

Week of fun, relaxation

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The days before spring break were filled with count-downs until the first day off. Whether it was heading to the sun or snow for vacation, playing sports, or just staying home and relaxing, spring break was a welcomed and highly anticipated interruption in the school year.

A lot of students went out of town for the break either with their families or with friends. Popular places to travel to included Hawaii, Cancun, Israel, Spain, and Florida. Going with family was a nice break away from the everyday norm of being with friends at school, but many also had a great time going away with their friends.

"I went to Kiawah Island for spring break with my family, I didn't go with any friends but it was still a blast meeting new people down there and

spending time with my family on the beach," said **Kendall O'Keefe, 11.**

Some students weren't able to go anywhere, but still managed to have a good time. All the players on the boys varsity lacrosse, softball, and baseball teams did not have the choice to go anywhere for the break because they had games and practices all week long. On the other hand, some students stayed home by choice and relaxed the whole week.

"I stayed home for the break, but it was really fun just hanging out with friends that also didn't go places," said **Kimberly Bernie, 11.**

Only a week long, spring break flew by very fast.

"I wish that spring break was more than a week, it was just too short," said **Jonthan Bregger, 11.**

Despite the length, most students agreed that no matter what they did the break was fun and worthwhile.



Parasailing over the ocean, Angeliki Sylvester, 10, and Sydney Hosler, 10, enjoy the warm weather in West Palm Beach, Florida. The two had a great time swimming at the beach and taking some well deserved time off from school. "West Palm Beach was really fun, we got really lucky because the weather was perfect," said Sylvester.

1. James Dowdall, 11, and Kelsey Fairhurst, 11, take a relaxing break from school. "I went to Marco Island, Florida, with two of my friends, which made the trip a lot more fun than it already would have been," said Fairhurst.
2. Enjoying the colder weather in Colorado, Melissa Mandell Brown, 11, hits the slopes with her family and friends. "Even though it was cold in Colorado, I had so much fun skiing and it was a great break from school," said Mandell-Brown.
3. The varsity girls softball team took a trip as a team to Lake Cumberland for spring break. This trip was a bonding experience for all of the girls.

