



THE SPOTLIGHT

OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF ST. PETERSBURG CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

09/22/23



HEAR FROM THE HEADMASTER

SPCS Families,

I invite you to gather with us next Wednesday for our annual See You At The Pole event. It is a special time for fellowship as we gather to pray for our school, our city, our state, and our country. We will meet in front of the gym at 7:45. I know that our students have prepared meaningful prayers to share with those who attend.

With the arrival of Fall, it will be nice to enjoy some cooler weather. Remember that students may only wear an SPCS branded sweatshirt or jacket. SPCS is phasing out hoodies. Hoodies purchased from prior years are permitted for the 2023-2024 school year, however they will not be allowed starting in August of 2024.

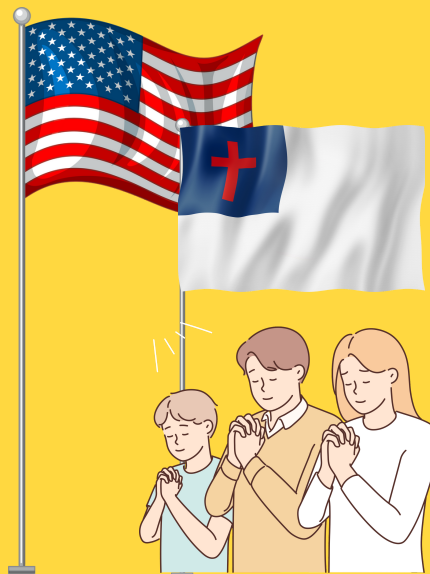
"And let us not grow weary of doing good, for in due season we will reap, if we do not give up." Galatians 6:9

In Him,
Bobby Hunter

UPCOMING EVENTS

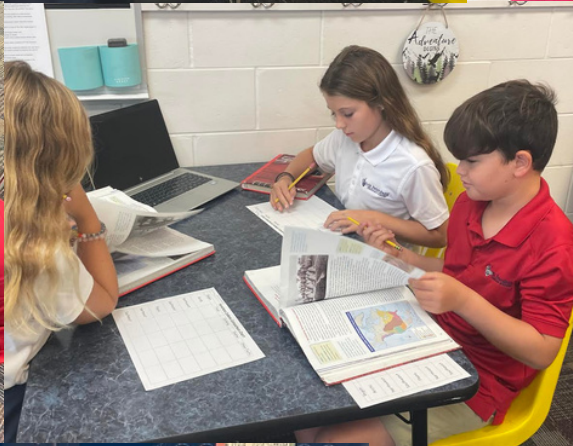
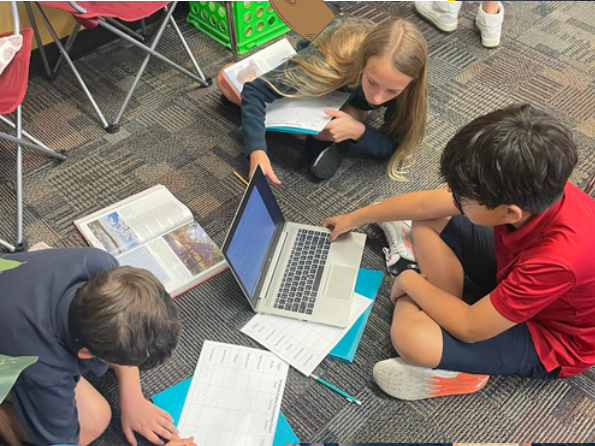
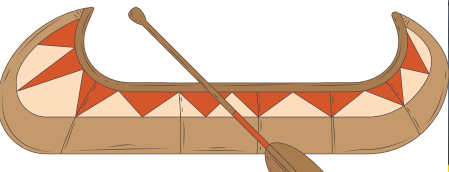
Scholastic Book Fair
09/19-28/23

See You At The Pole
09/27/23



5TH GRADE SOCIAL STUDIES

Mrs. Boyd has the 5th grade students working in groups to research different Native American tribes of the regions of the United States to compare and contrast them.



AND READING

In reading, they are focusing on expression and fluency as they read with a partner!



3RD GRADE MYSTERY READER

Landon's mom was the first Mystery Reader to visit Mrs. Wright's class!



3RD GRADE SENDS OFF TRAVEL MATES



Students look forward to the Travel Mate project in 3rd Grade. This week, students celebrated their mates and prepared to send them on their journeys. We look forward to hearing where they traveled!



8TH GRADE VISITS FINANCE PARK

Eighth graders dressed for success for their visit to Finance Park where they made different financial decisions, after considering the options available to them, and actually constructed a personal budget.



7TH GRADE'S TASTY MATH LESSON

This week, seventh grade learned to build and identify perfect squares using Cheez-its. They learned that not every number is a perfect square. Next week they will be using this knowledge to find square roots and identify if a number is a perfect square.



6TH GRADE SOCIAL STUDIES

Dr. G. had her 6th grade students "visit caves" and take on the role of social scientist as they were analyzing and making hypothesis about various ancient artifacts.



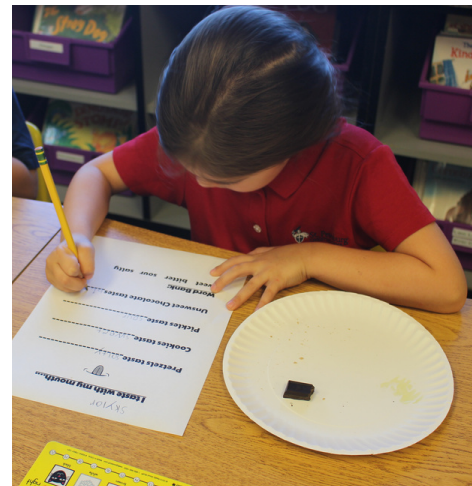
7TH GRADE SCIENCE

Mrs. Godfrey had her 7th graders work with partners to build a model of a hand. While students were beginning lessons on anatomy, they engaged in a lab to create a replica of a human hand and see how the muscular and skeletal systems work together for movement.



LEARNING IS FUN IN KINDERGARTEN

Miss Dorsett's class concluded their 5 senses unit with a tasting party. Students tasted 4 items and then identified them as sweet, salty, sour, or bitter.



Western Dress Down Day

To kickoff the Book Fair, students came dressed in their best Western attire. On Friday, the Middle School students wore cowboy hats in recognition of their excellent persuasive letters to Mr. C. In English class on Wednesday, students were assigned a prompt to write a persuasive letter with reasons why they should be allowed to wear a Western hat to school.



SP CS BOOK Fair Fun



**Open Daily
7:30-4:00**

9/26/23 3:00-6:00
"Reading Rodeo"
Family Night

9/28/23 7:15-8:30 am
"Reader Round-Up"
Muffins with Mom

OUR FIRST FIRE DRILL

With safety as one of our top priorities, we had our first fire drill this week. Students learned their evacuation route and waiting place in case of an actual emergency. Everyone did a great job!



UPCOMING
EVENT

TELL YOUR
FRIENDS

St. Petersburg Christian School

Grades K-8
Open House

Thursday, October 26, 2023

Drop In 4:30-6:30

Campus Tours
Classroom Visits
Teacher Meet & Greet

2021 62nd Avenue North
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FALL



SPORT TEAM UPDATES

SOCCER

WON Tuesday @ St. Paul

WON Thursday @ Northbay

VARSITY VOLLEYBALL

WON Monday v. Shorecrest

WON Thursday v. Keswick

JV VOLLEYBALL

Defeated Tuesday v. Shorecrest

Defeated Thursday v. Keswick

GOLF

Rained out at Wednesday's match

TINY SAINTS SOCCER

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Grades K-4

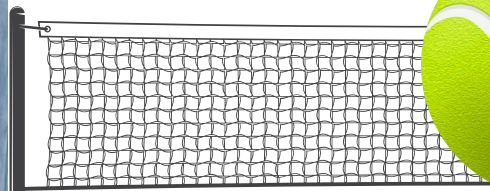


Deadline is
Monday
9/25/23

SAINTS TENNIS

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Grades 6-8



SPCS Night @

Friday - September 29th

5530 4th Street North

Tell them you are with SPCS!

