



THE COMET'S TALE

Administrative Newsletter of Carillon Elementary
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CARILLON COMETS SHARE-HELP-IMAGINE-NEVER STOP LEARNING-EXCEL

The S.H.I.N.E. Report from the desk of Dr. Windish

We are getting ready for an exciting month here at Carillon. From iHeart Fun Night on February 8th to Jump Rope for Heart on February 23, we have lots of special ways families can learn together and help our community. We are continuously looking for ways to engage our families, both during school and after school. Without your amazing involvement, we would not be able to announce that **plans to build our new Carillon Playground are underway**. A location was finalized, as the original location was not suitable due to underground plumbing and wiring. Our PTA has just donated another large check to this cause and we will now have enough money to build the playground...with a sunshade. We hope to announce groundbreaking soon! The Playground will not be the only thing being constructed at Carillon. In the coming months, our roof on all buildings will be replaced. I, for one, cannot wait to be rid of the big, blue tarp on our Primary Learning Center. As much as I like the color blue, I cannot wait to see our school building looking sharp with a brand new metal roof.

If you haven't had the chance to provide feedback on the district Snapshot Survey for parents, please see below for more information. Please use this an opportunity to brag about all that Carillon Elementary is, and can be. Results of this survey will be shared with prospective parents from around the globe that are interested in moving into Carillon's school zone!

Stay Healthy!

With cold and flu season upon us, it is a great time to remind students the importance of hand washing. We also ask that if your child is running a fever or contagious, please refrain from sending them to school to eliminate the spread of further illness. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter!

Share Your Thoughts

Seminole County Public Schools is inviting all parents to provide feedback through a system called the Snapshot Survey. SCPS has partnered with Datanautix, a local data analytics firm, to create a new, more transparent school report card that will feature a snapshot of parent, student and school staff perceptions, as well as other critical data points. This Snapshot Survey will be a short survey in which parents will be asked about their overall impressions of Carillon Elementary. The link for the Parent Snapshot Survey is now live and will be available through February 23rd. Please check our website and social media outlets to participate.

Searching for something?

It's that time of year again! Our lost and found is overflowing with jackets, water bottles, and other personal belongings. Please stop by the office to check out our collection and claim any missing items.



iHeart Fun Night- Thursday, February 8, 2018

Our PTA, along with our partners at Mathnasium, have planned a night of fun and games to help our students prepare for the upcoming testing season! We will begin the evening with a PTA General Meeting at 5:30 PM. There will be an FSA information session at 6:00 PM in the Learning Commons. The fun and games will and continue the night with fun and games! This event is brought to us by our wonderful PTA and sponsored by Mathnasium.

We hope to see you there!

Important FSA Information- 6:00 PM on February 8th

Just before the fun of iHeart Fun Night, all parents (but especially 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade students) will want to attend a general information session about the Florida Standards Assessment (FSA) at 6:00 PM in the Learning Commons. Students can come and will have an opportunity to do something in our Collaboratory while parents can ask questions about the state required assessments

Impacting Our Community- Jump Rope for Heart

We are excited to announce that Carillon will be participating in an event called Jump Rope for Heart on February 23 during specials. It is a fund raiser that benefits the American Heart Association. Be on the lookout for donation packets to come home two weeks before the event. We appreciate your support!

Innovators At Work

Attention artists! If your child is interested in participating in the World Plumbing Day poster contest, please make sure they complete their work on 12"x18" drawing paper.

They must include the words, "World Plumbing Day" and "March 11" on the poster. The final day to submit the artwork to Mrs. Calapa (Carillon's Art Teacher) is Friday, February 23. If you have any questions, you can contact her at: calapamf@scps.k12.fl.us



Help Support PTA

Carillon PTA is looking for Executive Officers to get involved next year. The first step is to develop a Nominating Committee. If you enjoy being involved in the school and love the positive presence of PTA events, we could use your help. If you are interested in being on the nominating committee for PTA, please email Jennifer Beckenhaupt, PTA President at: ptapresidentcarillon@gmail.com

Happy Valentine's Day

Many classes will be celebrating friendship this month in honor of Valentine's Day. If your child is bringing in cards or treats at the request of their teacher, please make sure to include something for everyone. At Carillon we value the trait of friendship and want to include everyone in our thoughts.

Honoring our Country- First Grade Patriotic

Showcase-

Save the Date- March 2nd



Never Miss an Upcoming Event!

February 3—Cross Country Meet at Keeth Elementary

February 8—iHeart Fun Night 6:00pm

February 8—Spring Class Pictures

February 15—Progress Reports Go Home

February 19—No School—President's Day

February 23—Jump Rope for Heart

March 2—1st Grade Patriotic Showcase

March 9—Basket Bonanza



Comets' achievements are celebrated on the BACK of the Comet's Tale!
Comets are Capable, Connected, and Contributing!

Website: <http://www.carillon.scps.k12.fl.us/>



Carillon Comets EXCELLING

Highlighting the Achievements of our Comets



Caring Comets!

The following students were recognized on our morning news show for outstanding citizenship in the classroom for the month of January

Angelina Zarilla	Tristan Towell	Elijah Balgobin
Elizabeth Morris	Lexi Aschbrenner	Bree Stender
Chase Grebey	Camden Zagers	Angelo Muniz
Kamakshi Aditya	Owen Garofalo	Ivy Thompson
Miranda Lankowski	Melanie Betancurt	Srishti Akumalla
Sofia Smith	Connor Gilly	Grant Russell
Grace Nam	Germaine Coja	Ellie Chihos
Dylan Herman	Madisyn Cheek	Brielle Drehoff
		Aubrey Hensley



Distinguished Diners

Dr. Windish and Mrs. Granger had another great turn out for December's Distinguished Diners celebration. These students were recognized for their good choices and excellent behavior in the cafeteria. Keep up the good work Comets! We have a brand new month ahead of us!

December's Winners



THANK YOU, CAFÉ PANUZZO'S

Carillon Math Club



Carillon's Math Team placed 4th at the Goldsboro Elementary Math League competition.

Individual awards

Sophie Li, (4th) 9th place

Daniel Zou (4th) 3rd place

Gavin Towers (5th) 10th place

Jason Hu (5th) 8th place

Carillon Cross Country

County meet 1/27/2018

Eli Perry 13th place 7 year old boys

Perry White 15th place 8 year old girls

Gavin White 7th place 10 year old boys

Hagerty race 1/20/2018

Gavin White 2nd place 10 year old boys

Perry White 3rd place 8 year old girls

Jasmine Rhoades 15th place 8 year old girls

Ayanna Hooper 5th place 6 year old girls

Eli Perry 6th place 6 year old boys



Door Decorating



Spelling Bee Winners !

We are so proud of all of our Spelling Bee finalists!



Courtney Dusart