



PIRATE TREASURES



MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear parents and families,

Spring is here! As warmer weather approaches, please be sure your student is in compliance with the dress code policy in the student handbook.

MAAP assessments will be given the week of May 2nd – 5th. It is very important for students to be present and on time every day as we prepare for these tests.

Any additional help you could give at home would certainly benefit your child.

Gavin Gill, Principal

KONA ICE FOR 3RD 9 WEEKS GOALS



April Events

April 6th

PUE 5th Grade Field Trip

April 7th – 10th

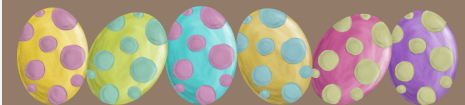
School Holidays

April 20th

4th 9 Weeks Progress
Reports Issued

April 21st

April Student of the Month
Celebration



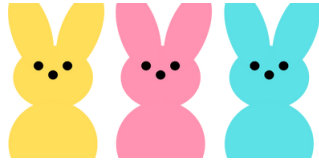
HAPPY
EASTER





LIBRARY

Mrs. Harrell



Our AR reward field trip is scheduled for the 9 students who earned 200 or more points this school year!

Please remind your student to take care of any books checked out of the Library and to keep up with his/her Library book. Fines for any lost Library books must be cleared before the end of school!



MUSIC

Mrs. Berger

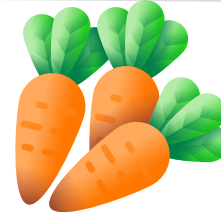
The final four songs have been chosen for our March Music Madness, and we will vote to determine the winner and runner-up after Easter break. It has been fun to read student opinions on the 32 songs chosen for the competition. Beat, rhythm, melody, and texture (instrumentation and accompaniment) are a few of the elements we have been discussing to determine which is the best song for PUE. The final four will be on Mrs. Berger's Google Classroom for students to enjoy (code: xm3opsj). During the month of April, fourth graders will concentrate on learning music for upcoming Honor Choir auditions and fifth graders will learn guitar basics throughout the month of April. Information about Honor Choir for the '23-'24 school year will be sent home at a later date.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Mrs. Edmondson



We have made it to the 4th quarter of our school year! April will be a very busy and active month in P.E., so lace up your tennis shoes and get ready! We will kick-start the month with some retesting on our Project Fit America equipment. This will show the progress we have made over the course of the year. I am hoping to see improvements in students' endurance, strength, balance, and coordination! We will end the month with some fun team-building games!



ART

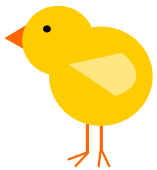
Ms. Creighton

We made it to the last 9 weeks of school! During April art classes, students will be learning about value by learning to mix tints and shades using paint. We will also be doing a lot of free drawing and creative projects during the month of April. As May approaches, we will begin to explore and create Spring and Summer art.

REMINDER: Don't forget to bring money during art class if you would like to shop at the pencil store. Please also remember to download the BoxTops app on your mobile device and scan your grocery receipts! This helps us earn money to continue to buy fun art supplies!

COMPUTER

Ms. Gray



During this last quarter of the school year, the students will build on their knowledge of loops, if/else statements, conditionals, reusable patterns, and the impacts of computing. The students will show their understanding and creativity by completing mini-projects and quizzes. In addition, the students will review Google Classroom and Slides and Canvas as well as other software. The students will continue to write essays, create books, and research information related to coding.

In preparation for MAAP testing, please remember to encourage your child to practice their typing lessons at home in addition to their allotted 20 minutes in the classroom and to use proper typing technique while practicing typing.



CONGRATULATIONS



March Teacher
Mrs. Kristi McMillan

4th Grade
March Students
of the Month



5th Grade
March Students
of the Month



A NOTE FROM THE NURSE

Nurse Brandi



A Note from the Nurse

Now that the weather is getting warmer,
I encourage you to:

Put the Controllers Away....
Get Outside and Play!

Here are some fun ideas for playing
outside:

- ***Walk, skate, or ride bikes (wear your protective gear).
- *** Draw with sidewalk chalk, play hopscotch, or jump rope.
- ***Play basketball, football, soccer, or baseball.
- *** Play kickball or dodgeball.
- ***Have a family fun day at the park.

While outside, remember to be sun safe
in these ways:

- ***Wear sunscreen and a hat when outdoors.
- *** Stay hydrated on warm days by drinking lots of water.
- ***Remember to wear your sunscreen and drink your water even if it is a little cloudy outside.

