

Cypress Elementary Community Tracks

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Cypress Elementary School is a learning partnership dedicated to encouraging high achievement and lifelong learners.

Cypress Fundraising

Throughout the year, Cypress raises funds for school needs. Each Fundraiser is dedicated for a specific item/team. We are pleased to give an update on our fundraising efforts for quarters 1 & 2!

Adopt A Class: 15 classes have been adopted for a total of \$1700

Yankee Candle Fundraiser: \$4738 for Technology

Spirit Nights: \$667 (each Spirit Night goes to a different grade level)

Astro Skate: \$1034 for PBIS and school needs

As we continue through quarters 3 & 4, we look to our Boosterthon as the big fundraiser of the year, with all proceeds marked for new technology. We will also have monthly spirit nights, and 2 more Astro Skate Nights.

Cypress PTO

Thank you to all the volunteers who came out to our Winter Wonderland shop! Our next PTO meeting will be held on January 25th at 4:15 in the media center.

Business and Community Partners

Phillips Korean Martial Arts, VALIC, Beef 'O' Brady's, Culvers, Riverwalk Publix, Mamma Mia Pizzeria, ASTRO Skate, McDonald's, Mathnasium, and Zaxby's. These local businesses provide valuable donations of financial resources, volunteer time, and

goods/services. We encourage our families to thank our Business Partners for being a valuable stakeholder in the community.

We would like to thank Community Partners for supporting Cypress with their generous donations: Christo's Restaurant, Mamma Mia Pizzeria, and Burger King. We also thank the Daughters of Penelope, Black Water Jeeps and the Cub Families making our Giving Tree possible.

Cypress Volunteers

We are looking for volunteers able to come in and help with the School Store on Thursdays. It is open first thing in the morning (9:50-10:20AM) and at the very end of the day (3:00-3:30PM). This would be very convenient if your child was a car rider! We can really use the help! Our students love spending the Cub Tickets they have earned for being safe, responsible and respectful!

If you are interested in becoming an approved Volunteer please complete an on-line application (our school webpage has a convenient link) and call the school office. If you are still waiting for your application to be approved, please call/email Debbie Burd so your application can be processed.

The District School Board of Pasco County is looking for Guest Teachers and Non-Instructional Substitutes!






If you may be interested, please call for more information!

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January Character Trait

Teamwork:

- Cooperation to achieve a goal/purpose
- Most jobs involve teamwork at some point
- Do YOUR job
- Make sure all team members contribute
- Effective teamwork
- Everyone has a job and does it
- See the benefits
- Ex. Sports teams
- Know what's expected of you AND others

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 No School Winter Break	2 No School Winter Break	3 No School Winter Break	4 No School Winter Break	5
6	7 No School Teacher Planning Day 	8 Chimes 8:40AM Art Club 8:40AM	9 Robotics 9AM	10 Chorus 8:40AM	11	12
13	14 Percussion 8:40AM	15 Chimes 8:40AM Art Club 8:40AM PTO Meeting 4:15PM Beef's Night 5-8PM 	16 Robotics 9AM Report Cards Available	17 Chorus 8:40AM	18	18
20	21 No School MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. Day 	22 Chimes 8:40AM Art Club 8:40AM Class Pictures  SAC Meeting 4:15PM	23 Robotics 9AM	24 Chorus 8:40AM	25 100 th Day Parade	26
27	28 Percussion 8:40AM	29 Chimes 8:40AM Art Club 8:40AM	30 Robotics 9AM	31 Chorus 8:40AM Culver's Night 5-8PM 		

Upcoming Events



- PTO Meeting February 5th 4:15PM
- ASTRO Skate Night February 7th from 3:45-7:15PM
- No School February 18th
- Sonny's BBQ Spirit Day February 21st
- SAC Meeting February 26th 4:15-5:00PM

We would like to know what you think!

Staff Shout-out? School-related Comments? We would love to hear from you!

Adopt-A-Class

Thank you to the following for participating in our Adopt-A-Class program! These funds go directly to the teacher for supplies and materials. If you are interested in adopting a teacher, please reach out to our front office.

- Phylis Forrest adopted Mrs. Bayless' Class
- Forrest Excavating adopted Mrs. Bayless' Class
- The Laman Family adopted Mrs. Taylor's Class
- The Marotta Family adopted Mrs. Livingston/Ms. Rawlings
- The Van Nort Family adopted Ms. Bevan's Class
- Carol Seaman adopted Mrs. Bonacasa's Class
- ASTRO Skate adopted The 3rd Grade Team
- The Laman Family adopted Mr. Grey's Class
- Forensic Technologies adopted Mrs. Sowash's Class
- Innerflow Lawn Sprinklers, Inc adopted Mrs. Lee's Class
- The Sjowall Family adopted Mrs. Poll's Class

For a complete listing of our classroom adoptions, please visit our Cypress Webpage.

