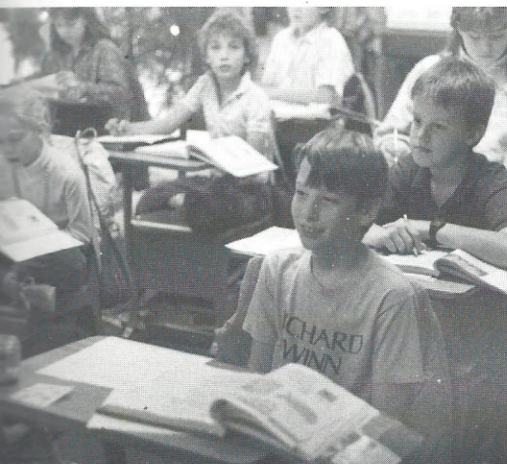


# Being the Best They Can Be



The Fifth Grade got right down to work at the beginning of the school year. They read several books including *The Magic Coin* and *The Wright Brother's at Kitty Hawk*. They even found time in their busy schedule to go to Columbia on a field trip to see the movie *Tom Sawyer*.

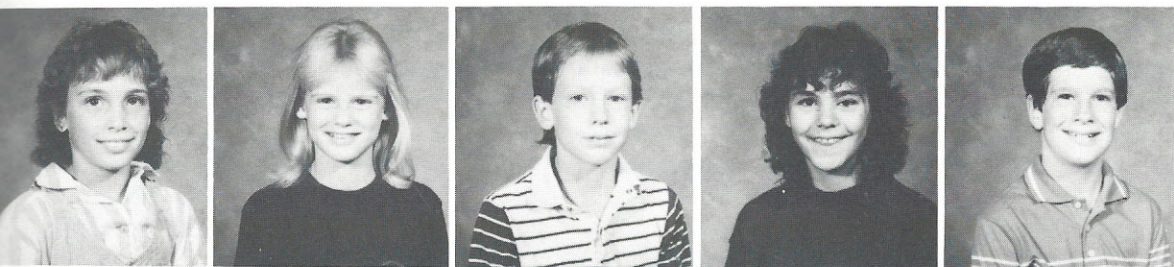
Their teachers - Mrs. Martha Ladd (math and spelling), Ms. Hel-

len Rexrode (science, social studies), and Mrs. Dennie Hamilton (language arts) -encouraged their Fifth Graders to work hard to become the best they could be. Not only academic but also social development was emphasized by these capable teachers.

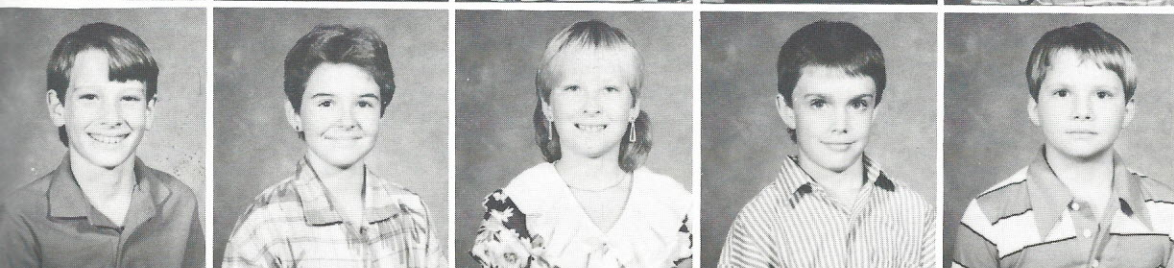
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Although Jason Robinson, Daniel Bonds, and other Fifth Graders have three teachers, they do not change classrooms.

Travis Kingsmore, Jason Robinson, and Benjamin Porter entertain themselves as the girls' basketball team warms up.



Ella LeGrand  
Candace McCurley  
Bubba McLean  
Lila Mangum  
Allan Martin



Jason Robinson  
Becky Swearingen  
Kerri Weed  
Gordon Weigle  
Timmy Yongue