#### ST. JOHNS COUNTY SCHOOLS



### Palencia Elementary Newsletter



## THE CAPTAIN'S LOG

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#### **Calendar of events:**

- Mar18: NO SCHOOL
- Mar 21-28: SPRING BREAK
- Mar 29: Students Return
- <u>Mar 30-31</u>: FSA 3rd Grade
- <u>Apr 1 & 4</u>: FSA 3rd & 4th Grade
- <u>Apr 8</u>: Kinder Pre-Registration
- <u>Apr 22</u>: Abra's Birtday 🛛 🌉
- Apr 29: No School
  - 2015-2016 SJCSD Calendar



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<u>Show your</u> <u>School Spirit!</u> Monday— Red Tuesday—Black Wednesday—Green Thursday—White Friday - Spirit Wear

## Ahoy Palencia PASSENGERS AND CREW, <u>Highlights of the week</u>

- Spring Break begins Friday more info below
- School offices will be open during Spring Break Monday through Thursday. Offices will also be open Monday, March 28<sup>th</sup>.
- Relay for Life Saturday April 2<sup>nd</sup> at Pacetti Bay Middle (Noon to 10pm) http://main.acsevents.org/goto/palenciapirates
- There will be NO newsletter the week of March 21 or March 28.
- Proctors needed for upcoming assessments. http://www.signupgenius.comgo/10c0c48aeab2aa7f94-fsaproctors
- The Parent School Improvement Survey is now open. Please use the following link to complete the survey. https://surveys.stjohns.k12.fl.us/TakeSurvey.aspx?SurveyID=18K218mL

## Spring Break

Spring Break begins this Friday, March 18<sup>th</sup>. Thursday, March 17<sup>th</sup> is a normal 2:50 dismissal day. Students are off March 18<sup>th</sup> through Monday, March, 28<sup>th</sup>. Students return to school on Tuesday, March 29.We hope all our families have a safe break.

Have a great week,

Captain Allen Anderson

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#### Page 2 School News

Pirate Cove Connection PES Media News for March available at

https://www.smore.com/kpn3h

We wanted to say **THANKS SO MUCH** to everyone who participated in the Money Wars fundraiser. We collected a record setting \$804.55 for the American Cancer Society. The top two decks will be announced soon. The link to our school relay page is

http://main.acsevents.org/goto/palenciapirates

#### ART ROOM NEWS

Please save the date for the most exciting and ARTRAGEOUS night of the year; our Palencia Night of the Arts Art Show; April 28th from 5:30-7:00 pm. Every student will have their best piece of artwork on display in the main hallways and the lower deck areas! Frames for artwork will be on sale through the PTO. LEGOS FOR ART- We want to build an epic Lego wall for the Art Room! Help us by donating new or gently used green lego building panels (and we will take other Lego donations as well!) Wish list items: We are running low on a few things for art. Donations are greatly APPRECIATED! Hand soap, wipes, Aleene's Tacky Glue, Sharpies, Thanks! http://teachers.stjohns.k12.fl.us/wardley-j/

## PE News

### Jump Rope for Heart

All "thank you gifts have been distributed and our final tally is \$12, 846.20 for The American Heart Association. Congratulations, PES, for an amazing effort in this year's campaign.

#### **PES Olympic Team**

Applications are due <u>tomorrow</u>. If you would like to be considered for district competition on *April 13<sup>th</sup>*, please submit your paperwork. Team members will be announced after spring break.

### 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Field Day

Tomorrow is the day! 9:30-11am. Students, please wear appropriate clothing and shoes for activity and bring labeled water bottles for hydration. Volunteers, please report to the park field at 9am.

### **Maximum Potential Kids**

The Arc of Florida and the Agency for Persons with Disabilities (APD) have partnered to offer an on-line video-based training series called, "Maximum Potential Kids." The training series is being offered, at no cost, to family members and approved providers. Please see attached flyer

### **Report Cards**

Report cards will be issued on April 4, 2016. As previously mentioned we will not be printing report cards, all report cards will be posted in the Home Access Center. Therefore we are asking that if you have not signed up for a HAC account (Home Access Center), please go to the website <u>http://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/hac/</u> and signup. We must have a current email address on file for you. Please email Cindy Williams @ <u>CindyAnn.Williams@stjohns.k12.fl.us</u> or call 904-547-4017 to give her your email address and she will help you with setting up the account.

# **Community News**

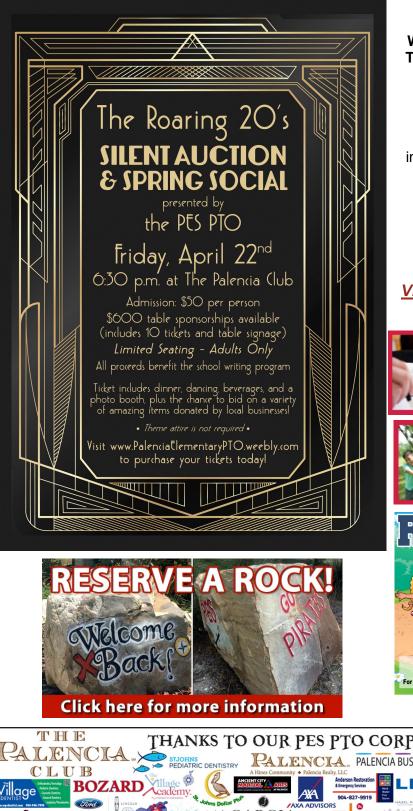
## **Host Families Needed**

Step In Florida is looking for volunteers to host Spanish Exchange Students for 27 days in July. Please see attached flyer for more details

### **After School Activities**

L.E.E. Spanish Drama Kids Club Scientific 4-H Garden Club Good News Club Shinsei Martial Arts Soccer Shots Odyssey of the Minds

## PTO NEWS & EVENTS



## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Wed., March 16: Field Day-2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Grades Thurs., March 17: Velocity Family Fun Night Fri., March 18: Teacher Planning Day -No School for Students March 21-28: SPRING BREAK! Tues., March 29: Classes Resume Fri., April 8: PTO Meeting, 8:40 a.m. in the MPR. Coffee & Breakfast Treats Served. Children are Welcome! Fri., April 22: PTO Silent Auction & Spring Social Event April 28-May 6: Spring Book Fair Thurs., April 28: Night of the Arts Chorus Concert Fri., April 29: NO SCHOOL! View the complete events calendar HERE



ALL LABELS MUST BE "BOX TOP" BRAND AND ARE ONLY ACCEPTED IF THEY HAVE NOT REACHED THEIR EXPIRATION DATE.



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