

# Bayshore Elementary Newsletter

School website: <u>bay.leeschools.net</u>

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Dear Families,

Please help your child stay focused on learning by checking their homework and asking questions about the books they are reading. Remember parents if you would like a conference, please contact your child's teacher. Interims will go home on Thursday, February  $9^{\text{th}}$ .

Spring Picture Day will take place on Tuesday, February 14th. Only those students who are purchasing pictures will have their pictures taken. Picture order forms will be coming home soon and will be posted on our website.

### **Bayshore Boasting**

Congratulations to Willow Mills our Do the Right Thing winner! She was honored at the Do the Right Thing ceremony on Thursday, January 19<sup>th</sup>. Way to go, Willow!

Congratulations to Mrs. Maxwell, who is a finalist for Golden Apple. Mrs. Maxwell will be participating in the next portion of Golden Apple by being observed in the classroom and interviewed by the judges. Good luck, Mrs. Maxwell!

Congratulations to Ms. Chase and Mrs. Murphey! Both scored very high in the selection process of Golden Apple and were named Teachers of Distinction. They will be honored at the Golden Apple Banquet in April.

## **Important Dates**

- Thursday, February 9<sup>th</sup> Interims Go Home
- Friday, February 10<sup>th</sup>
  Kids Heart Challenge
- Monday, February 13<sup>th</sup> SAC Meeting @ 6 p.m.
- Tuesday, February 14<sup>th</sup> Spring Picture Day
- Friday, February 17<sup>th</sup> Muffins with Moms @ 7 a.m. 8 a.m.
- Monday, February 20<sup>th</sup>
  Presidents' Day No School

#### **Busy Bees**

In addition to after school care, we also offer morning care from 6:30 a.m. -7:30 a.m. The morning program is \$20 a week. If you are interested, please contact the Busy Bee Director Heather Mathias after 2:30 p.m. at 543-3663.

#### Yearbook Ads

Would you like to place a special ad in the yearbook for your child? If you are interested in placing an ad in the school yearbook, please go to BuyTheYearbook.com (enter ID#708383) to design it. The prices are: Full Page=\$100, Half Page=\$50, Quarter Page=\$25. The deadline for ads is February 14<sup>th</sup>.

#### Kids Heart Challenge

All students have received their American Heart Association donation envelope. Parents please locate the envelope and help your child with the donation process. Please return all donations and print outs of online donations to Mrs. Menard by Wednesday, February 8th. Thank you in advance for helping with this worthy cause.

Florida State Statute 1012.42 recognizes that teachers at times must be assigned duties in a class outside the field in which the teacher is certified. The following teachers at Bayshore Elementary are engaged in training to add the endorsement, English to Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL), to their certificates: Katherine Gould and Carrie Stiglich.

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