

February 28, 2017



Eagle Eye

Timberlin Creek Elementary School
555 Pine Tree Lane
St. Augustine, FL 32092
www.tce-stjohns.k12.fl.us T: 904-547-7400

FSA Testing

Spring time brings about the start of our statewide testing for our 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade students when we return from Spring Break. Please check out the testing windows on our website so you are aware. We ask that you mark the dates your child will be testing on the calendar to be sure that you have no appointments scheduled for the testing days at <http://www-tce.stjohns.k12.fl.us/testing/>. ***Please remember that during testing days the campus is closed to all visitors.*** This includes volunteering in classrooms/media center or eating lunch with your child. As much as we appreciate our families assisting in the classrooms or in the media center as well as eating lunch as a special occasion, we must value a quiet and uninterrupted testing environment for all of our students on each testing date. We appreciate your support with these dates and know that our students are prepared and will do well on the state assessments.

Field Day

Thank you to Coach Anderson and Coach Lane for organizing our Field Day for our students. The schedule below highlights the dates for each grade level. Please remember to have your child wear sneakers on their field day date.

Monday, March 6th

9:30-11:00 – 3rd Grade

12:30-2:00 – 2nd Grade

Tuesday, March 7th

9:30-11:00 – Kindergarten

12:30-2:00 – 1st Grade

Thursday, March 9th

9:30-11:00 – 4th Grade

12:45-2:15 – 5th Grade



Upcoming Events

March 2

Second Grade Performance of BUGZ at 6:30 p.m. Show 1

March 6

Field Day for 2nd and 3rd grades

March 7

Field Day for Kg and 1st grades

March 9

Field Day for 4th and 5th grades

Second Grade Performance of BUGZ at 6:30 p.m. Show 2

March 10

Goodwill Bag-It-Up Collection during arrival at the bus loop and car loop

March



ORFF Performance

Congratulations to our ORFF Ensemble. Our students put on an engaging night performance on Thursday, February 23, 2017. I continue to be amazed with the talent of our students. Thank you to Mrs. Chapman for her dedication to our music program here at TCES!



Important Information

School Hours:
Mon/Tues/Thurs/Fri:
8:30 am – 2:50 pm

All transportation changes must be completed by 2:15 pm.

Every Wed is Early Release:
8:30 am – 1:50 pm

All transportation changes must be completed by 1:15 pm

Supervision is available for students beginning at 8:05 am.

Important Contact Numbers

Absence/Tardy: 547-7400

Beyond the Bell Extended Day Program: 547-7413

Cafeteria: 547-7418

Change of Address/Phone No: 547-7406

Clinic: 547-7409

Guidance Counselor: 547-7408

Little Eagles Learning Center: 547-7411

Media Center: 547-7416

Registration: 547-7406

PreK Applications and Kindergarten Registration

Please visit our school website at <http://www-tce.stjohns.k12.fl.us/> for information about our PreK programs and kindergarten registration dates.

School Access Form – Please remember that each family member must complete the school access form online in order to attend school functions that take place during the school day. You may logon to <http://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/volunteer/> to complete your form today!

Your Learning Leader,
Mrs. Hemingway

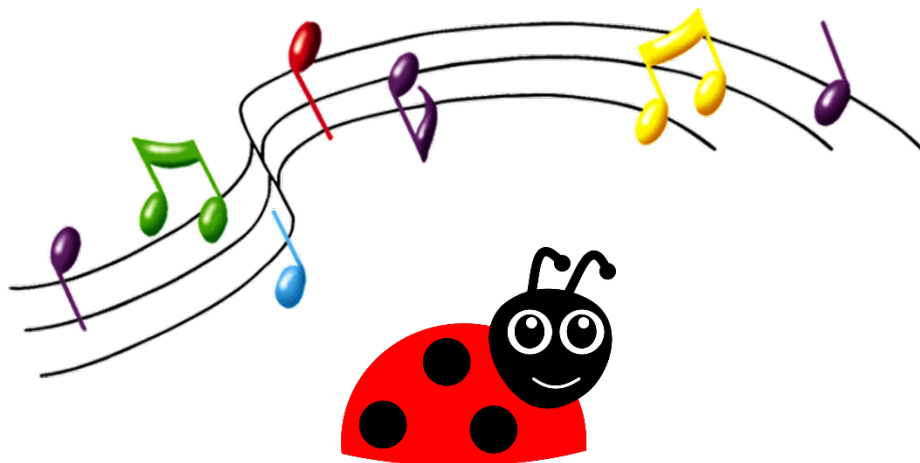
KINDERGARTEN STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Maksim Krzeszewski
Shamith Tipirneni

Music Performances

Thursday, March 2, 2017 = Second Grade Performance of BUGZ (Perrigo, Davidoff, Matolka, K. Stewart) Show 1. 6:30 p.m. in the cafeteria.

Thursday, March 9, 2017 = Second Grade Performance of BUGZ (Hinson, M. Stewart, Witham, Fischer) Show 2. 6:30 p.m. in the cafeteria.



IT'S SPRING PORTRAIT TIME!



We'll be taking Spring pictures outside this year (just like we did last year) so to avoid the shadows that arrive later in the day, we've split the schedule into two days.

Please note the day that your child will have their picture taken:

Thursday, March 9

Pre-K/ESE

First Grade

Third Grade

Little Eagles Learning Center

Friday, March 10

Second Grade

Kindergarten

Fourth Grade

Fifth Grade



DAISY PETAL POWER

The Daisy Petal Power program is a special mail program for girls in preschool, kindergarten and first grade designed to prepare them for their adventures as a Girl Scout! In March, girls will receive by mail a book full of fun activities they can complete with you through the spring and summer.



Who can register?

Daisy Petal Power is open to all non-Girl Scouts entering kindergarten, first grade or second grade in fall 2017.

How much does Daisy Petal Power cost, and what's included?

You have two options!

Option 1: \$25, includes program packet, patch and 2016-17 Girl Scout membership

Option 2: \$40, includes program packet, patch, 2016-17 Girl Scout membership and special event

- June 10, 10 a.m., with Doing Dishes (Jacksonville)
- June 10, noon, with Doing Dishes (St. Johns)
- June 24, 11 a.m., with Do Art Pottery and Art Studio (Gainesville)



Ready to start the fun?

To join the Daisy Petal Power program, contact Brittany Putnam at (904) 861-0878 or bputnam@girlscouts-gateway.org, or visit www.girlscouts-gateway.org/DaisyPetalPower



SUMMER MARINE SCIENCE PROGRAM

Applications for the summer Marine Science Program were passed out at all schools during the week of February 13th. Applications were due back to science teachers by February 28th. Applications can still be downloaded at any time from the website prior to April 15th at <http://www-grms.stjohns.k12.fl.us/> and click on the Marine Science link. The link also will have a complete day-by-day curriculum for each grade level, parent information, and a video from last year's program.

This summer program is available to all students currently in grades five through seven and has been sponsored by the school district since 1982. Three eight day sessions are held at Gamble Rogers Middle School with bus transportation provided. The dates for the three sessions this summer will be May 30th through June 8th, June 12th through June 22nd, and June 26th through July 7th. Small classes of 12-14 students are separated by grade level. All instructors in the program are St. Johns County School District teachers.

The Marine Science Program is a carefully designed experience for responsible students who are interested in learning about our local marine environments. Learning is "hands on" in the field with students kayaking, canoeing, boating, hiking, snorkeling, sailing, windsurfing, surfing, SUP, (stand up paddleboarding), etc. Specific grade level activities and curriculum are attached to the applications and are also available from the website.

More information about the program is available by emailing marinescience@stjohns.k12.fl.us.



The St. Johns County School District will observe Spring Break from Monday, March 13 through Friday March 17, 2017. Monday, March 20 is a Student Holiday.

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

The St. Johns County School District (SJCSD) will hold early registration for children entering kindergarten for the 2017-2018 school year.

Friday, March 24 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Tuesday, April 4 1 – 5 p.m.

Monday, May 15 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

To be eligible for public kindergarten in the SJCSD, children must be 5 years old on or before September 1 and must reside in St. Johns County.

Parents must register children at the school where they are zoned for the 2017-2018 school year. To find your school, enter your street address on the Attendance Zone Locator at <http://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/zoning/>. Students zoned for new Elementary School “M” will need to register at Pacetti Bay Middle School, located at 245 Meadowlark Lane, St. Augustine. Contact the Student Services Department at 547-7598 for additional information on registration and zoning.

Requirements for registration:

- Birth certificate
- Documentation of a health examination performed on or after August 11, 2016
- Proof of **completed** required immunizations on Form DH680
- Proof of residence per the Residency and Guardianship Policy located at www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/student/residency/

To register your child for Kindergarten at Timberlin Creek, please see our website at www-tce.stjohns.k12.fl.us



SMILE! YOU'RE ON CAMERA!

For the safety of our students and all visitors to our campus, 24-hour video cameras (interior and exterior) are in use on our campus.

We must ask that you NOT park in the reserved parking spots. These must be available for the staff that are here late at night.

VIDEOS, PHOTOGRAPHS AND RECORDINGS

Students, parents and visitors are not allowed to videotape, photograph or make audio recordings while on school premises except for Open House and public events (including plays, musicals, fairs, fundraiser raisers, and awards/recognitions.) All recording devices must be turned off at school. The purpose of this general rule is to foster an appropriate educational environment, prevent unwarranted disclosure of student images and information, and to comply with the requirements of the negotiated agreement with the St. Johns Education Association. (Student Code of Conduct, pages 52 - 54)

LOST AND FOUND

If your child is missing an item, please check our Lost and Found items on the stage in the cafeteria. All items are donated to charity on a regular basis.



BEYOND THE BELL NEWS



- ALL students must be signed in AND out from Extended Day every day. Parents are required to walk their child in and sign them in every morning and walk in and sign them out in the evening.
 - Drivers are asked to park in empty non-reserved parking spaces in our parking lot. Reserved parking spaces on the far end of the building are there for the use and safety of staff that must arrive/depart in the dark.
 - All payments for Beyond the Bell are due on or before the 15th of each month.
 - We are unable to provide services after 6:00 p.m. Please have a backup person on your list that we may contact if you are unable to pick up your child by 6:00 p.m.
 - Extended Day phone number: 904-547-7413.
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