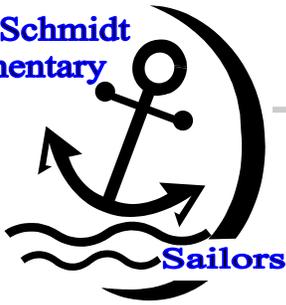


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CAPTAIN'S LOG



Preparing

Students For Life

- S** Safety First
- A** Always Responsible
- I** I Care Attitude
- L** Listen Well
- O** On Task
- R** Respect Others

IMPORTANT DATES

December

12/2 - Jack Hartman Concert

12/9 - SAC meeting and PTA board meeting

12/10 - Limo ride from fundraiser event

12/13 - NO EARLY RELEASE

12/20-1/3 - Winter Holidays

1/4/2022 - Students return to school



Dear Parents,

This year has been challenging in so many ways. It's hard to believe we will be welcoming the New Year soon. Unfortunately, the annual Holiday Concert will not take place or our annual Santa pictures in the media center. We are slowing getting back to normal so hopefully next year we will have a chorus and concerts again. The last day of the quarter will be December 17th which marks the halfway point of this school year.

Staff Recognition- The Florida Department of Education & Macy's Teacher of the Year Program celebrates the contributions of classroom teachers who demonstrate a superior capacity to inspire and improve the learning of students of all backgrounds and abilities. It is with great pleasure that I announce **Ms. Bethany Simmons as our Teacher of the Year nominee.**

Ida S. Baker Diversity Award is given to an educator who embodies the pioneering spirit of Ms. Ida Baker. Educators are recognized for going above and beyond to meet the needs of our diverse student population. It is with great pleasure that I announce **Ms. Martha Carrillo (Lopez) as our Ida S. Baker nominee.**

The Instructional Support Employee of the Year program honors outstanding instructional support personnel for their contributions to their schools and communities. Support employees enhance the educational experience of the children whose lives they touch, and are essential to the successful operation of a school. It is with great pleasure that I announce **Ms. Kayla Dupuis-Kerrick, as our Instructional Support Employee of the Year.**

To date, our school district has invested close to 300 million into our schools, thanks to the Education Referendum—with more than \$130 million of those funds staying right here in our community, working with local businesses to improve the learning environment in our schools. We are thankful to the taxpayers of Hillsborough County for helping make the much-needed improvements to our teaching and learning environments. Learn more at <https://www.hillsboroughschools.org/coc>

As the year 2021 comes to an end and we prepare for our winter break, I want to wish all our school families a safe and happy holiday. I look forward to 2022!

Jan Kelly, Principal

Strive to arrive by 7:35



Hello Schmidt Sailors,

I can't believe it is December already. We are almost half-way through the school year. We have had many exciting things going on in the library. We did our SLAM kick-offs last month, and the kids are eagerly checking out SLAM books to earn brag tags and other prizes.

Grades 3-5 are still digging deep into our Blind Book Challenge. The goal of this challenge is to encourage students to read at least half of the book before deciding they don't like it. Any students who complete the challenge will have their name entered into a raffle for a prize basket.

December is a month for giving. Each class is given the gift of time to visit the library for a lesson on fiction vs. nonfiction.

Please be on the look-out for a winter reading challenge when your student comes home for Winter Break.

Happy Reading!

Mrs. Lugo

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A Helping Hand From Our Social



Gift OF HOPE

Help with Christmas

Registration for Gift of Hope starts

November 1-19 and November 29-December 3

Location and Hours of Service

ECHO of Brandon

507 N. Parsons Ave., Brandon

Monday - Friday | 9am-2pm

Tuesday evenings | 5 -7pm

ECHO of Riverview

7807 Capitano St., Riverview

Monday - Friday | 9am-1pm

**NEW EVENT
LOCATION**

**NEW HOPE
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**
213 NORTH KNIGHTS AVENUE,
BRANDON, FL. 33510

Required documents: Valid photo ID, Proof of address, social security card for self and all children

Serving neighbors in the following zip codes: 33510, 33511, 33527, 33584, 33592, 33594, 33596, 33610, 33534, 33547, 33569, 33578, 33579, 33619



Gift OF HOPE

Ayuda con la Navidad

Registro para - Gift of Hope comienza

Del 1 al 19 de noviembre y del 29 de noviembre al 3 de diciembre

Lugares y horarios de registro

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IMPORTANT INFO

Have you recently moved, changed your phone number/email? If so, please contact the office so we can update information on your student's emergency card. You may email us at:

Kathiejo.gavin@hcps.net or

kayla.dupuis-kerrick@hcps.net



Update
Contact Info

VISITOR PROCEDURES

Please note at this time there will be no visitor's allowed on campus due to COVID. This is for the safety of all students and staff.

We appreciate your help with this, and apologize for any inconvenience this may cause.

NOTICE



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