

# HUNTS CATCH-UP

## From the Principal's Desk:

Dear R. B. Hunt Parents:

Our students were treated to a special program on Monday from the Jacksonville Jaguar Foundation. Special guests included members of the Red Cross, City Commissioner Leanna Freeman, retired NFL player Marcus Pollard, St. Augustine City police officers; Deputy Sampson and McKay, Jaxon Deville as well as the ROAR cheerleaders. The message for our students was resilience and perseverance and why both are so important to reaching goals and overcoming obstacles. Many thanks to all who pulled this program together for our students! I would like to thank Perry Unwalla, business partner from State Farm Insurance and Kristin Thomas, P.T.A.O. business partner chair for attending the Character Counts Community Breakfast with me on Wednesday. It is through the continued support of our business partners that R. B. Hunt is able to do so many wonderful things for our students and staff. It certainly "takes a village" and I feel so blessed to have the support of so many.

Thank you for your support of our FUND RUN. It was a big success. We know that many of you have been impacted by the hurricane and understand we may not be able to collect all pledges, but if your family is able and haven't sent in their pledge this is a gentle reminder to do so. Thank you!

The Fall Festival is next Friday, October 28<sup>th</sup>, from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. You can purchase an All-You-Can-Play bracelet for \$8.00 until Monday, after that they are \$10.00 at the door. There will be more than 30 booths. Entertainment will be provided by; North Florida Martial Arts, and The Dance Company. Food available for sale includes pizza, tacos from Mojo Tacos, Auggie Dogs, South Pole ice cream truck, funnel cakes and drinks. Proceeds from the Fall festival will be used to continue to support our R. B. Hunt neighbors that have been effected by hurricane Matthew.

An R. B. Hunt tradition, "The Parade of Characters" will be Friday, October 28<sup>th</sup> 8:45a.m. Students are encouraged to dress up as their favorite storybook character. It is best if students come to school in their costumes on Friday morning. If they cannot wear the costume over their school clothes, they are to bring a change of clothes with them. We also remind students that face-painting, hair-coloring or weapons (real or play) are not allowed. Parents and family members may view the parade by obtaining a volunteer badge in the front hall. Call our front desk next week at 547-7960 before Friday and we will pre-print your badge. Join the fun!

Thank you for your continued support of our school and students,

*Ananda S. Garman*

Principal



## GHOULES OF THE WEEK!!!!

### 1st Grade:

BUSH- Sadie Turner

WELU- Tucker Guinn

SKIPP- Soleil Cromwell, Noah Millard

HOLLOWAY- James Bernard

### 2nd Grade:

DIVINEY- George Mavris, Grace Del Rey

PROCTOR- Tristan Begley

SELTZER\MS B.- Ashlyn Albritton, Alex Moyer

SAXON- Honora Held, Nolan Embrey

HALL- Hayden Todd, Marley Lloyd

### 3rd Grade:

AUNCHMAN- Isaak Stephenson, Lauren Gibson

FLUMAN- Kru Casey

DROZD- Brady Vaccaro

### 3rd Grade Continued...

STETSON- Gabriel Maco de Beaumont, Emry Hogan

NEHEMIAS- Ocean Ghirardi

WIBLE- Jack Salce, Ian Stollberg

### 4th Grade:

LANG- Zack Watson

LINDSEY- Arden Eyestone

SHARMAN- Sophia Harp, Landon Feutz

PAOLINI- Jim Zheng, Abbey Gutman

MCCARTHY- Crystal Moyer

### 5th Grade:

BASIL- Hannah Persson, Noah Dellasala

MCDONALD- Noah Forbes

CLEARY- Jane Rolandelli

CACCHIO- Alissah Pepper, Niko Grimes

PINIAZ- JD Peterson, Grady O'Neal



October 21st  
2016

**IMPORTANT DATES**

10/24/16



REPORT CARDS

10/28/16  
8:30am



Parade of  
Characters

10/28/16  
5:30-  
7:30pm



10/31/16-  
11/04/16



11/17/16

**STEM Night  
CANCELLED!**



Join us in sharing a **LOVE** of reading with our students at RB Hunt. Scholastic Book Fair October 28th through November 4th.



- \* Visit the Book Fair as a Family at the Fall Festival, October 28th from 5:30-7:30pm
- \* Monday October 31st from 8am-3pm
- \* Tuesday-Thursday November 1st-3rd from 8am-5:30pm
- \* Friday November 4th from 8am-12pm

**It's a great way to ensure your child's success!**

Kara Tozer, Book Fair Chairperson

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**Lighthouse Café: October 24th-October 28th. Breakfast is served daily 8:00 until 8:25.**

**Milk is offered with every meal.**

**Monday– Chicken Quesadilla Max, Max Cheese Sticks & Choice of Marinara Dipping Sauce, Chicken Nuggets & Choice of WG Garlic Toast**

**Tuesday– Cheese or Pepperoni Calzonettes, Home-style Chicken Sandwich, Mini Corn Dogs**

**Wednesday– Chicken Nuggets & Choice of WG Roll, Cheese or Pepperoni Pizza**

**Thursday– Pasta & Meatball Marinara & Choice of WG Garlic Toast, Hot Dog, Chicken Nuggets & Choice of WG Garlic Toast**

**Friday– Parents, Friends and Family when visiting for lunch**

**Please sit at the Visitor Table located at the entrance of the Cafeteria**



#### 2016-17 Gifted Parent

##### Advisory Council Meetings

The Gifted Parent Advisory Council meets four times per year to inform the school district about ways in which we can improve our efforts in serving our gifted students. Parents of K-12 gifted students from throughout the district are encouraged to come to all of the meetings.

The Gifted Parent Advisory Council meetings have been scheduled for the 2016-17 school year. We communicate this information for inclusion in school newsletters. We hope to make St Johns County Schools a parent friendly environment!

- **Thursday, November 17th**  
**Palencia Elementary 4:30 -5:30 p.m.**

Media Center

- **Thursday, February 23rd**  
**Hartley Elementary 5:30-6:30 p.m.**

Media Center

- **Tuesday, April 25th**  
**Landrum Middle School 6:30-7:30 p.m.**

Multi-Purpose Room

#### 7<sup>th</sup> annual Pumpkin Contest



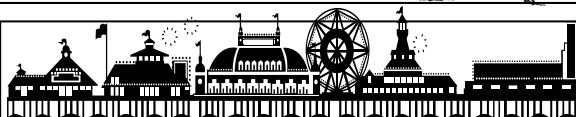
Join us for the annual Pumpkin Contest at the Fall

Festival! Your masterpiece will be on display for all the festival participants to vote for, and our celebrity judges will pick a winner in the following categories:

**SCARIEST, FUNNIEST and MOST CREATIVE.**

Pumpkins must be brought to school already carved/decorated the morning of Friday October 28<sup>th</sup> between 7:45 a.m. and 8:30 a.m.

Please fill out the registration form and bring it with your pumpkin.



Please plan to bring the whole family to

#### RB Hunt's Fall Festival

**Friday, October 28, 2016**

**5:30 – 7:30 p.m.**

**Fun and Games:** Dunk Booth, Tattoos, Tossing Games, Bounce Slide, Basketball Shoot, Sack Race, Cotton Candy, and much, much more!

**All-You-Can-Play Armbands\*:** \$8/person if purchased in advance; \$10/person at the door. Tickets will also be sold at the door for .50 cents each. Please make checks payable to RB Hunt PTAO. Any amount received over the cost of the bands will be considered a donation. No change will be given. Return form by **Monday, October 24th.** Any forms received after October 24th will be returned.

\*Armbands good for one-time use only at service and food style booths (i.e.: snow cones, cookie decor, tattoos, etc.) Food and drinks will be available for purchase at the carnival and will be sold separately.

*From The Desk of Zombie Jean. . .*

**Bug Bites Bug Bites**, an itchy itchy business. Yes, we can apply mosquito repellent if you (the parent) bring us the topical remedy and sign a quick form in the school clinic.

As a revision to DOH and SJCSO policy for topical treatments, For mosquito repellent--we do not need a physician



#### Spirit Day!

Every Friday is Red & White Spirit Day at R. B. Hunt. Students are asked to wear red and white shirts to show their Islander Pride! We also have a friendly competition in each grade level, so wear your Red & White! Islander T-shirts are available for sale in the office. \$12.00 Cash (exact change, please) Check (payable to RBH PTAO). You can purchase your red R.B. Hunt shirts (\$12) or 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary shirts (\$12) in the front office (Cash - exact change, please or Check - payable to RBH PTAO).

## PTAO News

October 28<sup>th</sup> is not only the fabulous Fall Festival, but it is also the first day of the book fair. Your child will go the following week, October 31<sup>st</sup> to November 4<sup>th</sup> with his or her class during school. Check the Catch Up and their folder for their day and time.

Dr. Jeanine Wihbey has successfully created a dog food drive at her St. John's Veterinary Office. Let us know if you know of a family in need at [rbhuntsvolunteers@gmail.com](mailto:rbhuntsvolunteers@gmail.com) or 904-826-6141

With the holidays right around the corner, we wanted to make sure you knew about SAIRA gift cards available at the front desk. It can be used at several different area restaurants, and for every \$20 card, RB Hunt gets \$3.75 back.

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