

# THE MACAW

Serving the Petroglyph Community with pride for 25 Years!

## Calendar of Events

### February 24

Crazy Hair Day!

### February 28

Explora Night! (See page 3)

### March 3

Dr. Seuss Day!

### March 8

Math/Tech Night!

### March 10

School Spirit Day! Wear school colors!

### March 16 & 17

Parent/Teacher Conferences. No School for Students.

### March 17

St. Patrick's Day!



### March 20-24

SPRING BREAK!

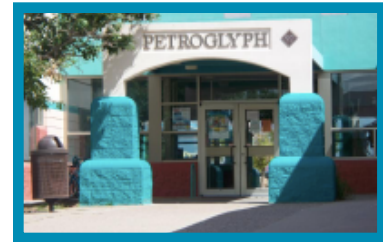


### March 31

Neon Day!

**Wednesday–Early Release  
1:00pm**

## Message from the Assistant Principal



Dear Families,

Please take a look at our Calendar of Events. We have a jam packed month of events, and Spring Break is just around the corner!

Families, please take some time to discuss with your student(s) the difference between conflict vs bullying (page 9). Bullying is a serious offense and should be reported to the teacher or school administration as soon as possible.

Respectfully,  
*Delilah Lopez*

The Macaw newsletter will be available every other week. They will be sent to you by your child's teacher, so please make sure we have your correct email address. You can access them on our Petroglyph webpage : [petroglyph.aps.edu](http://petroglyph.aps.edu)



## **IMPORTANT REMINDERS**

### **Bus Information**

**Please discuss with your students our expected bus behavior. Unsafe and distracting behaviors can result in discipline referrals and/or loss of bus privileges.**



APS  
Transportation  
[transcom@aps.edu](mailto:transcom@aps.edu)  
880-3989  
*My Bus Stop:*  
[mybusstop.aps.edu/](http://mybusstop.aps.edu/)

Parents may pick up their child by:

- ♦ parking in the parking lot and escorting the student to the car, using designated crossing areas, and respectfully obeying staff directions
- ♦ pulling up and moving to the north side of the designated curb in front of the school, remaining in the car, and letting the child in on the curbside door. Please do not block traffic.

**Do not drop off your student in the parking lot. Students must be escorted.**



# iexplora!



## Explora Family Science Night!

Join us at Explora for an amazing science night! Bring the entire family to Explora and enjoy the museum for the night. Dinner will be provided, while supplies last!



**When: February 28, 2023**  
**Time: 6-8:00pm**

CUT BOTTOM PORTION OF THE FLYER TO RSVP BY **February 16th** TO YOUR TEACHER

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Please put an "X" next to the appropriate statement.

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes, we will be attending Explora Family Night

**# of family members attending** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ No, we are unable to attend Explora Family Night

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes, we will need to ride the bus

\_\_\_\_\_ No, we will drive ourselves



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## Read Across America - February 27 - March 3

To celebrate and promote reading during Read Across America February 27 thru March 3.

The school is doing the following activities:

Monday, February 27

Outside Read!

Teachers will do a read aloud outside!

Tuesday, February 28

Students will design a pennant of his or her favorite book and completed pennants will be displayed around the school.

Wednesday, March 1

Principal Read Aloud! Ms. Perea will read a book during the morning announcements!

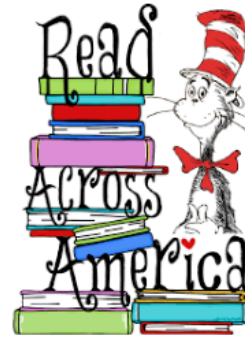
Thursday, March 2

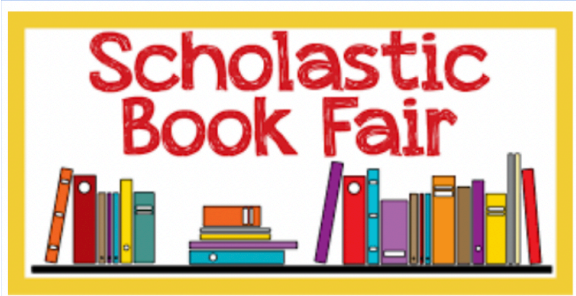
Today is Dr. Seuss's birthday in honor of his birthday students can wear a favorite hat.

Friday, March 3

\*\*Spirit Day—Dr. Seuss Day!

Dress as a Dr. Seuss Character





Petroglyph  
Scholastic Book Fair  
in the Gym  
Mon., March 13 thru  
Thurs., March 16.

Hours: M, T, Th—8:30am to 4:30pm, W-8:30am to 1:30pm

Use the link below to visit the book fair home page: shop online and build an ewallet

\*Proceeds to be used for Library Books

Volunteers Needed:

[Click to sign up!](#)

Must have APS background check



**[Shop online and build an wallet \(click here\)](https://bookfairs.scholastic.com/bf/petroglyphelemschool1)**  
or go to:

**<https://bookfairs.scholastic.com/bf/petroglyphelemschool1>**



*February's*  
**ATTENDANCE CHALLENGE**  
**February 1st-February 28th**  
The Class with Perfect or Near Perfect Attendance

**1st Place:** 10 Macaw Tickets & An Extra Recess




**2nd Place:** Extra Recess

**3rd Place:** Small Prize

Excused and Unexcused Absences are counted. The 1st place classroom teacher will also win a prize!



## Educational Assistant Positions Available at Petroglyph!

-  1st Grade EA (Short Term)
-  Special Ed EA
-  Special Ed EA (Pre-K)

*If you are interested, please go to [aps.edu/jobs](https://aps.edu/jobs) to apply. You can also reach out to our school administration for more information.*

*Salary information can be found at [aps.edu/human-resources/salary-schedules/gI-salary-schedule](https://aps.edu/human-resources/salary-schedules/gI-salary-schedule)*

## Join a great team!



**Student Council Fundraiser  
Shamrock Grams**

**We will be selling Pop  
Its and Water Bottle  
Stickers for \$1.00 Each**



**March 6th, 7th, 9th, 10th, 13th**

**Come during your last recess!!**

**\*Money will go to our end of the year celebration.**





## ◆ *What can parents/guardians do?*

- ◆ *Talk to your student about the differences between peer conflict vs. bullying*
- ◆ *Encourage your student to report conflict or bullying to their teacher or administration.*
- ◆ *Model how to resolve issues without using aggression*
- ◆ *Do not encourage your student to retaliate*

### Differences Between Conflict and Bullying

**Table comparing normal conflict with bullying**

Normal Conflict	Bullying
Equal power – friends	Imbalance of power – not friends
Happens occasionally	Repeated negative actions
Accidental	Purposeful
Not serious	Serious – physical, emotional or psychological harm or threat of harm
Equal emotional reaction	Strong emotional reaction on the part of the target
No power, control or attention seeking	Seeking power, control and/or attention
Not trying to get something	Trying to gain material things or power
Remorse – takes responsibility	NO remorse – blames target
Effort to solve the problem	No effort to solve the problem





Estavo Delgado	Ms. Thompson
Millie Chevere-Manzano	Ms. Thompson
Bayla Sevier	Ms. Diaz
Atlas Armijo	Ms. Diaz
Marry Torres	Ms. Bestelmeyer
Devron Harrison	Ms. Bestelmeyer
Makai Caldwell	Ms. Ramirez
Blake Craig	Ms. Ramirez
Skylar Endler	Ms. Garcia
Azhanae Pinnecoose	Ms. Garcia
Jude LeClair	Ms. Hickam
Ash'Lynn Moore	Ms. Hickam

The PBIS Team is so thrilled to announce the following students as February Students of the Month! Please help us congratulate these students.

Students can pick up their reward in the MACAW store today!



Jonathan Matthews	Mrs. Stone
Sofia Roybal	Mrs. Stone
Zoey Dalglish	Mr. Schneider
Caydance Esquibel	Mr. Schneider
Kelsie Horse	Ms. Richardson
Ashton Toledo	Ms. Richardson
Janalyse Nerida	Mrs. Johnson
Ariana Torrez	Mrs. Johnson
Kayde Ramos	Ms. Silecchia
Lilliana Moore	Ms. Silecchia
Mia Sanchez	Ms. Peralta
Jordan Rankins	Ms. Peralta
Gizelle Hawks	Ms. Tynan
Cruz Guterrez	Ms. Tynan
Isabella Bransford	Ms. Mathis
Ethan Coca	Ms. Mathis
Nykeria Stevenson	Ms. Dolz
Saifaldeen Saifaldeen	Ms. Dolz



Zeenat Ebrahimi	Mrs. Rodriguez
Nikoli Pinzon	Mrs. Rodriguez
Elijah Alomia	Mrs. Mendez
Andrew Badjar	Mrs. Mendez
William Waller	Mrs. Boulanger
Le'Peidro Betts	Mrs. Boulanger



# Quick Reminders:

## *Wednesday—Early Release 1:00pm*

\*Our school hours are Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday from 8:50 am - 3:50 pm. Wednesday, we have the same arrival time, but dismissal at 1:00 pm. Students are not be left unattended at Petroglyph until staff is on duty until that time, so please do not leave your children unattended before 8:50 am.

\*Just a reminder that parents/family members are not allowed in our school. We ask that if you are at Petroglyph to pick up your child at the end of the day, that you wait for them outside in the grassy area by our flag pole; or in your car while in the drop-off lane.

## **\* STUDENT PICK-UP AREA / PICK-UP AND DROP-OFF PROCEDURES**

- ♦ pulling up to the designated curb in front of the school, remaining in the car, and letting the child in on the curbside door

Because of the size of our school and the high volume of cars, it may take some time for cars to make the entire circuit of the parking lot. Please be patient and wait your turn to pick up your child. Cars may not park or pick up students in the fire lanes. Children will not walk between cars to get to their ride, whether or not an adult accompanies them. Parents who refuse to follow our safety standards may lose access to our campus.

Because of safety considerations, it is essential that parents observe the painted crosswalks and duty teachers' instructions when walking to parked cars. It is equally important to use only the west parking lot area (front of school) for vehicle pick-ups. There is no supervision at the base of the hill on Richmond Hills, and it is not a safe area for children.

