



What's Going ON Activities Calendar

This list of Activities is from newest to oldest within the given school year. This is for informational purposes only. If you have any question or concerns, please contact your student's teacher.

Color Codes = [SAC/SAF – **RED**], [Field Trips - **BLACK**], [Clubs – **BLUE**], [Holidays - **YELLOW**], [Testing – **GREEN**], [PTA – **ORANGE**]
[School Activities – **PURPLE**]

- **Month of March 2024**

03/20: Fifth Grade Field Trip: Universal Studios – Photos soon
03/15: Third Grade Field Trip: Lion Country Safari – Photos soon
03/13: Second Grade Field Trip: Old Davie School House – Photos soon

- **Month of February 2024**

2/1: Quarter 2 Report Cards Go Home
2/2: **Second Grade Field Trip: Gabie Science Bus - Photos**
2/5: FTE Week
2/5: **First Grade Field Trip: Parker Playhouse – Photos**
2/6: **SAC/SAF Meeting Media Center 7:30am**
2/7: **Valentine's Day Gram Orders Due**
2/13: Interim Reports Go Home
2/13: **Valentine Gram Delivery**
2/14: Early Release
2/14: **Day of Service and Love – Photos**
2/15-16: **Kindergarten Round Up - Flyer**
2/16: **Fifth Grade Field Trip: Coral Springs MS - Photos**
2/16: **PTA Movie Under the Stars - Photos**
2/19: No School
2/21: **Robotics Competition - Photos**
2/22—2/23: **Fourth Grade Field Trip: St. Augustine - Photos**
2/23: **Fifth Grade Field Trip: JA Biz Town - Photos**
2/28: **Publix Math Night - Photos**
2/29: **Kindergarten Field Trip: Safety Town – Photos**

- **Month of January 2024**

1/8: **5th Grade Intergalactic Adventures Field Trip—On Campus - Photos**
1/9: **SAC/SAF Meeting Media Center 7:30am**
1/15: **Martin Luther King Jr. Day**, No School
1/19: End of Q2—Early Release 12 noon
1/22: Employee Planning Day—No School
1/23: **Q3 Begins**

- **Month of December 2023**

12/2: **Robotics Competition**
12/4: **K SEAS Field Trip**
12/4: **K & 2nd Grade STAR Reading Testing**
12/4-12/8: **Holiday Shop**
12/5: **SAC/SAF Meeting, 7:30 AM Media Center**
12/5: **K & 2nd Grade STAR Math Testing**
12/6: **1st Grade STAR Reading Testing**
12/7: **1st Grade STAR Math Testing**
12/11: **Grades 3-5 FAST Math Testing**
12/12: **Grades 3-5 FAST Reading Testing**

12/15: 1st Grade Field Day 8:30-10:30
12/15: 4th Grade Field Day 11am – 1pm
12/18: K Field Day 8:30-10:30
12/18: 3rd Grade Field Day 11am – 1pm
12/18: 4th Grade Forensic Science Field Trip
12/19: 2nd Grade Field Day 8:30-10:30
12/19: 5th Grade Field Day 11am – 1pm
12/20: Polar Express—PJ Day
12/21: Student of the Month Ceremonies 3rd-8:20; 4th-8:50; 5th-9:20
12/23-1/7: **Winter Break**

- **Month of November 2023**

11/7: Employee Planning—No School for Students
11/7: Election Day
11/8: **SAC/SAF Meeting, 7:30 AM Media Center**
11/8: 5th Grade (Berkowitz, Bookman, & Sanchez) Field Trip— Johnathan Dickson State Park - Photos
11/10: **Veteran's Day— No School** - Photos
11/14: Report Cards Issued
11/15: 5th Grade (Burby & Russow) Field Trip—Johnathan Dickson State Park - Photos
11/17: **Parkside Thanksgiving Luncheon (10am-1:08pm) Photos**
11/20 - 11/24: Thanksgiving Break— Schools Closed
11/28: **Oct/Nov Student of the Month Ceremony 8:20 am**

- **Month of October 2023**

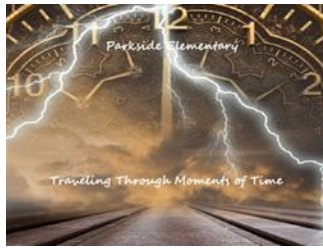
10/02: **Robotics Competition - Photos**
10/3: **SAC/SAF Meeting, 7:30 AM Media Center**
10/9 –10/13: FTE Week—School Funding dependent on attendance
10/17: 3rd Grade Panther San Field Trip - Photos
10/17: **Student of the Month Ceremony 8:20am - Photos**
10/23: Early Release Day—12 noon dismissal
10/23: End of 1st Quarter
10/23-10/31: **Red Ribbon Wek - Photos**
10/24: Employee Planning—No School for Students
10/25: 4th Grade Everglades Field Trip - Photos
10/31: **Halloween Parade 8:30am - Photos**
10/31: **PTA Sponsored Halloween Dance – Photos**

- **Month of September 2023**

9/4: No School—Labor Day
9/6: **SAC/SAF Meeting, 6 PM**
9/5: **1st Grade STAR Reading Testing**
9/6: **PK-2 Open House, 6:30 PM**
9/6: **1st Grade STAR Math Testing**
9/11– 9/22: **PTA Fall Popcorn Fundraiser - Photos**
9/12 **3-5 FAST Math Testing**
9/13 **3-5 FAST Reading Testing**
9/13: **Fall Class Pictures - Photos**
9/13: **3-5 Open House, 6:30 PM**
9/25: **No School—Yom Kippur**

Month of August 2023

8/20: First Day of School



Links to our Panther Paws Newsletter.

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COPY of Flyers 2023 – 2024 and Web Poasts

St. Augustine Field Trip 4th Grade



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**Day Of Service & Love
Valentine's Day 3rd Grade**



Day Of Service & Love Valentine's Day 3rd Grade



Day Of Service & Love Valentine's Day 2nd Grade



Day of Service and Love



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Coral Springs Middle School Field Trip 5th Grade



Miracle Ranch Field Trip Grade 1



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Polar Express PJ Day Christmas Holiday



Polar Express Day—This will be held on Wednesday, December 20th. This is always PJ day, and we will serve Hot Cocoa in the cafe.

PTA will provide cups and marshmallows. School provides the hot cocoa. Polar Express will play in cafe and then on the system the remainder of the day.

Fire Truck and we will try to get Santa here as well.



JA Biz Town





Parkside Elementary
 5th Grade - Jonathan Dickinson State Park

Parkside 2023 Thanksgiving Luncheon

On Friday, November 17, 2023, Parkside Elementary held its Thanksgiving Family Luncheon! We are so grateful for all of our families and were delighted to share this time with you! Mr. Mena play the most delightful live music while families joined classrooms for an afternoon of great food and cheer. Our cafeteria manager, Ms. Battie and her team work hard to ensure that the check-out process went nice and smooth! Ms. Hall and Ms. Rivera were our very special elves who worked diligently preparing the adult meals throughout the entire day! We hope everyone enjoyed the special day at Parkside last month and we look forward to many more Thanksgiving gatherings in the future.



Red Ribbon Week "2023"
October 23rd-31st



Theme: "Powered By A Drug-Free Mind"

During Red Ribbon Week our school will focus on educating students about the dangers of drugs and encouraging them to lead healthier lives. Staff and students are encouraged to participate in these fun and meaningful theme days.

Monday, October 23rd- "Too Bright to do Drugs"

- Staff and students dress in bright colors.

Wednesday, October 25th- "Be a HERO and stand up to bullying and say NO to drugs!"

- Staff and students wear superhero shirts or dress like a person who inspires you (ex: parents, fireman, military, teacher, nurse, coach).

Thursday, October 26th- "Sock it to Drugs!"

- Staff and students wear crazy or mismatched socks.

Friday, October 27th- "Love not Drugs"

- Staff and students wear pink or red to show love.

Monday, October 30th- "Scare Drugs Away"

- Staff and students wear a spooky shirt.

Tuesday- October 31st- "Drugs are Scary...Stay Away!"

- Staff and students wear Halloween costumes and participate in school-wide Halloween parade.

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Parkside's Annual Food Drive!

Parkside Harvest Drive

FOOD DRIVE TO HELP
THOSE IN NEED

10/03/2023 - 10/27/2023

Harvest Drive Non-Perishable Items by Grade

**Please Note: No Glass Jars

- Pre-K/Kindergarten: Instant Oatmeal, Canned Fruit/Fruit Cups, Apple Sauce, Canned Gravy/Gravy Packets,
- 1st Grade: Pancake Mix, Syrup, Boxed Rice/Bag of Rice, Boxed Pasta/Bag of Pasta, Boxed Mashed Potatoes
- 2nd Grade: Ramen Noodles, Cookies, Crackers, Canned Chicken/Canned Tuna
- 3rd Grade: Microwarable Snacks (e.g. Popcorn), Macaroni & Cheese, Pop Tarts, Peanut Butter, Jelly
- 4th Grade: Boxed Stuffing, Kids Cereal (e.g. Tru, Captain Crunch), Brownie Mix, Cake Mix, Canned Beans/Bag of Beans
- 5th Grade: Body Soap/Body Wash, Laundry Detergent, Ranch Dressing Packets/Tulcan Dressing Packets, Canned Soup, Any Canned Vegetables

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Parkside Elementary

Parkside Halloween 2023

1st Grade



Parkside Halloween 2023

Kindergarten



Parkside Halloween 2023



Kindergarten Round-Up

Parkside Elementary



*If you have a preschooler turning 5 before September 1, 2023, please join us for one of our Kindergarten Round-Ups.

Revised

Thursday April 27, 2023, at 6:30 pm

Or

Friday, April 28, 2023, at 8:30 am

At the Round-Up you will:

- Learn about a typical Kindergarten day
- Learn about Kindergarten expectations & curriculum
 - Visit the Kindergarten classrooms
- Find out how to register for Kindergarten



WORKING TOGETHER TO MAKE CHILDREN SAFE SWIMMERS

WHY...

- Drowning is the #1 cause of unintentional deaths for children 1 to 4 years of age
- 54% of adult Americans can not swim well enough to save themselves in an emergency.
- CDC reports for every 1 fatality, 8 people are impacted by a non-fatal drowning.

THE IMPACT...

- The Every Child a Swimmer program provides swim lesson scholarships to low income families.
- Every child who receives a scholarship will acquire the skills to save themselves in an emergency.
- The Every Child a Swimmer legislation provides water safety education to families.

The Every Child a Swimmer program believes that by working together to improve water competency - which includes swimming skills, water safety knowledge and helping others, water activities can be safer and just as much fun.

TOGETHER, WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

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FREE




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Apply for a FREE Swim
Coupon!**

- + Coupons are available to Broward County residents and can be renewed yearly
- + Scan the QR code below to apply for the free \$40 swim coupon or visit watersmartbroward.org



Water Smart Broward offers low or no cost swimming lessons for children ages 6 months to 8 years old.

Drownings are quick and silent

-  Drownings can happen in as little as a few seconds. Children who drown generally do not scream, splash or struggle.
-  There are multiple layers of protection that can help prevent childhood drownings. These include door/window alarms, pool fences and gates.
-  Many drownings occur when a child leaves the house undetected. It is important to keep close and constant supervision.

