

Sea Turtle Times

Safety Harbor Elementary
November 2018

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Calendar



November

- 11/1 – Skating Party – Astro Skate,
Pick up at SHES between 6:05-6:15pm
- 11/5 – 11/9 – Book Fair
- 11/6 – Election Day
- 11/7 – 2nd Grade Veteran's Day Concert
- 11/9 - SHES Veteran's Breakfast – 8am
- 11/12- Student Council Food Drive Begins
- 11/13 – SAC Meeting – 5:30 pm
- 11/14 – Great American Teach In
- 11/14 – Mid Period Grading Reports
- 11/15 – All Pro Dads
- 11/15 – Teacher/Staff Appreciation Lunch
- 11/19 – 11/23 – Thanksgiving Break,
No School
- 11/30 - SHES Sea Turtle Character Assembly
8:45 am

December

- 12/4 – SHES Holiday Music Performance
1st grade – 6 pm
5th grade – 7 pm
- 12/6 – IMOMS – 7:55 am
- 12/11 – SAC Meeting 5:30pm
- 12/17 – Wonderland Shop Opens
- 12/21 – End of Grading Period
- 12/21 – Sea Turtle Character Assembly 8:45am



SHES PTA

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Principal's Pen

Welcome to November SHES Families!

This month always reminds us of the many people we are thankful for in our lives. In addition to my family and friends, I am extremely grateful for our dedicated staff and students who give their best each day in supporting, planning, teaching and learning. I would like to share special thanks for the members of our school family, parents, faculty and community that can give the gift of time, to plan, organize and successfully host great events, including last Friday evening's Annual Safety Harbor Elementary Fall Festival. With such a beautiful evening as our backdrop, it was the perfect setting for all of our guests, including current and past students! Special thanks to our PTA Volunteers and all of parents and staff members who made it possible. You are so greatly appreciated by all!

Special congratulations to our very own Mrs. Wendy Stryker, 4th Grade Teacher, for representing SHES as our 2018-2019 Teacher of the Year nominee! Mrs. Stryker's abilities as a teacher leader and aspiring administrator are evident each day. She has a purposeful approach to instruction and cultivates an engaging culture of learning in her classroom each year.

Congratulations also to our Support Staff of the Year nominee, Coach Blake Fish, PE Assistant. Students light up when they see Coach Fish and they can always anticipate a personal greeting by name with a high five or hug! Coach Fish is always encouraging during PE, helping students see that they can be successful with just an extra word of encouragement.

Be sure to congratulate each of our nominees when you see them! We are so proud of them both and their contributions to help SHES Shine!

Families, continue the hard work of learning and remember to check out our website calendar for the most updated events and information. I hope you each have a restful and very Happy Thanksgiving!!

Ms. Palmer

**November Character Trait:
Citizenship**

**Being law abiding and involved in service to
school, community and country.**

**October Character
Winners - Cooperation**

Addison Sneddon
Dean Nguyen
Cashel Frazier
Anisa Jacaj
John Patrick Linehan
Marcos Perez Duran
Sophie Valentine
Cage Cantrell
Peyton Collins
Claire Smith
Niles Inthivong
Taylor Belejchak
Gracie Rodriguez
Emily Knox
Luke Laugen
Isabella Bosso
Gracelyn Harrington
Todd Wright
Madison Castiglia
Audrey Warford
Joseph Pompilio
Ameria Dixon
Kinley Adang
Jocelyn Ibarra -
Hernandez
Weston Folger
Timothy Martinez
Sarah Blair
Reed Parry
Tyler Reinhart
Brion Osgood
Ayrabella Whitlatch
Trinity Veasley
Leena Higueros
Frankie Parkes
Shondray Dixon
Ayla Baron
Dylan Sinclair
William Kent
Emory Tipton
Marcelle Bowes

***SHES CLASSROOM
PARTNERS!***

**Kristen Turzak
Colin Anderson
The Lapointe Family
The Fish Family
The Linehan Family**



November with SHES PTA = GIVING THANKS!

Wow! Between last month's Fall Festival, National Walk to School Day, the fall fundraiser, our first iMoms meeting, and pumpkin making projects, October sure was a fun and busy month! We hope that all of you were able to enjoy some quality time with your friends and family at this year's Fall Festival. Cotton candy, pony rides, Frisbee-toss, cake walk, face painting, rock painting, bouncy houses....which activity was your favorite?

SHES PTA is thankful for everyone who helps to make our programs and events a possibility! Our Fall Fundraiser was a HUGE success and we could not have reached this success without you! Thank you for taking the time to reach out to your neighbors, relatives, co-workers and friends; please let them know we appreciate their support. Fundraisers enable us to help the school with projects such as the beautiful new picnic table mural, yearly teacher start-up grants, motivational presentations, and much more.

SHES PTA is also thankful to our parents, community volunteers, teachers, and staff. Whether you monitored a bouncy house at fall festival, scooped ice cream at reading night, helped a teacher create the best pumpkin ever, or plan on making a dessert for the upcoming teacher / staff appreciation luncheon, we are thankful for YOU!

Please join us in November as we once again spend time with an important male role model at All Pro dads (11/15: please note, this is a new date), honor our Veterans at the Annual Veterans Day Breakfast (11/9), and thank our wonderful teachers and staff at the Teacher / Staff Appreciation Luncheon (11/15).

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Clinic News!

SHORTS NEEDED!
Elastic waist band preferred.
All sizes needed!

Volunteer Corner!

Log Your Hours!

Take a moment to help SHES shine by logging your hours. 😊

Volunteers with an inactive account risk being purged out of the system.



Contact Lisa Zollars if you have any questions.
zollarsl@pcsb.org



Kiwanis Students of the Month: Jaylen White

Jaylen embodies the core values that Kiwanis International represents. He is responsible, reliable and ready to learn on a daily basis. Jaylen treats everyone he meets with respect and optimism. He demonstrates a willingness to help others by giving and not receiving anything in return. He has an amazing heart full of kindness!!

Jaylen has impeccable manners! He realizes that what he says and how he behaves are representative of his character. He arrives to school each and every day with a smile on his face and a positive attitude and I might add a Safety Patrol. He goes above and beyond academically by being motivated by having a growth mind-set, a problem solver, and most importantly challenging himself in all areas. I feel Jaylen understands that his mistakes are a part of growing and gaining knowledge. There is no doubt in my mind that he will continue to achieve success in his life because he has the attitude and work ethic to succeed. I have enjoyed having Jaylen in our fifth-grade classroom. I'm the lucky one!!!

Ms. Brennan
5th Grade Teacher

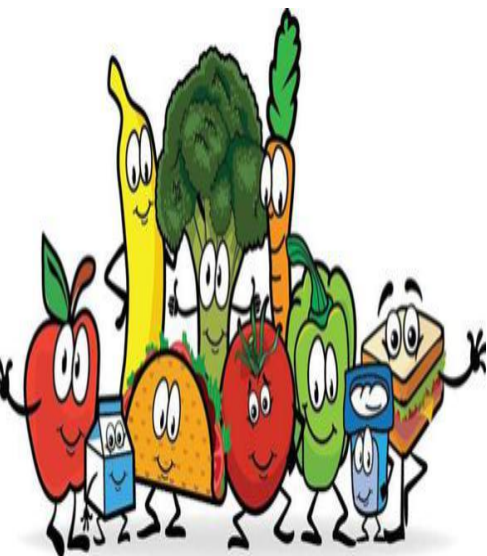
Family members can join students for lunch on Mondays!

Bring your ID with you, sign in at the front office and join your student at the picnic table area! You must be on the student's clinic card to be able to join them. You may bring a friend only if their parent has written a note to the child's teacher. This must be presented to the cafeteria staff as well. Contact the front office prior to your visit if you have any questions.

Apply for free or reduced lunch at www.myschoolapps.com

Add money to a lunch account by visiting www.myschoolbucks.com
You will need the student's 10 digit student ID number.

What's Cooking at SHES?





Lunch Pal Mentors Needed... especially male mentors!

Make an Impact - Become a Mentor!
We need Lunch Pal mentors! Especially MALE Lunch Pal Mentors! Become a registered volunteer, attend a mentor workshop, change the life of a student! It is that easy! Only 30 minutes a week during lunch! Any day of the week! Contact Lisa Zollars in the front office for more details!



Dear Safety Harbor Sea Turtles,

K-Kids last meeting was a huge success! K-Kids member's brainstormed ideas to help our military veterans and families in our community. In addition, members made 80 Veterans Day cards to hand deliver to our Veterans at the Veteran's Day Breakfast here at Safety Harbor Elementary on November 9th.

Our next meeting will take place November 9th at 7:45. K-Kids members will come together to finalize our community outreach project for December and then spend the rest of our morning spending time with our Veterans at the breakfast.

On a final note, the K-Kids Store is up and running. Please be sure to stop by and see all of the great things we have for sale before school on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Thank you to all of the parents that are volunteering and making our store a wonderful success!

Sincerely,

Mrs. Baby Mrs. Collova Mrs. Gazlay Mrs. Troutman

Enchanted Forest Book Fair!

11/2 – Students walk through and make wish list

11/5 – Open for student shopping- 8:15am – 2:40pm

(Parents welcome to shop during students lunch)

11/6- Open for student shopping – 8:15am – 2:40 pm

11/7 – Open for student shopping – 8:15am – 2:40pm

Parents welcome to shop 3-4pm.

Open during Veteran's Day Concert 5:30 – 6:15pm & 7:30 – 8:00pm

11/8- Open for student shopping 8:45am – 2:40pm

Parents welcome to shop 3-4pm

11/9 – Open for students to shop 8:15am – 11am