

Hunt's Catch-Up

R. B. HUNT ELEMENTARY



From the Principal's Desk:

Dear R. B. Hunt Family:

Congratulations to the R. B. Hunt students who won the St. Augustine Beach Arbor Day poster contest. First place went to Bridget Connor from Mrs. McCarthy's class, second place to Sofie Foit and third place to Bridget Herod both in Mrs. McDonald's and Mrs. Lindsey's class. Their posters and all other entries will be on display at the St. Augustine Beach Arbor day celebration today from 5:30-7:30p.m.

A big thank you to Susan Connor and Heather Mowrey for sponsoring our "Girls on the Run" club this year. The following girls participated in a 5K practice run this week to prepare for their 5K at J.U. on Friday, May 1st; Makinley Arnold, Desiree Bracewell, Cassie Clark, Maddie Conlon, Bridget Connor, Joline DiMeglio, Sarah Gilbert, Lawson James, Ellie Johnson, Paloma Kimball, Katelyn Lawrence, Faith Merkle, Mara Motley, Emma Mowrey, Lucy Mowrey, Izzy Mulligan, Sophie Pearson, Leah Schmidt, Olivia Stevenson and Jamey Stewart. Many thanks to the parents and teachers who came out to run and cheer the girls on!

We are pleased to have even more students join the "Principals Million Word Club". Congratulations to: Heath Hall, Noah Chehata, John Doughty, Alex Altman, Emily Albright, Abbie Nickel, David Bush, and Ana Lindsey. Keep your brains growing!

R. B. Hunt 60th Celebration information from P.T.A.O.

We hope everyone has marked their calendars to join us on Friday, May 15th from 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. to help R.B. Hunt celebrate 60 years of educating students! The event will be similar to the Fall Festival, with alumni from each decade sponsoring booths and games for all to enjoy. Admission will be just \$1 per person and a variety of food vendors will be on hand if you wish to purchase dinner. With the event a month away, we have a variety of needs:

The PTAO is still looking for alumni volunteers to help organize and staff booths representing the decades of the 1990s and the 2000s at the event on Friday, May 15. Booths can be as simple or as elaborate as you wish. Ideally, booths will reflect a game or theme popular during that decade. Please contact Heather Mowrey at mowreyh@gmail.com or Susan Connor at susanwconnor@gmail.com if you have questions or are willing to help out!

Alumni from the 70s are sponsoring a Photo Booth at the 60th Anniversary Event on May 15, and are in need of Star Wars themed costumes (adult and child sizes) for participants to wear while having their photo taken. If you have items to lend us, please label your items with your name and phone number and bring to the front office by May 1. All items will be returned after the event on May 15. Please contact 70s alumni chairs Amy Gibbs at amyontheisland@icloud.com or Nancy Cubbedge at nancy.cubbedge@stjohns.k12.fl.us with any questions or for more information.

We look forward to the celebration- please help us spread the word to invite all R. B. Hunt former students and staff. It will be a great event!

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Students of the Week

First Grade: Aliya Ferrell, Kent Herod, Sarah Getsinger, Joseph Daniels, Grace Bunnell & Gabriel Maco De Beaumont

Second Grade: Caleb Gross, Sam Soto, Jaelyn Smith, Tristan Moody, Glendy Gatewood, Sarah Douglas & Everett DeSanctis

Third Grade: Bean Clark, Leah Chandler, Brandon Nickey, Alex Johnson, Ayler Sostrom, Justin Thomas, Dane Eastman & Holden Todd

Fourth Grade: Dylan Meade, Lyndi Meade, Charlie Koppman, Jackson Moser, Tyler Creekmore, Angelica Devita, Samantha Estremera & Cassie Clark

Fifth Grade: Camilla Fowler, Jamie Parkey, Owen Lindsey, Surae Dooley, Haley Stevenson & Paige Hinkle

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Important Dates

Extra Chorus Rehearsal and Pizza Party	April 18 10:00- 12:00 pm
Blood Drive	April 22 12:30- 3:30pm
Earth Day Recycling	April 25 9:00 am- 1:00 pm
Spring Concert	April 28 6:00 pm
Teacher Appreciation Week	May 4-8
Art Expo	May 12
R. B. Hunt's 60th Anniversary Party	May 15
Bag it up!	May 20
Memorial Day No School	May 25
5th Grade to Sea World	May 27



KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION DATES

May 8, 1:00pm - 5:00pm

Packets available on-line.

www-rbh.stjohns.k12.fl.us

Assistant Principal's Math Club

Level 1- Jack Parkey and Josh Wolff

Level 2- Zoe Autowski

Lighthouse Café: April 13—17 Breakfast is served daily 8:00 until 8:25. Milk is offered with every meal.
Monday— Macaroni & Cheese or BBQ Chicken Max Snax or Chicken Nuggets and WG Roll, Baby Carrot Dippers, Green Beans, Steamed Broccoli and Assorted Fruits.
Tuesday— Mini Corn Dogs or Mini Cheese Ravioli & Choice of WG Garlic Breadstick, Max Cheese Sticks & choice of Marinara Dipping Sauce, Baby Carrot Dippers, Spinach/ Romaine Salad, Celery and Cucumber Dippers, Corn, Assorted Fruits and a variety of Milk
Wednesday— Chicken Nuggets & Choice of WG Roll or Cheese or Peperoni Pizza, baby carrot dippers, Spinach/ Romaine Salad w/ LF Dressing Dunk Cup, Celery & Cucumber Dippers, Sweet Peas and Fruits
Thursday— Hamburger or Homestyle Chicken Sandwich or Chicken Nuggets & choice of WG Roll, Baby Carrot Dippers, Spinach/ Romaine Salad, Celery & Cucumber Dippers, Crinkle Cut Potatoes and Assorted Fruits.
Friday— Hot Dog or Chicken Nuggets & Choice of WG Roll or Max Cheese Sticks & choice of Marinara Sauce, Baby Carrot Dippers, Spinach/ Romaine Salad, Celery & Cucumber Dippers, Baked Beans and your choice of 100% Juice; Apple, Apple/ Cherry or Fruit

ISLANDER ART EXPO
 May 12th 3:30-6:00pm
 Student Artworks will be displayed in the main & front halls. A **Creative Cupcake Contest** will be held @ 5pm. Please bring a dozen artistic & tasty cupcakes before 3 pm. Artsy Prizes!
Community Art Tables for display & making in the Art Room.



Earth Day Recycling at R. B. Hunt
Saturday, April 25th
9:00 a.m.- 1:00 p.m.

Shredding service will allow residents to drop off up to five file boxes of documents for on-site, secure destruction and then recycling. Also, e-waste collection including: computers, printers and fax machines; cell phones, rechargers and power supply units; cameras, stereos and radios; small appliances, remote controls and Christmas lights; and batteries of all types and sizes.

Teacher Appreciation Week is Coming Soon!
 R.B. Hunt will celebrate our teachers and staff during the week of May 4-8. More information will be coming home soon in your child's red folder with suggested ways that you can show your appreciation. The PTAO is sponsoring a drawing on the Morning News each day during Teacher Appreciation Week; the names of all teachers and staff at R.B. Hunt will be entered into the drawing to win a variety of gifts and/or gift certificates. If your family or business would like to donate an item or gift certificate to be awarded during Teacher Appreciation Week, please contact Susan Connor at susanwconnor@gmail.com or (904) 540-4001. Thanks in advance for helping us thank our wonderful teachers and staff for the great job they do educating our children!



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EXTENDED DAY 2015-2016
Registration is NOW OPEN!!!!
 Space is limited so make sure you register fast!
 Only \$225.00 per month and ½ price for the second child.
 We are open until 6:00pm.
 If you have any questions, contact Suzan Hooper @ 547-7973

After School Storytime
Friday, May 1 @ 3:30pm
 You asked for it more storytimes!
 Join us for our first ever after school storytime. We will have stories, music and a craft for the kids. This storytime is geared for children ages 3-8.

Blood Drive
Wednesday, April 22nd
 12:30 p.m.-3:30 p.m.
 Each donor gets a free pass to the Alligator Farm -Double Red's get 2 passes to the Alligator Farm

Special Chorus Rehearsal and Pizza Party
 (with door prizes)
Saturday, April 18th
 10:00AM – 12:00PM

Redirecting Children's Behavior Course
 Parenting getting tough? Do you feel like you are losing control?
 Try the "Redirecting Children's Behavior" Course.
 ♦ What you can gain from this course
 ♦ Eliminate arguing, scolding & threatening
 ♦ Feel positive about your parenting skills
 ♦ Create more time for yourself
 ♦ Promote agreements instead of fighting
The course is a five week course.
Thursdays from 5:30 pm to 8:30 pm
The dates are April 30, May 7, 14, 21, & 28
 To register please contact Chris Stone at 547-7589 or Christopher.stone@stjohns.k12.fl.us