



THE LINKS SCOOP

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Get Your Read On

By The Newspaper Team

Dr. Seuss, a famous children’s book author, was born on March 2, 1904. Every year schools celebrate his birthday by participating in Read Across America. On this day, students and teachers read Dr. Seuss books. Links will also celebrate by hosting its 2nd book fair this school year. The book fair will be open for students to purchase books during school hours from March 2-6. On March 5th, we will have a Spring into Reading Night Out from 6-8pm where students can hear a story being read and purchase books with their parents. We hope to see you all there!



Gaby Baez ready to greet you at the book fair.

Put a Ring On It!

By David Guerra

This year was our first ring ceremony. The seniors were getting their class rings. The ceremony was on February 6th. The seniors and their parents came to the ceremony. It was in the gym which was decorated with blue and silver balloon and flowers. There were 12 rings given out after the ring ceremony, the seniors had lunch with their parents. There were snacks like ham, cheese and pretzels. For lunch, they had Chicken tenders, mac and cheese, pasta and salad. Congratulations to all 12 seniors!

CONGRATULATIONS SENIORS!

- Gaby Baez
- Yasar Bendana
- Adrian Cabrera
- Gabriela Calderon
- Joseph Echevarria
- Christopher Fernandez
- Max Ferro
- Angie Gutierrez
- Zain Naber
- Sofia Pinero
- Daniela Puig
- Kenny Valdes



The class of 2020 at their ring ceremony.

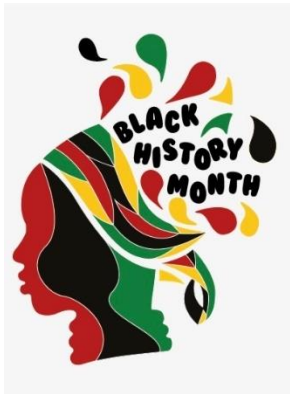


Love Is In the Air

By Alia Jamaledin



Valentine's day is on Friday, February 14. On this day, we celebrate love and romance with our friends and family. We can wear red, white, and pink. For the one's we love, we give them presents like roses, cards, chocolate, and teddy bears. Learning links sells candy grams for 1 dollar. The candy grams were given out on Valentine's Day. The school also has a valentine's dance. The dance was on Thursday, February 13 from 6:30pm to 8:30pm. The dance is for students and their siblings. It cost 10 dollars per person. There was dance, karaoke, and dinner. They also watched the Trolls movie. For dinner they ate food like pizza, chips, cookies, cupcakes, juice, and soda. Everyone had a great time at the dance.



Black History Month

By Kevin Deive

Black History Month is celebrated all month of February. This year it was from Saturday February 1st to February 29th. This month we celebrate African Americans. Three African Americans are Hank Aaron, Ira Aldridge and Muhammad Ali. Hank Aaron Was a Major League baseball right fielder for the Atlanta Braves. Ira Frederick Aldridge was the first African American to achieve success on the international stage as a Shakespearean actor. Muhammad All was a Boxing legend. Muhammad Ali died of septic shock because of natural causes that they did not know.

Going for a Leap

By Sophia Acosta

The leap year is 366 days. This year is a leap year. Leap year happens every 4 years because one full year is actually 365 days and 6 hours. Also leap year is a year that we have an extra day in the month of February. If your birthday falls on a leap year then on your 40th birthday, you would technically be 10 years old. Also, if your birthday falls on February 29 you would have a choice to celebrate either on February 28 or March 1st.



President's Day

By Viridiana Valladares



President's day is on the third Monday of February. This year it was on February 22nd. The purpose was not to honor any particular president but to honor the office of presidency. As the first federal holiday to honor an American President, the holiday was celebrated on George Washington's birthday. There have been 45 presidents (including the current one whose term began in 2017). The first president of the United States was from 1789-1797. On President's Day some schools, offices and stores are closed. There are spots open for day-off camps. Some attractions offer special entries on days off like President's Day weekend at the Museum of American Revolution.

**Baby
the
First**

Happy Valentine's Day!

By: Sophia Acosta

Hey, Ms. Sally the Rabbit!

Hey Baby!

I have a Valentine's day card just for you

Oh! Thank you Baby

Dear Ms. Sally the Rabbit,
you are the best girl ever!

Love,
Baby

Happy Valentine's Day, Ms. Sally!

Thank you baby! Happy Valentine's Day to you too!

Hey Baby

Yes

How about we explore for Valentine's Day?

Great idea Ms. Sally the Rabbit!

This might be a good plan

Look Baby, a park!

Wow. This is the best Valentine's Day ever

I hope so, Baby

Let's take a nap

Okay, Baby

THE END

Diving into Science

By Andres Manzur

PACE and Steps went to the Museum of Discovery and Science in Ft. Lauderdale. There were only 35 PACE and Steps students went. The museum of Science was great. They have exhibits about the everglades, different animals, dinosaurs, and many other science topics. They went Friday, February 7th. I interviewed Christopher Fernandez, he said he thought the Museum of Science was very cool, and he wants to see the simulator and hurricane station. I interviewed Carolina Canales, she said she thought the museum of science is fun, and she wants to see the dinosaurs.



Jonathan Nunez roaring at a saber-toothed cat.



Brady Williams, Michael Fernandez, Chris Fernandez, Nicole Prieto and Reece Williams inside a giant megalodon's mouth.



Facing Obstacles

By Orlando Llera

On February 21st, STRIDE went to Urban Air in Kendall. The cost of the field trip was \$30.00. We go on the field trip on the yellow bus. "More than just a trampoline park, Urban Air is a unique indoor adventure park with something for everyone." They have Virtual Reality, which is a video game. They also have Adventure Hub, which includes Sky Rider coaster, Ropes Course, and Tubes Indoor Playground. You can fly in Sky Rider. You can try gravity-defying obstacles on the Ropes Course. They also have Climbing Walls, Warrior Course, Cafe, Dodgeball, Pro-Zone Performance Trampolines, Runaway (Tumble Track), The APEX Trampolines, Slam Dunk, Battle Beam, DropZone, and Kids Area 7 & Under. I tried the Sky Rider, and thought it was fun. My favorite was Dodgeball. There is also an Urban Air in Doral. It has everything the Kendall location has and more like Laser Tag, Bowling, Mini-Golf, Spin Zone Bumper Cars, Climbing Hill, Foam Pit, and an Arcade.



Viridiana Valladares climbing on the climbing poles.

TEACHER SPOTLIGHT

By Isabella Arellano



Mrs. Erica



Q: What is your favorite valentine's candy?
 A: Chocolate
 Q: Who do you love?
 A: My family
 Q: Do you have a valentine?
 A: Yes
 Q: Do you love dolphins?
 A: Yeah, I love dolphins
 Q: what is your favorite color?
 A: Aqua
 Q: What is your favorite food?
 A: Steak
 Q: What is your favorite animal?
 A: Koala
 Q: Do you like unicorns?
 A: Yes
 Q: Do you like hearts?
 A: Yes
 Q: What is your favorite holiday
 A: Easter



Ms. Mariapaula



Q: What is your favorite valentine's day candy?
 A: Gummies
 Q: Who do you love
 A: Myself
 Q: Do you have a valentine?
 A: Yes
 Q: Do you love dolphins?
 A: Yes
 Q: What is your favorite color?
 A: Purple
 Q: What is your favorite food?
 A: Sushi
 Q: What is your favorite animal?
 A: Dogs
 Q: Do you like unicorns?
 A: Yes, I love unicorns
 Q: Do you like hearts?
 A: Yes
 Q: What is your favorite holiday
 A: Christmas

shout OUT!

Congratulations to the event planning group for organizing our school events throughout the year!



Thank you to our culinary staff for keeping the baked goods stocked!



- 3/1 Gabriela Arellano
- 3/1 Isabella Arellano
- 3/2 Adrian Cabrera
- 3/2 Briella Navarrete
- 3/2 Mrs. Bernie
- 3/5 Evan Serraf
- 3/11 Ms. Jenny
- 3/12 Kenny Valdes
- 3/15 Michael Fernandez
- 3/16 Ms. Nicole
- 3/16 Ms. Martina
- 3/17 Ms. Lambda
- 3/24 Mr. Justin
- 3/30 Mrs. Ana
- 3/31 Gabriel Grullon

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- March 2 Happy Birthday Dr. Seuss!
- March 2 -6 Book Fair is open
- March 5 Spring into Reading Night Out 6-8pm
- March 6 STRIDE field trip
- March 11 Primary & Intermediate in-house field trip
- March 12 Guardianship Parent Workshop 6-8pm
- March 13 Primary & Intermediate field trip
- March 16-20 Spirit week
 - Monday – Hero vs. Villain
 - Tuesday – Throwback
 - Wednesday – Career Day
 - Thursday – Super Star
 - Friday – School Spirit
- March 20 End of Grading Period
- March 23-27 SPRING BREAK



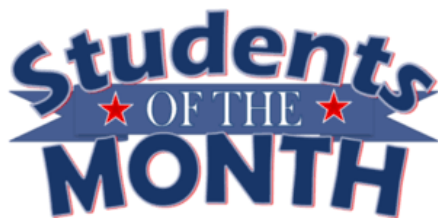
Student Reminders:

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.



- Christopher Elliot
- Isabella Guzman
- Bryan Curbelo
- Francesca Avila
- Camila Pineiro
- Karen De La Cruz
- Jacob Perez
- Isabela Arellano
- Sophia Mahecha
- David Guerra
- Matthew Freeman



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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