

## Lynn Fanning Elementary Earth Day Celebration and” Poster Contest Winners Highlands/McDonnell Elementary



Millie  
DOB:  
3/20/13

Millie got all dressed up to go to school on 4/2/13 when she was 13 days old.

Kathy Walker adopted this soil baby, Millie. Her name was chosen because she was born at the Old Lincoln Cotton Mill, where the Madison County SWCD/ NRCS office is now located.



Soil Babies were created for adoption in 21 classrooms.



Kathy explains the rules of the contest and introduces “Millie” to the students. Each classroom competed for FIRST PLACE in their grade.



**Soil, Water, Sun, Nutrients and TLC are needed to help Plants and Soil Babies to Grow and Stay Healthy!**



### Earth Day at Lynn Fanning Elementary

Kathy Walker, DAC; Mrs. Plant, Principal; Mr. Greg Dansby, NRCS, AST-FO; Mrs. Patterson’s First Grade for Sam’s Place; Mrs. Beaman, First Grade for “HAL” (Honest Abe Lincoln); and Ms. Douglas Second Grade for Duck Dynasty.



### Madison County “Where Does Your Water Shed”? Poster Contest Winners



(l-r) Kathy, Mrs. Hardee, Gabriella Martinez and Principal Livingston.

Gabriella Martinez, a fifth grade student at McDonnell Elementary and Camden Rainy, a fourth grade student at Highlands Elementary, were the Madison County winners of this contest. It was evident that these students had learned a lot about watersheds by the amount of information that was included on their posters. Hardee is the teacher of “Gifted Students” for both of these winners even though they attend different schools!



(l-r) Kathy, Camden Rainy and Mrs. Linda Hardee.