



## Palencia Elementary Pirate Post

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January 23rd, 2018

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***Show Your School Spirit!***

**Monday— Red**

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**Wednesday—Green**

**Thursday—White**

**Friday - Spirit Wear**

Hello Parents,

Thank you to all who came to our “**Meet the Principal**” sessions this past week. I look forward to continuing partnerships in education.

Have you ever seen something that looks like this LAFS.2.L.1.1 on your child’s test papers or perhaps in class newsletters? Are you curious what it means and how you can “crack the code” to better help your child? Visit [www.cpalms.org](http://www.cpalms.org) . You can select your child’s grade level and subject area and begin exploring. **For those interested in delving deeper into what your child is learning, the website is full of resources, activities and tutorials.** As always, your child’s teacher is a parent’s first stop for specific questions about curriculum and learning.

Tomorrow night, we will honor **Mrs. Jennifer Ledford** and **Ms. Tori Carnall** at the **St. Johns County Teacher of the Year banquet**. These two ladies do amazing work with our young pirates.



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**Please HELP** – When dropping off extended day students in the early morning, please be mindful of the crosswalk area and our staff who are coming into work, often while it's still dark outside. Drive slowly and stay alert.

Reminder – **No School on Monday, January 29<sup>th</sup>.**  
-It's a Teacher In-service Day-

Have a good rest of the week,

*Captain Goodrich*



### 3rd Grade FSA

April 9th - Reading

April 10th - Reading

May 3rd - Math

May 4th - Math

### **2018 FSA Dates**

#### 4th Grade FSA

April 23rd - Reading

April 24th - Reading

May 7th - Math

May 8th - Math

### 5th Grade FSA

**New Date is April 19th - Reading**

**New Date is April 20th - Reading**

April 26th - Math

April 27th - Math

May 1st - Science

May 2nd - Science

Red Denotes Changes

### Pirate Cove Connection



**Celebrate Literacy Week**

#### **Monday:**

Magazine Monday - students will read magazines during independent reading time

#### **Tuesday:**

Hunt Down a Good Book - wear your camouflage clothes

#### **Wednesday:**

Wear Words - wear clothes with words on them

#### **Thursday:**

Buddy Reading Day - intermediate classes will read with primary classes

#### **Friday:**

Flashlight Friday – bring a flashlight and read



### Clinic News

Please be aware that St John's County School District Policy states that children must be fever free (under 100.0 degrees) for 24 hours **WITHOUT** medication before returning to school. If they are sent home from school with a fever, they should not return to school the next day.



### **Jump Rope For Heart Is Coming Soon**



Dear Palencia Elementary Families,

It's time for our **Jump Rope for Heart Event**! Over the next few weeks, your children will learn about their heart health, practice their jump rope skills, and have the opportunity to be *Heart Heroes* by raising much needed funds for the American Heart Association.



Today, each student will be bringing home a **Jump Rope for Heart** collection envelope. Please take a few minutes to read over the fundraising details and incentives offered. We hope your family will be able to participate in this part of the program. Last year our PES families went above and beyond to raise almost \$10,000 for AHA.

Regardless of fundraising, **ALL** students will participate in the activity portion of the program. We look forward to teaching our students about their hearts and showing them fun and creative ways to exercise them through jump rope activities.

This year, our event will take place during students' regularly scheduled PE classes February 5-9th. We welcome you to come join in the fun as a volunteer or a jumper. Should this be possible, please check in at the front office first.

We **highly encourage** supporters to donate online at [www.heart.org/jump](http://www.heart.org/jump) search for our **school page (Palencia Elementary)**. Help your children send emails to friends and family and include a message about why he or she is participating.

If you have **checks, they should be made payable to: American Heart Association**. We ask that children **not** go door-to-door or ask strangers for donations.

**All Envelopes and Online Donations are due by Wednesday, February 14<sup>th</sup>.**

For questions regarding this event, please e-mail:

Coach Brougham at [Jenny.Brougham@stjohns.k12.fl.us](mailto:Jenny.Brougham@stjohns.k12.fl.us) or

Coach McMahon at [Laurel.McMahon@stjohns.k12.fl.us](mailto:Laurel.McMahon@stjohns.k12.fl.us)

Palencia Elementary and the American Heart Association thank you and your children for your support.

Sincerely,

Coach Brougham & Coach McMahon



## CHARACTER BREAKFAST

*"Family-oriented event designed to offer an opportunity for fun and togetherness for everyone from the youngest family member to Grandma."*

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2018

9:30 - 11:30 AM



SOLOMON CALHOUN CENTER,

1300 Duval St., St. Augustine, FL

Tickets = \$15 per person. Children under 2 free

- Tickets available beginning on January 5th at the following

locations: City Bistro, Nettles Fine Jewelry, Solomon Calhoun Center

- To purchase tickets or for more information go to:

[www.kiwanisofstaugustine.com](http://www.kiwanisofstaugustine.com)

- **Tickets must be purchased by Feb. 4th.**

- Limited tickets available.

No tickets will be sold on the day of the event.

Bring your family and have breakfast with your favorite characters: Cinderella, Rapunzel, Trolls, Elsa and Anna from Frozen, Superman, Elmo, Spiderman, Winnie the Pooh & Tigger, Dora the Explorer, Chase from Paw Patrol and Jack Sparrow. Come dressed in your super hero/princess attire and be ready to dance with the characters with a live DJ, themed breakfast items, many photo opportunities, activities and a Chinese Auction.



### Sponsored By:

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4108 A-1-A South

St Augustine Beach, FL  
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## Palencia Elementary Spirit Night

Join the Jacksonville Icemen and Palencia Elementary at Jacksonville Veteran Memorial Arena for a fun, family night out!

Special performances by our very own Chorus. Please make sure to turn form in so you will be sitting with your child(ren).

**Deadline to submit your form:**

**Thursday, February 8**

**Required form titled PESSpirit  
is attached to this email**

**GO JAX!!!!**



**THERE IS A DATE CORRECTION FOR THE INFORMATION BELOW.**

**INTERESTED FAMILIES SHOULD PLAN ON ATTENDING THE ARTS INFORMATION NIGHT ON  
JANUARY 25, 2018 FROM 6:30-8PM IN THE MMS AUDITORIUM**

*Arts Information Night* at Center for the Arts, Murray Middle School

The *St. Johns County Center for the Arts (SJCCA)* at *Murray Middle School (MMS)*, 150 N. Holmes Blvd., St. Augustine, offers talented young people special arts experiences during the regular school day. Fifth-grade students interested in Drama, Dance, Visual Arts, Band or Chorus are encouraged to attend an *Arts Information Night* from 6:30-8 p.m. January 25 at MMS in the auditorium.

Students wishing to apply to *SJCCA at Murray* must be fifth graders residing in St. Johns County during the 2017-18 School Year. The application process includes an audition requirement. Auditions will be held Monday, January 29 during the school day and the audition schedule is posted at <http://www-mms.stjohns.k12.fl.us>. Current SJCS D students may apply online through Home Access Center (HAC). Application directions are posted at <http://www.academies.stjohns.k12.fl.us/registration>. Applications will be accepted beginning January 18 through February 8, 2018.

Fifth grade students who reside in St. Johns County but do not currently attend a SJCS D school must pre-register as a potential student (home schooled, virtual school, private school). Parents are encouraged to visit the school district's website for the required preregistration documentation at <http://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/student/enrollment/>. The completed documentation must be taken to the elementary school that the child is currently zoned to attend, where parents will receive a paper application to complete. The school will fax the completed form to the Career Education Office for processing.

All students participating in auditions will be notified of their acceptance status by email near the end of February. School bus transportation is only provided for students zoned for MMS. Families not zoned for Murray Middle School will be responsible for providing their child's transportation to and from school.

For more information about the SJCCA at MMS call 904-547-8472.

**IMPORTANT DATES-**

JANUARY 18 THROUGH FEBRUARY 8- APPLICATION TIMELINE

JANUARY 25- ARTS INFORMATION NIGHT AT MMS 6:30-8PM IN THE AUDITORIUM

JANUARY 29- AUDITIONS AT MMS

# PTO NEWS & EVENTS

## UPCOMING EVENTS

- Thursday, Jan. 25th - Family Bingo Night 6-7:30 p.m. in the MPR
- Thursday, Feb. 1st - Nease Souper Bowl/ Blessings in a Backpack
- Thursday, Feb. 8th - PTO Meeting at 8:40 a.m. in the MPR
- Friday, Feb. 9th - Daddy Daughter Dance and Mother Son Jump Night



Join us for  
**Family Bingo Night at PES!**

Thursday, January 25<sup>th</sup>, 2018

6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.  
in the School Cafeteria

**Cookies will be served,  
and prizes will be awarded!**

There is no cost for admission, but a \$2 donation per family would be appreciated to assist with event materials.



We need your  
**PICTURES...**  
...For the PES yearbook!  
Please send any photos to  
Jordyn.landsman@stjohns.k12.fl.us



**"Souper Bowl" Luncheon  
for PES Teachers and Staff  
Friday, Feb 2, 2018  
Click [HERE](#) to sign up!**

**Students  
Tackle Hunger**  
  
**SOUPER BOWL**  
**Be The  
Change**

**Change Bowl  
2018**  
  
Who do you think will win  
Super Bowl LII?  
Send in your loose change for either  
the Patriots or the Eagles! Winner  
will be announced on Feb. 2nd!  
All donations go to  
**Blessings in a Backpack!**

**PES Elementary  
Daddy Daughter Dance**  
Friday, February 9<sup>th</sup>  
6:30 - 9 p.m.  
at the Conference Center  
First Coast Technical College  
2980 Collins Avenue, St. Augustine

**Balloon Bop for Box Tops**  
Top collecting class in each grade will receive a  
**BOPPING BALLOON** for each student.  
**Contest starts NOW  
and ends Tues., February 20<sup>th</sup>!**  
For more information, visit [www.PalenciaElementaryPTO.weebly.com](http://www.PalenciaElementaryPTO.weebly.com)  
and click on the tab marked "Kickback."

**CELEBRATE MOTHER-SON NIGHT AT  
INDOOR TRAMPOLINE ARENA  
REBOUNDERZ**  
  
**FRIDAY, FEB. 9, 2018**  
14985 Old St. Augustine Rd.  
(near the intersection with US 1)  
**COST - \$20 per jumper**  
(includes unlimited access to  
trampolines, ninja warrior courses, laser  
tag, rock climbing and jump tower)  
Free admission for non-jumpers  
1<sup>st</sup> Jump  
6 p.m. - 7 p.m.  
(check-in 5:45 p.m.)  
2<sup>nd</sup> Jump  
7 p.m. - 8 p.m.  
(check-in 6:45 p.m.)  
**SPACE IS LIMITED...**  
Max of 100 participants per time slot  
Parental supervision is required for  
this event - no drop-offs please!  
Bring your own Rebounderz socks or buy for \$2  
**Sign up today at  
[www.PalenciaElementaryPTO.weebly.com!](http://www.PalenciaElementaryPTO.weebly.com!)**

*Grab your berets and join us  
for an evening in Paris...enjoy a night  
of fun, dinner and dancing!*  
\$50 per Daddy-Daughter Couple  
and \$20 per Additional Daughter  
Space is Limited...Registration Closes  
at 10 p.m. on Thursday, February 1<sup>st</sup>  
Register at [PalenciaElementaryPTO.weebly.com](http://PalenciaElementaryPTO.weebly.com)  
For more information, email [dston3@me.com](mailto:dston3@me.com)

**2017-2018 PES SPIRIT WEAR SHIRTS**  
MONDAY - RED \$15  
TUESDAY - BLACK \$15  
WEDNESDAY - GREEN \$15  
THURSDAY - WHITE \$15  
FRIDAY - BOYS \$15  
FRIDAY - GIRLS \$15  
The Online Spirit Wear Store is now  
**OPEN!**  
Design & Screen Printing  
ATLANTIC  
SHIRTS



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