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Palencia Elementary Pirate Post

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THE CAPTAIN'S LOG

Calendar Of Events

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FEB 19: No School MAR 6: FSA Writes 4&5 MAR 9: FSA Reading 3rd MAR 10:FSA Reading 3rd MAR 16: No School MAR 26 - 30: Spring Break APR 2: School Resumes APR 19 : FSA 5th Reading APR 20 : FSA 5th Reading APR 23 : FSA 4th Reading APR 24 : FSA 4th Reading

Show Your School Spirit!

Monday-Red

Tuesday—Black

Wednesday—Green

Friday - Spirit Wear

Hello Pirate Families,

Our teachers and staff are thankful that we belong to a community where families care deeply about their child's education. If you have not yet had a face to face conference with your child's teacher, please reach out to her/him to schedule one in the weeks ahead. Did you know that all $3^{rd} - 5^{th}$ grade parents have real time access to student grades through Home Access Center (HAC)? If you do not yet know how to log into HAC, contact Cindy Williams, registrar, at 904-547-4017.

School Safety is a priority in St. Johns County. The school district's relationship with the Sheriff's office is extraordinary. To learn more, visit:

http://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/schoolservices/safety/

Some parents have started to inquire about purchasing an i-Pad or laptop for their child to bring to school and use as an instructional tool for the 2018-2019 school year. SJCSD outlines specific system requirements. Stay tuned! Details are coming.

Together in Education,

Captain Goodrich 🕮







CHOCOLATE AND BEYOND A SWEET WAY TO SUPPORT VOLUNTEERS

Chocolate and Beyond, an exciting celebration of chocolate, desserts, and other culinary sensations, is coming up Saturday, Feb 24, 2018 from 2 – 4 p.m. at First Coast Technical College, 2980 Collins Avenue in St. Augustine. Guests will sample chocolate and other delicious creations from some of the area's finest restaurants and specialty shops, while enjoying contests and a silent auction. This year marks the 25th anniversary of the event!







- Lost and Found-

Is your child missing an article of clothing , water bottle, or lunchbox? Please have your child look for any missing items ASAP! We will be donating all of the items to Goodwill before Spring Break.



When Writing Checks For PES

Parents, our school district is now requiring two phone numbers on a personal check. When you pay for something at the school, please add two contact numbers.



Reminders from the Coaches:

5th Grade **Character Cup** Team applications and all **Jump Rope for Heart** donations are due TOMORROW, <u>Wednesday, February 14th</u>. Thank you for your interest and support of these programs.



Flowers & Gifts

Due to safety and medical reasons we are unable to take in any deliveries of flowers or gifts. We appreciate you having these items delivered directly to your home. Any item delivered will be held at the front office and a parent will have to come and pick them up.

<u>3rd Grade FSA</u>

April 9th - Reading April 10th - Reading May 3rd - Math May 4th - Math

2018 FSA Dates

<u>4th Grade FSA</u> March 6th - Writing April 23rd - Reading April 24th - Reading May 7th - Math May 8th - Math 5th Grade FSA March 6th - Writing April 19th - Reading April 20th - Reading April 26th - Math April 27th - Math May 1st - Science May 2nd - Science

Do you wish your child could practice before or during the FSA.



www.fsassessments.org

This website provides many opportunities for your child to practice. This is an excellent resource to help them familiarize themselves with the FSA format and types of questions.



PTO NEWS & EVENTS

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tuesday, Feb 13th - 3rd Grade Field Day Tuesday, Feb. 20th - Box Tops Contest Ends Friday, Mar. 9th - PTO Meeting at 8:40 a.m. in the MPR



Send your 5th grader a special message that will be featured in the PES yearbook!

SUBMISSION DEADLINE IS FEB 23RD! CLICK HERE FOR ONLINE ORDER FORM



Volunteer! 3rd Grade Field Day Tuesday, Feb 13, 2018 *Click HERE to Sign UP*!

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 20th!



For more information, visit www.PalenciaElementaryPTO.weebly.com and click on the tab marked "Kickback."

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





Please send any photos to Jordyn.landsman@stjohns.k12.fl.us

> Click here for more information



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