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Longacre Elementary School celebrated International Day of Peace on September 21

Farmington, MI – Longacre Elementary students celebrated International Day of Peace on September 21, 2022 by creating Peace Pinwheels.

With the help of art teacher Lyndsey Wolfe, the students created Peace Pinwheels in their art classes. Mrs. Wolfe asked students to think of activities, people, places that bring them peace and they each decorated their own peace pinwheel based on those feelings of peace. On the morning of International Day of Peace, the students planted their Peace Pinwheels on the playground of Longacre Elementary for all students to enjoy at recess.

Longacre Elementary School is a Leader in Me Lighthouse School. Lighthouse recognition is awarded to a school based on the results a school attains in student achievement and its impact on staff, students, parents, and the school community. Longacre's school theme for the 2022/2023 school year is "Begin with Peace in Mind" which makes this activity and day of celebration even more special.

Each year the International Day of Peace is observed around the world on September 21st. The United Nations General Assembly has declared this as a day devoted to strengthening the ideals of peace above all differences and to contribute to building a Culture of Peace globally.

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