

WEF Dollars at Work

Just recently, 5th grade staff member Cynthia Fitzpatrick received a WEF grant for water quality testing at Lake Quannapowitt. This program allows students to perform four water quality tests and collect data needed to participate in an international education outreach program that builds public awareness and involvement in protecting water by engaging students to conduct basic monitoring of their local water bodies.



Pictured with Fitzpatrick are Julia DiFazio, Andrew Fitzgerald, Cassie Janus, Billy Stevens and Bob Metcalfe of New England Discovery.

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