

# Hunt's Catch-Up

R. B. HUNT ELEMENTARY



## ***From the Principal's Desk:***

Dear R. B. Hunt Family,

Were you able to attend S.T.E.M.? If not you really missed out on a GREAT evening of interactive Science, Technology, Engineering and Math activities. Thank you to Ms. Allison Basili for organizing and working so hard on this event. It was a great combination of community resources, Hunt teachers, Flagler interns and our P.T.A.O. to pull it off this inspiring night for our students. We would like to thank the following professionals for providing such great interactive stations for our students: Carlisle Interconnect Technologies, St. Johns River Water Management, Anastasia State Park, GTM Research Reserve, S.A.H.S. Astronomy Club, St. Augustine Lighthouse, Children's Museum of St. Johns, Pete Clark- computer programmer, Jean Drayovitch- school nurse, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul. The BIG thank you to all the Hunt teachers who came out to support the event! We thank everyone for sharing their time and talents to benefit our students!

Another BIG thank you to all of you who supported the FUNDRUN and the other P.T.A.O. activities. The P.T.A.O. put your donations to good use and fulfilled grade level grant requests ranging from software to Legos and approved a \$46,000 request to upgrade technology in the form of new laptops for grades 3-5 and IPADS for K-2 grade levels. Thank you for helping us continue to provide technology for our students!

Our super readers this week are Morgan Kelley, Bridget Connor and Maci Norman, who have all read each of the S.S.Y.R.A. books. Emma Begley and Max Gibbs are now part of the "Principal' Million Word Club", Way to go readers!

Please join us on Thursday, December 10th for our annual Holiday Luncheon. More details to come. Remember that we have school Monday thru Wednesday next week.

Thank you for all your support,

Amanda S. Garman  
Principal

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### **Important Dates**

|                                       |                |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|
| Character Counts                      | Nov 24th       |
| Thanksgiving Break                    | Nov 26th-29th  |
| Picture Retakes                       | Dec 3rd        |
| Holiday Concert                       | Dec 8th        |
| Group Photos                          | Dec 9th        |
| Holiday Lunch                         | Dec 10th       |
| Breakfast with Santa                  | Dec 12th       |
| Holiday Shop Open                     | Dec 14th-18th  |
| Spelling Bee                          | Dec 16         |
| Winter Break                          | Dec 21-Jan 4th |
| Teacher Planning Day/ Student Holiday | Jan 5th        |

If you plan on attending the Character Counts ceremony on Tuesday, November 24th, please email me at [morgan.taylor@stjohns.k12.fl.us](mailto:morgan.taylor@stjohns.k12.fl.us)

### **Students of the Week**

**First Grade:** Marie Saint-Vil, Eve LeGrand, Rousseau Smith, Chandler Dubrow, Emma Brawner, Tristan Begley & Leo Godfrey.

**Second Grade:** Ben Sammet, Blake Garrison, Gianna Wihbey, Kaiya Norman, Gabriel Maco deBeaumont, Vittoria Sanserverino, Levi Wright, Rowan Everman, Isaak Stephenson & Mikayla Sailor.

**Third Grade:** Sophie Moon Andriano, William Byers, Eryn Stoeber, Charlotte Venney, Ella Escamilla, Troy Gossett, Janie Stevenson & James Crlenjak.

**Fourth Grade:** Cynaria St. Brice, Grady O'Neal, Rayven Riley, Madison Taylor, Tehya Bowen, Kayla Stevenson, Raiden Smith & David Colalillo

**Fifth Grade:** Kaiti Rossi, Stephen Foster, Carson Schmidt, Morgan Kelley, Rosie Shannon, Vic Patel, Angelica deVita & Malaysia Donaldson

### **Assistant Principal's Math Club**

Keep working on those Math facts and you can be in the club too!!

**Lighthouse Café: Nov 23-27, 2015**      **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

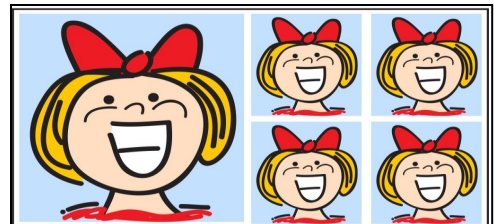
**Wednesday**– Chicken Nuggets & Choice of WG Roll or Cheese or Peperoni Pizza, baby carrot dippers, Spinach/ Romaine Salad w/ LF Dressing Dunk Cup, Celery & Cucumber Dippers, Sweet Peas and Fruits

**Thursday**– Thanksgiving Break!! No School!

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Tuesday, November 24th  
Citizenship Character Counts Awards



Picture Retakes are scheduled for  
December 3, 2015

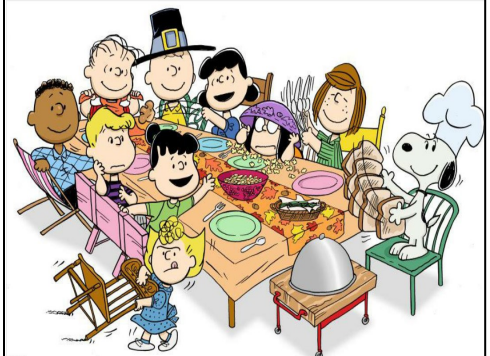
Hurricane Patty's will Host Free Thanksgiving Dinner for those in Need

St Augustine, FL (November 16, 2015) – Hurricane Patty's warm and welcoming staff is proud to host their 'Free Thanksgiving Dinner' on Thursday, November 26, 2015.

Doors will open to everyone at Hurricane Patty's on 69 Lewis Boulevard at 11am, and will continue to serve until 4pm or while supplies last.

Jeff Miles, General Manager of the restaurant, says everyone is encouraged to dine - especially invited are seniors, veterans, current military and any families or individuals who may be alone on that day and need a place for a nice sit-down dinner. Items offered will include the traditional dinner with turkey and all the trimmings, and dessert.

Visit [Hurricane-Pattys.com](http://Hurricane-Pattys.com) for directions and contact details. For more information on the event, please contact the restaurant at (904) 342-7338.



O.C. White's Restaurant will serve a traditional Thanksgiving Day feast to elders who are unable to join family or friends. The meal, which will be served at 11:30 a.m. Nov. 26, Thanksgiving Day, is free and provides an opportunity for holiday socialization for those elders who might otherwise be alone.

Registration is required.

Volunteer drivers are also needed to provide transportation to the elders who are participating in the O.C. White's Thanksgiving Day Feast. To register or to volunteer, call Elise Moloney at 209-3686.



Thank you to J.Crew for their donation of \$541.00 to our P.T.A.O.



**Anastasia Island Branch Library**

**Teen Tutoring for Kids**

**Saturday, November 21 @ 10:15am-12pm**  
Kids (grades K-6) can come into the Anastasia Library for one on one tutoring sessions in reading or math with National Honors Students from Pedro Menendez High School. The tutoring is FREE to all students but you need to call to sign up as space is limited. Call 209-3730 or come by the Anastasia Library Service Desk to sign up.

**Fall Craft for Kids and Tweens**

**Wednesday, November 25 @ 2:30pm**  
Bring the kids into the library to create some FREE festive art for the Thanksgiving Holidays. We'll be making turkeys, leaf arrangements and much more! This event is sponsored by the Friends of the Library.