Naukati School March 2021 Board Report scribed by Laura Anania

On February 1, the students of Naukati School started to participate in a "Read for your Heart" local activity where all students and staff were encouraged to read, read, read. Once completed with a book at their level, they got a small heart to place on their locker that held the title and author. Students and staff were given large hearts to showcase books they want to suggest to others to read. Besides the author and title, the larger hearts needed a small summary of the book and who in the school may want to read it. We had over 80 books read.

The Naukati Archers shot a tournament on February 13th in Thorne Bay. We were all looking forward to seeing a few extra faces but alas, when we got there, all other archers were gone. This absence of others did not deter the Naukati archers for long. All of them did a wonderful job shooting in "an away" team environment. State Archery competition is drawing closer and all of the archers are doing marvelous.

A big THANK YOU to Julia Trishman for sending out a notice about the Mars Rover *Perseverance* landing on February 18! The Naukati Students were all ears and giddy with excitement once the countdown began. The students talked about it all day. They were amazed to be part of yet another historic moment for NASA.



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For Read Across America Day (March 2nd), the students logged how many minutes they each read during their "Drop Everything and Read" times. We had students soaking up minutes left and right, wanting to read extra books and also reading during recess. Forget basketball, this early Spring is turning into 'reading madness'.

March 5th marked a special day on our calendar as our Family Liaison sponsored a Dr. Seuss/Iditarod themed Family Fun Event. Families of the school came and played Jeopardy, solved riddles, completed Seuss inspired Madlibs and decorated their own coffee mugs. It was a great day of fun and literacy.



We want to thank John and James Stevens for coming out to Naukati and giving us some great archery training tips. Since the weather is slowly improving, we are looking forward excited to get Marksmanship up and going again and host a competition. We are patiently waiting for more information on this amazing opportunity. Thank you, gentleman, for supporting the students and helping where needed.

Welcome to March Naukati School Staff