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Palmetto Elementary's 60th Anniversary Gala Celebrates Fontana Community, History

FONTANA—Orange and black balloons swayed in the breeze, children customized their stuffed tigers and teachers dressed in retro attire as Palmetto Elementary School celebrated 60 years of excellence on Sept. 7 with current and former students, parents, staff and community members.

"Palmetto is not only at the heart of Fontana city, it is in the heart of many," Palmetto Principal Lauri Martin said. "Such is the impact of the school that you either went to Palmetto, or someone in your family

Later in the afternoon, current Palmetto students pored over memorabilia that went into a Palmetto time capsule, including TigerT-shirts, class photos, a Pete the Cat book, a National Geographic