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Kindergartners at Axton Elementary Receive 10 Books

Ivy, Virginia (6/5/2023) – QuickStart Tennis of Central Virginia, Inc. (QCV) is pleased to report the 53 kindergartners at Axton Elementary School in Henry County have received 10 books for their “home libraries” thanks to the support and generosity of [Monogram Foods Loves Kids Foundation](#).



Axton Elementary Kindergarten Teacher Hannah Sullivan says, “Our students ended up getting 10 books each with this generous donation! The students were so excited to get books, including *Pete the Cat*, *Peppa Pig*, *Junie B. Jones* and more. Thank you so much for putting books in their hands!”



QCV Founder Lynda Harrill adds, "All those smiles never get old! We've put smiles on the faces of 10,500 preschoolers and kindergartners in 30 school systems in central and southside Virginia since we launched Racquets for Reading!!! in November 2020 thanks to donors like Monogram Foods Loves Kids Foundation. Thinking about all those smiling kids with books in their hands puts a BIG smile on MY face too!"



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QuickStart Tennis of Central Virginia is an all-volunteer, grassroots Community Tennis Association established in 2009 as a 501(c)(3) charitable organization to promote, develop and grow QuickStart Tennis in the heart of Virginia for all beginners, especially underserved youth, using the kid-sized QuickStart Tennis format. QCV's service area includes Albemarle, Amelia, Appomattox, Brunswick, Buckingham, Campbell, Charlotte, Culpeper, Cumberland, Dinwiddie, Fluvanna, Franklin, Greene, Greenville, Halifax, Henry, Louisa, Lunenburg, Madison, Mecklenburg, Nelson, Nottoway, Orange, Patrick, Pittsylvania, Powhatan, Prince Edward, and Rappahannock counties and the cities of Charlottesville, Danville and Martinsville. Through tennis, we create happy, healthy, active and literate kids in the communities we serve.

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