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Literacy Week at ACSW

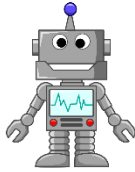
by Amber Fiallo and Sofia Alvarez

On January 22nd we kicked off Literacy Week with Mystery Monday. All the teachers came to school dressed in their favorite book character outfit. Tuesday, we took a pledge to show our commitment to reading. Wednesday, was our "Hunt for A Good Book Day" while dressed in camouflage. The students also participated in a book exchange with their friends. Thursday, students wore a cap and participated in the Literacy Walk. Everyone had fun walking around the field with their teachers and listening to music. We raised a lot of money to help our Literacy program. Friday was the final day of Literacy Week, and what better way to celebrate than at Barnes and Noble for our "We Love Books" event! Overall, we had a fun week, and can't wait to do it again next year!



Robotics

by Alexandra Novoa and Emily Lopez



On January 27th, 2018, our Robotics team attended the Vex Robotics competition. All our teams placed in the top 10 out of 32 other competing elementary schools. Team A won 1st place and qualified for Worlds. Team B placed 3rd and won the Builder's Award. Team C placed 7th, and Team D placed 8th overall. We are very proud of our Tigers and can't wait to cheer them on at the next competition.



National School Choice Week

by Angelica Perez and Isabella Gonzalez



On January 22nd ACSW kicked off National School Choice Week with a bang! Students were greeted at the door by our very own DJ CP also known as Mr. Marquez. The celebration began with a dance party in the front of our school. "I was so excited to dance," said Yamil Risi. On Tuesday we showed our love for ACSW by taking an aerial picture that spelled out "We Love ACSW." The best day was Friday also known as "Tiger Pride Day". We got to show how proud we are of being an ACSW Tiger. A fourth grader Karina Cruz said, "My favorite part was when we all got to dress up in my favorite colors." We are always proud to be and ACSW Tiger, and on this week, we showed it!



Teacher of the Month

by Isabella Graña and Camila Melendez

Congratulations to our January Teacher of the Month Mrs. V. Nunez. She was awarded teacher of the month because of her hard work and dedication to her job. She graduated in 2009 from FIU, and this year she decided to begin working on her master's degree. She has been teaching for over eight years, and most of them have been at AcadeMir. Mrs. Nunez says, "My favorite part of teaching is seeing the student's growth from the beginning of the school year until the end." We are very excited for her and congratulate her once again.





Our final event of Literacy Week was the “We Love Books” Family Night at Barnes and Noble. The night began with a spectacular performance from our ACSW Cheerleaders. Ms. Bernal also announced the winners of the Literacy Walk fundraiser, and the students that had the most school spirit on Tiger Spirit Day. Next, Ms. Gonzalez read everyone a children’s book. After, students got to visit each table where our ELA teachers highlighted a famous author. The students participated in fun activities and games. Barnes and Noble Family Night was a fantastic way to end an eventful Literacy Week at ACSW.

Martin Luther King Jr.

by Jessica Souss and Karina Cruz

Martin Luther King Jr. day is not just a three-day weekend. This is a day we celebrate the life and achievements of an honorable man. Martin Luther King Jr. was a Baptist Minister and a Social Activist. He led the Civil Rights movement in the United States from the mid-1950’s until he was assassinated in 1968. His protest, speeches, and marches helped end segregation. He was an important American hero with a dream!



Please visit our GoFundMe page to learn more about how you can help Mr. Granada in his time of need.

<https://www.gofundme.com/acswgivesback>

Value of the Month

Kindness

Being sympathetic, helpful, compassionate, benevolent, agreeable, and gentle toward people and other living things.



Dream in Green

FEBRUARY IS GREEN LIVING

1. What is green living?
2. How can you live a green life?

VISIT OUR DREAM IN GREEN BULLETIN BOARD BY THE COMPUTER LAB TO POST YOUR ANSWERS

February Events

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

- February 1st- FIU Basketball Game Family Night at 7pm.
- February 1st- Kinder – 5th Valentine’s Dance Tickets go on sale for \$2 (Deadline to purchase is Tuesday, February 13th)
- February 2nd- Take Your Child To Work Day for 2nd – 5th Grade only. (Field Trip Forms must be turned in for the absence to be excused)
- February 6th- ACSW 7th Annual Spelling Bee Competition
- February 6th – 4th & 5th Grade FSA Informational Meeting at 6pm
- February 7th – Popsicle Sale for \$1
- February 8th – 3rd Grade FSA Informational Meeting at 6 pm
- February 12th – Kinder – 2nd 100th Day of School Celebration!
- February 14th – Kinder- 5th Valentine’s Dance. Wear Pink or Red shirt with Jeans for \$1
- February 19th – President’s Day- No School
- February 21st – Pizza Sale for \$1
- February 23rd – Disney’s Family Movie Night at 7pm
- February 24th – Miami Heat Court of Dreams Family Night
- February 28th – Science Fair Night at 6:30pm

February Birthday Corner

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| Victoria Guzman- 22 | Christopher Rodriguez- 5 | Kassandra Hernandez- 13 |
| Melanie Torres- 22 | Sophia Jimenez- 3 | Alexander Mirabal- 12 |
| Liam Lozano- 16 | Michael Aparicio- 28 | Sophia Izquierdo- 10 |
| Hayley Llanos- 15 | Jacob Blanco- 26 | Mia Rivera- 10 |
| Michael Mendez- 15 | Alejandro Fernandez- 25 | Malakai Morris- 25 |
| Mia Velasquez- 15 | Lily Berardinelli- 20 | Sebastian Grisales- 22 |
| Alejandra Avila- 13 | Mariana Galich- 18 | Isabella Graña- 20 |
| Ainhoa Llavata- 1 | Anthony Pellim- 17 | Lexi Sanchez- 16 |
| Mia-Valentina Cruz- 24 | Adriel Correa- 13 | Ethan Torres- 16 |
| Leah Sanchez- 18 | Esteban Delanuez- 12 | Thomas Jimenez- 5 |
| Luis Escoto- 14 | Kyley Sanchez- 12 | Alexa Lopez- 22 |
| Matthew Canete- 11 | Hayley Sanchez- 12 | Sofia Aldao- 20 |
| Michael Lopez- 10 | Samantha Dobao- 4 | Kevin Ramirez- 16 |
| Aidan Villalba- 10 | Xavier Martinez- 2 | Dominick Hernandez- 15 |
| Nathalie Ravelo- 9 | Sophia Perez- 28 | Gabriella Casasu- 14 |
| Raphael Canteras- 8 | Jake Llanos- 24 | Zury Cortes- 6 |
| Giselle Caraballe- 5 | Sophia Berardinelli- 23 | Noah Hidalgo- 1 |
| | Samantha Viera- 14 | |

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February STEM Riddles

1. Which is heavier, a pound of bricks or a pound of feathers?
2. What is the center of gravity?

Submit your answers to Mrs. Nufiez in room 19 by Friday, February 23rd