

Fruit Cove Middle School "THE PILOT"



Weekly Newsletter

March 9, 2018

The Character Counts pillar for the month of March is trustworthiness.

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"HOME OF THE FLYERS"

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Our Mission

Fruit Cove Middle School will inspire in all students a passion for lifelong learning, creating educated and caring contributors to the world.



News from Guidance

6th and 7th grade students— Elective forms and Course Recommendation forms were sent home this week. Forms need to be completed, signed and returned by March 15th to the home-room teacher.

8th grade students— The Creekside High School guidance counselors will be on our campus registering students on March 19th, 20th, and 21st during U.S. History classes. Look for information to be coming home soon.

For those students who will be attending Bartram Trail High School, registration will be taking place on the middle school campus March 22nd.

If you have any questions about the process, please contact your child's guidance counselor, Ms. Harrill or Ms. Melian.

Report Cards

The last day of the third quarter is March 15th. Report cards will be posted online March 23rd.

Daylight Savings

Do not forget to set your clocks forward 1 hour this Saturday night.



March 13th
8th Grade Night at
Creekside 6pm

March 16th
Teacher Planning Day
No School

March 19th through
21st
Creekside Registration

March 20th
Spring Pictures

March 22nd
Bartram Trail
Registration

March 26th through
30th
Spring Break

School Hours

7:50am-2:00pm

Wednesday Dismissal
@ 1:00pm

The building is open
from 7:15am to
3:15pm.

Science Textbook Update



The St. Johns County School District took action on February 13, 2018, to adopt science instructional materials. A complete list of the adopted materials is available on the [SJCSJ Instructional Materials website](#). A petition period for parents and residents of St. Johns County is open from February 14 to March 15, 2018. Petition process information is also available on the [SJCSJ Instructional Materials website](#). Questions may be directed to the SJCSJ Instructional Resources Office at 904.547.3947.

Florida State Assessments



We completed the FSA Writing Assessment this week for all grade levels. Our next round of state testing will begin April 16th with 6th Grade Reading. The complete schedule of state testing is posted below.

FCMS Spring State Testing Schedule by Grade Level / Test

Grade 6		Grade 7		Grade 8	
FSA Writing	March 6th	FSA Writing	March 6th	FSA Writing	March 1st & 2nd
FSA Reading	April 16th & 17th	FSA Reading	April 19th & 20th	FSA Reading	April 23rd & 24th
FSA Math	May 3rd & 4th	FSA Math	April 30th & May 1st	FSA Math	April 26th & 27th
		Algebra EOC	May 8th & 9th	State Science Assessment	May 2nd
		Civics EOC	May 10th or 11th	Algebra EOC	May 8th & 9th
				Geometry EOC	May 8th & 9th

Running of the Knights!

Running of the Knights is a 5K run/walk at Creekside coming up on May 11th. Proceeds from the Creekside and Fruit Cove Middle School running program here at members count too!



For each registered Fruit Cove \$10 will go to supporting the run-FCMS. Fruit Cove family

Awards

1-Mile Fun Run

Top three finishers male
Top three finishers female

5K & Centipede Race

Top male and female awards
Course record breaker male
& female

Age group awards male & female

Centipede Team Awards

Entry Fees

5K & Centipede: \$30 Jan

1st - Apr 27 & \$35

between Apr 28 - May 11

1-Mile Fun Run: \$15

Custom T-Shirt for all
pre-registered
participants.

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For more information and to register go to:
www.runningoftheknights.com