

The Liberty Elementary STEM Magnet School Newsletter

December 2015

Mission: To prepare our students to become critical thinking problem-solvers who will compete in a global society by facilitating an engaging & challenging learning environment in which they work cooperatively to gain real-world experiences through a rigorous curriculum including the application of science, technology, engineering & mathematics.

Mr. David J. Levine, Principal

Ms. Donna Styles, Assistant Principal

Liberty Elementary is Proud to Be a Title I School

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Important Dates:

December 2015:

- 7-14 PTA Holiday Shop in Tech Lab
- 9 ELO Tutoring begins for selected students
SAC Meeting @ 5pm
- 14 **Grade K-2 STEM Museum Night @ 6pm**
- 15 Field Day (Grade 2-3)
Grade 3-5 STEM Museum Night @ 6pm
- 16 Field Day (Grade K-1)
PTA General Meeting @ 5:30pm
Chorus & Dance Holiday Show @ 6:30pm
- 17 Field Day (Grade 4-5)
- 21 **No School/Winter Break begins**

January 2016:

- 4 Classes resume
- 7 **Early Release Day**
- 8 **Teacher Planning Day**
- 18 **No School/Martin Luther King Jr. Day**

Mark Your Calendar!



No School:

December 21- January 1

Winter Break

&

January 8 &

January 18

Martin Luther King Jr. Day

Message from Administration:

Happy December! Our Teachers are hard at work with a focus on high quality instruction, extensions for students mastering curriculum and interventions for students needing extra assistance. Our Teachers continue to complete staff development and setting aside time for team lesson planning. Be sure to conference with your child's teacher and maintain ongoing communication for academic and social updates.

2nd Quarter STEM Nights are set for December 14th (Grade K-2) and December 15th (Grade 3-5). Join us to view our wonderful STEM projects.

Field Days are set for December 15 (Grade 2-3), December 16 (Grade K-1) and December 17 (Grade 4-5). Contact Coach Smith to volunteer.

The PTA is holding our Holiday Gift Shop on December 7-14. Students may shop during Tech Special and purchase inexpensive gifts for family members. PTA is holding a General Meeting on December 16th before the Holiday Show at 5:30pm.

Congratulations to the Kids of Character and Gold Honor Roll students listed in this newsletter.

We look forward to seeing you at our upcoming Field Days, Chorus & Dance Club holiday performance and around the school for parent conferences and volunteering. Be sure to visit our website: **liberty.browardschools.com** and follow us on Twitter at www.twitter.com/libertyelschool for announcements and photos.

We wish everyone Happy Holidays and a Happy and healthy New Year.

-David J. Levine, Principal

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Liberty.browardschools.com**



Safety Tips from School Resource Officer Lombardo:

As the holiday season approaches we are all busy preparing for family gatherings and numerous activities that require attention and time. Parents and guardians are encouraged to speak with their children about safety prior to visiting crowded shopping malls or public celebrations. The crowds are larger during this time of the year and it is easy for children to become separated from their parents and guardians. Families must have a plan and make sure that their children know what to do should they get separated from you. **Holiday Safety Tips**

1- Teach your children to stay with you at all time while shopping. This includes accompanying them to the restroom when necessary.

2- Make a plan in case you become separated. Have a pre-designated area for older kids to meet you.

For younger children teach them to look for people who can help them within the mall or store such as a security officer or a store employee. They should never wander around or leave the store/mall to look for you.

3- Leave clothing that displays your child's name at home-it can provide an opportunity for a stranger to start a conversation with them. 4- Do not leave children unattended in toy stores or other public areas such as playgrounds, video arcades or movie theaters and expect store personnel to watch them. 5- Have older children take a friend along if you allow them to go shopping or to a public function without you. Have them check in with you regularly and make a clear plan for picking them up. Stay safe and enjoy a happy healthy holiday season!

Congratulations to Angela Carracino & Daniella Cole

SECME Bottle Rocket Competition

Carl Sagan Day – 1st Place

Partners in Education

January 27th @ 5-7pm

Golden Corral Night (Peppertree Plaza)

Questions? Call Mrs. Robuste @ 754-322-6777



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Want to Volunteer?

All volunteers must register online at:

www.getinvolvedineducation.com

Be a Liberty Volunteer!



Were you a November **STARS BINGO** winner?

- S Show Kindness**
- T Take Responsibility**
- A Act Safely**
- R Respect Everyone**
- S Strive for Excellence**

2nd Quarter STEM Museum Exhibition Nights:

Grade K-2 on December 14th @ 6pm

&

Grade 3-5 on December 15th @ 6pm

School Advisory Council (SAC) Community Members & Parents:

Help us spend \$100,000!



Our next SAC Meeting will be

December 9th @ 5:00pm

Media Center

Questions?/RSVP:

Call Ms. Robuste

754-322-6750

Congratulations to our 1st Quarter Gold Honor Roll students:

JOSEPH CALDERON	Bishop
KELAN DENNIS	Bishop
Sebastian Garcia	Bishop
NAVID SADEK	Bishop
BRIANNA GARCIA	Huff
JULIA JOSEPH	Huff
GIOVANNA GARCIA	Larosa
DANIELLA LOBBAN	Maiorino
SEBASTIAN GONZALEZ	Corridori
KAYLA HENRY	Corridori
EMERSYN CLARK	Harvey
CASEY ETIENNE	Harvey
ZACHARY GILLETT	Harvey
ALEXA HORODECKI	Harvey
ALYSSA ULYSSE	Harvey
DWAINE WEEKS	JEANBAPTISTE
Kiara Bernabel	MCKINNEY
Kevin Blandon	McKinney
RAFAEL BELLO	Stern
KENTON JEAN	Stern
Sergio Mercado	Stern
LAVY TRAN	Stern
RUTH MEDELUS	Creelman
KEILA ALBARRAN	Roberson
Eric Campbell	Roberson
KENYA JARRETT	Roberson
DAVID TRAN	Roberson

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Estimados Padres:

Si usted prefiere la información de esta carta informativa en Español, por favor llame a la escuela al número (754) 322-6750 y pregunte por el Sr. Kuilan, julian.kuilan@browardschools.com

Chè Paran: Si ou ta renmen genyen enfòmasyon ki nan jounal sa a tradui an Kreyòl oubyen an Panyòl, tanpri rele lekòl la nan (754) 322-6750 kote wa mande pale ak Ms. Sicard oubyen Mr. Kuilan. Ou gen dwa cominike avè yo tou sou adrès elektronik yo (e-mail) nan: deborah.sicard@browardschools.com

Congratulations Kids Of Character

November 2015

Character Trait: Kindness

Kindergarten:

Philhower	Nehemiah Elliot	Manusky	Zion Robinson
Horodecki	Nayeli Gonzales	Hobbs	Ludeline Pierre
Pion	Brandon Cordoba	Shapanka	Janiyah Ford
Tanenbaum	Michael Bello	Kostick	Aja Bryan

1st Grade:

Nunez - Princess Ogundanarotibi	Viscomi - Jahmari Johnson
Zinderman - Jensyn Clark	M. Williams - Victoria Jurado
Yaros - Natalia Jurado	V. Williams - Carolina Bezerra
Grant - Dessa Carcamo	Sunshine - Terry LoRay
Fernandez - Jazmin Rojas	Melendez -- Kamron Brown
Kuczynski - Makayla Enis	

2nd Grade:

Figueroa- Shiela Mae Modelo	Faust- Timmy Burgess
McBride- Joshua Thaler	McMahon- Gabriella Buffenburger
Lawson- Joemy Sallazar	Miller- Jaden Doverspike
Ibrahim- Cameron Marquez	Lowe Mindy King
Eustache- Giselle Torres	Stubbs- Alivia Copelin

3rd Grade:

Huff:	Sarah Gauthier	Garcia:	Jerrance Adrien
LaRosa:	Aliyah Predelus	Russo:	Vanessa Bezerra
Davidson:	Antonio Zambrano	Gamarra:	Jasmine Kelly
Isaacs:	Judeson Georges	Bishop:	JoeAnn Gleinn
Moore:	Angelica Florez	Maiorino:	Kelley Solari Garcia

4th Grade:

Corridori - Kayla Henry	D'Elia - Alan Martinez
Weber - Jasmine Arbaiza	Harvey - Roxy Fiske
Valentino - Kiana Linares	McKinney - Kamari Lancaster
Jean-Baptiste - Bryan Villatoro	Stern- Jelaine Modelo

5th Grade:

Carrow-Yoshua Torres	Creelman-Gabriela Poloukine
DeHart- Farreline Jean	Gaspard- Jade Quintilla
James- Anjalee Jaglal	Roberson - Gabriel Alarcon
Sauer - Beriah Fevrier	