



Suwannee Intermediate School

JANUARY NEWSLETTER

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Principal's Message:



I hope the holiday season was great for you and your family and that it was filled with lots of love and laughter. I had a joyous time with family and friends but I am most thankful for the opportunity to enjoy the New Year 2018. The faculty and staff here at Suwannee Intermediate were excited to return and receive broad smiles and high fives from our students. I am blessed to have such a wonderful faculty and students who work hard to be successful academically.

Thank you for your continued support because working together makes the difference. As a reminder, students should have a weekly academic plan in their agenda the start of each week, prefix/suffix and multiplication facts homework four days of the week, and you should also receive a text message from their teacher prior to any quiz or test being given. If needed, I can be reached at work by calling 647-4700 or 386-590-1176 (cell number).

"New Year, New Opportunity and New Commitment"

Important Dates

01/12/2018	2 nd Quarter Report Cards
01/15/2018	Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday
01/18/2018	2 nd Quarter Perfect Attendance-Popcorn
01/19/2018	Honor Roll Recognition 5 th gr. 8:30 a.m. Honor Roll Recognition 4 th gr. 9:30 a.m. PAWS Reward 4 th gr. 12:30 p.m. PAWS Reward 5 th gr. 1:30 p.m.
01/22 - 01/26	Celebrate Literacy Week
01/25/2018	Dance 3:00-4:00
01/29/2018	PLC Day/No school
01/30 - 01/31	Write Score
02/01/2018	SGA Candy Gram Fundraiser SAC & APT Meeting 5:30 p.m.
02/02/2018	i-Ready Tug-of-War Contest
02/08/2018	Chorus Concert (Michael Jackson Tribute) 6:00

SCHOOL YEARBOOK

We are very excited to offer our 100% color yearbook for the price of \$20.00 each. We are ordering less copies this year, so if you have not ordered your child's yearbook, please do so immediately.

The deadline for purchasing yearbook ads for the 2017-2018 school yearbook is fast approaching. Ads for the yearbook must be purchased by March 30, 2018. The prices are as follows:

Business card	-	\$20.00
(1/4) page	-	\$35.00
(1/2) page	-	\$70.00
Full page	-	\$140.00

Please enclose or attach camera-ready artwork for ad purchased. Yearbooks will arrive sometime in May. Order and reserve your copy today. Please make all checks payable to Suwannee Intermediate School.



SIS Spelling Bee Champion

Congratulations to Primaya Johnson for winning the Spelling Bee. Thirty-six fifth grade students advanced from the final preliminary round to participate in this year's Spelling Bee. After 120 words, Primaya correctly spelled the word, "commendable" and won the Spelling Bee title. Zackery Moses was the runner up. Primaya will represent SIS in the District Spelling Bee next Friday, January 19, 2018.



COACHES CORNER

At this time, we have several jackets, sweatshirts, and coats without an owner. If your son or daughter is missing an item, please have them check the "Lost and Found." Thank you!

From our NURSE:



Update on Rashes

Rashes can be caused by viruses, bacteria, medications, heat, allergies, and other things. They are usually only a minor annoyance, but they can also be serious.

Signs and Symptoms:

Redness, spots on the skin, scaly skin, itchiness, bumps, blisters or pimples

What to Do:

- Pat the skin dry instead of rubbing after a bath or shower.
- Avoid scrubbing or scratching the affected area.
- Leave the rash exposed to the air as much as possible.

Seek Medical Care If:

- The child also has a fever.
- There are bruises not related to injuries.
- There is no improvement after a week.

THINK PREVENTION! Most rashes are difficult to avoid, however some can be prevented.

Avoid people with contagious skin rashes.
Use sunscreen to avoid rashes from sunburn.
Avoid harsh soaps.
Avoid substance that cause allergic reactions.

Student Government Information



SGA Candy Gram Fundraiser begins February 1st



SIS Celebrate Literacy Week
January 22-26, 2018

Theme: "Find Yourself in a Book"

SIS Activities

Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri
Door Contest	Walking Word Wall	Bookmark Contest	Find the Books Contest	Book Character Dress-up
Shelfie Contest	Guest Readers	Guest Readers	Guest Readers	Prizes for Contest Winners

Looking Ahead...



This year's Dodgeball Tournament is scheduled for Thursday, March 22, 2018. Each class will need businesses or individuals to sponsor them. Sponsorships cost \$100. More information will be provided soon. For additional questions, email Jennifer Stevens.

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MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

END OF THE YEAR CLASS FIELD TRIPS

4th grade- Sea World Orlando, Friday, May 4, 2018

5th grade- Busch Gardens, Tampa, Friday, May 11, 2018

More information coming soon 😊