



# Week at the creek

April 15, 2024



Congratulations to our **MATILDA, JR.** cast for a great run on their production!

This week we begin with Progress Monitoring Testing in grades K, 1st, 2nd. Please visit our website for [Testing Information](#), including testing calendars for all grade levels. It is very important that all students are at school, have had a good night's sleep, and a good breakfast on their testing dates.

Looking forward to another great Week at the Creek!



## APRIL

4/19 NO SCHOOL: Teacher/Student Holiday  
4/22 PDQ School Spirit Night  
4/23 Interim Reports Issued

## MAY

5/1 School Principal's Day  
5/3 Food Service Appreciation Day  
5/6 PTO Monthly Meeting @ 3:30PM  
5/7 SAC Monthly Meeting @ 4:00PM  
5/6-5/10 Staff Appreciation Week  
5/8 National School Nurse Day  
5/24 Report Cards Issued  
5/24 Last Day of School; 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter Ends  
5/24 EARLY RELEASE

## Lunch Menu: Week Of 4/15

Breakfast is \$1.75; Lunch \$3.25

### Monday

- Chicken Nuggets
- Turney Ham Lunchable
- Max Cheesesticks

### Tuesday

- Hot Dog
- Mac and Cheese

### Wednesday

- BBQ Chicken Quesadilla
- Grilled Cheese Sandwich
- Hamburger

### Thursday

- Cheese Pizza or Pepperoni Pizza
- Mini Corn Dogs

### Friday

- NO SCHOOL

ALL LUNCH ACCOUNTS MUST BE CURRENT.



## HCE Lunch Visits

### April Lunch Visits

Please note that there are **NO** photos or videotaping allowed in our cafeteria.

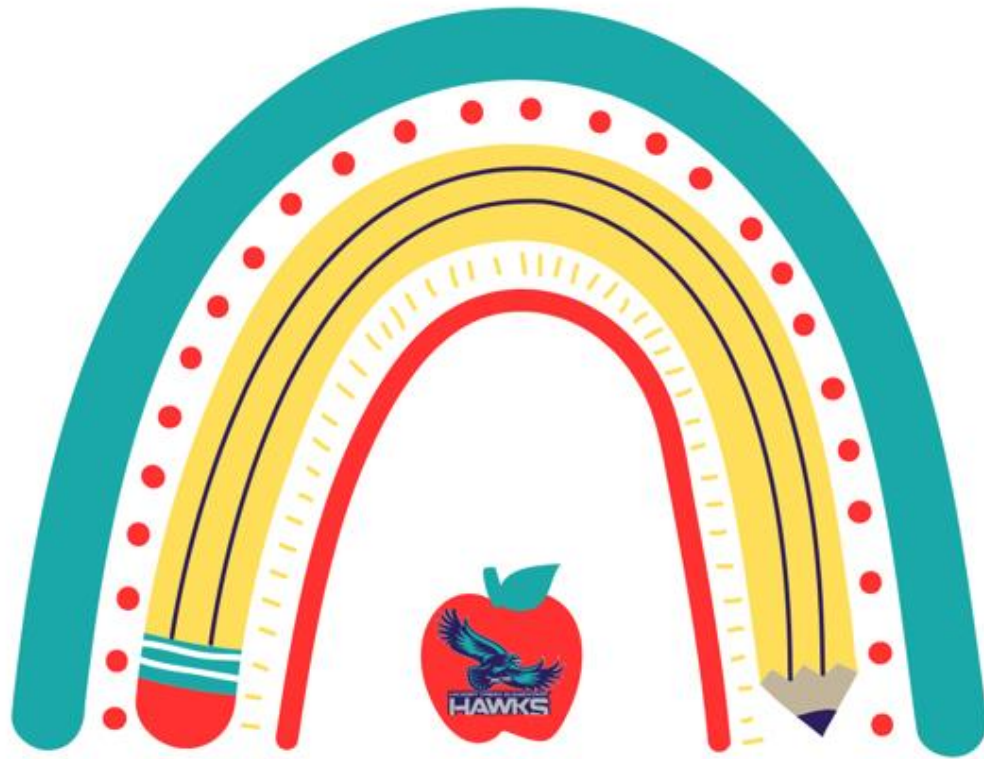
Some students are on a do not photograph list. Please honor this request.

Please know that to participate you **MUST** be a cleared volunteer. If you have not had a chance to fill out our access form, please do so now at:

<https://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/volunteer/>.

Please follow the directions on the HCE Lunch Visit sign up.

We look forward to your visit.



# Teacher Appreciation Week 5/6 - 5/10

HELP US THANK OUR TEACHERS FOR  
BEING AWESOME!

**Volunteers are needed for the planning committee.**

If interested, contact us at [hcepto05@yahoo.com](mailto:hcepto05@yahoo.com) or  
[Facebook.com/HickoryCreekElementary](https://www.facebook.com/HickoryCreekElementary).

*Virtual meeting attendance is available*

# JOIN THE PTO BOARD



## OPEN POSITIONS

- RECORDING SECRETARY
- BUSINESS PARTNER CHAIR
- HOLIDAY SHOP CHAIR 
- MEMBERSHIP COORDINATOR



Contact us for more info at:  
[hcepto05@yahoo.com](mailto:hcepto05@yahoo.com) or  
[Facebook.com/HickoryCreekElementary](https://www.facebook.com/HickoryCreekElementary)

# School Spirit



# night

**March 25th & April 22nd**  
**4pm - 8pm**

**PDQ @ 194 N State Rd. 13**

A percentage of sales will go directly back to the school. Please mention Hickory Creek at checkout.



# END OF YEAR REMINDERS

## Cafeteria Lunch Accounts

All lunch accounts **MUST** be current by the end of the year. If you have questions or inquiries about your child's lunch account, please contact our Cafeteria Manager Cindy Murrell at [Cynthia.H.Murrell@stjohns.k12.fl.us](mailto:Cynthia.H.Murrell@stjohns.k12.fl.us).

## Media Center Returns

All Library Books are due on May 1<sup>st</sup>. Please turn in your books on time to avoid replacement fees.



## Birthday Treats

Families can bring in birthday and holiday treats that are prepackaged, store bought, and/or boxed items. Please do not send in homemade treats. Please contact the teacher 24 hours prior to bringing in any edible treats. The treat must be pre-approved by the teacher for potential allergens. The safety and health of all students is a priority.



## Home Access Center



The Home Access Center (HAC) is a web-based application and where you will find transportation information, student data, student grades, and how you will access your student's report card.

Please visit the website below to access to sign up for an account:

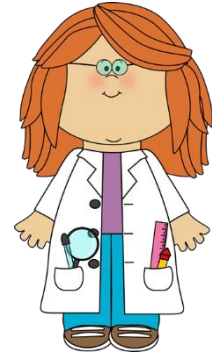
<https://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/hac/>.

An advertisement for the FORTIFYFL app. On the left, there is a red square logo with a white megaphone icon. To its right, the text reads 'FORTIFYFL' in large red letters, followed by 'SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY REPORTING APP' in smaller blue letters. Below this, it says '#FORTIFYFL' and 'GETFORTIFYFL.COM' in red. There are two buttons: 'Download on the App Store' and 'GET IT ON Google play'. At the bottom left are logos for St. Johns County, the Florida Department of Education, and the Florida Department of Transportation. On the right, a smartphone displays the app's interface, which includes a blue header with the FORTIFYFL logo, a description of the app, and several icons for 'Report a Tip', 'Call 911', 'My Tips', 'About', and 'Settings'.

# ILLNESS and prevention Guidelines

Flu season is upon us, it is very important to follow the [SJCS D illness and prevention guidelines](#). Please do not send a student to school if they have any of the following symptoms:

- Fever of 100.4 or greater
- Chills
- General tiredness or not feeling good
- Frequent congested (wet) or croup-sounding cough
- Lots of nasal congestion with frequent blowing of nose
- Vomiting (even just once)
- Diarrhea
- Stomach pain that is accompanied by repeated vomiting or diarrhea. Note: if your child complains of stomach pain for several days, you should call your doctor for advice.
- Symptoms of cold or flu



Our students and staff thank you for your help in keeping everyone healthy!

**Please note**, in order to sign-in to our lobby computer as a volunteer, you **MUST** be a cleared volunteer and you **MUST** have a driver's license. Please follow the directions posted on the computer to sign in.

Ruth, our receptionist, can also help.

Please visit our site regarding school access:

<https://www-hce.stjohns.k12.fl.us/>

## MEDIA CENTER CORNER

**TO access our SSYRA Lists:**

[SSYRA Junior Book List \(K-2\)](#)

[SSYRA Book List \(3-5\)](#)

**search  
Library  
catalog here:**



**submit a  
purchase  
recommendation  
here:**



**ACCESS  
Individualized  
Library PLAN  
Info here:**



S P M S W I N T E R G U A R D

# GUARD



**BLACK DANCE ATTIRE OR COMFORTABLE, BLACK BOTTOMS AND SHIRT.**

**HAIR SECURED IN A PONY TAIL, BUN OR BRAIDS.**

**NO FRIENDS OR FAMILY WILL BE PERMITTED IN THE GYM DURING AUDITIONS; THIS IS A CLOSED AUDITION PROCESS.**

**PLEASE BRING A SNACK AND A DRINK (YOUR DRINK MUST HAVE A LID).**

**YOU WILL ALSO NEED TO BRING THE FOLLOWING FORMS, WHICH SHOULD BE DELIVERED TO ARIEL GIBSON (SPMS SCHOOL SPONSOR) THE FIRST DAY OF TRYOUTS. IF THE FORMS ARE NOT COMPLETED, THE STUDENT WILL NOT BE ABLE TO PARTICIPATE IN TRYOUTS.**

- PARENT INFORMATION AND APPROVAL SHEET

- STUDENT PROFILE/BIO SHEET

- TEACHER RECOMMENDATION SHEET FOR MATH, SCIENCE, SOCIAL STUDIES AND LANGUAGE ARTS.

**YOU WILL NEED TO MAKE ADDITIONAL COPIES AND DELIVER TO EACH OF YOUR ACADEMIC TEACHERS WHO WILL RETURN THEM BACK TO ARIEL GIBSON OR DAWN EVANS (LEAVE AT THE FRONT DESK AT SPMS).**

## TRY OUTS SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY 4/24  
2-5PM

THURSDAY 4/25  
2-5PM

WEDNESDAY 5/1  
2-5PM

THURSDAY 5/2  
2-5PM

VISIT OUR WEBSITE <https://www-raider.stjohns.k12.fl.us/winterguard-2/>