

TIGER TALES

November 12, 2021



Reminder:
No school November 24-26
for Thanksgiving Break!

A Couple of Reminders:

- Unfortunately due to social distancing and limited seating on the school bus we will not be able to accommodate students riding on different buses to other locations for play dates, etc. Thank you for your continued patience and understanding.
- For safety reasons only families with pre-kindergarten children are able to drop off in the upper parking lot. All other families please use the main parking lot.
- With the cooler weather coming please remember to send in warm clothes for your child for outdoor classroom and recess time.

Last Weekend to Order DURHAM COMMUNITY SCHOOL SPIRIT WEAR

Dear Parent/Guardians,

We have once again partnered with Wight's Sporting Goods to offer some choices for Durham Gear. Please see flyer on page 4 of the newsletter with items available for purchase as well as directions for the process to place an order. You will go to a secure website to view the clothing, select sizes and pay for the items right on the website. There are a variety of options for sizes from youth to adult.

**The website will be open through
November 14 so that items will arrive
by the holidays.**



Reading Buddies

Submitted by Carrie Begley, Literacy Specialist

This fall, The Reading League has released a new show called Reading Buddies. This show is geared toward students in PreK-1st grade. The show follows Dusty, Dot and Alphabot as they learn letter sounds, letter formation, and important phonemic awareness skills, which are the foundation for learning to read. Each episode focuses on a different letter sound and the phonemic awareness games increase in difficulty each episode. All of the episodes are available on Youtube. If you visit the [Reading Buddies show page](#), you'll find links to all of the episodes, as well as downloadable activities.



Writing Club

Love to write?
Join the Writing Club!

Who: Writers in Grades 4-8

When: Mondays

November 29th - January 10th

After school until 4:30 pm

Where: Mrs. Hogan's room in the
Cubhouse

Forms are available in the office
or from Mrs. Hogan.



DCS Annual Pasta Drive 2021! Monday 11-8-21 - Friday 11-19-21 NO GLASS Please!

With Thanksgiving coming up we have a lot to be thankful for. Starting next week we will be collecting Pasta and Sauce for our annual Pasta Pass. Please help us by bringing in dry pasta and cans of sauce to help people in need, and support our local food pantry, LACO. Our donations give the food pantry a year's worth of pasta for our community. This year more than ever they need our help. Please help us support our community by donating. Our goal is to collect at least 500 items! Please help us reach our goal.



First Grade News

WORD DETECTIVES

Our first graders completed their unit on being Word Detectives and were visited by "Detective Diggs" from the SSDA (Super Secret Detective Agency) who hand delivered each student their personal Official Certificate of Completion for their training! They have worked hard learning how to apply new strategies to their reading to figure out tricky words including breaking off common endings of words, looking closely for vowel teams and especially "unusual suspects" like contractions and compound words. They have worked hard this fall and are so proud of their hard work!

Ms Mitchell's and Mrs Skelton's First Grade Detectives



Ms Mitchell's and Mrs. Skelton's first graders enjoyed some outdoor science being scientists and investigating air with bubbles! They wondered, made predictions, tried things and observed closely to come to conclusions.





Durham Community School 2021

You can now purchase your items online in 3 easy steps:

1. Scan the QR code or go online to <https://durhamcs21.itemorder.com/>
2. Choose your items and add them to your cart
3. Securely checkout with your credit card

Online Store Deadline: **Sunday November 14th, 2021 (11:59pm EST)**

Holloway Banner Hoodie  \$30.00	Holloway Youth Banner Hoodie  \$29.00	Holloway Electrify Coolcore® Long Sleeve Tee  \$26.00	Holloway Youth Electrify Coolcore® Long Sleeve Tee  \$25.00	Holloway Youth Momentum Tee  2 Colors \$14.00	Russell Athletic Ladies Essential Tee  2 Colors \$12.00
Asi Wicking T-shirt  2 Colors \$12.00	Russell Men's Fleece Crew Neck Sweatshirt  2 Colors \$22.00	Hanes Ecosmart Full-Zip Hooded Sweatshirt  2 Colors \$30.00	Port Authority Value Fleece Vest  \$26.00	Port Authority Ladies Value Fleece Vest  2 Colors \$26.00	Sport-Tek 1/4-Zip Sweatshirt  \$32.00
Sport-Tek Ladies 1/4-Zip Sweatshirt  \$32.00	Asi Tour De Force Jacket  \$34.00	Augusta Sportswear Ladies Tour De Force Jacket  \$34.00	Augusta Sportswear Youth Tour De Force Jacket  \$32.00	Holloway Packable Full Zip Jacket  \$40.00	Holloway 60/40 Fleece Jogger  \$32.00



Freeport High School
Presents

All Together Now!

a Global Event Celebrating Local Theatre

*All Together Now! is presented through special arrangement with
Music Theatre International (MTI).*

*Freeport
Performing Arts
Center*

*November 11~14,
2021*

Showtimes:

November 11, 12 & 13 @ 7pm

November 14 @ 2pm

Adults \$10 Students \$5

Tickets must be purchased in advance!

<https://our.show/fhsfallmusical21>

