#### Hello LPA Families!

Happy New Year! I hope everyone was able to spend quality time with family and loved ones, created memorable experiences, and found opportunities for much needed relaxation over the winter break. As the second semester commences, we will continue our strong academic focus.

During this past month of December, our middle school drama students performed a couple of great shows for the audiences, our kindergarten and first-grade students put on a great performance during their holiday shows, we celebrated students for their recognition of the All-Pillars Character Counts! Pillar of the month, our middle school students had a blast attending a staff verse student volleyball game the last week before the break and were able to have a special morning performance by some of our band and choir students during arrival during the last week. As a staff, we were able to celebrate and have fun all month long with themed festive days and our students joined in on the fun the last week before the break. We also experienced quite a scare last month on stage. However, I want to reassure everyone that Ms. Herkel was released from the hospital and has been recovering with family by her side. She is hopeful to return to work soon. We can't wait to see her back on campus doing what she loves!

As we progress into January and begin 2025, we look forward to our eighthgrade students experiencing their Washington DC field trip, the middle school basketball teams will begin to compete, we will celebrate Literacy Week this month, and our representatives will compete in the District Spelling Bee.

#### Gratefully,

Mr. Hoessler, your proud LPA Principal





#### Mark your calendars for the events below:

-Jan. 6: Third Quarter begins

-Jan. 8-21: FAST/STAR Progress Monitoring Round 2 continues

-Jan. 13: SAC Meeting at 4:00pm

-Jan. 16: Club Picture Day/8<sup>™</sup> grade class picture

-Jan. 16: PTO meeting at 9:00am

-Jan. 20: No School – Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day

-Jan. 27-31: Literacy Week

-Jan. 30: Class pictures

Wishing everyone a happy and healthy 2025!





# NEWS

#### **Updates for 8th graders**

The Program of Interest application is now open for rising 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> grade students who are interested in participating in high school career academies, IB, AICE, Early College, Early Career, ROTC, and SJCCA programs. Rising 6<sup>th</sup> grade students may also apply for SJCCA at Murray Middle School. The application window for Programs of Interest will close on January 24, 2025 at 5pm. If a program receives more applications than there are seats available, a weighted lottery process will be used to place students.

The application can be accessed by logging into HAC with the STUDENT credentials. Click the Classes tab, and then the Requests tab.

#### **Testing Info for Parents**

Upcoming test dates -

1/8 - 2nd grade FAST STAR Math

1/9 - 3<sup>rd</sup> grade FAST Math

1/10 – 4<sup>th</sup> grade FAST Math

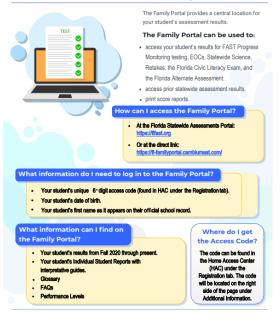
1/13 – 14 MS FAST Math groups A and B

1/15 – 5<sup>th</sup> grade FAST Math

1/17- Kindergarten FAST STAR Math

1/21 – 1st grade FAST STAR Math

#### **How to Access the Family Portal**



#### **The Math Hunger Games**

By: Addie Spradlin and Maggie O'Leary

This month in Algebra 1 and Geometry the students played the "Math Hunger Games". The game consists of answering a series of math equations in order to win candy for your team. The candy was generously donated by students and parents. All of the students love playing the games and being competitive for candy. Ms. Bridenbaugh loves seeing the



students enjoy doing math and Mr. Lynch enjoys seeing the students put in their best effort. The "Math Hunger Games" is a great way to get students to practice and become active in math.

#### **NJHS Stuffs Santa's Sack**

By: Olivia Pappas and Anna Russo

This holiday season NJHS sponsored Stuff Santa's Sack, a food drive collecting food for the less fortunate. It ran from December 9<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup>. The food was then donated to a local food pantry in St. Johns County. LPA students showed great generosity with their donations. NJHS members helped by advertising with signs at the parent pick-up loop and gathering all nonperishable foods from classrooms.

One of LPA's NJHS members, Olivia Connell said it was cool to see how much food kids brought in to help. She also found it enjoyable helping fellow students understand that selflessly helping their community is one of the most important things to do. For several days Olivia was a poster holder outside; one of her favorite things was seeing parents wave and support the school when they saw the posters. Overall, Olivia loved volunteering for Stuff Santa's Sack and thought it was a great way to support her community.

# January 2025

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			New Year's Day! Winter Break	Winter Break	Teacher Planning	
OC Trip Begins	6 Classes Resume	7	8 No Early Release	9	10 DC Trip Ends	11
2		14 Middle School Math FAST Group B	15 No Early Release	16 Report Cards Issued	17	18
9	20 MLK Day- No School	21	22 No Early Release	23	24	25
26	27	28	29 No Early Release	30	31	

### WHAT ELSE IS NEW...

#### **Student Council News**

By: Kylee Blood

Student Council has just "wrapped up their holiday Carol Grams" (Pun intended (a)). While they didn't sell as much as they had hoped they still sold a good bit. They raised over \$100 which is amazing.

Student Council tried out something new for their Carol Grams. This year instead of giving the Carol Grams out at lunch and singing to students, they prerecorded a video. Then they added a barcode to the carolgram message so students could scan with their phones to get the link to the song. They also would like to thank Student Council President Quinn Earley for his help filming and editing the video to make it the masterpiece it is.

Hold on to your hearts because Student Council is planning a surprise for Valentines Day. While the details have not been released, we do know it will be amazing as always.







#### **Media Matters**

Leyla Phillips and Talitha Kalapala

In the Media Center, Ms. Rice has been busy teaching her elementary students—grades three to five—how to use Adobe Express, a program they have been working with to create AI generated images. Elementary students in 2<sup>nd</sup> and lower grades have been reading holiday stories and borrowing books from the many genres on display.

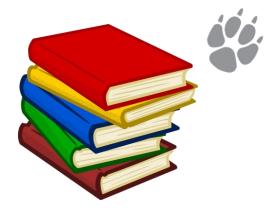
Ms. Rice has also been able to get some new furniture for our library! Some beanbag chairs and an area rug to add a new reading zone to the space to decor the area. Come to the library to see the new additions!

Lastly, January has some exciting things in store for us! LPA's Celebrate Literacy Week 2025 plan is going to be revealed to us. Also, Florida's theme for 2025 is Building Literacy: Constructing the Foundation for Success. Finally, our Battle of the Books teams! Congrats to the students who made it to our LPA's Grades 3-5 Team: Emma Natanzon, Ashika Tirumalasetti, Grady Andenora, Emma Irby, and Ilisha Pahwa, Bhargav Raghavendra, and Lake O'Donnell. And of course, we can't forget our middle school team, here they are - Thanisha Thavakalsha, Sahasra Rajashekhar, Ashweja Mechineni, Rhea Siddi, Arjun Tirumalasetti, Kylee Blood, and Abigail Pfalzer.

#### 5<sup>th</sup> grade Celebration Lunch

By: Caroline Linder

The fifth graders had their lunch party to celebrate a wonderful first semester this school year. Everyone had a blast including two kids, Zachary Linder and Emily Greenmun. According to them they were both excited to "eat pizza and talk with their friends outside." Emily described it as a picnic while Zachary described it as a time to get together with all of his friends from other classes and eat delicious food. They both were so glad that their teachers put this together and were thankful to the volunteers that helped out.



Elementary kids, here's some of your famous reads:

- Dog Man and Captain Underpants series by Dav Pilkey
- The Wild Robot by Peter Brown
- Wings of Fire the graphic novel series by Tai T. Sutherland

For our middle schoolers some popular reads are:

- Smile by Raina Telgemeier
- New Dragon City by Mari Mancuso
- Ride On by Faith Erin Hicks
- The Twisted Ones: The Graphic Novel by Scott Cawthon
- Maximum Ride: The Manga series by NaRae Lee



#### Student Spotlight: 4th grader Connor Collins

By Sophia Serena and Caroline Linder

Connor Collins is in Ms. Hefter's 4th grade class. He is 10 years old. He has a sister and a brother along with a chocolate lab. He loves to go home and draw or paint with his older sister. Connor also loves to eat beef Lo Mein for dinner and as his special sweet treat he enjoys mint chocolate chip ice cream. Outside of school Connor likes to play football and lacrosse, but he strives to be a military officer or NFL player for the Jacksonville Jaguars when he is older. He loves to watch the Minions 4 or read Harry Potter in his free time.



This is his first year at LPA and his favorite thing about Ms. Hefter is that she is a great supporter, and he appreciates how nice she is. He moved to Florida from California in 2016. Connor's favorite resource is art and his favorite subject in school is science because he really enjoys conducting experiments.

#### Student Spotlight: 4th grader Mia Bays

Mia Bays is a 4th grade student in Ms. Lovetts class. Mia is 10 years old and was born in Honolulu, Hawaii with her 12-yearold brother who is in 6<sup>th</sup> grade, named Elijah. They moved here when she was in kindergarten, but this is her first year at Liberty Pines.

Mia is a dancer and dances at the Dance Connection; her favorite type of dance is contemporary. Mia loves dance so much that when she grows up, she wants to be a dance instructor to help other kids learn how to dance.

At school Mia is a very good student who believes that everyone should represent all pillars of character because they make you a better person. Her favorite resource is art because it's not something she gets to do much and it's fun to make! In the classroom she loves to learn about social studies because it's fun to learn about the past.

#### LPA's Teacher Spotlight: Mrs. Elie!

By: Lyla Linton

Mrs. Elie is a first-grade teacher at LPA. She is from Miami Beach, Florida. Growing up, Mrs. Elie really enjoyed going to school because she loves to learn and read books. She loved school so much; she recalled often playing school with her neighbors and friends.

Her favorite teacher was her kindergarten teacher, Mrs. B. Mrs. B was the one who started her love for reading, one of her passions. Mrs. Elie went to college at FIU and her major was education. She chose to major in education because she loved children and wanted to make a difference in their lives.



Mrs. Elie has been married to her husband for thirteen years. They have two children, an eight-year-old and a four-year-old. Her favorite color is pink. In her free time, Mrs. Elie stated that she likes gardening. She finds it relaxing and really enjoys spending time outside. Her favorite food is pizza. When asked where she would go if she could go anywhere in the world, Mrs. Elie. said she would want to go to Hawaii. She would want to travel with just her husband and spend time relaxing.

Her favorite part about teaching is watching kids learn and grow. She loves inspiring children to start reading, just as her kindergarten teacher did with her. Mrs. Elie's classroom is full of colors and kindness, making it a safe, comfortable environment for her students. We are so lucky to have her at LPA and are ready to continue the rest of the year with her 4 positive personality.

## MORE WOLF NEWS!

# CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR DECEMBER PAW PAT WINNERS!!!

#### Middle School:

Rudy Antolin – 6<sup>th</sup>
Jahnavi Doneparthi – 6<sup>th</sup>
Blake Curtiss – 8<sup>th</sup>
Melissa De Freitas – 8<sup>th</sup>
Lyla Linton – 8<sup>th</sup>
Jeremiah Youngblood – 6<sup>th</sup>
Ms. Bridenbaugh's Homeroom
Class – 7<sup>th</sup>
Ava Gibson-Rijo -7<sup>th</sup>
Molly Cebulko – 8<sup>th</sup>
Anja Schneider – 8<sup>th</sup>

#### **Elementary School:**

Clayton Boshell – 2<sup>nd</sup>
Sawyer DeJarnette – 2<sup>nd</sup>
Lana Johnson – 2<sup>nd</sup>
Ilana Iskhakova – 5<sup>th</sup>
Titan Walford – 5<sup>th</sup>
Gavin James – KG
Maverick Luongo – 1<sup>st</sup>
John Perrigo – 2<sup>nd</sup>
Nathan Corp – 2<sup>nd</sup>
Emily Swartz – 5<sup>th</sup>

#### All Aboard the Polar Express!!

By: Kylee Blood & Olivia Connell

Choo Choo! All aboard the Polar Express. Kindergarten just had their winter sing along and the theme was - you guessed it - Polar Express! Each class was split into 2 groups. Each group sang three songs; then at the end all the kindergarteners gathered to sing one final song.

#### 8th Grade D.C. Trip

By: Grace Rapolla



Our 8<sup>th</sup> graders were headed to our country's beautiful capital, Washington D.C. on January 5<sup>th.</sup> A total of 164 8<sup>th</sup> graders attended this year's D.C. trip, along with 10 staff members and 10 parent chaperones. They all couldn't wait for this amazing experience. This guided trip is taking the 8th graders to many fascinating places around D.C. They will be visiting many museums including the following: Spy Museum, American Indian Museum, National Archives, Smithsonian Museum of Natural History, US Holocaust Memorial Museum, Smithsonian Air and Space Museum, and The Smithsonian Museum of American History. Along with these museums they will visit many memorials such as the Lincoln Memorial, Thomas Jefferson, MLK, FDR, etc. The 8th graders will also get to tour the US Capital Building and have an opportunity to take a photo in front of the White House. They had tons of fun at Top Golf and are looking forward to an amazing night on a dinner cruise with a DJ. On their last day they are going visit Mt. Vernon where they're going to take a guided tour of George Washington's Mansion and enjoy a tram tour of the Arlington Cemetery. 8th graders are having a fun-filled and jampacked trip that they will never forget.

Before attending D.C. there was a ton of planning that went into the trip, to make it an amazing experience for all. A special thanks to Ms. Lutts, administration, and many more for planning this memorable and fun trip for our 8<sup>th</sup> graders!

#### **Staff Spotlight: Mrs. Swartz!**

By: Mia Dahana Ellis and Molly Cebulko

Mrs. Swartz is our Cafeteria Manager here at LPA! It's her first year working here at our school, however, she didn't start as a Cafeteria Manager. She has worked in St. Johns County



for six years, starting as a cook. She fell in love with working in the kitchen, and eventually bumped up to being the Cafeteria's Manager. Her days in the kitchen are usually very busy with meal prepping, baking, serving, and constant deliveries coming in. Her favorite thing about being our Cafeteria Manager is her amazing team and the students!

Of course, we had to ask about the food. Her favorite food is pizza, which is surprisingly the best-selling food amongst our students! Out of all the items on our menu, her favorite food to serve is fresh fruits and veggies. Fun fact, her busiest grade to serve is fourth and fifth grade. Mrs. Swartz loves serving delicious food to the students here at LPA, and we can't wait to see her serving us in the Cafeteria next year!

We asked Thea Pappas and Harper Cicero what their favorite part of the performance was? They both said the singing and dancing. Thea was excited to wear a special dress. Harper's favorite song was "Let's Build a Gingerbread House".

We also had some special guests! The Gingerbread man, Gingerbread girl and a Christmas tree. They came and took a bunch of pictures with kids and gave A LOT of high fives. They even had a dance party!





#### **History Reflection: Christmas**

By: Ava Smith

December is often the busiest time of year, with many winter holidays like Hanukkah, Kwanzaa, and Christmas Day. Christmas, on the 25<sup>th</sup> of December, is one of the world's most popular holidays. Christians recognize Christmas as the birth of Jesus Christ. It's been a federal holiday in the United States since 1870.

But how did it begin? Late December has been a time of celebration for many years, even before the arrival of Jesus. The Roman Empire celebrated the rebirth of the Unconquered Sun on December 25<sup>th</sup>, in the 3<sup>rd</sup> century, before they adopted Christianity. In Scandinavia, the Norse celebrated Yule from December 21<sup>st</sup> to January. These celebrations included dancing, drinking, feasting, games, songs, and sacrifices for the gods during the 12 days of celebration, welcoming the end of winter and beginning of a new year. Some present-day Christmas traditions include connections to the pagan Yule traditions, such as caroling, wreaths, gift-giving, and even putting up Christmas trees! Pagans would decorate their homes with tree branches during winter as a symbol that spring was arriving soon.

Now, families celebrate by putting stockings above the fireplace, ornaments on the tree, and cookies and milk out for Santa. No matter how you celebrate the holidays, it's a time to look back on the year's blessings and look forward to the new year. Merry Christmas!

#### **Teacher Spotlight: Ms. Gray**

By Charlotte Weger

Ms. Gray is an amazing 1<sup>st</sup> grade teacher here at LPA who grew up in Rome, Georgia with her parents as an only child. She went to college at Kennesaw State University and got her bachelor's in science as well as in early childhood education. Growing up she was a cheerleader and enjoyed going to school too.

Ms. Gray enjoys spending time with her family, going to the beach, and traveling with loved ones. Her dream vacation is going to Italy because it looks pretty, and she wants to try all the delicious food. Although, Ms. Gray has been out of the United States and some of her favorite vacations include taking place in Cost Rica, Mexico, and the Bahamas.

She also enjoys watching football; University of Georgia's football team is Ms. Grays favorite to watch. Also, Ms. Gray loves spending time with her husband who she has been married to for 11 years and her two wonderful kids; one is in 1<sup>st</sup> grade here at LPA and the other is two years old.

Ms. Gray was inspired to start teaching because she gets the chance to help students learn new things and to help them succeed, in and out of the classroom. Overall, Ms. Gray is super happy to celebrate Christmas and spread joy. Her wonderful smile, and good vibes help make LPA the amazing school it is today. We're so happy to have Ms. Gray as a part of the LPA team.

#### **Extended Day**



By Tinley Shaw and Lucy Crawford

In extended day, many groups are celebrating the holiday season with a bunch of fun activities such as crafts and games! In Ms. Julie's group her kids have made ornaments, played Christmas games for candy canes, and painted things they want for Christmas! The kids are even getting a free day to play outside and do whatever they'd like! Everyone's excited for winter break too - the teachers and kids alike!

Many kids are excited for presents and excited to hang out with friends and family! Some are even going on trips for the holidays. The holidays are meant to be shared with friends and family alike! So have a great winter break Wolves!

# NEWS FROM THE ARTS DEPARTMENT





#### **The Christmas Bus**

By Gianna DiBenedetto and Katie Bonday

Last month on December 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> LPA's Drama department had their performance of "The Christmas Bus". The performance was a hit, selling 306 tickets overall! Many of our school's staff went to see the show and loved it. Ms. Walton thought the performance was very cute and loved that it was a comedy. Her favorite part was the bus prop. She loved how the actors incorporated the movement of the bus with the comedy aspects of the show.

The cast and crew of the performance worked hard for many months and had lots of fun in the process. Quinn Earley, who played Thomas in "The Christmas Bus", had a lot fun learning how to perform a comedy. He enjoyed playing Thomas because he sees many similarities between himself and his character, loving and sarcastic at the same time. He loved hearing the audience laugh and enjoy the show after months of hard work.

#### Winter Art Corner

By: Molly Cebulko and Tinley Shaw

Mr. Wolfe has been entertaining our middle school art classes with creative and festive activities for Christmas! His 7th grade class is currently working on a superhero project, that captures the aspect of both one-point perspective and proportions of people. With the holidays coming up, Mr. Wolfe has planned a Christmas Pictionary for his students this coming Friday. To sum up this quarter, Mr. Wolfe taught his students about many basics of art such as elements of art, principles of design, levels of perspective, and proportions. After break, middle school will start their painting quarter, where they will learn all about painting and work on different projects!

Our Elementary students have been working hard on their fall projects this past quarter! However, Mrs. Scoggins has planned a Golden Doodle Day, where students can spend all the class having a free day where they can color, craft, draw, paint, and more! Mrs. Scoggins has a passion for art and loves her students, but her favorite thing she did with them this quarter was the Polar Express Winter Musical! Her Kindergarten students created a polar express train project, that was sent home with them the night of the musical they performed in. Shoutout to our Kindergarteners for their outstanding art and performance! When Mrs. Scoggin's students get back from break, they will start their spring and clay unit. They will work with shaping clay and creating projects to display in the Art Fair coming up in the Spring! Our Students at LPA are filled with creative minds, we can't wait to see what they can make after Winter Break!

#### **Cookies the Musical**

By Tinley Shaw and Katie Bonday



In the month of December, our first graders performed Cookies the Musical! In this fun musical story, the cookies learned to make new friends that are different from them and how to work together. Ms. Snyder and the first-grade teachers have been working hard for months on the show, preparing for the performance. Ms. Snyder said that she was very excited to see the kids' hard work take place on the stage in a such big production. Many kids and Ms. Snyder adored it and loved the song 'Who Wants a Cookie?' where some mischievous puppies were going crazy for cookies!

After months of hard work, it was worth it! Cookies was an adorable show, and many parents enjoyed it. The kids were beaming as they sang their songs on stage and had a jolly time. Overall, the performance was a hit, and everyone involved had a wonderful time!





#### **Band News**

By Olivia Connell

The band is looking good! Beginning band is learning how to read sheet music Concert and Jazz Band are getting better little by little and Symphonic and Jazz are working on their MPA music.

Jazz band performed at the Nights of Lights on the 5<sup>th</sup> of December. They performed for people who were standing in line for the trolly and for those who were just passing by. William Vrbensky had a very fun time playing for everyone. He loved seeing all the kids smile as they stood in line. One kid even asked him what instrument he played, which was a trumpet. His favorite song they played was "Feliz Navidad".

St. Johns County Honor Band has selected their performers and LPA had 9 band players selected. The honor band is very high-level band that 95 kids around the county got selected to play in. Congrats to the following. The band practices 3 times then have their performance on February 1<sup>st</sup> around 4:30.

Aditi Banakar Timothy Beard Callan Crandall Foster Hess Elizabeth Jones Maksim Krzeszewski Donavon Love Molly Tromba



Callen Crandall is one of the trumpet players who was selected, and he is stoked to be a part of the honor band. He was so pleased to hear his name was on the list when it was first being read. He is excited to meet new players and learn new things!

#### **Elementary Music and Moonlight Howlers!**

By Erienne Scales

Happy holidays LPA families! We hope you enjoyed our performances "Polar Express Singalong" by our kindergarteners, "Cookies the Musical" by our first graders, and "Jingle Bell Jukebox" by our Moonlight Howlers. In the spring, we have some equally exciting things coming up! The Moonlight Howlers will start preparing for their spring musical "Making the Band". Their performance will be on Thursday, May 1st, at 5PM.

We highly encourage all parents and relatives to come watch and support the LPA performances. The children and the staff work very hard to create these wonderful shows for people alike to enjoy. To check out our performing arts and upcoming shows, just look at the online calendar on the LPA website!









## Staff vs. Student Volleyball Game!

By Ava Rosey and Brooke Russell

The amazing 8<sup>th</sup> graders on our volleyball teams challenged the staff to a match on Wednesday, December 18th! Though the students won, some questionable refereeing said otherwise. Nina Simanic and Stella Alexander, our very own volleyball stars, turned against their teammates, giving the staff unnecessary points. Pre-game, most of the student body agreed that the students would win, and technically, they'd be right.

The gymnasium was on fire, the student section was bouncing off the walls in support. Although the game was most definitely in favor of the staff, both teams had fun playing against each other.

P.S. On behalf of the volleyball teams, we let them win.  $\odot$ 

#### **Student Player List**

- Ava Rosey
- Brooke Russell
- Dylen Schmidt
- Avery Martin
- Jacob Garzon
- Quinn Earley

#### **Staff Player List**

- Ms. Sullens Team Coach
- Mr. Spilling
- Ms. Campbell
- Mr. Raimondo
- Mr. Roach
- Ms. Lutts
- Ms. Ferraro
- Ms. Skende
- Ms. Kellv
- Ms. Maddie



# SPORTS NEWS!!!





#### **Girls Basketball**

By Thanisha Thavakalsha

Basketball season at LPA has started! This year's team includes Ariella Bostic, Alessandra Bobbitt, Lily Davies, Ayana Grubbs, Kinley Herring, Sloan Kennedy, Allie McFadzean, Brianna Motycka, Tessa Nguyen, Aliyah Sorensen, Molly Tromba, and Hayden Warren. Of these, Ariella, Hayden, Molly, Tessa, Sloan are returning players. Ms. Lutts is coaching the girls' basketball team. She said that practices are off to a great start!

Their first game will Tuesday, January 14th (Away Game) LPA @ PVA (Palm Valley Academy). The rest of their January games are Thursday, January 16th (Home Game) FCA (Freedom Crossing Academy) vs LPA, Tuesday, January 21st (Away Game) LPA @ VRA (Valley Ridge Academy), Thursday, January 23rd (Away Game) LPA @ POA (Patriots Oak Academy), Tuesday, January 28th (Away Game) LPA @ LA (Lakeside Academy), and Thursday, January 30th (Home Game) PVA (Palm Valley Academy) vs LPA. Go Wolves!



#### **Boys Basketball**

By Bradley Willman and Owen Reach

The Wolves are preparing for an amazing season this year. Coach Bre and Coach Jarvis coach the basketball team.

The Varsity team consists of Skender Bradley Willman, Jackson Daughtry, Miles Watson, Emerson Jones, Aiden Arjoon, Max Blasy, Presley Jones, Cruz Figueroa, Mason Powers, Braedan O'Neal, Hudson Wallace, Ryder Sebregandio, Brody Lynn.

The Junior Varsity team consists of Brantley Shepherd, Connor Riley, Cade Commarford, Brandon Tatterie, Connor Mcleod, Tyler Hall, Rudy Antolin, Patrick Spillane, Lucas Hall, Aj Messina.

See below for this month's schedule:

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
Jan 14	Palm Valley	Palm Valley	V @6:30 JV @4:30
Jan 16	Freedom Crossing	Liberty Pines	V @6:30
Jan 21	Valley Ridge	Valley Ridge	V @6:30 JV @4:30
Jan 23	Patriot Oaks	Patriot Oaks	V @6:30 JV @4:30
Jan 28	Lakeside	Lakeside	V @6:30
Jan 30	Palm Valley	Liberty Pines	V @6:30 JV @4:30

#### Congratulations to the following students who took and passed the Web Design Essential Certification Test in Computer Science Discovery in Mrs. Grubbs classes.

Bowler, Charles Brown, Griffin Chesney, Evan Curtiss, Blake Davis, Brady

DiBenedetto, Gianna

Dushad, Gul Garge, Sanika Gorman, Gabriella Johnson, Cooper Jones, Presley Kamireddy, Sreehas

Le, Thanh

Michel, Grayson Nowroozi, Caroline Pfalzer, Abigail Powers, Mason Rivera, Sean Rosey, Ava

Sandoval Munoz, Isabella

Terriault, Juliann Therrian, Layne Thiagarajan, Anya Watson, Miles Banapur, Ahan Behera, Saurav Blasy, Max

Boggarapu, Prathik

Colca, Lucas

Denmark, Adrian

Emrick, Madison

Fisher, Corbin

Friedman, Justin

Gomez, Jacob

Guerrero, Ethan

Hurt, Zion James, Cole Jones, Shane Karp, Sienna

Lagoutaris, George Mascovitz, Lela Mohammed, Naima Rajashekhar, Sahasra Saunders, Kevin Shepherd, Liam Singh, Aarya Singleton, Aaron Stephens, Adyson Thay, Jammy

Toledo, Laila
Topal, Kerem
Ventura, Julian
Williams, Dalton
Adkins, William
Allen, Aiden
Banakar, Aditi
Bonday, Katie
Bridges, Daniel
Fortini, Luca
Grubbs, Ayana
Konecny, Jack

Magarao Guimaraes, Luca

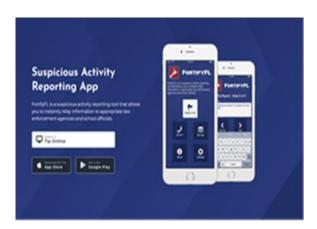
Mohammed, Zayan O'Neill, Braedan Prather, Caleb Russell, Brooke Shyzade, Sana Smith, Ava Sureda, Cade

LeNeave, Jason

Thavakalsha, Thanisha

Turner, Ariana Weger, Charlotte





Fortify FL FortifyFL is a suspicious activity reporting tool that allows students or parents to instantly relay information to appropriate law enforcement agencies and school officials. By accessing FortifyFL at <a href="https://getfortifyfl.com">https://getfortifyfl.com</a> or <a href="https://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/blog/fortifyfl-app/">https://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/blog/fortifyfl-app/</a>,

individuals can provide a description of the threat, share pics and videos and optionally submit their contact information. FortifyFL was created and funded by the 2018 Florida Legislature as part of the Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School Public Safety Act. The Office of Attorney General, Department of Education and Florida Department of Law Enforcement coordinated its development and rollout.

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Mochi Cafe Pediatric Associates **Primrose Schools** Taps Bar & Grill /South Kitchen + Spirits Scenthound St Johns Landmark Title V's Barbershop St. Augustine

