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Musical visitor



North Andover High School student Eric Hylan, a product of Community Cooperative Preschool, entertained students there on a return visit. Here, he sings with student Evan Wilson. For more on Hylan's visit, see Education, Page 3. COURTESY PHOTO

Back in preschool

Last week, Community Cooperative Preschool welcomed back one of its own.

North Andover High School student Eric Hylan celebrated his visit by sharing his love of music with students.

While on guitar, Hylan added his own twist to popular children's songs "Old MacDonald" and "The Wheels on the Bus," and interacted with the children while singing.

"The children loved the idea that he was a student at their school when he was their age," said teacher

Lou Ann Donovan. "They warmed right up to him, almost like he was a child himself!"

Hylan also involved them by giving them rhythm sticks and other instruments to learn about rhythm and beat, while later leading them around in a fun march throughout the classroom.

"My passion for music continues to grow," Hylan said. "Having the opportunity to share this with the children at Community Cooperative Preschool has a special meaning for me, because I am giving back

to the school that once was mine."

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