



TEMPERANCE NEWS

February 2018

Archers on target!

We are very proud of our Temperance Tiger Archery Team. On Saturday, December 16th and Saturday, January 6th most students competed in archery tournaments at Amherst Elementary & Sweet Briar College. Team members are: Ace Adams, Lilith Billings, Jason Cash, Kaden Cash, Willoughby Cumby-Wooldridge, Jakayla Douglas, Madison Fitzgerald, Chaz Hudson, Cole Johnson, Chelsea Torres, Kennedy Wheeler, Abigail Burks, Morgan Clark, Anthony English, Selena Garland, Keegan Hickey, Reagan Houchens, Nathan McMurry, Gavin Tomlin, & Millie Tomlin. Keep up the good work, Tigers!



Our weekly attendance winners for the months of December and January are:

Cheyenne Bailey
Karly Cash
Clarice Solomon
Isaac Hunter

Black History Month

February is Black History Month and TES has planned many activities providing our students with opportunities to learn about the extraordinary accomplishments of the men and women pivotal to the Civil Rights Movement and Black History. This month of celebration, remembrance, and recognition was initiated on February 12, 1926 by Carter G. Woodson. Mr. Woodson suggested February because it includes the birthdays of both Abraham Lincoln and Frederick Douglas.



Math-a-Thon is a volunteer based fundraising program for St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. All St. Jude pledge money should be turned in on or before Thursday, February 22, 2018. Please have all checks made payable to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. ***In addition to the prizes awarded by St. Jude's, students can be awarded the following:***

- The class with the highest percentage of money raised will receive a doughnut party.
- Anyone that brings in money and completes their math booklet can pick an item from our Cars & Carnations shop.
- The student raising the most money will also receive a \$25 Walmart gift certificate.

Calendar of Events

- ☉ February 5-9
National School Counselor week.
Thank you Mrs. Stephanie Eckenrode for all you do!
- ☉ February 5-9
Stanford Testing - 2nd grade
- ☉ February 6
PTO Meeting
5:30 pm
- ☉ February 12
Interims go home today
- ☉ February 14
Pajama Day
- ☉ February 20
P/T Conf. 4:00 pm - 5:30 pm
- ☉ February 22
St. Jude money due today

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The Lemonade Wars comes to Temperance!

Temperance Elementary School will be participating in the reading of the Lemonade Wars by Jacqueline Davis. During the month of February our school will be embark on a special project, an all school book club call **Virginia Reads On Book**. We will be participating, along with many schools across the state of Virginia. This program will promote Family Literacy and Family Financial Literacy. Every Temperance student will receive their own copy of the Lemonade Wars to keep! The program will kick off on Monday, February 5, 2018, with a special video feed reading of chapter 1 by a member of the Washington Redskins. This program will continue for three weeks with the students reading the book at home with their families. Students can read to their parents and parents can read to their children - whichever works best! Students will participate in special in class activities and trivia contests throughout this 3 week program. Please see the attached flyer about this wonderful program and look for additional information to come home in the days ahead.



The students at Temperance Elementary School have been using the Accelerated Math program to review and reinforce math skills previously taught. The students earn 1 point for each mastered objective. The following students have mastered the highest number of objectives in their grade level for the month of **January**. Way to go students!!!

3rd grade - Aubrie Carter, Kaylea Burks, Simari Thompson, Clair Meeks, Lily Catlett, Kevin Hamm, Clarice Solomon

4th grade - Jeremiah Campbell, Scofield Wright, Madison Fitzgerald, Lamarra Sales, Jason Cash, Chelsea Torres

5th grade - Gavin Tomlin, Abigail Burks, Morgan Clark, Anthony English, Shaela Douglas, Millie Tomlin

Congratulations to our Student of the Month award winners for the month of January!



Kindergarten- Devyn Viar

First Grade- Olivia Hughes

Second Grade- TyRon English

Third Grade- Clarice Solomon & Nicholas Biggs

Fourth Grade- Kennedy Wheeler

Fifth Grade- Reagan Houchens

Students were selected by their classroom teacher for their outstanding performance in the areas of academics.

Temperance Terrific Readers

Upon entering the school you will notice our Temperance Terrific Readers Wall. This wall will recognize students achieving 25, 50, 75, 100, 125, 150 and 200 Accelerated Reader points. Students have been working hard to complete Accelerated Reader tests and we are very proud of them. Parental assistance has been greatly appreciated in helping student's achieve their "AR" goals. We would like to congratulate the following students for being recognized as the top "AR" readers for the month of **January** in grades 1 through 5:

1st grade - Harley Sprouse, Olivia Hughes, Brayden Campbell, Chelsea Wright, Thomas Orman, Isaac Painter

2nd grade - Harrison Stinnett, Emma Beam, Cheyenne Bailey, Emily Lewis, Isaac Hunter

3rd grade - Aubrie Carter, Simari Thompson, Connell Thompson, Kevin Hamm, Kaylea Burks

4th grade - Charlotte Ulrich, Lamarra Sales, Lilith Billings, Dixie Campbell, Kallie Falls, Ace Adams

5th grade - Morgan Clark, Nathan McMurry, Christian Goughnour, Gavin Tomlin, Abigail Burks



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