.water.usgs.gov/edu/>

Science Buddies
www.sciencebuddies.org/science

Living Water Wise
www.livingwaterwise.com/education/

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
<https://www3.epa.gov/safewater/kids/gamesandactivities.html>

Science Kids
<http://www.sciencekids.co.nz/gamesactivities.html>



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these cool
resources!

