

Cafeteria News

Gentle reminder that there is free breakfast and lunch available to **all students** throughout the remainder of this school year. No application or other paperwork is required. In addition, treats, chips or ice cream will cost extra.

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**National Sock Day & National Hat Day
because you can't take life too seriously!**



KES Spelling Bee Winners!!

Sammy Sebastian is our 2020 KES Spelling Bee winner!

Ethan Martin is our runner-up winner!

Great job to you both!
We are so proud of you!



As a gentle reminder, please send your child to school daily with a freshly washed mask and an extra one in their backpack.

Wednesday's Early Release Information
Effective 1/27/21 we will resume our early release time of 1:45 p.m.

**Welcome Sarah Edwards
to our KES Team!**



Mrs. Sarah Edwards has joined our 3rd grade team! Sarah started her education in St. Johns County Schools as a kindergartener back in the 80s and she's been going to school ever since! Her elementary teachers inspired her to become a teacher. She trained at the University of Florida where she earned her Masters and a specialization in Reading. She is in her 18th year of teaching and is thrilled to be "swimming" as a Ketterlinus Dolphin!

Important Dates at Ketterlinus

- 2/5 Spirit Day - Wear Your KES T-shirt
- 2/5 Report Cards Issued
- 2/10 Early Release - 1:45 p.m. Please note time change!
- 2/10 Spirit Day & Night at Uptown Swinery
- 2/10 100 Days of School
- 2/12 Spirit Day - Wear Your KES T-shirt
- 2/15 Presidents Day - No School
- 2/17 Early Release - 1:45 p.m.
- 2/19 Spirit Day - Wear Your KES T-shirt
- 2/23 SAC Meeting - 8:15 a.m.
- 2/24 Early Release - 1:45 p.m.
- 2/26 Spirit Day - Wear Your KES T-shirt
- 3/1 PTO Meeting - 7:55 a.m.
- 3/3 Wear Your Words T-shirt Day
- 3/3 Early Release - 1:45 p.m.
- 3/3 Interims Issued
- 3/5 Spirit Day - Wear Your KES T-shirt

PTO News



Blast Off With Reading

February 16- February 25

Get ready to...
Explore New Worlds
Discover New Characters
Support New School Projects

Details uploading soon!

Media News

The Battle of the Books team has been selected! Finn Dumas, Kaila Freeman, Ethan Martin, Miya Hacking, Rocket Hammond, Hazel Balaschak, and Caroline Larrabee. Great job to all who tried out. We cannot wait to compete at the district level in March. Wonderful job to all who worked hard to complete their AR goal! The 3rd quarter has now started, and you have 9 weeks to complete your new goal. I look forward to assisting you in finding new books to help you grow your flower.

Mrs. Hammond

Readers are Leaders!

Please remember to have your child read every night for 20 minutes.



What's Happening in the Cove

The Cove would like to congratulate our Gingerbread House winner, Lana Dominici! We would also like to send a very special thanks to Matt Sylvester and the Carrabba's family for their support assisting with the grand prize!!

Next month, be on the lookout for more cool projects from the Cove!



2020-2021 YEARBOOK

ORDER TODAY & SAVE



It's time to order your yearbook!
Order now and save!

Yearbooks are filled with school memories that are cherished for years to come. Order and payment can be made directly on the Leonard's website at <https://commpe.pictavo.com/>. Use code 93371 to find Ketterlinus and follow the steps to complete your order.

If you prefer to pay by cash or check, go to the Ketterlinus website <https://www.kes.stjohns.k12.fl.us/>. After placing your order, please send in cash (exact amount), or a check in the amount of the order, made payable to KES PTO. Order by February 14, 2021 for a discounted price of \$25.

Toys for Tots



A huge thank you to our KES families for your generosity! You helped to bring joy and hope to children who are less fortunate through Toys for Tots. Our local Toys for Tots distributed 12,363 toys to 3,213 children! Amazing!



Character Counts! Pillar of Respect

The following students were selected for the Respect Award for their classroom. Due to large gathering restrictions, our celebration will be taped and shared with the winners. Please extend a warm congratulations to the following students:

VPK- Sidhi P.

Kindergarten

Bowers- Aailyah T.

Gaudino- Maxwell I.

Gibson- Luke L.

Mercer- Kingston E.

1st Grade

Ball- Caden M.

DeFalco- Lucas R.

Golz- LT T.

Lavery-Liam N.

2nd Grade

Hilbert- Annabelle L.

Jett- Saraiya C.

Tagliarini- Sanay P.

3rd Grade

Hooks- Mikal D.

Mathews- Giana C.

Owens- June C.

Edwards- Baijanti P.

4th Grade

Shaffer- Anthony W.

Glinski- Sophia S.

Killin- Atticus H.

Smolek- Carly E.

Sturm/Rosario- Anna W.

5th Grade

Cumpton-Taylor M.

Edging- Lily U.

Wenglowsky- Mary H.

We had a fantastic, fun-filled week before winter break. Our Dolphins and staff did a wonderful job making this week full of cheer!



Student Health Screening Entry Form

Please assess your child daily for the following symptoms and answer the contact questions.

- A fever of 100.4 or higher or a sense of having a fever
- Chills
- Muscle aches
- Headache
- Sore throat
- New decrease in smell or taste
- Uncontrolled cough
- Shortness of breath
- Vomiting and/or diarrhea
- Is your child currently awaiting COVID-19 test results? **If yes, please keep your child home and notify the school nurse when test results received. Further instructions will be discussed at that time.**
- Does your child live in the same household with someone positive for COVID-19? **If yes, your child must quarantine for 14 days from the last date of contact with the positive individual. A negative test result does not reduce the quarantine requirement for the full 14-day incubation period.**
- Has your child had close contact with someone who in the past 14 days who tested positive for COVID19? **If yes, your child must quarantine for 14 days from the last date of contact with the positive individual. A negative test result does not reduce the quarantine requirement for the full 14-day incubation period.**