THE SPOTLIGHT

OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF ST. PETERSBURG CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

12/10/2021

HEAR FROM THE HEADMASTER

SPCS Families,

I hope that everyone has had a nice start to December. It is hard to believe that our 1st semester is almost over and that we are weeks away from 2022! Our campus continues to be full of energy and Christmas Spirit.

There is just one week left until Christmas Break and it will prove to be full. Over the next 5 school days, we have basketball games, Middle School semester exams, the Musical Theater and Lower Division Christmas program, and multiple Christmas parties. We are looking forward to a great week followed by a much-deserved break. Please continue to look over the Weekly Spotlight to stay in touch with what is going on at SPCS!

As Christians, we enter this Christmas season with so much to be thankful for as we recognize and celebrate the birth of our Savior. "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men" (Luke 2:14)

Have a nice weekend!
Bobby Hunter

UPCOMING EVENTS

Christmas Program K-4
12/14/21

Abbreviated Day
12/17/21

Full Calendar

Sports Calendar

CHRISTMAS DRESS DOWN & UGLY SWEATER CONTEST

Wednesday 12.15.21

Wear your ugliest Christmas sweater or most festive Christmas attire!

SPCS SUPER SPELLERS

Students in Grades 1 - 8 competed in our school spelling bee this week. Congratulations to these top spellers!

1st Grade:
1st - Landon H.
2nd - Kate A.
3rd - Kaylee T.
4th - Mason S.

2nd Grade:
1st - Elijah B.
2nd - Aria W.
3rd - Steele P.
4th - Sarah C.

3rd Grade:
1st - Mateo V.
2nd - Noah V.
3rd - Saniya S.
4th - Avianna H.

4th Grade:
1st - Brielle S.
2nd - Dominic D.
3rd - Hailey H.
4th - Peyton J.

5th Grade:
1st - Iyana G.
2nd - Shiva M.
3rd - Phong H.

6th Grade:
1st - Andrew O.
2nd - Jackson B.
3rd - Victoria L.

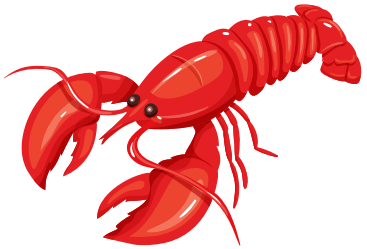
7th Grade:
1st - Adam C.
2nd - Sabrina B.
3rd - Chase C.

8th Grade:
1st - Jaclyn E.
2nd - Jackson H.
3rd - Cooper B.

8TH GRADE PHYSICS FIELD TRIP

Our 8th Grade students had their Physics Day this year at Universal Studios, Orlando. The education staff brought coding and engineering to life as part of their STEAM Series: KongPatrol Panel. Students explored ride design and how science and math merge to create the dynamic ride experiences seen in theme parks. Students also had a chance to experience the Kong ride they had explored including the track design.

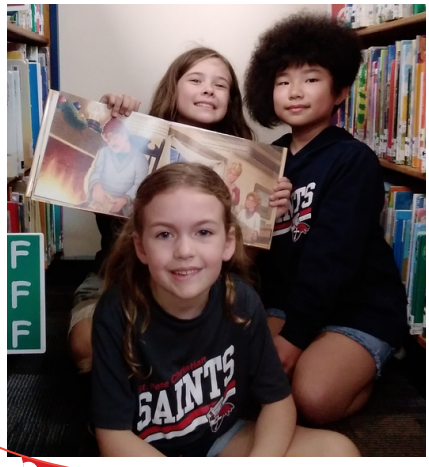
7TH GRADE CRAYFISH DISSECTION



As they complete their first semester in Biology, 7th Graders are closing the term with their final invertebrate dissection. Students dissected crayfish and compared their anatomy to other invertebrates they have worked with to understand the physiology of the arthropods and how their systems are similar and different to other groups. When they return from the Christmas break, students will be applying their dissection skills to vertebrates as they launch into the next unit on Ecosystems.

SHARING THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

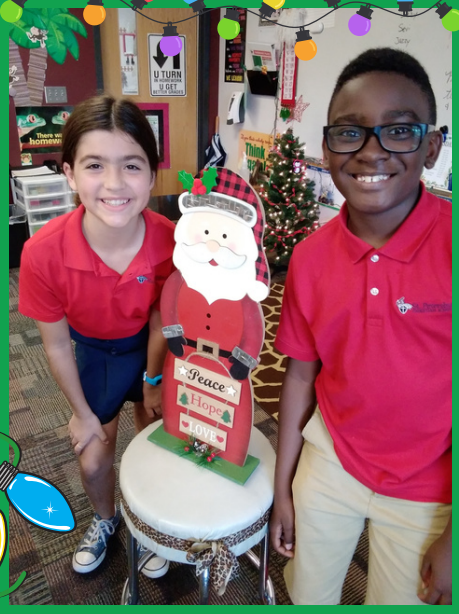
Miss Dorsett's Kindergarteners had fun reading Christmas books with Mrs. Bender's 4th Graders this week.

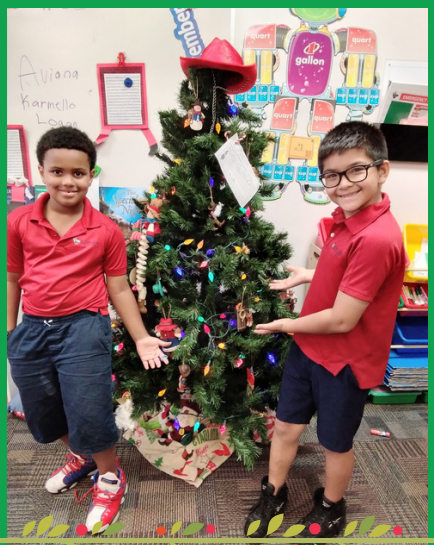


4TH GRADE INSECT INVASION

Fourth graders created models of insects as part of their latest Science unit. Along with the life-like models, the students compiled facts about each insect to share with their classmates!

CHRISTMAS ON CAMPUS





2ND GRADE FRIDAY FUN

Mrs. Koon's class loves to use the tablets on Fridays to practice their math skills using Reflex Math.

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WINTER scoreboard SPORT

Boys Varsity Basketball
12/7/21 defeats Skycrest
12/9/21 defeats Northside

Boys Junior Varsity Basketball
12/7/21 defeats Skycrest
12/9/21 defeats Grace Lutheran

Girls Varsity Basketball
12/7/21 defeated by Skycrest
12/9/21 defeated by Northside

KINDERGARTEN - GRADE 4

Christmas Program

Tuesday, 12.14.21
6:30pm
Suncoast Cathedral

NEW BOX TOP PROMO

Help Us Reach Our

$500 Goal

by participating in the

"Box Top Refer A Friend" Promo

LAUNCH
THE BOX TOPS APP

It's got everything you need. With a simple, intuitive process, you can invite friends to Box Tops with just a touch of a button.

SHARE
WITH FRIENDS

It's easy! Go to "Invite Friends" on your Account screen, where you can share via email, text message, social media and more.

EARN
MORE FOR YOUR SCHOOL

It really adds up! For a limited time, when you refer a friend and they scan their first receipt, you'll BOTH earn 20 Bonus Box Tops for your school*.

WHY: For every friend you invite our **school earns $4.00!**

WHEN: Usually the week before Christmas and the week after Christmas

HOW: **CURRENT USER:** If you already have an account, click the link to invite a friend. Your friend will get a link with a referral code. They will need to download the APP, create an account (be sure the code is there) and select St Petersburg Christian School. Once the account is set up, they scan a receipt within 14 days (regardless of purchase) and **our school gets $4.00.**

NEW USERS: If you don't have an account, download the app to your phone, setup an account, enter referral code, UFZN7ESK, select St. Petersburg Christian School and then scan your receipt from Target, Publix, Sam's, or Walmart within 14 days of purchase.

To assign a student's name: 2 Ways:

- When you scan your receipt, click the star * at the bottom of the page and type student's name
- In your profile, click the link "you've earned……", click date to edit, click "Give Credit", and type student's name.

Important Notice: New Users: Prior to creating an account, please contact Cathy Ball cball@tampabay.rr.com if you have questions about the APP or need other assistance.

Referral Codes must be entered when you set up a new account during the promotion.

One Free Dress Down Day

For any student that signs up and invites a friend!