

# PANTHER PRESS

## KNIGHTSTOWN ELEMENTARY

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### DATES TO REMEMBER

**NOV 27-29**  
Thanksgiving Break

**DEC 2-20**  
Middle of the Year  
NWEA Window

**DEC 3**  
K & 2 Canvas & Claus

**DEC 4**  
1 & 3 Canvas & Claus

**DEC 5**  
Skating Party  
@ The Rink

**DEC 19**  
K & 1 Winter Art Show &  
Music Program



### HAPPY FEAST DAY!



### Ms. Stevenson's Scoop

Happy Friday! Can you believe we only have 4 weeks of this semester left? This school year is flying by, but don't worry, we still have lots of fun planned before it's time for Winter Break! Make sure you're staying informed by regularly checking red folders, the weekly newsletter, Bloomz, our Facebook page, and the website to stay up-to-date with everything happening. Today, we had our annual Thanksgiving Feast in the cafeteria. Thank you PTO for all of your help. Next week is a short week for us with school in session only on Monday and Tuesday.

Have a safe & happy weekend, Panther families!  
-Ms. Stevenson

## Cookies & Canvas with Claus

KES PTO is sponsoring Cookies & Canvas with Claus, an afternoon of fun, snacks, crafts, and Santa Claus! Kindergarten and 2nd grade students are invited to stay after school until 4:30 p.m. on Tuesday, December 3rd. First and third graders are invited to stay after school until 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, December 4th. Cost is \$10. Information and permission slips were sent home in red folders last week. Permission slips and money were due today. If you did not get them turned in, please contact the main office.

## Substitute Teachers

KES needs your help finding more substitute teachers. If you are interested in subbing in our school, please click [HERE](#) to apply to WillSub. As the sub, you have complete control of your assignments. Just indicate your grade level and teacher preferences on your application. Visit [www.willsub.com](http://www.willsub.com) for more information! If you have any questions, contact the KES Office at 765-345-2151.

## Food Drive

It's time for the annual KES Food Drive! Mon., December 2nd - Fri., December 13th

Specifically Needed Items Include:

*Mac & Cheese, Pasta, Pasta Sauce, Desserts, Peanut Butter, Jelly, Cereal, Snacks, & Granola Bars*

All non-perishable items and toiletries are accepted. A prize will be awarded to the grade level that collects the most items. All donations will benefit Cheer Guild.

## Middle of the Year Testing

The middle of the year NWEA testing window is December 2nd - December 20th.

This assessment helps us determine students' growth in the areas of language arts and mathematics since the beginning of the year.

## TRANSPORTATION CHANGES

Email Mrs. Wilson at [tiffany.wilson@cabeard.k12.in.us](mailto:tiffany.wilson@cabeard.k12.in.us) with any transportation changes

### Include in the email:

- Date for the change
- Child's first and last name
- Teacher
- Destination
- New bus number (if known)

Please send a note with your child on the day they are going to a different place. If possible, please do not call the office with changes.

**\*Changes to transportation must be received before 12:00 p.m.**

## ATTENDANCE

Attendance is critical to your child's success in school. All children are expected to be in school each day unless they are ill.

It is important that students are screened each morning for COVID-19 and other illness symptoms prior to arriving at school.

Students are allowed 20 absences per year. A letter will be sent home making you aware of absences.

If your child will be absent from school, call the KES office at 765-345-2151 or send an email to:

Mrs. Wilson at  
[tiffany.wilson@cabeard.k12.in.us](mailto:tiffany.wilson@cabeard.k12.in.us)  
-OR-

Mrs. Roland at  
[emily.roland@cabeard.k12.in.us](mailto:emily.roland@cabeard.k12.in.us)

## MEDICATION

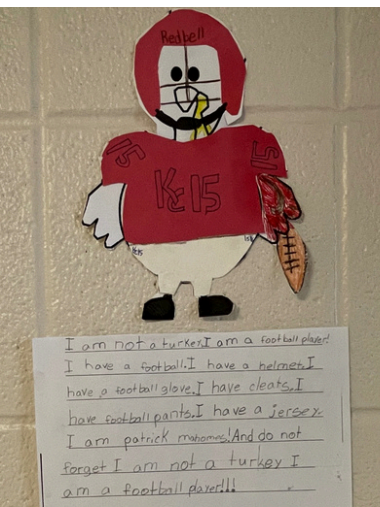
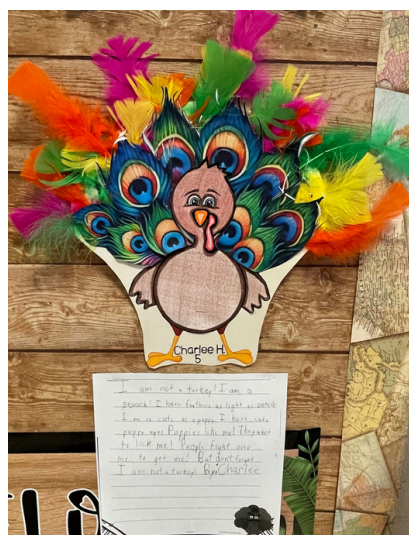
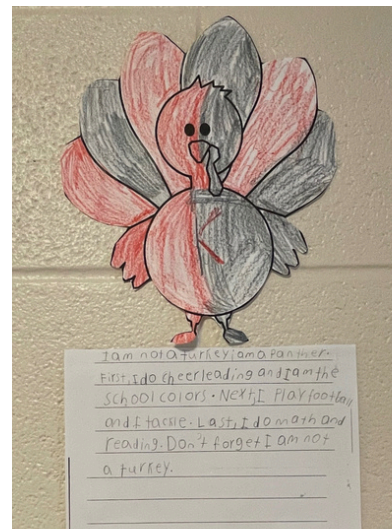
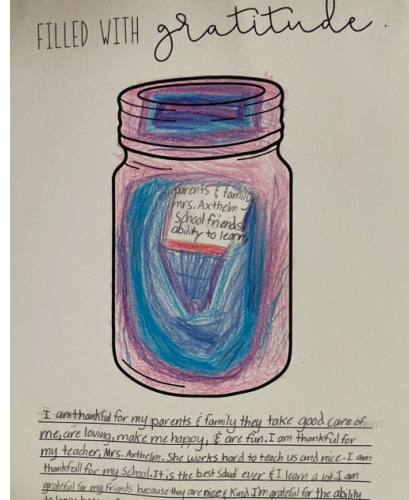
Parents or guardians are responsible for bringing any new, unopened medication to the nurse's office.

This includes cough drops.

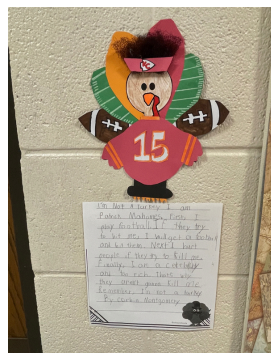
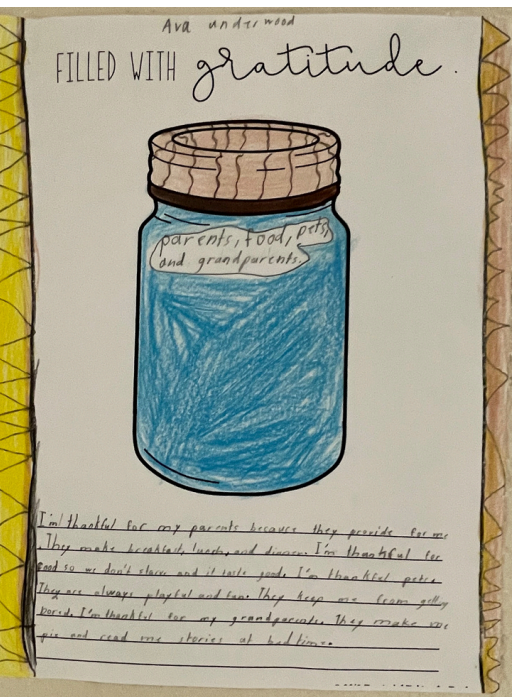
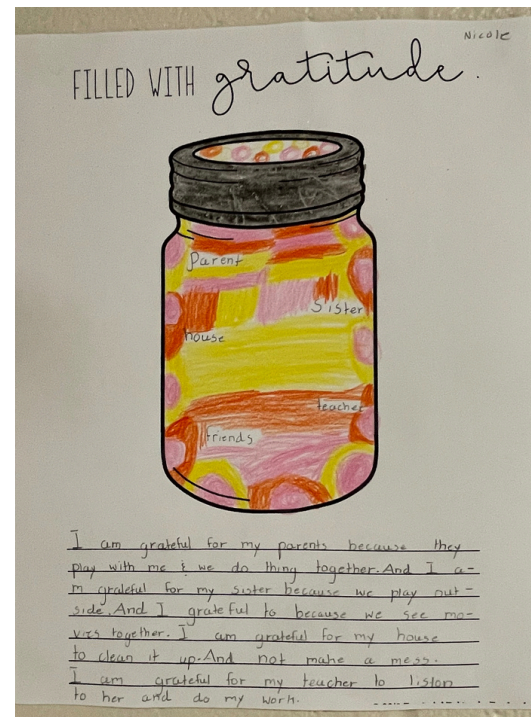
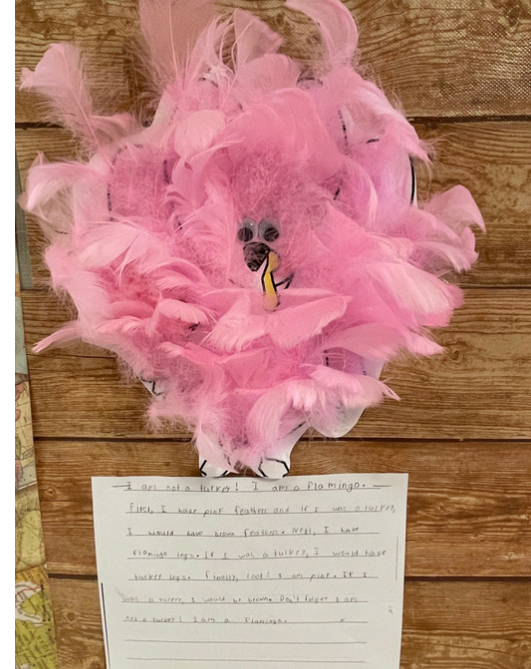
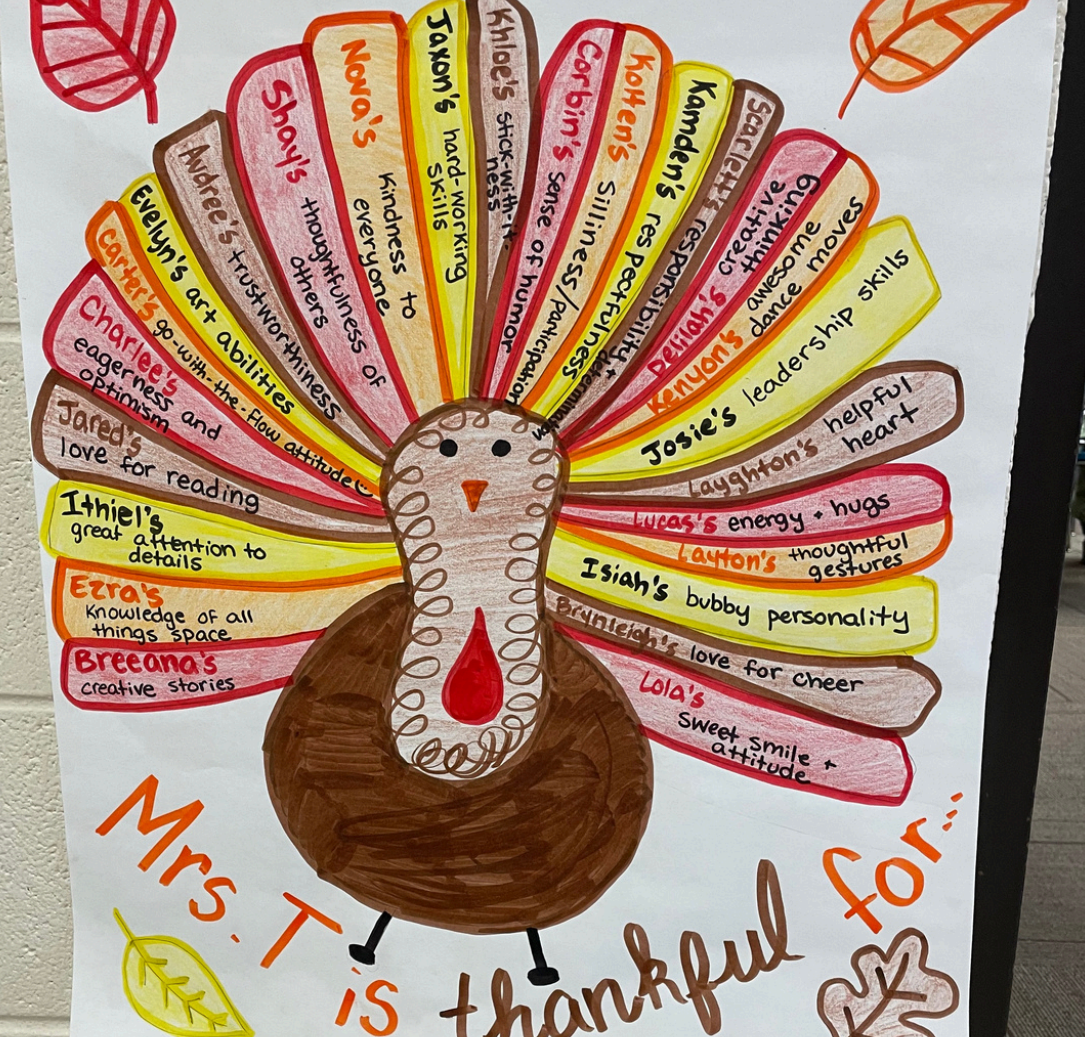
Parents or guardians and/or a doctor must fill out medical forms in order for medication to be dispensed.

Antibiotics given 3 times per day should be given at home: before school, after school, & at bedtime.







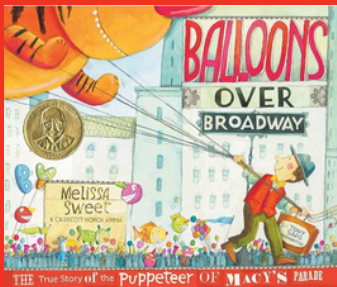




# November Reading

Reccomendation

from Mrs. Crawford

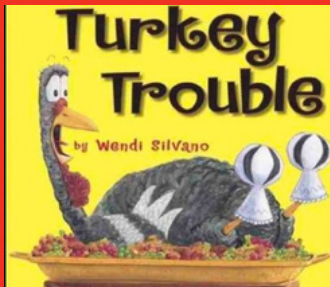


Balloons Over  
Broadway

Everyone's favorite holiday tradition is watching the Macy's Thanksgiving Day parade. But do you know the story behind the famous balloons?

Balloons Over Broadway tells all about the puppeteer, Tony Sarg, who invented these famous balloons! You will love this story of how the beautiful balloons in the Macy's parade came to be!

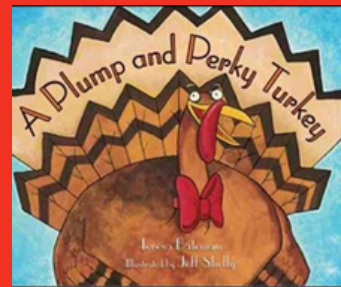
**READ ALOUD**



Turkey Trouble

This turkey is in BIG trouble. He's about to be the main course for dinner so he makes many hilarious attempts to disguise himself!

**READ ALOUD**



A Plump and  
Perky Turkey

In this cute story, A Plump And Perky Turkey, the people of Squawk Valley try to lure the turkeys into town to catch them for Thanksgiving dinner, but the turkeys in this town are way too smart for that!

**READ ALOUD**



LADY PANTHERS  
BASKETBALL PRESENTS

# Breakfast

With Santa

## *Pancakes with Santa!*

Join the Lady Panther basketball team for breakfast, get your picture taken with Santa, write him a letter, color holiday pictures.

**December 14, 2024**  
**8:00am - 10:30am**

Knightstown High School Cafeteria  
\$7 per person  
**ALL YOU CAN EAT**



Purchase tickets at the door, or find your favorite Lady Panther for tickets in advance.

**PRE-SALE TICKETS**  
**AVAILABLE NOW!**