

February school-age newsletter 2016

Dear Parents,

We are "rockin" and "rolling" in 2016! The school-agers really enjoyed police officer Webb and his very detailed topic on strangers. He also addressed various other important topics such as not taking medicines without a parents or teachers permission or sharing any medicines with others. He discussed improper touching, never touching guns, touching of pets, carbon monoxide and bullying. Officer Webb or another Pinellas County deputy will come join us again in late March on the topic of "Internet safety."

February is "Dental Health mth.," "Black History Month," "Super Bowl" and "Valentines." Monday February 8th is the Chinese New Year, Year of the Monkey. Ms Leslie's and Ms Alisia's class are currently deciding whether to have a Valentines party or Super Bowl one. Within the next couple days after they make their decision a note will be posted on classroom #3 window. Ms Cloud's class will have two guest speakers visit for Black History. One will be my father the "first black police officer in Pinellas County."

Please take note of the following dates: Monday February 15th public school is closed. The fieldtrip is to Eagle Lake Park. We will leave at 10:45 a.m. and return approx. 1:30 p.m. Your child must bring a lunch and they may bring a toy, board game or stuffed animal. Please "no electronics" on this day. Thursday February 25th is our annual art show. It will be from 6:15 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. you may come browse anytime between that time frame. Your child's artwork will be displayed and may be purchased on a donation basis on this night. All of the Oakhurst Learning Centers staff will also have their personal artwork displayed to be bought on a donation basis. All the donations will go to the "Southeastern guide dogs" organization. If you are unable to attend that night your child's artwork will only be saved for three days after this event. All the children work hard on their artwork and love for you their parents to show interest in it. We look forward to seeing you on this night!!

Sincerely, Ms Cloud