



# Seminole Elementary Times

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## Dates to Remember

### May

27<sup>th</sup>

- SCHOOL CLOSED – Memorial Day

28<sup>th</sup>

- Good Behavior Assembly (12:30p K, 2, 3 1:30p 1, 4-,5)

29<sup>th</sup>

- Last Day of School 12:45pm
- 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Awards Assembly  
Seminole First Baptist

30<sup>th</sup>

- R Club @ Bardmoor Elementary

31<sup>st</sup>

- R Club @ Closed

### June

3<sup>rd</sup>

- R Club Summer Session Begins

11<sup>th</sup> – July 18<sup>th</sup>

- Summer Bridge 8:30am-12:30pm

### July

4<sup>th</sup>

- Summer Bridge & R Club Closed

### August

9<sup>th</sup>

Last Day of Summer R Club

12<sup>th</sup>

- Meet Your Teacher (5:00-7:00pm)

14<sup>th</sup>

- First Day of School
- Boo-Hoo/Yah-Woo Breakfast

### September

2<sup>nd</sup>

- Labor Day (No School)

4<sup>th</sup>

- Individual Picture Day

5<sup>th</sup>

- Open House

### October

11<sup>th</sup>

- End of 1<sup>st</sup> Grading Period

14<sup>th</sup>

- Pro Ed Day (No School for Students)

29<sup>th</sup>

- Report Cards Distributed

### November

2<sup>nd</sup>

- Picture Retakes

20<sup>th</sup>

- Great American Teach In

25<sup>th</sup> -29<sup>th</sup>

- Thanksgiving Break (No School)

## A Note from Principal Cerreta



It is hard to believe that the school year is coming to an end. It has been an honor to be the principal at Seminole Elementary for the last few months of the school year. I want to take a moment to thank all of the students, teachers and parents for all of their hard work and effort in making Seminole Elementary such an “outstanding” school. The level of support from the parents and the community has been tremendous and we could not have done it without you. Thank you for making 2018-2019 such an enjoyable and memorable year. We encourage all of our students to join us this summer for our Summer Bridge program and make a commitment to continue reading throughout the summer by completing our Summer Reading Challenge. Have a fun, safe and relaxing, summer and we look forward to seeing you all in August.

Lou Cerreta

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## Summer “Dog-On Good Reading Program

Reading is the cornerstone for academic success, but children don’t spend enough time reading during the summer vacation and regress in their reading ability. To encourage Seminole Elementary students to read, we have developed a summer reading program called “Summer Readers Are ‘Dog-On’ Good Readers”. Students in Kindergarten – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade next year who meet the requirements below will receive the following:

- A hot dog cookout with the Principal and Assistant Principal
- A ‘Dog On’ Good Reader Certificate
- A Reading Achievement Medal (for students who take and receive 80% or higher on a minimum 3 Reading Counts tests on books logged on form)
- Students name printed in our Seminole Elementary Times newsletter

### The criteria for students in grades Kindergarten – 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade:

Read 25 books during the summer and keep record of the books read and author on our reading log. Have parents sign the attached form to verify the books that you have read.

### The criteria for students in 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade:

Read 1,000 pages from chapter book or books that are on your reading level during the summer and keep record of the books read and author. Have parents sign the attached form to verify the books that you have read and return this form to your teacher.

Please utilize the reading verification form and return to your child’ teacher no later than Monday August 26, 2019.

Enjoy summer vacation and encourage your child to read.

### Cafeteria Balances



If your child eats school lunch provided by our Kid’s Café’ please make sure they have their lunch money. If you have a balance on their lunch account, please pay off the accounts before May 29<sup>th</sup>. Please contact Britney Beck at 727-545-6514 or [beckbr@pcsb.org](mailto:beckbr@pcsb.org) for questions or concerns.

### 2018-19 School Supply List



The 2019-20 School Supply List will be available online @ [www.pcsb.org/seminole-es](http://www.pcsb.org/seminole-es) on June 1st.

### Medication Pick-Up



All medication must be picked up by 12:45 on May 29. No medication can be stored at the school over the summer. Any medications that are not picked up will be discarded. For safety reasons, children will not be allowed to transport medication from school to your home. A responsible adult needs to pick up the medication. Please call Jill Gonzalez, our school nurse, at 547-7668 ext 2119 if you have any questions.

## Character Kids – May



<b>KG</b>			<b>3rd</b>		
<b>Conde</b>	Phoenix Kelker	Tristan Hollingsworth	<b>Barto</b>	Stone Gildner	Joseph Plankey
<b>Davis</b>	Justin Chen	Amarii Harr	<b>Carlson</b>	Michael Nieves	Nevaeh Middleton
<b>Horton</b>	Colin Cordone	Adelynn Reed	<b>Kopkau</b>	Jonathan Riser	Jasmine Henriquee
<b>Schuler</b>	Brooklyn Meyerowich	Allan Keck	<b>Poolson</b>	Kaydin Whitenon	Landen Whiteley
<b>1st</b>			<b>Rudolph</b>	Maddison Martin	Brayden Wasoba
<b>Dupre</b>	Victoria Marker	Gabrielle Pawlowski	<b>4th</b>		
<b>Flock</b>	Kelsie Vance	Dominic Diaz	<b>Crose</b>	Brooke Lucas	
<b>Gamble</b>	Kaycee Henshaw	Lucian Haselton	<b>Leonard</b>	Vaeden Radloff	Olivia Koch
<b>Hendrix</b>	Jessica Gassem	Rayne Torres	<b>Swartz</b>	Eli Spearl	Jacob Ray
<b>2nd</b>			<b>Taylor</b>	Joselyn Badillo	Matthew Ray
<b>Blanchet</b>	Courtney Greene	Chase Pacocha	<b>Willett</b>	Abrianna Scropo	Amelia Wood
<b>Luczaj</b>	Evan Grinde	Giovani Oropeza-Canjay	<b>5th</b>		
<b>Mucerino</b>	Alexis Fontaine	Ariah Yaslik	<b>Ellis</b>	Charles Nguyen	Zachary Berry
<b>Patterson</b>	Justin Ponds	Lailah Johnson	<b>Gorman</b>	Kendra Farey	Elijah Ferguson
<b>Rongey</b>	Xavier Harris	Demari Howard	<b>Grimm</b>	Corina Candelaria	Madison Dunn
			<b>Lentz</b>	Christian Rodriquez	Jason Yaslik
				Maryolivia Charles	Irish Gildner

### Carwise Award Winners



Congratulations to Elijah Ferguson and Aimee Nkomeje for being honored as the Joseph Carwise Minority Scholars for Seminole Elementary School.



Congratulations to all of the students who earned their Reading Counts and ST Math goals for the year. These students participated in a drum circle, dance, and popsicle celebration sponsored by our PTA

### Principal Noah Hoang



Congratulations to Noah Hoang who was our Principal for the Day. Noah was our top fundraising winner for the Walk-a-thon. Noah was given the keys to the school, signed payroll, and was a guest reporter on the morning show.

### Counselor's Corner

The Character Trait that we have highlighted this month has been Caring. What a pleasure it is to see the staff and students at our school who care so much about others. When we ask someone how their day is going, or try to encourage and build others up, it lets them know that we care. When we see that others are having difficulty with math, reading, science, art, music, or PE, and we show them what to do or help them, it tells them that we care. When we include a friend, let someone go ahead of us, or share with them, it says that we care about them. When we say nice things, rather than using words that hurt, we are saying that we care about others' feelings. A special card, or remembering someone on a special day, also is a way to say, "I care about you." Let's find someone today, and every day, that you can show that you care about them.

Sincerely, Mrs. Schultz

### 2019-20 Battle of the Books List

The Ambrose Deception by Emily Ecton	610
Annie's Life in Lists by Kristin Mahoney	800
Ben Franklin's in my Bathroom by Candace Fleming	510
The Bicycle Spy by Yona Zeldis McDonough	650
Bob by Wendy Mass & Rebecca Stead	590
Cosmic Commandos by Christopher Eliopoulos	GN180
The Dragon with a Chocolate Heart Stephanie Burgis	840
Enginerds by Jarrett Lerner	700
Ghost Attack! By David Lubar	560
Sled Dog School by Terry Lynn Johnson	660
Stella Diaz Has Something to Say by Angela Dominguez	650
Superstar by Mandy Davis	580
Survival Tails: The Titanic by Katrina Charman	NA
Tumble & Blue by Cassie Beasley	680
Wedgie & Gizmo by Suzanne Selfors	550

## Congratulations to Our Graduating 5<sup>th</sup> Graders

Congratulations to our 2018-19 5<sup>th</sup> graders who will be moving on to Middle School. We wish you the best as you move forward in your educational journey.

Carmella Adams	Hannah Lamoureux
Hayden Aldridge	Mar'kayla Martin
Kiarra Aleman	Dallas Martinez
Elias Barkat	Jaicob Martinez Pagan
Victoria Barrett	Jacob Maye
Charles Bassett	Brooke Mcginnis
Hadi Baydoun	Keegan Mclean
Zachary Beaulieu	Aleena Mead
Gavin Beery	Andrew Mitchell
Zachary Berry	Venziano Morris
Dani-Marie Blydenburgh	Adrian Munoz
Brooklynn Butler	Maddox Newton
Corina Candelaria	Charles Nguyen
Jaymen Cardenas	Julian Nguyen
Lorelai Carr	Shae Nichols
Maryolivia Charles	Nicholas Panuthos
Isabella Clark	Zackery Peacoe
Lukas Clements	Adriana Perez
Hannah Cohn	Evelyn Pineda-Sandoval
Caden Collins	SkyInn Piper
Skyler Connors-Lewis	Matthew Rando
Joseph Contaldo	Mahogany Randolph
Cassidy Cummings	Donnie Reams
Eliza Da Silva	Jonathan Rizo
Gage Decius	Christian Rodriguez
Madison Denk	Yahviel Rosario Figueroa
Anthony Dominguez- Infante	Scott Rowland
Madison Dunn	Angel Sanchez
Lindsey Eckley	Rose Sanders
Jaden Edwards	Karsyn Sanford
Kendra Farey	Nicole Santana Espinal
Elijah Ferguson	Harmony Santos
Mason Finical	Dean Simmonds
Jada Fortner	Collin Simpson
Trenton Friedle	Jaxon Smith
Kendrick Gabbard	Shannon Smith
Brendon Gavigan	Allison Snow
Brody Gessner	Jacob Stanley
Irish Gildner	Giavona Stanzione
Diego Gonzalez	Abigail Stevens
Peyton Graham	Aubrielle Stone-Plauche
Brandon Hanson	Jeniece Stottler
Sean Harr	Mark Anthony Strakosha
Ty Harris	Rylee Stulce
Carter Hasty	Logan Taber
Sara Henkel	Nicholas Talbot
Joseph Hoffman	Davaney Tavano
Zamaria Holmes	Shane Todd
Hayden Hoppenstedt	Jolie Toth
Kaylee Houck	Aleksandra Urbanowicz
Ari Hovsepian	Peter Vaughan
Angelo Ierna	Tomajah Walls
Bernard Jones	Caira Willingham
Kelli Kelesyan	Anthony Wright
Jacklynn Kemper	Jason Yaslik
Slade Kimel	Peyton Yingling
Tobin Kropp	O'zaniyah Young

## Thank you for Your Donations

PMAC would like to thank all the Seminole students and families for their generous donations of 548 items for the homeless shelter. They will be so appreciated. The class with the most donations was Ms. Flock's first grade class and they will be given a special celebration on Friday!

## A Music Note



We had an amazing turnout for our final concert! I could not be prouder of the 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> Graders who worked so hard to give their families a wonderful concert! Be on the lookout when we are back to school for information about 2019-2020 school year concerts and events. I'm am looking forward to see our musical excellence grow. Thank you for supporting the Arts at Seminole Elementary!  
Mrs. Christy

## Art News

### School-wide Community Mosaic Mural



Students have been busy in the Art room cutting out, stamping on top of, and glazing small ceramic tiles which were used in a mural that is on the wall of the building facing the car circle. Miss Art brought in fellow artist and friend Heather in to work with students on assembling all the kiln fired tiles into a spectacular mural that will add some color to our campus. Heather loves to create mosaic murals and is the mind behind the fully mosaic-ed Safety Harbor Art and Music center building.



Summer BreakSpot provides nutritious meals at no cost to children 18 and under while school is out for the summer. Many meal sites are located at places like parks, libraries and churches and offer breakfasts, lunches, snacks or supper. Check back next summer to find a Summer BreakSpot location near you. Our home, Seminole Elementary school is a location to receive these meals. To find another location you can search by:

Visiting [www.summerfoodflorida.org](http://www.summerfoodflorida.org)

Dial 2-1-1 Text "FoodFL" to 877-877 Mobile App "Nutrislice" in iOS & Android

### Seminole Elementary School

10950 74th Ave N Seminole, FL 33772

Britney Beck, (727) 545-6514

### Breakfast

6/3/2019 - 8/2/2019

8:00 AM - 8:30 AM Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday

### Lunch

6/3/2019 - 8/2/2019

12:00 PM - 12:30 PM Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday

## We Appreciate Our Volunteers

On May 15<sup>th</sup> Volunteers of Seminole Elementary were honored at our annual Volunteer Appreciation Brunch, Business Partners, Mentors, and Volunteers were treated to a nice meal and presented with certificates of appreciation. Once again thank you for your time, talents, and commitment to our Seminole Elementary family.



PCS K-12 STEM Dept's 2019  
Summer Camp Opportunities  
[www.pcsb.org/STEM](http://www.pcsb.org/STEM)

### Do You Have Any Gardening Supplies?

Mrs. Mucerino and the Gardening club is looking for any gardening supplies to be donated to help our beautiful gardens around the campus. Please consider donating supplies like: Seeds, shovels, garden signs, gloves, rake, hoe, hose, hedge cutters, clippers, or any other materials that may help our gardens. Thanks

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### Option #1

#### STEM SUMMER CAMPS

Students entering 2nd-7th grades during 19-20 school year. Space still available. Scholarships available.

- Who: students entering 2nd-7th grades during the 19-20 school year.
- When/Where: 4-day camp (no camp on Friday's) offered during the 4 weeks in June, same content offered each week, grades 2-7 are offered at each site regardless of school location (elementary school or middle school)

Week 1: 6/3-6/6 Leila Davis Elementary (space still available in 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th/7th gr. classes - wait lists available)

Week 2: 6/10-6/13 East Lake Middle (space still available in 3rd and 4th gr. classes only - wait list available)

Week 3: 6/17-6/20 Ridgecrest Elementary (space still available in all grade levels)

Week 4: 6/24-6/27 Tyrone Middle (space still available in all grade levels)

- Hours: 8:00-3:30 Mon.-Thurs. (no camp on Friday's, pg. 2 of application packet identifies if before and after care are available at each site)
- Cost: \$100 (includes a free PCS lunch each day). Only \$25 per day!
- Enrollment Deadline: Open enrollment until all classes are filled.
- Link to download 2019 STEM Summer Camp application packet (includes registration and payment links inside application packet: 2019 PCS STEM Summer Camp Application Packet

#### STEM Summer Camp Scholarship Application Packet

- Scholarship available to 10 females entering 6th-7th grades during the 2019-2020 school year.
- Site Location: Tyrone MS Dates: June 24th-June 27<sup>th</sup>
- Deadline to Submit Application: Friday, May 24th by 4pm
- Link to download the 2019 STEM Summer Camp scholarship application packet: 2019 STEM Summer Camp Scholarship Application Packet

### Option #2

#### STEM HONORS SUMMER CAMPS

Students entering 8th-9th grades during 19-20 school year.

Space still available at the East Lake Middle School site!

- Who: students entering 8th-9th grades during the 19-20 school year, only 60 spots (space still available)
- When: 8-day camp 6/10-6/13 and 6/17-6/20 (no camp on Friday's)
- Where: East Lake Middle School
- Hours: 8:00-3:30 Mon.-Thurs. (no camp on Friday's and no before or aftercare available)
- Cost: \$150 (includes lunch for 8 days, 2 field trips and a t-shirt). Only \$18.75 per day!
- Registration Deadline: Thursday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>
- Link to download 2019 STEM Honors Summer Camp application packet: PCS STEM Honors Summer Camp ELMS Site Packet