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### From the Administration

Hello Oak Hills Parents:

This coming week, February 25 through March 1<sup>st</sup>, is our Read-a-Thon week. The PTA has worked hard organizing this week to be an engaging week full of fun activities to help promote reading. Thank you Mrs. Grover for organizing this reading week. There are a lot of activities throughout the week, see below for our daily participation.

This week is full of activities, but the real reason is to get everyone to read more. During the day on Friday, each class will hold a read-athon. It would be awesome if all our parents would participate in the read-a-thon as well. My challenge to you is to take 30 minutes out of your Friday to read. It would be great if you read along with your students for a few minutes Friday to show to your students that reading is important. Thank you for all that you do to support your students and the school.

Thank you, Mike Page, Principal

### Read-A-Thon...

Parents and Students, it is time to get ready for Read-A-Thon!

During this week, you can track your reading minutes, celebrating reading and books, and earn prizes.

Everyone who participates in the read-a-thon (by turning in this sheet) gets a prize. The top 3 readers in each class get a special prizes. And the class with the most reading minutes (averaged by the number of students in the class) wins a class party.

You can turn in a slip each day next week (Feb. 25-Mar. 1) and get stickers to fill up your class's genie jar poster.

Monday – Crazy Socks Thursday – Favorite Book Character

Tuesday – Top Hats Friday – Flashlight

Wednesday - Wacky Wednesday



#### Kindergarten ROUND UP!

We are currently gathering names of new kindergarteners for 2019-2020 school year. Please call the office at (801)402-1650. Documents needed to register new Kindergarteners will be mailed to the parent/guardians.



M – Pizza Crunchers

T – Popcorn Chicken

W - Pot Pie

Th – Corn Dog

F – Pizza Rippers





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### **PTA News**

Hello Oak Hills,

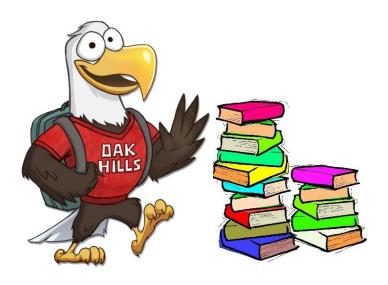
Next week is sure to be so much fun! It is our annual Read-a-thon. This year we will be having the author Tyler Whitesides come and talk to the students. This is a great week to encourage your student to read extra. There are prizes and fun activities all week long.

The musical is going to be magical. Would you like tickets? The musical will be showing the week of March 11-15. Tickets will be given out in the front breezeway on Friday, March 1st from 1:30-3:30. You will be able to get 6 tickets at a time and then required to get back in line if you would like more. Tickets are free. We will be having concessions again and ask you to be generous.

We are also having a fundraiser for the school during the musical performances. We are working on raising money for technology at our school. It is Mr. Page's goal for each student to have access to technology all day.

Thanks for all the support you give our students, teachers and staff.

Terra Lechtenberg, PTA President



### Looking Ahead...

February 25<sup>th</sup> – Read-A-Thon Week

March 1<sup>st</sup> – Popcorn Friday

Musical Tickets in the front breezeway 1:30-3:30

March 6<sup>th</sup> – Spring Pictures

March 10<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> – SCHOOL MUSICAL

March 18th - NO SCHOOL - Professional Day

April 1st-5th - NO SCHOOL - Spring Break



### Yearbook Orders!!!

ORDER your 2018-2019 Yearbook now! Remember this school year forever!

To **GUARANTEE** your yearbook, order on or before March 29<sup>th</sup>, 2019

Easiest Route is to pay online:

https://ybpay.lifetouch.com/Order

School Code: 12311719

Cash or Checks payable to Oak Hills PTA

The cost of the yearbook increases to \$20 after March 29<sup>th</sup> and there is no guarantee of a book after that date.

(We only order a specific number of books each year above those that order online.)



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When you wish upon a book!

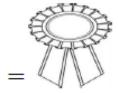
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February 22nd through March 1st

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### **Dress-up Days**

(February 25-March 1)

- Crazy Sock Monday (sport some sassy socks)
- Top Hat Tuesday (wear a favorite/funny hat)
- Wild & Wacky Wednesday (wear your hair wild and your clothes inside out, backward, mismatching, or otherwise wacky)
- Best Book Character Thursday (dress as one of your favorite characters from a book – perhaps a janitor who is really a warlock? A genie from a jar? a Wishmaker? A seaweed monster? A trinketer?)
- Flashlight Friday (have fun reading w/ your flashlight at school)





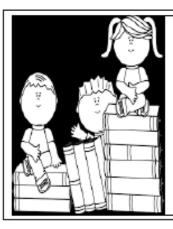




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Special Event! Thursday, February 28th

Guest Author, Tyler Whitesides, will visit Oak Hills. Enjoy a fun assembly and other activities. Bring your Whitesides books, and the author will sign them.



Friday, March 1st is
"Read Across Davis," a
time for everyone in the
Davis Community to
read for 30 minutes. Oak
Hills is setting aside time
this day for all students
to simply enjoy 30
minutes of reading. Your
classroom teacher will
give additional info.

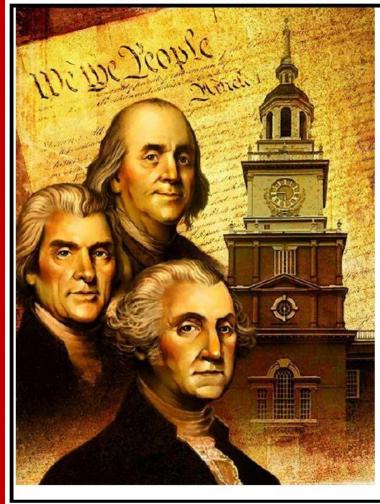
<u>READING LOG:</u> Track your reading minutes for the week here. Turn this reading log in to your teacher on Friday, March 1<sup>st</sup> to receive a participation prize. Have your parent sign the reading log (anywhere is fine).

### NAME:

Friday (Feb. 22 <sup>nd</sup> )	Saturday (Feb. 23 <sup>rd</sup> )	Sunday (Feb. 24 <sup>th</sup> )	Monday (Feb. 25 <sup>th</sup> )	Tuesday (Feb. 26 <sup>th</sup> )	Wednesday (Feb. 27 <sup>th</sup> )	Thursday (Feb. 28 <sup>th</sup> )



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### 2019 Constitution Bowl

When: April 12, 2019

Where: Adelaide Elementary
Who: 5th and 6th Grades

What: A FUN tournament where children are put into teams of four to six students. Each team competes against teams from other schools. It is a double elimination tournament and each team can compete until they have lost two rounds. All questions given come from the Constitution Bowl Study Guide that will be provided at the first practice. It is a Jeopardy type buzzer experience where students learn about the Constitution and have FUN doing it!

The cost is FREE. Practices will begin the first of March and the exact date and times are TBD. Please contact Candice Cannon (801) 719-1795 with any questions.

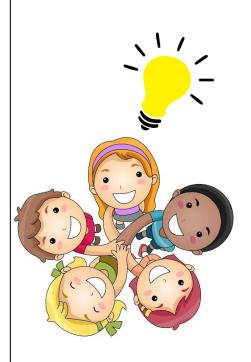
### Counselor's Corner

We are focusing on Habit 5 **"Seek to Understand, then to be Understood."** One important part of this skill is to be an active listener. Sometimes we have BLOCKERS that interfere with our listening. Here are the blockers we talked about in my lesson this month:

- 1. Daydreaming imagining other things and not being in the present moment
- 2. Filtering only hearing what you want to hear
- 3. Rehearsing thinking of what you want to say, while the other person is speaking
- 4. Judging making observations about the speakers clothes, personality, tone, body language
- 5. Distractions hunger, tiredness, noise, others talking, music, electronics

Be careful of these common blockers we all struggle with, when you notice you are doing one... name it and STOP it, and then get back on track to active listening. ©

Shannon Struebing, School Counselor





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### Spotted Around Town...



Mr, Cassler, pictured above, was spotted at a very close basketball game featuring some of his 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Students. Mr. Cassler is a supportive teacher, who teaches Math and Social Studies as well as Geography using sport teams around the United States. Mr. Cassler's students love him and were very excited to see him supporting them in their basketball game. We have great athletes at Oak Hills. Way to go Junior Jazz Oak Hills Teams! ©

