

## The Liberty Elementary STEM Museum Magnet School Newsletter

January 2016

**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 (STEM).

Mr. David J. Levine, Principal

Ms. Donna Styles, Assistant Principal

Liberty Elementary is Proud to Be a Title I School

School Website: [liberty.browardschools.com](http://liberty.browardschools.com)

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### Important Dates:

#### January:

- 7 Early Release Day
- 8 **No School/Teacher Planning Day**
- 14 PTA Executive Board Meeting
- 18 **No School/Martin Luther King Jr. Day**
- 21 Conversation with the District @ Deerfield Beach High School @ 6:30pm
- 25-29 Celebrate Literacy Week
- 25 Broward Standards Assessment (Grade 3-5)
- 27 Golden Corral Night @ 5-7pm
- 28 Report Cards distributed

#### February:

- 2 Gold Honor Roll Ceremony
- 5 Grade 4 field trip to LEGOLAND, Orlando
- 10 Class Picture Day
- 11 Interim Reports distributed
- 12 Jump Rope for Heart during Specials  
PTA Valentines Bingo @ 5-6:30pm
- 15 **No School/Presidents Day**
- 25 Early Release Day



### Message from Administration:

Happy January and Happy New Year! Our Teachers are hard at work with a focus on high quality teaching, interventions for students and enrichment to extend the curriculum. Our Teachers continue to complete staff development in technology, STEM and interdisciplinary teaching. Be sure to conference with your child's teacher and maintain ongoing communication for academic updates.

Thank you to all of our parent volunteers that assisted our field days, PTA Holiday Shop, and Holiday Chorus & Dance performances. PTA is seeking interested parents to add to the PTA board and help plan upcoming book fair and Valentines Bingo events. The board meets January 14<sup>th</sup>. Please email Ms. McWilliams, PTA President or call the school to inquire. Our Grade 3, 4 & 5 students complete Broward Standards Assessment Testing on January 25<sup>th</sup>. Arriving to school on time with a healthy breakfast is recommended. The PTA has planned our Book Fair for January 25-29. An informative flyer goes home soon.

ELO Tutoring continues on Wednesdays after school for selected Grade 3-5 students.

Congratulations to the Kids of Character listed in this newsletter. We look forward to seeing you at our upcoming Golden Corral Night, SAC Meetings, Bingo Night, PTA book fair and around the school for parent conferences and volunteering. Be sure to visit our website: [liberty.browardschools.com](http://liberty.browardschools.com) and follow us on Twitter at [www.twitter.com/libertyelschool](http://www.twitter.com/libertyelschool) for announcements and photos. -David J. Levine, Principal

### **3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter STEM Night:**

**March 15<sup>th</sup> @ 6pm**

**(Grade K-2)**

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**3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter STEM Night &  
FSA Curriculum Night & Dinner:**

**March 16<sup>th</sup> @ 6pm**

**(Grade 3-5)**

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Information from Margate Resource Officer Lombardo: Technology Safety Tips

There are some very important things that you need to keep in mind when you're on your computer at home or at school.

- First, remember never to give out personal information such as your name, home address, school name, or telephone number in a chat room or on bulletin boards. Also, never send a picture of yourself to someone you chat with on the computer without your parent's permission.
- Never write to someone who has made you feel uncomfortable or scared.
- Do not meet someone or have them visit you without the permission of your parents.
- Tell your parents right away if you read anything on the Internet that makes you feel uncomfortable.
- Remember that people online may not be who they say they are. Someone who says that "she" is a "12-year-old girl" could really be someone else.

**PTA Book Fair**

**January 25-29**

**Students may visit during Media Center Special**

**Partners in Education**

Golden Corral Night

January 27th @ 5-7pm

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



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**Want to Volunteer?**

All volunteers must register online at:

[www.getinvolvedineducation.com](http://www.getinvolvedineducation.com)

Be a Liberty Volunteer!



**No School:**

**January 18**

**Martin Luther King Jr. Day**

**&**

**February 15**

**Presidents Day**

**January 25th**

**Broward Standards Assessment Testing**

**Grade 3-5 students**

**Seeking SAC & SAF Community Members & Parents:**



**Our next SAC Meeting  
will be:  
January 20th @ 5pm**

Questions?/RSVP:

Call Mr. Brown

754-322-6750



**Upcoming Liberty PTA Events:**

PTA Book Fair / January 25-29

Students can self-select inexpensive books. Volunteers needed.

PTA Valentines Day BINGO / February 12th @ 5pm

A fun night of games, snacks and prizes!

PTA Mothers & Fathers Day Shop / May 2-6

Students can self-select inexpensive gifts for loved ones. Volunteers needed.

Email Mrs. McWilliams, PTA President:

[mommafierce78@gmail.com](mailto:mommafierce78@gmail.com) for questions.

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](mailto: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](mailto:deborah.sicard@browardschools.com)

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## **Congratulations December Kids of Character: (Respect)**

### Kindergarten:

|           |                 |           |                  |
|-----------|-----------------|-----------|------------------|
| Philhower | Natalia Nicanor | Manusky   | Damary Villatoro |
| Tanenbaum | Jordyn James    | Shapanka  | Colin Nelson     |
| Hobbs     | Sophia Aguiar   | Horodecki | Elisha Almonord  |
| Kostick   | Grace Mardy     | Pion      | Dylan Korsos     |

### 1st grade:

|               |                 |               |                  |
|---------------|-----------------|---------------|------------------|
| Fernandez -   | Deja Ramseur    | Grant -       | Terry Meris      |
| Kuczynski -   | Paris Alcime    | Melendez -    | Isabella Cordova |
| Nunez -       | Erick Calzada   | Sunshine -    | Destiny Lewis    |
| Viscomi -     | Jayla Brown     | M. Williams - | Tania Chicas     |
| V. Williams - | Savyan Campbell | Yaros -       | Taya Kim         |
| Zinderman -   | Gisella Frawley |               |                  |

### 2nd grade:

|           |                   |          |                   |
|-----------|-------------------|----------|-------------------|
| Faust-    | Alex Grant        | Miller-  | Qis Miller        |
| Lawson-   | Miguel Uribe      | McBride- | Elijah Bridgepaul |
| Ibrahim-  | Makayla Burroughs | McMahon- | Melina Garcia     |
| Figueroa- | Bryan Moeis       | Stubbs-  | Daysi Avalos      |
| Eustache- | Darryl Pluviose   | Lowe-    | Kal El Ferreira   |

### 3rd grade:

|           |                 |           |                  |
|-----------|-----------------|-----------|------------------|
| Huff:     | Jimison Meris   | Garcia:   | Ana Garcia       |
| LaRosa:   | Giovanna Garcia | Russo:    | James Foster     |
| Davidson: | Tywanda Martial | Gamarra:  | Rosemene Salomon |
| Isaacs:   | Jayden Alphonso | Bishop:   | Navid Sadek      |
| Moore :   | Loudnie Meris   | Maiorino: | Mikaela Laguerre |

### 4th grade:

|                 |                   |             |                   |
|-----------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------------|
| Stern -         | Shakaria Anderson | Valentino - | Alex Eker         |
| Harvey -        | Zachary Chambers  | Weber -     | Arven Claude      |
| D'Elia -        | Jefferin Martinez | Corridori - | Gabriella Merthyl |
| Jean Baptiste - | Sarai Camposeco   | McKinney -  | Jeffri Amador     |

### 5th grade:

|         |                |           |              |
|---------|----------------|-----------|--------------|
| Carrow: | Naomi Thompson | Creelman: | Eleana Diaz  |
| DeHart: | Bryan Jules    | Gaspard:  | Amya Sicard  |
| James:  | Lorenzo Beggs  | Roberson: | Tatiana Lopz |
| Sauer:  | Alex Wright    |           |              |