



THE HARTLEY HAWKS HEADLINES

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FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK:

FARE WELL, FIFTH GRADE HAWKS!

It is exciting and bittersweet to say goodbye to our fifth grade students. Most of the children have been at Hartley since kindergarten and we've enjoyed seeing them grow and learn. We love all of our students' personalities and thank them for the gifts they've shared with us during their years at Hartley. Whether they attend Gamble, Murray or another school next year, our Hartley alums will always be welcome home at Hartley. Good luck, fifth graders!

SJCSD CHARACTER CUP

The Character Cup is a student-centered event highlighting physical education, academics and character education through athletic competition. Each elementary school is allowed to send eleven students who exemplify good character, academics and athleticism to this district event for our 23 elementary schools. This year's Character Cup took place on April 24 and our Hartley Elementary representatives were: **Mackenzie Beltran, Rylan DeGrande, Cole Harris, Elena Manaute-Barry, Kadyn Miller, Connor Prescott, Matteo Rubino, Juliet Russell, Kyle Sikes, Maya Sisk, and Kalea Taylor.**



Our Hartley team represented Hartley Elementary well!

Congratulations, in particular, to:

Connor Prescott – 3rd **Place**, Golf Chipping contest

Rylan DeGrande - 2nd **Place**, Golf Long-Drive contest

Matteo Rubino - - 1st **Place**, 100 yard Dash

MAY 6-10 IS FACULTY AND STAFF APPRECIATION WEEK

Having led schools for many years, I have a special appreciation for the dedication that teachers and non-instructional staff have for the children in their care. At Hartley, I am fortunate to work with the finest faculty in St. Johns County. The caring and commitment our teachers and staff have for our students is unmatched in my long experience in schools.

Excellent schools are the result of excellent teachers. Hartley is an “A” rated school because our teachers have a true sense of mission about introducing children to the “world of possibility” and preparing them to take their places as well-educated, well-adjusted members of the community.

Please take a few minutes this week to recognize Hartley’s faculty for their work in helping your children grow as learners. We wish the very best to Mrs. Connor and Mr. Barnett, who will be retiring at the end of the month and to Mrs. Davis and Mrs. Santana, who are beginning new adventures!

Thank you, parents, for participating in the life of our special school and especially in the important work of the PTO. We are all fortunate to be Hartley Hawks!

FOOD THAT’S IN WHEN SCHOOL IS OUT!

Students 18 years of age or younger may receive free, nutritious meals at **Pedro Menendez High school (June 3rd-July 18th)** or **Otis Mason Elementary (June 10th- July 12th)** or the **Solomon Calhoun Center (June 3rd-July 19th)**.

Please dial 211 (number will be active on May 15th) to inquire about the serving times or any additional locations.

MAY IS THE MONTH OF ASSESSMENTS

The annual Florida Standards Assessment for our students in 3rd, 4th, and 5th grades continue starting May 2 for Reading(Grade 4 & 5 only) , Math (Grades 3, 4, & 5) and Science (5th grade only). These assessments are paper/pencil this year. See the calendar on page 4 for all the days of testing.

Hartley students are well prepared to be successful on these assessments. Please help your 3rd, 4th, and 5th graders by making sure they are well rested, well hydrated, and have a good breakfast on the mornings that they are testing. Assure them that they will do well and that they should take their time to “show what they know!”

In addition, all students in grades Kindergarten through Third grades will be taking their final iReady assessments in Reading and Math during the first weeks of May. These assessments allow students, teachers, and parents to see the growth that students have made from the beginning of the year. These tests are taken on computer.



JUST THE FACTS!

Congratulations to second graders: **Zoey Villavisanis, Lily Phillips, Ashley Szabados, and Sapphire Kodai** for mastering all their Addition Facts! We now have 30 second graders who are part of Mrs. Baker's +/- Club. Mrs. Baker is hoping that every second grader will qualify for this honor before the end of the school year!

In Subtraction, our number of experts has grown by one new student. Added to our still exclusive club in April: **Isaiah Holden**. Congratulations!

3RD GRADE "MULTIPLICATION MASTERS" CONTINUE TO MULTIPLY

Third graders who demonstrate a mastery of multiplication facts have the opportunity to earn "Multiplication Master" status. Congratulations to **Razanne Aide, Anna Curtin, Finnley Danlovich, Jewel Eggleston, Faith Gedris, Kylan Hunter, Henry Joseph, Aaliyah Pearson, Corbin Yarbrough, and Benny Walker**, who recently became members of the Multiplication Masters Club by demonstrating an excellent grasp of the facts during a verbal assessment. Each of the students received special pencils, an ice cream treat, recognition on the "Multiplication Masters" bulletin board and a mention in the school newsletter. I am happy to report that 38 students have earned membership to the Multiplication Masters Club so far. We are hopeful that all third graders will be multiplication masters by the end of the school year!

CONGRATULATIONS TO APRIL CHARACTER COUNTS HONOREES!

We are very proud of these students, who were chosen by their teachers and classmates as exemplars of the character pillar, Trustworthiness, during the month of April.

Kindergarten

Benjamin Hunsicker
Khloe Lopez
Oakley Skipper
Lilah Stewart
Jack Wyland

First Grade

Olivia Long
Ansleigh Pena
Zayden Porter
Kaya Taylor
Antonio Vargas

Second Grade

Easton Calhou
Derek Harris
Trevor Johnston
Maya Keen
Nehemiah Nodal
Connor Pritchard

Third Grade

Kyeli Cook
Emory Dodd
Connor Heise
Ellie Hunsicker
Khloe Jackson
Arianna Mill

Fourth Grade

Fischer Baggett
Jasper Bremer
Gabby Handley
Alexander King
Alanna Nevius
Gracie Radford

Fifth Grade

Kayla Gallegos
Logan Martin
Drew Medearis
Dylan Rogers
Matteo Rubino
Ace Wolfe



UPCOMING EVENTS

Thursday, May 2	FSA Reading – Grades 4 & 5
Friday, May 3	FSA Reading – Grades 4 & 5 (session 2)
May 6 – 10	Staff Appreciation Week
Monday, May 6	Nurses Day
Monday, May 6	FSA Math – Grades 3, 4, & 5
Tuesday, May 7	FSA Math – Grades 3, 4, & 5 (session 2)
Tuesday, May 7	SAC Meeting at Southeast Branch Library @ 3:15 pm. Everyone is invited.
Thursday, May 9	FSA Science – Grade 5 only
Friday, May 10	FSA Science – Grade 5 only (session 2)
Friday, May 10	All Library Books due back to the Media Center
Monday, May 13	Yearbooks on sale daily in the front lobby from 8 – 8:30 am, while supplies last.
Tuesday, May 14	School Supporter Appreciation Luncheon in the Multipurpose Room
Thursday, May 16	5 th grade trip to Wild Adventures
Thursday, May 16	2 nd grade trip to Anastasia Bowling
Friday, May 24	5 th grade Promotion Ceremony at 9:00 a.m.
Friday, May 24	Last day of school: Early release at 1:50. Report Cards Issued.

RESERVE YOUR YEARBOOK NOW!

There is still time to order your Hartley yearbook for \$15. Please order online at www.leonards.com/yearbooks Access Code: C451975. Online orders will be accepted **until May 10**. Don't miss the chance to order this year's memory book while yearbooks last!

Remaining yearbooks will be sold by the PTO in the school lobby before school beginning Monday, May 13, while supplies last.



EXTENDED DAY

HARTLEY EXTENDED DAY PROGRAM REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN TO SCHOOL FAMILIES!

I am pleased to invite your family to consider the W.D. Hartley Extended Day Program for the coming school year. Our school-based extended program will offer care to students from 6:30-8 a.m. before school and from 2:45-6 p.m. after school during the 180-day school calendar year, beginning August 12, 2019 and ending May 27, 2020. (Wednesday Early Dismissal: 1:45-6 p.m.)

As valued members of the school community you know that it is Hartley's goal to provide all students with a high-quality learning experience that develops their social and academic potential. Similarly, the goal of the Hartley extended day program is to offer students a well-supervised, enjoyable enrichment experience in a safe and familiar setting where they feel "at home".

In Hartley's extended day program, students will have daily opportunities for physical exercise, enrichment activities, interactive technology and homework completion. Supervision will be provided by Hartley faculty and staff members.

Working parents require affordable care for their children. Hartley's extended day program offers you an affordable option that is both safe and enjoyable for children and convenient for you.

Registration for the fall is open now! To reserve a space for your student, please submit the attached registration form and the non-refundable \$50 registration fee before May 31. Full payment for the month of August must be made before July 1, 2019. We offer reduced rates to families who qualify for free and reduced lunch. A copy of your approval letter from SJCS D must be presented at the time of registration. All St. Johns County School District employees are offered discounted fees.

Please read the attached *Welcome to Hartley's Extended Day, Registration Form Extended Day Payment* for additional information. Please feel free to call Hartley's bookkeeper, Joyce Ward with any questions you may have.

I look forward to your child participating in Hartley's Extended Day Program in the coming school year!

Dr. Paul Goricki

Welcome to Hartley Extended Day

2019—2020 Fees

Monthly— 3 or more days per week

After care

One Child \$260 Second \$130

Before Care

One Child \$160 Second \$80

Before and After

One Child \$320 Second \$160

Part-time — no discount—must have designated days

Morning \$10 per day After care \$20 per day

Annual
Registration Fee
\$50 per child/ \$75
after May 31, 2019
(non-refundable)



Accounts are invoiced according to your request at the time of registration and you are responsible for all fees whether your child attends or does not attend. Payments are the sole source of funding for the program and the staffing of the program. If you have a requested change in enrollment mid-month, the billing will be updated the following month billing cycle and will not be pro-rate for a credit.

Payments are due on the 15th of every month. If the 15th falls on a weekend or holiday, payment will be received on the business day before the 15th. A \$30 late fee will be applied on the 16th of every month. Payments not received by next billing cycle will result in the removal of the program.

Our preferred method of payment is online SchoolPay. Visit Hartley's website for SchoolPay link to set up an online payment account. Cash payment can be made directly in the front office. We cannot be responsible for cash sent to school in your child's folder. All checks returned unpaid by your bank will be turned over to collections. Two returned checks on any one account will result in mandatory cash or money order payments for all subsequent fees due.

We offer reduced rates to families who qualify for free and reduced lunch. A copy of your approval letter from SJCSO must be given at the time of registration and updated the following school year. St. Johns County School District employees are offered a discount upon request.

Joyce Ward joyce.wardstjohns.k12.fl.us



**Put your child's name and phone number
on the memo section of your check.**

WD Hartley Extended Day Program | 2019-2020*

Registration Form

<input type="checkbox"/> Before Care	\$160/mo.	
<input type="checkbox"/> After Care	\$260/mo.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Before and After	\$320/mo.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Daily	\$30	M T W TH F Enter Day Enter

Annual Non-refundable
Registration Fee
\$50 before May 31, 2019
\$75 after May 31, 2019

I qualify for:

- Free/Reduce Lunch SJCS D Employee – (location) _____
(Must provide yearly documentation for Free and Reduce Rate by Sept. 1)

Child's name: _____
Last First

Male Female Birthdate _____ Grade 2019-2020 _____

Sibling's name: _____
Last First

Male Female Birthdate _____ Grade 2019-2020 _____

RESPONSIBLE PARTY FOR PAYMENT:

NAME: _____ Email: _____

Mother's name: _____
Last First

Father's name: _____
Last First

Primary Resident Address: _____

I have received a copy and understand the rules and payment schedule for
WD Hartley Elementary School Extended Day Program 2019-2020.

Signature

Form and Registration Fee must be paid to be Registered

*Pending School Board Approval

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