

Principal's Message - March 1, 2024

Good evening from Principal Beekman at Starkey Elementary.

Thank you to everyone who turned in their pledges for the Jog-a-thon fundraiser. If you haven't turned yours in, it is not too late. We will continue collecting money through Monday, March 4th. We've already surpassed our goal and raised just over \$18,000! The money will help purchase needed classroom materials and school equipment. Thank you so much for your support!

Next week is "Say Something Week". The Say Something initiative empowers students to be upstanders and say something to a trusted adult when they see something as a threat. A flyer and activities for next week were developed by some of our own student leaders. It was sent home electronically from the teachers and can also be located on our website.

Wednesday, March 6th, is Field Day. Grades 1, 2, and 3 will participate from 9:00-11:00 am and K, 4th, and 5th grade will participate from 12:30-2:30 pm. Parents are welcome to come cheer their students on. Please check in at the office with proper ID first. If it rains, I will send an email before school Wednesday rescheduling it for Thursday, March 7th.

On Friday, March 8th, PTA is hosting a Family Game Night from 5:00-7:00 pm in our Café. Your child has already received a flyer with the details, but for more information you can contact PTA at starkeypta@gmail.com. It is sure to be a lot of fun family time. We hope you can make it!

As a reminder, Spring Break is March 11-15 and schools will be closed. Then our Math and Science Night is Tuesday, March 19th, from 5:30-7:00 pm in our Cafe. More information about it will be sent soon.

Thank you and good night.