

Atlantis Elementary

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October 3, 2017



Calendar

October 4-Walk to School Day; Boy Scout classroom visits; Early Dismissal 1:15pm Bus & Day care; 1:22pm Bikers, Walkers, Car riders

October 5- 6:00pm Boy Scouts Parent Info Night in cafeteria

October 6- Box Tops Day; First Morning Mile

October 7- Campus Beautification Day with PTO 7am-12 noon

October 11- Picture Day; Domino's Night; Early Dismissal 1:15pm Bus & Day care; 1:22pm Bikers, Walkers, Car riders

October 12- 5pm Science Fair Information Night

October 13- end of the 1st Nine Weeks

October 16- 4:00pm SAC; 5:00 pm PTO; New Activity rotation Begins; 6pm NEHS Induction

October 18- Early Dismissal 1:15pm Bus & Day care; 1:22pm Bikers, Walkers, Car riders

October 20- Report Cards Issued; 6-8pm Trunk or Treat

Rockets:

Alexis R.—KG
Carissa S.—KG
Madelyn T.—KG
Mikeira C.— 1st
Joey F. —1st
LJ A. —1st
Emma P. —1st
Madilynn Q. —1st
Jason L. —2nd
Jasper S. —2nd
Alliyah C. —2nd
Ezekial T. —2nd
Kyle A. —3rd
Jayden M. —3rd
Trystan B.—3rd
Londyn L.—3rd
Mason E.—3rd
Breannamarie V.—3rd
Joseph G. —4th
Lucina I. —4th
Sophia S. —4th
Keeley H. —4th
Colt S. —5th
Emma B. —5th
Anthony R. —5th
Robert C. —6th
Makayla H. —6th



Congratulations to our Teacher of the Year and Employee of the Year.

Our 2017 Teacher of the Year is Ms. Jacqueline Roberson. Ms. Roberson teaches Kindergarten.

Our 2017 Employee of the Year is Mrs. Segunda (Dina) Leach. Mrs. Leach is the Atlantis Head Custodian.

2017-2018 SAC Representatives

The votes are in! The following staff & parent members will serve on the 2017-2018 School Advisory Council.

Tiffany Bevel, Basil Brown, Kailey Brown, Jenny Clark, Kara Jones, Patricia Needham, Karla Smith, David Blucker, Paula Cline, Andy Hanson, Kerry LaMaster, and Jan Marks.

SaveAround Coupon Book Sale Extended

The SaveAround Book Sale has been extended and will end Friday October 13th, 2017. Please return completed order envelopes with payment to your student's teacher. Books are \$25. Sell 5 and you get 1 free!

Parenting in Today's World

Please join us for our 12th annual "Parenting in Today's World" workshop. This FREE workshop will be held at the Brevard County School Board building located in Viera on 10/14/17 from 8:00 am to 12:30 pm. Jackie Flynn will be the keynote speaker. Following the keynote address, parents will attend two breakout sessions of their choice and have an opportunity to visit our community resource tables.

Please reference the flyer at the end of this newsletter for additional information. Please follow the link to register: <http://tinyurl.com/PITW2017>

National Walk or Bike to School Day

Wednesday, October 4th, is National Walk or Bike to School Day 2017. All students who are able to walk and/or ride bikes to school are encouraged to do so. Parents are strongly encouraged to accompany them and we will have a celebration in the courtyard with any parents who chose to walk/ride to school that day as well. Benefits of walking or biking include: Spending quality time with family and friends, saving money on gas, keeping pollution levels down, exercising before school helps get our students' brains and bodies activated for the day and most of all...it's fun!

Morning Mile begins October 6

Friday, October 6th is our first "Morning Mile" of the year. It will be from 7:30am until 7:50 am. and it will continue every Friday for the rest of the school year. Parent volunteer, Mrs. Mitsakos, and other registered volunteers will be monitoring any K-6th grade students who want to get some exercise on the blacktop and in the P.E. field. There is a walking track and a running track for students to choose from. Sneakers must be worn and water bottles are highly recommended. See Coach Hanson and/or Mrs. Mitsakos for details.

Federal Impact Aid Forms

Your child brought home the Federal Impact Aid Form on Monday. Impact Aid is compensation from the Federal Government for federal property that has been removed from local tax rolls. The district generates approximately \$500,000 yearly from these forms. These funds are used for school support, maintenance and construction. There is detailed information on the back of the form. All information will be treated confidentially. Please look for this form, complete one for each child and return them to their teachers as soon as possible. It is important to complete all fields, date and sign. Thank you.

Box Tops For Education

Don't forget October 6th is Box Top Day. Every student will receive one of our monthly prizes, character link and entered into drawing. Five winners will be drawn. There will be a second drawing for every student who turned in a collection form with Box Tops attached. Please be sure to mark your student's name and teacher on the bag. Thank you for your support, keep on clipping!

Celebrating Success for 5th & 6th grade Date Change

The Celebrating Success awards assembly for 5th and 6th grade has been rescheduled from October 27th. The new date is October 30, 2017 at 8:30am. We look forward to seeing you then.

Calling All Young Scientists in Grades 4 through 6.....

If you are interested in participating in the Atlantis Science Fair, please bring your parent/guardian to the **Atlantis Media Center on Thursday, October 12** from **5-6PM**. Mrs.R. Blake, Mrs. Grimes, and Mrs. Parker will explain the 2017-18 procedures for getting a good start on your project. As in the past two years, science projects are once again optional for Atlantis students.

Pennies for Patients

It's that time once again to start collecting those pennies for Pennies for Patients! Atlantis will be taking part in The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society's Pennies for Patients program from October 2nd to October 27th. During this program, students will collect money to support The Leukemia and Lymphoma Society's mission: to find cures and ensure access to treatments for blood cancer patients. You can support us in our fight against blood cancer in two ways. One way is by having your student bring in spare change to put in their classroom's collection box. The second way you can help is by making a donation on our school's online fundraising page <http://events.ils.org/pages/ncfl/AtlantisElementarySchool-2018> which you can donate to at any time. The classroom that collects the most money will awarded a with pasta lunch from Olive Garden. We are very excited to see what our amazing community can do for those who fight blood cancer and help find a cure! Let's bring in those pennies!

Dad Take your Child to School Event

Thank you to all our volunteers who participated in our D.A.D take your child to school day; it was a huge success! We appreciate you!

Brevard Public Schools to Provide Free Lunch

Brevard Public Schools will serve FREE LUNCH TO ALL STUDENTS through October 20! There are still some hurting families out there for whom this will be a big help in recovering from Hurricane Irma. BPS applied for and received a state waiver to do this.

NATIONAL ELEMENTARY HONOR SOCIETY PRESENTS: TRICK OR TREAT FOR SHELTER ANIMALS!

NEHS will be sponsoring the Karin DeMusis Memorial Trick or Treat for Shelter Animals for the Central Brevard Animal Shelter. From October 2nd-October 31st we are asking that NEHS members and community members bring any item from the wish list to help with the upkeep of these animals until they find their forever homes! We will have a box in the front office available for drop off. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact Jenny Clark at AtlantisNEHS@gmail.com or by phone at 321-633-6143. Thank you for your support.

WISH LIST:

Clay litter (non clumping)	Dry/canned cat food	Litter pans/scoopers
Kitten formula (KMR)	Dry/canned dog food	Dry/canned puppy food
Dog toys (rubber kongs)	Bird food	Martingale dog collars (all sizes)
Pine shavings (no cedar)	Guinea Pig Food	Hamster Food
Rabbit food	Anti-bacterial hand soap	Small baby bottles (used ok)
Blankets (used ok)	Comforters (used ok)	Towels (used ok)
Broom/dust pans	Clorox bleach	Cotton balls
Dish soap	Paper towels	Fabuloso (all purpose cleaner)
Laundry detergent	Rubbing alcohol	

PARENTING IN



TODAY'S WORLD

PARENTING WITH A PURPOSE

KEYNOTE: JACKIE FLYNN, EDS/LMHC/RPT

WORKSHOP TITLES

- Social Media Awareness... What's New Out There?
 - Navigating the Tough Topics - What Do I Say?
 - Hidden in Plain Sight - What Parents Need To Know About Drug Abuse
 - Educating Minds and Hearts
 - Positive Parenting Tips
 - Coping With Anxiety
 - & Information and Resources from Community Agencies
- * Free Parenting Giveaway at the End of the Event!



A FREE FAMILY ENGAGEMENT ACTIVITY FOR ADULTS

Saturday, October 14th, 2017

8:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Brevard County School Board, Viera

To register online: <http://tinyurl.com/PITW2017>
or call Joy Palatucci at 633-1000 ext. 319



or scan this code



Sponsored by Brevard Public Schools, eastern Florida State College, Child Abuse Prevention Task Force, Early Learning Coalition, FDLRS, and SEDNET Offices.