

Hunt's Catch-Up

R. B. HUNT ELEMENTARY



From the Principal's Desk:

Dear R. B. Hunt Family,

The Islander Music Program gave a terrific concert Tuesday evening. We were delighted to welcome so many parents, family members and friends at the performance. Thank you to Mr. Morin, accompanist, and all the parents who helped to get the student's ready to go on stage. A big thank you to our music teacher, Helen Morin, for bringing such a festive and fun program to our school. I loved the ugly sweater song!

Congratulations to R. B. Hunt's Running Club. They made us proud Wednesday finishing 1st, 2nd and 3rd in the 2 mile race at the county wide cross country meet at Julington Creek Elementary. Linus Shanley placed first, Noah Ryan second, and Kai decker placed third. Way to go R. B. Hunt team!

Thank you to Melinda Conlon and Jennifer Stevenson for helping our class pictures run so smoothly! We couldn't have done it without you!

Thank you to Adelia Defalco, Beverly Heavener, Kerin Scott and Kimberly Bennett for preparing such a delicious Student/Parent Holiday Luncheon. Thank you to Mr. Kledzik for helping me serve, and thanks to Ms. Finch, Mr. Gelinis, Mr. McCaskill, Ms. Paffumi and Mr. Turlington for keeping the cafeteria clean and cheerful as family and friends joined our students to enjoy a holiday meal. A special thanks to all of the Hunt staff including: Ms. Morgan, Ms. Thurston, Ms. Abbatinuzzi, Ms. Atteberry, Ms. Costeira, Ms. Greco, Ms. Sleeper and Ms. Williams, who together, made this Hunt tradition of over 57 years run so smoothly.

Thank you to the P.T.A.O. Board Members for going room to room serving coffee and baked goods to teachers and staff. We certainly appreciate how special you make us feel!

Wow! We have 5 more students who read a million words and are now in the Principals Million Word Club. They are: Macie Norman, Dylan Cook, Emily Tobuck, John Altman, Cosette Bryndal and Ayler Sostrom. We also have 4 more students who have read all 15 S.S.Y.R.A. books. They are; Kayla Bailey, Giovanni Belamiza, Mason Matos, and Gia Flaherty. Readers are leaders!

Breakfast With Santa is in the cafeteria, Saturday morning, from **9:00-11:00 a.m.** Speaking with Santa is free; breakfast, including hot chocolate bar, will be \$5.00 person. Guests at the Breakfast will also be able to buy tickets for the opportunity to take their favorite decorated tree home, as a holiday keepsake. Parents and children always has fun at this event.

See you tomorrow morning!

Amanda S. Garman
Principal

Students of the Week

First Grade: Olivia Eklund, Nolan Elkins, Maks Caudill & Gabrielle Edwards

Second Grade: Von Birchall, Olyvia Metych, Rachel Moon, Kru Casey, Reese Garrison, Sadie Coats, Ocean Ghirardi, LouE Rossi, Scarlett Jordan & Max Duncan

Third Grade: Grey Wilson, Graci Flaherty, Reef Robinson, Crystal Moyer Hudson Silbert, Emily Tobuck, Reef Blackford, Ava Hadjis & Alex Sprowles

Fourth Grade: Gabriel Sheckels, Meya Gordan, Holden Todd, Brooke Logan, Raiden Smith & Ellie Hogan

Fifth Grade: Issiah Backman, Tyler Creekmore, Abby Autowski, Zoe Watson, Faith Hunt, Mia Hamangian, Aurora Atkins & Dylan Meade

Home of the Islanders

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Important Dates

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
Back to School	Jan 6th
MLK Day; Student/ Teacher Holiday	Jan 18th

Attention All Parents of Walkers

*Just a friendly reminder that there is to be no parking in the antique shop across from the walker pickup area. The store owner has posted signs and has kindly asked that R.B Hunt parents not park there. It is not only a courtesy to the store owner, but a safety precaution for your children. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation!
We appreciate you!*



Lighthouse Café: Dec 14-18, 2015 Breakfast is served daily 8:00 until 8:25. Milk is offered with every meal.

Monday– *Chicken Quesadilla Max or Max Cheese Sticks & Choice of Marinara Dipping Sauce or Chicken Nuggets, , baby carrot dippers, green beans, steamed broccoli, assorted fruits*

Tuesday– *Cheese or Pepperoni Calzonettes or Homestyle Chicken Sandwich or Mini Corn Dogs, Cherry tomato & celery stick dippers, spinach & romaine Salad, baked beans, marinara dipping sauce A la carte:*

Wednesday– *Chicken Nuggets & choice of WG roll or Cheese or Peperoni Pizza, cherry tomato & celery stick dippers, spinach & romaine Salad w/ LF Dressing Dunk Cup, corn, fresh sliced apples, fruits*

Thursday– *Chicken Marinara & Penne and Choice of WG Garlic Toast or Hot Dog, Chicken Nuggets & Choice of WG Roll, cherry tomato & celery stick dippers, spinach & romaine Salad w/ LF Dressing Dunk Cup, steamed carrots, fruits*

Friday– *BBQ Chicken & choice of WG roll or Cheeseburger or mini Corn Dogs, cherry tomato & celery stick dippers, spinach & romaine Salad w/ LF Dressing Dunk Cup, crinkle cut potatoes, fruits*

Holiday Shop

Next week is the Holiday Shop! Please be sure to send a shopping bag in on your little shopper’s day! Also, preschool brothers and sisters of R.B. Hunt students, your day to shop at the Holiday Shop is Friday Dec. 18th. Gifts are \$2.00 a piece (we accept cash or check, cash must be exact change). This is your opportunity to shop for your loved ones!

Breakfast with Santa and the Festival of Trees will be held tomorrow, Saturday the 12th. Tickets may be purchased for your chance to win a tree! Tickets are \$2.00 per ticket or 3 tickets for \$5.00. We hope to see you there!

Attention All Parents,
If you purchased pictures for your child and then decided to get retakes, you must turn in the originals in order to receive the new pictures!

One more week until winter break!



No school from Dec 21, 2015
January 6, 2015

XMAS HOLIDAY HORSE LOVERS DAY CAMP

HIDEAWAY FARM
370 STOKES LANDING RD
ST AUG, FL 32095



FOCUS IS ON TEACHING RIDING SKILLS & SAFE HORSE HANDLING IN A PROFESSIONAL MANNER ON WELL SCHOOLED HORSES

TUES DEC 29 9:00 - 1:00
WEDS DEC 30 9:00 - 1:00
MON JAN 4 9:00 - 1:00
TUES JAN 5 9:00 - 1:00

\$65 per day * Gift Certificates Available
Bring a bag lunch & beverage**

For More Info on Horse Camp and Lessons Call, Text or Email

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Winter Wonderland Crafts for Kids
Friday, December 18 @ 3:30 PM
Come into the library to create some great holiday crafts and ornaments. We'll supply the craft materials – you supply the creativity! All crafting supplies are FREE courtesy of the Friends of the Anastasia Island Branch Library.

Attention 5th Graders!

Are you ready to be an Eagle?

Join us for 5th grade Night/Ice Cream Social at Sebastian Middle School on Thursday, January 7th, 6pm

Tour the school!

See band, chorus and guitar performances!

Learn about our programs and courses!

Go on a Scavenger Hunt!

Buy Spirit Wear!

Unable to Attend?

Visit the SMS website for more info:

www-sms.stjohns.k12.fl.us



Murray Middle School of the Arts
Open House January 21st
Auditions for School of the Arts will be February 5th To register for a “School of Choice” such as the School of the Arts, you must do so through the home access center

Read 2 Rover
Wednesday, December 16 @ 2:30 PM
Beginning readers are invited to practice their reading skills at the Anastasia Island Library when they read to a real therapy dog! Don't forget to bring your Read to Rover Frequent Reader Card.