

PROWLS N' GROWLS



Spring is almost here! The weather is starting to warm up and so are the activities at Country Hills! These last few weeks have been busy with multicultural activities, Day of Service and Love and getting our 5th graders oriented to what middle school will look like next year. We have just a few more weeks before we head off into Spring Break and so let's try to keep our students in school and focused on learning.

As the fourth quarter quickly approaches, make sure you are aware of your children's academic progress and expectations for promotion. If you have not had the opportunity to meet with your child's teacher, please reach out and schedule a conference.

Communication is the key to your child's success!

We also have our FAST test coming up throughout May for grades 3-5 as well as STAR test for grades K-2. More information will be forthcoming on the dates for these assessments.

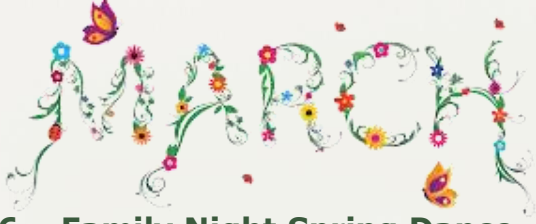


****2026-2027 APPLICATIONS NOW OPEN****

Fall 2026 – School starts Monday, August 10, 2026

For children who turn 4 on or before September 1, 2026

For Application, please visit <https://www.browardschools.com/Page/50539>



March 6 – Family Night Spring Dance

March 8 – Campus cleanup

March 8 - Daylight Savings Time Begins

March 11 – Spring Assembly

March 12 – Early Release 12:10pm

March 13 – Employee Planning (no school students)

March 16-20 - Spring Break

March 17 – St. Patrick's Day

March 24 – PTA meeting 9:15 am

March 26 - Visiting Author

March 27– RISING STAR Assembly

March 27 – Pelican Sno Balls





Students have left many jackets on campus after our recent cold weather! Please write their names into jackets and have them check our lost and found before we donate those lost items! Thank you!



March is Florida Bicycle Month!



March is Florida Bike Month, and now more than any time in recent history, we have reason to celebrate it. More and more people are getting back on their bikes and realizing that one of the best ways to get around is on two wheels.

Get out of the car line and get on your bikes

With so many of us working remotely, it's the perfect time to make riding to school with our children a habit. Even if you can't do it every day, commit to a day or two each week to ride with your child to and from school instead of sitting in the car line. Not only is it good for everyone's health, these little moments together are priceless.



WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND CHE!



2nd Grade
Ellis Island
Simulation



Love & Kindness Staff Breakfast





Ready, Set, Pie





Let the pies fly



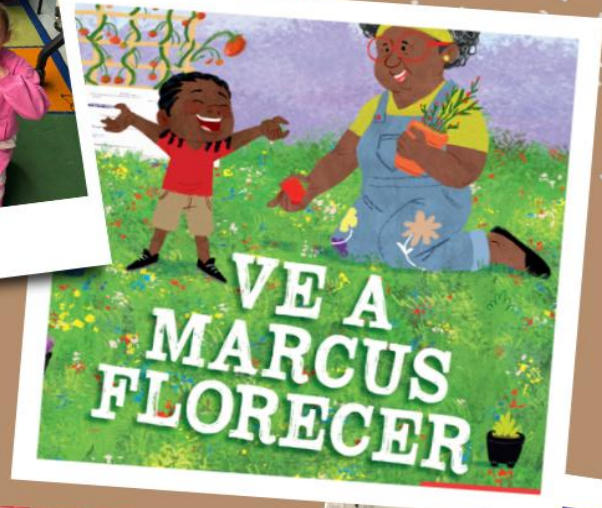
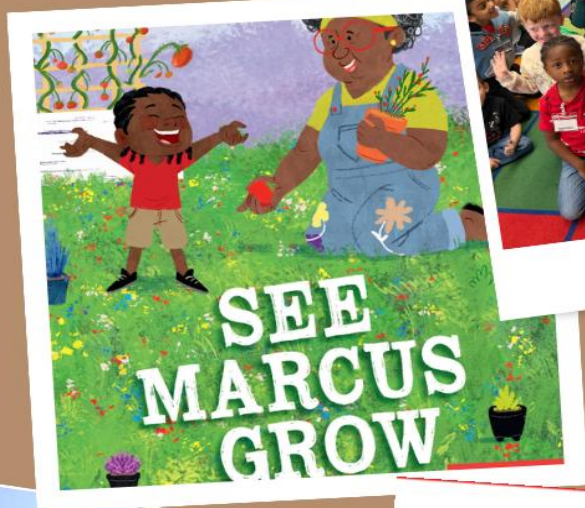




**Topics one girl 11 glow
games, math review**



**Glow games, math review for
topics 1- 11**





**We care for the cutest
shamrocks in the patch**



**HAPPY
ST. PATRICK'S
DAY**

Paraprofessional Shenanigans

Have a Wonderful Spring Break!

TEGA UN MARAVILLOSO VACACIONES DE PRIMAVERA!



GEN YON BEL REPO PRENTANI!



The background of the entire poster is a vibrant purple. At the top, there are three Mardi Gras masks: two gold with intricate designs and one green with a simple eye cutout. They are surrounded by colorful beads in green, gold, and purple, along with yellow and green feathers. Yellow streamers are also visible. The text is arranged in a central, slightly curved layout.

CHE MARDI GRAS DANCE

TICKETS ARE LIMITED

MARCH 6TH, 6:30PM-8:30PM

TICKETS \$4 PER PERSON | MUST PRE-PURCHASE ONLINE | ALL CHILDREN AND ADULTS REQUIRE A TICKET

PIZZA IS PRE-ORDER ONLY \$2 SLICE OR \$16 WHOLE PIE

PIZZA AND DANCE TICKET PRE-ORDERS MUST BE PLACED ONLINE BETWEEN
02/18-02/28

PURCHASE TICKETS DANCE TICKETS AND PIZZA:
WWW.COUNTRYHILLSELEM.MEMBERHUB.COM/STORE

SCAN HERE



NO ADDITIONAL PIZZA WILL BE SOLD ONSITE! VISIT OUR 5TH GRADE TABLE FOR WATER, POPCORN, AND SWEET TREATS! CASH ONLY

PURCHASE ASAP-WILL SELL OUT! PURCHASED TICKETS WILL NOT BE COMING HOME PRIOR TO THE EVENT

DUE TO CAPACITY LIMITATIONS, NO ONE WILL BE ALLOWED ENTRY WITHOUT A PRE-PURCHASED TICKET

FESTIVE GREEN, GOLD, OR PURPLE ATTIRE IS SUGGESTED, BUT NOT REQUIRED. KIDS CAN CRAFT THEIR OWN MASK AT THE DANCE.

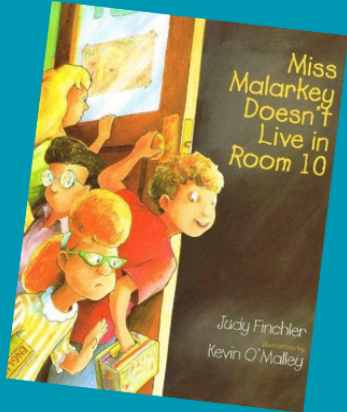
LOCATION: COUNTRY HILLS ELEMENTARY CAFETERIA

THE VISITING AUTHOR KEVIN O'MALLEY

THURSDAY, MARCH 26th

We are pleased to announce that author Kevin O'Malley will be visiting "The Hills" on Thursday, March 26, 2026 to celebrate his work. We will have assemblies for all classes, as well as an evening event that families may attend from 6:30pm - 7:30pm.

Please see the attached list of his books that may be pre-ordered through PTA's MemberHub Store. ALL pre-ordered books will be signed by the author and sent home day after his visit.



**Happy Reading!
Mrs. Cuadra and PTA**



Author Visit with Kevin O'Malley

Pre-Order Until March 13, 2026

***Books will be ordered through PTA's Memberhub store.
They will be sent home after Mr. O'Malley signs them.**

<https://countryhillselem.memberhub.com/store>



Title of Book	Ages	Price
The Birthday Pet	2-7	\$8.67 (Paperback)
Planets in Our Solar System	4-8	\$7.19 (Paperback)
Miss Malarkey Doesn't Live in Room 10	4-9	\$7.99 (Paperback)
Miss Malarkey Leaves No Reader Behind	4-9	\$8.99 (Paperback)

QUESTIONS, EMAIL US AT COUNTRYHILLSELEMPPTA@GMAIL.COM

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION FOR ELECTRIC MICROMOBILITY DEVICES

The City of Coral Springs Commission amended ordinance 2025-11, to allow the operation of motorized e-scooters and e-bikes on sidewalks at a safe speed:

DO's



- **DO** ride your bicycle, e-scooter, or micromobility device on sidewalks and bike paths — if you're going 15 mph or less.
- **DO** slow down to 5 mph and yield when you're within 25 feet of a pedestrian.
- **DO** use wheelchairs or mobility devices if you have a physical impairment — also limited to 15 mph.

15 MPH or LESS on sidewalk or bike path



[CORALSPRINGS.GOV](https://www.coral Springs.gov)

DON'Ts



- **DON'T** ride mopeds, gopeds, or any gas-powered motorized vehicle on sidewalks or bike paths — these are still banned.
- **DON'T** speed! Going over 15 mph on sidewalks is not allowed, even with an electric scooter or bike.
- **DON'T** ignore pedestrians! You must yield and slow down to 5 MPH for them every time.
- **E-scooters, e-bikes, gopeds, mopeds, and similar devices CANNOT be operated on any sidewalk or path within city parks.**



Scan here to watch an informational video on the new ordinance!

OUT-OF-FIELD PARENT NOTIFICATION
for
COUNTRY HILLS ELEMENTARY

1/28/2026

Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s):

Our professional teachers are continuously working on professional development to develop their teaching skills and to increase their levels of content expertise.

We are recognizing teachers at COUNTRY HILLS ELEMENTARY who are expanding their expertise beyond their current certification by pursuing college coursework and/or training sessions to become certified or endorsed in another/other subject(s).

In order to remain in this/these assignment(s), the teacher(s) will successfully complete required training within 12 months of the assignment or, if teaching the primary English or Reading class to identified limited English proficient students, in accordance with the Multicultural Education Training Advocacy (META) timeline.

These teachers are:

Last Name	First Name	Out-of-Field For
BERCILES	LANI	ESOL
HARRINGTON	LINDSEY	ESOL
KAREFF	JACQLYN	ELEMENTARY EDUCATION

Last Name	First Name	Out-of-Field For
ROJAS	VANESA	ESOL
SYMONETTE	DUSTIN	ESOL



**is putting 'Sno'
in the forecast at**

Country Hills Elementary

During recess on

Friday, March 27th

Scan the code or go to

che-snoball-days.square.site

Pre-pay online.

Deadline 7:00 pm March 26th



Country Hills Elementary Sneaker Drive

We're collecting NEW or
gently USED sneakers
to help those in need!

Hosted by our School
Social Worker
Mrs. Ortiz & PTA

Every pair
makes a
difference!



Drop-Off Location: Front Office

Dates: March 30 – April 2

Let's make every
step count!





SAFERWATCH

Alyssa's Alert



Report Crime and
Suspicious Activity



Receive Emergency
Alerts



Anonymously Submit
a Tip



Mobile Duress Alert App