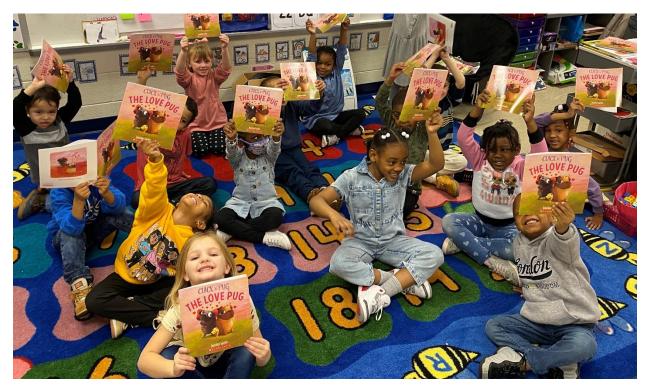


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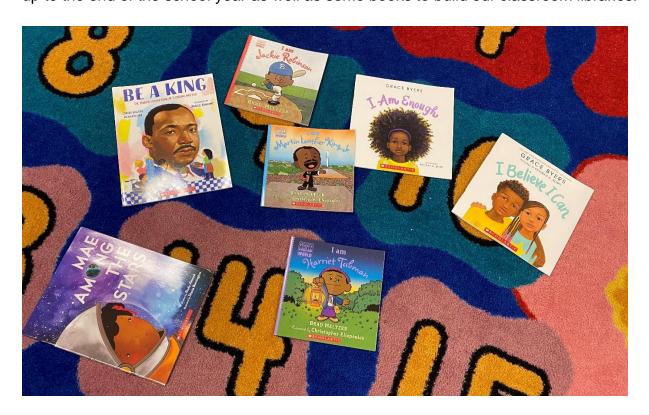
Racquets for Reading!!! in Dinwiddie County

Ivy, Virginia (3/13/2023) – QuickStart Tennis of Central Virginia, Inc. (QCV) is pleased to report 96 preschoolers at the four public elementary schools in Dinwiddie County recently received <u>Racquets for Reading!!!</u> books and giveaways.



Preschoolers in Ms. Schwartz's class at Sutherland Elementary School

Tracy Schwartz, PreK teacher at Sutherland Elementary School, says, "Thank you for helping our two classes at Sutherland Elementary build "home libraries." We used the money to purchase books that our students can take home and keep every month leading up to the end of the school year as well as some books to build our classroom libraries."





Preschoolers in Ms. Holden's class at Midway Elementary School

PreK teacher Molly Holden, says "Thank you so much for the books. My students are loving them so far!"

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Be a QuickStart kid!

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, Amelia, Appomattox, Brunswick, Buckingham, Campbell, Charlotte, Culpeper, Cumberland, Dinwiddie, Fluvanna, Franklin, Greene, Greensville, Halifax, Henry, Louisa, Lunenburg, Madison, Mecklenburg, Nelson, Nottoway, Orange, Patrick Pittsylvania, Prince Edward, Powhatan and Rappahannock counties and the cities of Charlottesville, Danville and Martinsville, plus under a special arrangement, King George County. We currently serve 214 schools with 101,000 kids, 15 parks & recreation departments, three Boys & Girls Clubs and two YMCAs, in 31 Virginia counties and independent cities. We have also gotten tennis into PE classes in 37 additional schools with 16,000 students in Virginia communities outside our service area.

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