

### Anderson Island Elementary

Good afternoon Eagle Families,

We've had another fantastic week here at school! Our students are truly hard workers, and it's wonderful to see how much they've accomplished as we wrap up our first quarter. We're well into the year and already seeing so much growth and enthusiasm for learning.

This morning, we celebrated our annual Veteran's Tea, and it was a wonderful success. I want to extend a special and heartfelt thank you to all of our veterans for their service not only to our country but also to our school community. Their commitment, both past and present, is deeply appreciated, and their presence enriches the lives of our students. We are truly grateful for the continued support they provide, helping our students learn and grow in so many ways.

I'd also like to extend our gratitude to all of our dedicated volunteers who generously offer their time. Your help with field trips, music, and art makes a big difference in our students' experiences, and we appreciate your commitment to making our school a great place to learn and grow.

Looking ahead, we'll have a fun celebration for Adam's birthday next Wednesday. We can't wait to make his day special!

Remember to get outside this weekend, rest up, and find a good book to enjoy. Have a safe and happy three-day weekend, everyone. I'll see you all back on Tuesday! Have a wonderful weekend, Eagle Families!

Mr. Miller

This week we worked on our underhand throw in PE, learned some fun new songs in Music, planted bulbs with the AI Parks and had cookies with Veterans from post 265



November 11 No School Veterans Day

November 8, 2024

November 27 Thanksgiving Feast

November 28-29 No School

Winter Program December 28 5 p.m.

### **Stories from the Classroom**



#### Mitchell the Scarecrow

My scarecrow's name is Mitchell and he loves to be mismatched. One day when Mitchell was protecting the pumpkins he got an idea he would make the pumpkins mismatch. Mitchell set to work and by sunrise he was done. Then the crows came. The crows could see the pumpkins and they ate all the pumpkins. The next year, Mitchell learned that not everybody has to mismatch.

The end. By: Merritt

#### Sometimes you can't Die

My scarecrow name Dt. Dt died from a fire but he did not die, instead he became an olympic runner. He likes to run. He has a baby named November. November likes to eat pizza and oranges. He likes tv. The end. By: Damian

### BODHI 'S SCARECROW STORY ON FARMER JOHNSON TURNED BODHI INTO A SCARECROW

Bodhi was pushed off a cliff, but he survived, and some farmer turned him into a scarecrow. But Bodhi was never the same since he got turned into a scarecrow. Bodhi

had to save the farm and the farmer's farm. Bodhi was injured and torn up from saving the pumpkin farm. The winter season came to Farmer Johnson's farm. But one day, Bodhi's stick broke, and he tumbled down the hill. Farmer Johnson found Bodhi and duck-taped Bodhi's stick back together forever and ever. When Farmer Johnson passed away, Bodhi turned back into a human; now Bodhi is sad. But another farmer came, and he was a replacement for farmer Johnson, and his name was Farmer Cletus. Bodhi turned into a scarecrow again. Now Bodhi was happy because he got to protect a farm again. By: Bodhi



#### Jack and the Little Donkey

My scarecrow's name is Jack. Jack was a regular scarecrow that was not alive. One day there was a lightning storm and he was hit by lightning and came alive. "Ah, I'm alive," said Jack. One day, Jack was hanging on his post when a talking donkey came by. Jack and the donkey became friends. Jack asked the donkey to untie him from his post and the donkey did. Jack and the donkey went on a trip to find the wizard that walked by Jack while he was still tied to the post.

By: Gabe

#### Liv and Sweet

Liv and Sweet are scarecrow sisters. After pumpkin season, Liv walked on the bridge to see her sister Sweet. Liv walked to her house to decorate the christmas tree with her sister the next day. They looked under the christmas tree, there were presents for Sweet. Liv got me new shoes, they are my favorite color of black and are on my feet. By: Alkai

#### Sweet and Liv's Story

Once upon a time there was a scarecrow who's name was Sweet. Sweet loved to go trick or treating with her sister named, Liv and celebrate Christmas. They were best friends .They decorated the Christmas tree together, "Your home!" said Sweet. "Let's decorate the christmas tree" said Sweet.The next day they looked under the christmas tree and there were five presents for Sweet five for Liv.

"We have presents! I am so excited" said liv. "Me too!" said sweet. I have new shoes they are sparkly and blue and high heels. I love them! "Thank you, they are my faovirte color," said Sweet . By: Anna

#### Nathan's friend

Nathan fell in a volcano and turned into the color red and yellow. Now he protects a farm. Nathan has a best friend named Damian. Damian is a fish, Damian can fly, and Damia can turn into a human. Damian can shoot lasers out of his hand. Nathan can fly too and Nathan loves the color rainbow and the color gold.

By: Nathan

#### **OliVER's STORY**

When Oliver was born he was the happiest scarecrow ever. He loved the farmer. The farmer was his best friend. The farmer would take care of him. Oliver was his scarecrow. Oliver has a little sister and she made him mad. Her name was Lily and she loved her brother Oliver. Oliver loved Lily too. Oliver had a best friend named Percy. Pecky was a crow.Perky, Oliver, and Lily were best friends. They would play at the park. One day there was a long thunderstorm. They were scared but they were safe .Lily and Oliver's mom made hot cocoa for them.

Oliver, Lily, and Perky were having fun after the thunderstorm was over. They had a good time and they were happy they could play outside. They went to play outsidePecky, showed them around the woods. They had fun and then their Mom called them in for dinner THE END By: Summer

# Title I Family Engagement Thanksgiving Potluck Hello Families Wednesday, November 27

We invite all families to a Thanksgiving Celebration Potluck on Wednesday, Nov 27, 2024, from 10:30 to 11:30. (Students will be dismissed at 11:30 for the half-day.)

If you can, please provide a store-bought kid's appetizer or snack. Please select items you can bring on the list below (or fill in an item on the blank line.)

We will confirm with you by Friday, November 15, what you should bring for the potluck so we don't have too much of any one item.

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- \_\_\_\_\_Fruit platter
- \_\_\_\_\_Chex mix
- \_\_\_\_\_Paper plates and napkins
- \_\_\_\_\_ Fork and Cups
- \_\_\_\_\_ Juice/Cider
- \_\_\_\_\_A warm side dish \_\_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_Cookies
- \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Student name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Number of family members attending \_\_\_\_\_\_ I will volunteer: Yes/ No

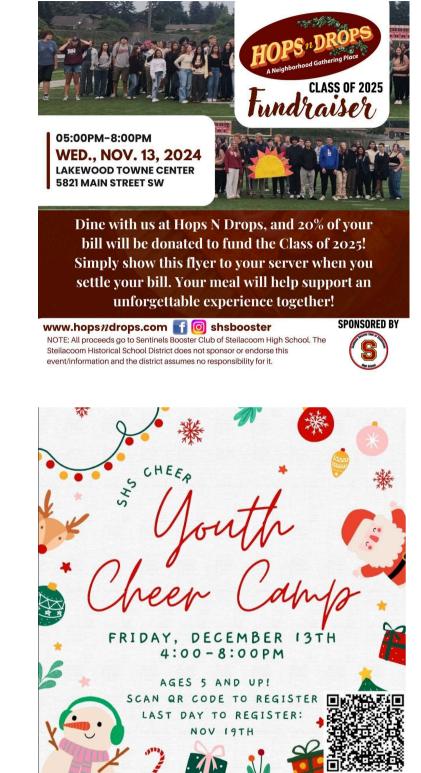
THANK YOU!

You can also complete this form in ParentSquare.

# **Community Events & News**

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