



“Be a Part of the Pride!!”

January Panther Prowl

“Birthday Corner”

Mr. Bauer- February 9th
Ericka Crawford- February 14th
Erica LaMarche- February 14th

PREP/EC=61 Kindergarten= 73 Grade 1= 84 Grade 2= 77

Current Enrollment= 295 (down 1)

Good Things

- MAP testing results: data being reviewed with staff.
- CKH

The December Dilly Bar classroom attendance award went to Mrs. Morrell’s grade 2 class with a 96.82% attendance rate!!! Our building wide attendance was at 93.03%. Specific grade level percentages: Kindergarten- 89.48%, Grade 1 with 94.23%, and Grade 2 with 95.40%. Congratulations to all these students and their commitment to good attendance during the month. We were happy to have them healthy and ready to learn and have great hopes for an even healthier February!

The weekly Panther Paw winners from the - Be a Part of the Pride drawings winners were: Lukas Roach, Korbyn Frailey, Easton Sisk, Ava Hurlburt, Dean Davis, Callie Crawford, Raven Ford, Arjan Tipsword, Camille Woods, Zoey Mendenhall, Abigail Hopkins, Bayden Beck, Xandr Shook, Gracelynn Olmstead, Raenna Haines, TeZon Spates, Rudledge Beyers, Wyatt Lash, Dreyson Massey, Dawson Taylor, Artez Spates. Chloe Daniels, Adriana Moore, Jack Jones, Summer Snow, Nate Ewing, Quentin Hopkins, Saban Horton, Emma Jones, Connor Goodman, Aaron Dille, Sofia Depcik, Peyton Mitchell, Layne Price Charlie Schmitz, Zayden Lyons, Ryker Clardy, Billy Brandt, Harleigh Forrest, Saban Horton, Tay Reatherford, Braylon Schmitz, Brayden Malone, Zavrie Breedlove, Knox Denton, Andrew Gruber, Paris Kay and Diem Schmitz. In recognition of their positive behaviors, each student was awarded a book during the weekly award announcements and these students are invited to be part of the “Front Row Club” during the Kindness Kounts/ Character Education assembly. Congratulations to all of these students and thanks for being examples of good behavior in action!!

We will be celebrating the Respect winners at an assembly on January 26th. Respect means treating others like you would want to be treated. Showing respect means you act with thoughtfulness towards yourself and others, you are courteous and polite, you do not interrupt others when they are talking, and you listen carefully. Respectful people use an appropriate tone of voice and appropriate facial expressions. Respectful people also value other people's opinion and accept people the way they are.... Even when they are different from you.

When we returned to school in January, we began with classroom "bootcamps" to help remind students of expected behaviors in the various settings around the school. Teachers each did a classroom review of their Social Contracts and made revisions that they felt like they needed to focus on. A review of these expectations are done periodically, and are good reminders to help students make positive choices.

During the week of January 8th, we did our Winter MAP testing. Students and staff were patient and worked very hard to do their best on this testing. We are very proud of how our students have grasped the testing format and taken their roles very seriously.

The Process Champions team compiled photos and narrative to describe our Washington School Vision and Mission for students and families. This narrative and photo collage is part of the renewal process for the National Showcase Award. The review process has begun and we have our fingers crossed that the selection committee will once again see what an amazing and supportive program we have here at Washington!

Upcoming excitement:

- 100 Days of Learning and fun along with our monthly character assembly will be on Friday January 26th. We will be celebrating Kindness and Respectfulness.
- Keep on checking out all our fun on the news feed!
- The 5 essentials survey opens for parents on Tuesday January 23rd.

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and community members will each do
his or her part to ensure
learning and success."**