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**PES PIRATE POST DECEMBER 5TH, 2017**

## THE CAPTAIN'S LOG

### Calendar of events:

- DEC 7: Fuel The School  
@ Circle K - Gas Up Tonight
- DEC 7:   
Spirit Night
- DEC 11: SAC Meeting
- DEC 15: 5th Spelling Bee
- DEC 20: Chorus Performance
- DEC 21: Early Release @ 1:50
- DEC 22 : Winter Break  

- JAN 8: Class Resumes

2017-2018 SJCS D Calendar



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*Show your  
School Spirit!*

**Monday— Red**

**Tuesday—Black**

**Wednesday—Green**

**Thursday—White**

**Friday - Spirit Wear**

### School News

First and Foremost Thank You For The Support You  
Have Shared With Me The Past 4 ½ Years

- ♦ New PES Principal
- ♦ Circle K & Chick-Fil-A This Thursday Evening.
- ♦ School Security and The Color of The Day

### New PES Principal

Public input for the new PES Principal will take place this Thursday at 3:30pm in the Cafeteria. All are welcome and encouraged to attend.



### Circle K & Chick-Fil-A



This Thursday evening is our double kickback night for the school. I hope to see many of our families at the Circle K (3-6pm) & at Chick-Fil-A (5:30– 7:30) this Thursday.

*-This is the Circle K before you get to Lewis Speedway-*

### School Security & Color Of The Day

In a recent SAC meeting I was asked to address the safety of our school. PES is very unique as it is not a fenced in school as most in our county are. We are fortunate to share space with our community. While this gives us a great community feel, safety is always our first priority. Please know that we have taken many steps to continually increase the security of our students. We also have a plan to continue this process. The year the school opened they implemented a color of the day optional dress code. The purpose behind this is to help with the security of the school. It is a big help when our children follow this optional color dress code.

Have a great week,

*Captain Allen Anderson*

# Palencia Elementary School News

## Pirate Cove Connection

PES Media News for December is available at

[December Pirate Cove Connection](#)

## School Access / Volunteer

### New Volunteers

Attention all Parents, Grandparents, and other family members who will be attending school functions like -  
(Class Parties, Grandparents Day, Drama Performances, Chorus, Proctors, Class Room Mom, Field Day, Birthdays or any other fun activity at school )

### **YOU MUST BE AN APPROVED VOLUNTEER**

No one is allowed inside the school unless they have been approved. You must fill out the online application at the link provided. Once you have filled out the application and are approved through the St. Johns County School District and Sherriff's Office you are allowed access inside the school. As soon as possible please fill this application out for yourself and any other family member you want to have come to the school to visit your child or participate in any school function. The complete process takes about 4-6 weeks to clear the school district and sheriffs office.

[Click HERE for Volunteer Application](#)

### Current Volunteers

Your volunteer status is good for three years once it has been approved. If you are concerned that your expiration is coming up please do not submit another application online. Instead email Ms. Susan Solms at [susan.solms@stjohns.k12.fl.us](mailto:susan.solms@stjohns.k12.fl.us) and let her know you need to check your status. This is going to be another fun filled year and we can't wait to see all of our volunteers return to the school and classrooms.

## Our Art Teacher Ms. Green Needs Your Help Materials Needed for Art Class

Old cds, plastic bottle caps, buttons, newspaper, colorful straws, ribbon, pipe cleaners, shredded paper and other collage materials.

If you have any of these materials laying around the house that you would like to put towards a good cause, please donate them to Palencia Art!



## Pirate Giving Tree

Each year we have a chance to reach out and help some of our own Pirate Families during the Holidays. Thank you so much for your kindness. Little faces with great big smiles are always worth it.



### Sign Up



Click here





## PTO NEWS & EVENTS

### UPCOMING EVENTS

Thursday, Nov. 30th - 2nd Grade Field Day

Thursday, Dec. 7th -

Circle K Fuel Night 3-6 p.m. and  
Chik-Fil-A Spirit Night 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 8th -

PTO Meeting at 8:40 a.m. in the MPR  
and Family Paint Night 6-7:30 p.m.



2nd Grade Field Day:  
Thursday, November 30, 2017  
Volunteers are always needed!  
[Click HERE to sign up!](#)



When: Thursday, Dec 7th, **5:30-7:30 p.m.**

Where: Chick-fil-A of St. Augustine  
{1752 U.S. 1 South}

How: Stop by for dinner...dine-in and drive-thru orders count! Take the night off from cooking and join us for a fun time with great food. **Chick-fil-A will donate 10% of sales during those two hours to Palencia Elementary School!**

*you are helping students  
for the better. Thank you!*



# Family Paint Night

CALLING ALL PES FAMILIES  
LOOKING FOR A CREATIVE WAY TO GET INVOLVED AND SPEND TIME WITH YOUR FAMILY? COME JOIN US FOR PES FAMILY PAINT NIGHT! KICK BACK, RELAX AND ENJOY A FUN NIGHT OF PAINTING WITH YOUR FAMILY. FOLLOW ALONG AS OUR VISUAL ARTS TEACHER GUIDES YOU IN PAINTING A SEASONAL IMAGE.

*Friday, December 8th, 2017*

6:00 - 7:30 P.M.  
IN THE ART ROOM

SIGN UP NOW AS SPACE IS LIMITED TO 30 PEOPLE. PLEASE EMAIL PES.PTOPRESIDENT@GMAIL.COM WITH YOUR NAME, CHILD(S) NAME, TEACHER NAME/GRADE AND PHONE NUMBER TO SIGN UP. YOU WILL RECEIVE A PAYMENT REQUEST IN THE AMOUNT OF \$15 PER PERSON.

## RESERVE A ROCK!

**Click here for more information**

### 2017-2018 PES SPIRIT WEAR SHIRTS

MONDAY - RED	TUESDAY - BLACK	WEDNESDAY - GREEN	THURSDAY - WHITE
\$15	\$15	\$15	\$15
FRIDAY - BOYS		FRIDAY - GIRLS	
\$15		\$15	

The Online Spirit Wear Store is now OPEN!

Shirts Designed and Printed with Pirate Pride by Design ATLANTIC CREW

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