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### PES PIRATE POST OCTOBER 24TH, 2017

## THE CAPTAIN'S LOG

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

- OCT 24: Donuts For Dads
- OCT 25: Muffins For Moms
- OCT 26: Family Night & **Pumpkin Character Night**
- OCT 26: Picture Retake
- OCT 31: Report Cards
- NOV 10: Make-up Day
- NOV 22 -24: Thanksgiving

Break/No School





2017-2018 SJCSD Calendar





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Show your School Spirit!

Monday— Red

Tuesday—Black

Wednesday—Green

Friday - Spirit Wear

## Ahoy Palencia Passengers and Crew Here Are The Topics of The Week

- Report Cards Available One Week From Today
- Oct. 31 School Wide Picture Day
- Future School Calendars
- Bus Loop Change
- We Hope You Will Join Us For The Book Fair 🧱



### Report Cards

Report cards will be available from your Home Access Center (HAC) account on Tuesday, Oct. 31. The first guarter ended on Oct. 13, but due to the hurricane, the publication of the report cards were delayed until the 31st. Please know that HAC is closed for a few days as teachers enter final grades. If you have any issues accessing your account on the 31st or after please contact Mrs. Cindy Williams for assistance.

#### Oct. 31 (Halloween)

We have a wonderful school tradition that began the first year PES opened. Each year on Oct. 31 we all dress in our favorite pirate attire for a school wide picture. Please know there is no need to purchase a Pirate costume, a red or black school shirt is often used on this day. We get the entire school together for a school picture, which will be displayed in the office area

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#### Future Calendars

The SJCSD is seeking comments on the proposed 2019-2020, 2020-2021, 2021-2022 school calendars. Survey links are now available on the school district website for community members to provide input on the calendars. The survey links can be accessed at <a href="http://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/calendar/proposed/">http://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/calendar/proposed/</a> or on the school district's home page. Individuals are encouraged to submit any ideas, suggestions or concerns about the proposed calendars. Feedback will be collected through Friday, October 27.



### Bus Loop Change

Just to provide an update, the concrete was not poured last week. The sidewalk was formed and we expect to have it ready for use next week. This should have little impact on our families as this should improve traffic flow and safety.

Have a great week,

Captain Allen Anderson



# **Palencia Elementary School News**

**Pirate Cove Connection** 

PES Media News for October is available at

October Pirate Cove Connection



Book Fair - Oct. 18-27

Muffins for Moms
Wed, Oct 25 from 7:30AM-8:30AM



Family Night & Pumpkin
Character Contest
Thurs, October 26 5:00-7:00PM



### **Book Fair Volunteers**

We need volunteers...we need YOU! Volunteering at the Book Fair is the perfect way to stay connected to your child at school and help students find the books they can't wait to read. Sign up now and get ready for a fun and rewarding volunteer experience. You will also receive a 10% discount on your book fair purchases. Sign-up here

https://m.signupgenius.com/#!/showSignUp/4090d4fafa72fa64-pesbook







#### **Needs You Help**

I am in need of volunteers to assist with kindergarten art class from 1:30pm to 2:30pm on Fridays. Assistants will provide an extra pair of eyes and ears, set up and distribute supplies and help students complete the art activity. I would be very grateful for the help! We love our PES Volunteers!!

http://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080a45a4ae2fa7fe3artplc



# October 31st

DRESS LIKE A PIRATE DAY

It is time for our school wide picture! No costume required.

Wear either a <u>RED</u> or <u>BLACK</u> Shirt to show our PES Pirate Pride.

Don't forget to Smile



### **PTO NEWS & EVENTS**



Click HERE
to Download the
Grandparent's Day
Forms.
FORMS ARE DUE BY
NOV. 3rd!



PLEASE JOIN US JANUARY 20, 2018 FOR THE 4<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL PIRATE 5K & FAMILY FUN RUN

REGISTER SOON TO SIGN UP - EARLY BIRD SPECIAL OF \$25 ENDS OCTOBER 31ST!

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Wednesday, Oct. 25th** - Muffins for Moms 7:30-8:30 a.m.

**Thursday, Oct. 26th** - Book Fair Family Night and Mojos Spirit Night 5:00-7:00 p.m.– Spirit Wear for sale during event

Friday, Oct. 27th - Fall Book Fair Ends
Tuesday, Oct. 31st - Dress like a Pirate Day
Thursday, Nov. 9th - PTO Meeting at 8:40
a.m. in the MPR









Would you like to become a sponsor of Palencia Elementary School? Visit www.PalenciaElementaryPTO.weebly.com/sponsors.html to download the sponsorship brochure for more information. We hope that you will find a level of support that is appropriate for your company. For more details, please contact Amanda LaConte at (513) 376-1669 or send an e-mail to pes.ptoBusinessSponsorships@gmail.com.

## 2017-2018 Instructional Materials Adoption - Science

The St. Johns County School District curriculum department representatives and adoption committee members are currently conducting the review process for the 2017-2018 Instructional Materials Adoption for Science. The materials listed in the chart below are available for review by our teachers and the public. The core resources that have been submitted for evaluation have come from the state adoption consideration lists. AP materials that will be reviewed are from College Board recommended materials.

Some print materials may be available for review. If you would like access to the available printed materials or require assistance reviewing the online resources, please call the Instructional Resources and Media Services office at 904.547.3947. Materials are available for review from 8:00AM – 4:30PM when district offices are open.

#### SJCSD Science Instructional Materials – posted 10/19/17

(Click above to follow a link to access the resources or go to: http://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/media/textbooks/adoption/)
This document may be revised throughout the review process.

Please check back for updates.

Please note the following Florida statute regarding instructional materials that pertains to parent input regarding adopted materials:

F.S. 1006.28 (1)(a)(3) Each district school board must establish a process by which the parent of a public school student may contest the district school board's adoption of a specific instructional material. The parent must file a petition, on a form provided by the school board, within 30 calendar days after the adoption of the material by the school board. The school board must make the form available to the public and publish the form on the school district's website. The form must be signed by the parent, include the required contact information, and state the objection to the instructional material. Within 30 days after the 30-day period has expired, the school board must conduct at least one open public hearing on all petitions timely received and provide the petitioner written notification of the date and time of the hearing at least 7 days before the hearing. All instructional materials contested must be made accessible online to the public at least 7 days before a public hearing. The school board's decision after convening a hearing is final and not subject to further petition or review.