

# THE LINKS SCOOP

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## Art Extravaganza

By Alia Jamaleddin

This year the art show will be on Friday, December 6 at 7 pm. Mrs. Yarisa is in charge of the art show. The students are the artists. The art show will have canvas paintings, home décor, and jewelry as well as other things. You can even buy holiday pictures. We do an art show so students can express themselves and have an opportunity to show it off. Mrs. Yarisa also does a fundraiser to raise money for the school. Everyone should go to the art show.



Ms. Angie and Ms. Nastassia's class preparing their group project.



Nicole Prieto pouring paint.



Adrian Rivero and Ariana Sanders working on their class project.

## **Keeping it Safe**

By Viridiana Valladares

Safety patrols have been a part of Learning Links school since 2015. This year the program started in October. The safety patrols work to the students and the school safe. There is an application process to become a safety patrol . Only STRIDE students can work as safety patrols. Angel Leon, Andres Manzur, Daivd Guerra, Orlando Llera, Adrian Rivero, and Melissa Guerrero are this year's safety patrols. Angel Leon is the captain. The safety patrols wear a safety belt with a pin on it that is gold with white letters that says, "SAFETY PATROL," on it. They also wear a whistle



The Learning Links Safety Patrols ready to work.

around the necks. The captain wears a hat. They work Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. They work in the hallways, front lobby and at the front door greeting students as they walk in and making sure they get to their classrooms.



Stride students at the Thanksgiving Feast.

### A Time to be Thankful

By David Guerra

Thanksgiving is a time for giving thanks to God and being kind. Thanksgiving is celebrated on the last Thursday of November every year. We celebrate Thanksgiving because the native Americans helped the pilgrims get food. This year Thanksgiving is on November 28<sup>th</sup>. It is a time to get together with family and friends. For Thanksgiving we eat turkey, bread, mashed potatoes, ham, and mac and cheese. In Learning Links School, we do a Thanksgiving Feast. It was

on Tuesday, November 26<sup>th</sup>. Administration served the food to the students. They served turkey, mac and cheese, and mashed potatoes. The students made decorations for the feast. I think that everyone had a great time eating the food.



# The First Thanksgiving

By Andres Manzur

The PACE Thanksgiving skit was on Monday, November 25<sup>th</sup>. A skit is when the students act out an event. The PACE students were from Ms. Martina's US history and world history class. Reece Williams, Brady Williams, and Evan Serraf were the speakers. Juan Mejia, Kristopher Amaro, Vitali Cardozo, and Sophia Peart were the Native Americans. Brayden Harrison, Gabriel Grullon, Nicholas Del Sol, and Nicole Prieto were the pilgrims. They practiced every day for a month. The Thanksgiving



The PACE students putting on a wonderful performance.

skit was in the school library. It was about the first Thanksgiving. Gabriel not only played a pilgrim but a producer. He said he liked helping others. Noah Torres (8<sup>th</sup> grader), said he liked the skit. His favorite part was when they said all together, "Happy Thanksgiving, THE END."





# **Helping Others**

By Sophia Acosta

During the Thanksgiving canned food drive, we collect food for people who are in need. The Thanksgiving food drive begins on November 12, 2019. Primary brings corn bread and stuffing mix. Intermediate brings canned corn, carrots, and peas. STRIDE students

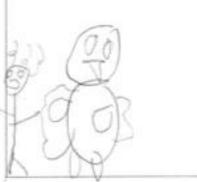
bring mac and cheese and canned yams. PACE students bring baby food, mashed potatoes, and gravy. Ms. Christy and the event planning girls are in charge of the Thanksgiving food drive. The Thanksgiving food drive ends on November 21, 2019. Thank you Learning Links School for donating.

# The Super Duper Turkey

By: Viridiana Valladares

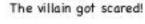


The turkey got superpowers and wanted to chase the villain away.



The turkey got a spoon.







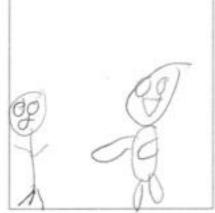
The turkey got laser eyes!



The turkey got a boomerang.



The turkey kept chasing the villain away.



# THE END

#### Will You Read to Me?

By Orlando Llera

Book Buddy is when Stride students read one book a week to primary and intermediate students. It happens every Friday from 9:15 until 9:30 and started on Friday, November 22. Ms. Jenny and Mrs. Molina-Bardino are in charge of Book Buddy. The students participating in Book Buddy are Sophia Acosta, Viridiana Valladares, Christian Vergel, Jackson Walker, Adrian Jacomino, Samir Luna, and Noah Torres.



The STRIDE Book Buddy Club.



### Veteran's Day

By Isabela Arellano

Veteran's Day is a day to honor the veterans. It is on Monday, November 11<sup>th</sup>. Americans confuse it for Memorial Day. Some places honor veterans by offering them free services on Veteran's Day. Veteran's Day falls on that day because it is the anniversary of the signing of the Armistice which ended the World War I hostilities between the Allied Nation and Germany. Ms. Johana's class did a Veteran's Day mini book. Ms. Stephanie Elias's class watched a Brainpop video on Veteran's Day, and then they had a discussion.



#### Student of the Month Breakfast

By Kevin Deive

The student of the month breakfast is when students get a poster because they behave great. We celebrate the student of the month in cafeteria and they receive a gift from Mrs. Olga. Students and parents eat breakfast and



take pictures. I interviewed a couple of students and this is what they had to say. Alex Garcia said his mom and stepdad came to see him. His favorite part of the student of the month breakfast was spending time with everyone. He ate muffins in the student of the month breakfast. Adrian Rivero said his mom and girlfriend, Melissa, went to the student of the month breakfast. He liked eating breakfast and ate muffins, donuts, and orange juice. Last, Julie Ramirez said her mommy went to see her. Her favorite part is when her Mommy came and she ate muffins. Congratulations to everyone!



By David Guerra







Ms.Jessica





- Q: What is your favorite snack?
- A: Cheddar pop Corn.
- Q: What is your favorite cake?
- A: Carrot cake.
- Q: What is your favorite food?
- A: Spaghetti.
- Q: What is your favorite movie?
- A: The Color Purple.
- Q: What is your favorite animal?
- A: Owls.
- Q: What is your favorite song?
- A: Save the Best for Last.
- Q: When is your Birthday?
- A: March 16th.
- Q: What is your favorite candy?
- A: Snickers.
- Q: What is your favorite subject?
- A: Reading for sure
- Q: What subject do you teach?
- A: TV productions and History.

- Q: What is your favorite snack?
- A: Carrots and hummus
- Q: What is your favorite cake?
- A: I don't have a favorite cake but I like chocolate chip.
- Q: What is your favorite food?
- A: Mexican food.
- Q: What is your favorite movie?
- A:The notebook.
- Q: What is your favorite animal?
- A: Dogs.
- Q: What is your favorite song?
- A: Black Eyed Peas music.
- Q: When is your Birthday? A: August 17<sup>th</sup>.
- Q: What is your favorite candy?
- A: Butter Finger.
- Q: What is your favorite subject?
- A: Math
- Q: What subject do you teach?
- A: Biology and Vocational

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Congratulations to all students and teachers for working hard on completing art projects! Your artwork looks amazing!





Thank you Mrs. Yarisa for overseeing all the art projects and being patient with us all!



12/1 Mr. John 12/1 Orlando Llera 12/3 Ariana Sanders 12/5 Sophia Acosta 12/5 Matthew Freeman 12/7 Daniella Puig 12/9 Jace Arana 12/10 Mari !2/11 Coach Odel 12/14 Sofia Pinero 12/16 Kristopher Amaro 12/17 Melissa Guerrero 12/18 Christopher Fernandez 12/19 Isabella Guzman 12/22 Rachel Carmona 12/23 Joseph Echevarria 12/29 Sebastian Botero 12/30 Kaylee Botana 12/31 Mrs. Ariana

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

December 6 Student of the Month Breakfast

December 6 ART SHOW @ 7pm

December 6 No After School Care

December 11 Miami Children's Museum visit (Primary and Intermediate)

December 12 PACE Italian Dinner Night

December 14 OHHH What Fun Inclusive Family Event sponsored by We Coach (Please RSVP)

December 19 Holiday Show @ 10am

December 19 No After School Care

December 20 No School – Teacher Planning Day

December 23-January 3 WINTER BREAK

January 6 Return to school



#### **Student Reminders:**

The School Store is open for business every Friday from 12:00-1:30pm. Remember to behave good to earn your money!



#### **Staff Reminders**

The Coffee Club is open for business on A days (Mondays, Wednesdays and every other Friday) from 9:30-11:00am.



Jace Hernandez
Jayden Rivero
Julie Ramirez
Joshua Martinez
Alla Rodriguez
Erik Jordan
Alexander Rodriguez
Adrian Rivero
Kevin Deive
Andres Manzur
Alex Garcia
Samir Luna



Look out every Friday for our Farmer's market. Our PACE students will be out in carpool every Friday selling baked goods, lip balms, and candles. You may also place an order online our school website, your order will be ready for pick up in the afternoon.

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