



THE SPOTLIGHT

OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF ST. PETERSBURG CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

11/08/2024



HEAR FROM THE HEADMASTER

SPCS Families,

This week we kicked off our annual Operation Christmas Child Project. Since 1993, Samaritan's Purse has collected and delivered over 220 million gift-filled shoeboxes to children in more than 170 countries and territories. The world's largest Christmas project of its kind, Operation Christmas Child, uses gift-filled shoeboxes to demonstrate God's love in a tangible way to children in need around the world. Please join us as we take this great opportunity to bless children we may never see.

Also, next Wednesday we will host members of the military for a very special chapel service to pay tribute to them and also educate our students on the purpose of the armed forces. We invite you to join us in the gym at 8:30.

"Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." 2 Corinthians 9:7

In Him,
Bobby Hunter

UPCOMING EVENTS

Veterans Day Chapel
11/13/24

Patriotic Jeans Day
11/10/24

Dad's Bible Study
11/14/24

Operation Christmas Child Chapel
11/20/24

Thanksgiving Holidays
11/25/24 - 11/29/24

Christmas Production
12/10/24

1ST GRADE MYSTERY READER

Mrs. Cunningham joined Mrs. Hunter's class as the November Mystery Reader. She read the book *How to Catch a Turkey* and dressed for the occasion! She brought some props to share with the students too.



1ST GRADE TURKEY PROJECT

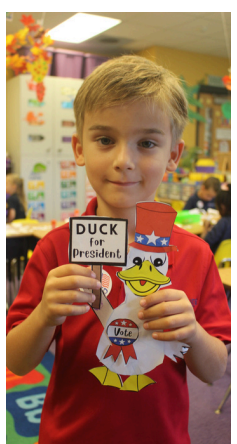
First grade's annual turkey in disguise project produced some unique creations! Check some of them out!



ELECTION DAY FUN

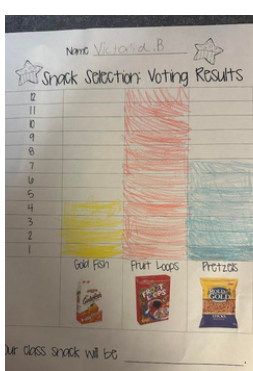
DORSETT
MISS.

OREOS BEAT OUT CHOCOLATE CHIP COOKIES



HUNTER
MRS.

THE POPULAR VOTE WAS FRUIT LOOPS! THE OTHER CHOICES WERE PRETZELS AND GOLDFISH.



KOON
MRS.

THE POPULAR VOTE WAS SUGAR COOKIES! THE OTHER TWO COOKIES WERE CHOCOLATE CHIP AND OREOS.



Patriotic Jeans Day

11/13/24



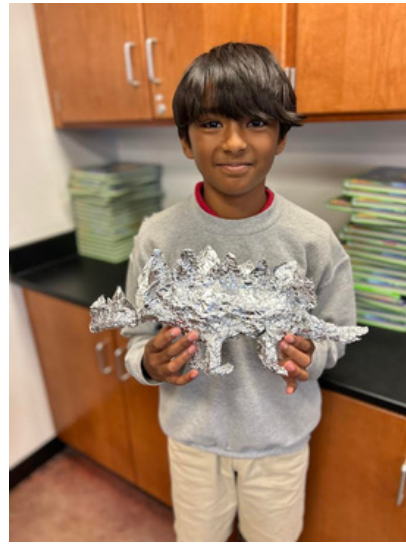
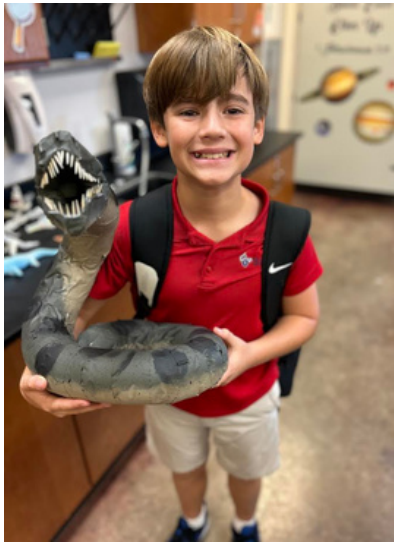
2ND GRADE FIELD TRIP

Second Grade stepped back in time to 1892 in Florida. They visited a one-room schoolhouse, the general store, the apothecary, and other buildings on their field trip to Cracker Country. They even got to see and hear a Florida Cracker (rancher) cracking his whip to call the cows home! They loved everything about the trip, but most of all, they enjoyed purchasing goods from the general store!



6TH GRADE SCIENCE

It was dinosaur week in 6th grade! Students selected a dinosaur to research and explored the characteristics of their subject. Students then compared those traits with other dinosaurs chosen by their classmates. Students wrapped up their projects by making unique 3D models.



NJHS OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD KICKOFF

National Junior Honor Society members officially kicked off our annual Operation Christmas Child Outreach in Chapel this week. Since 2015, our school has sent 2,831 boxes to kids all over the world and we hope to send another 300 boxes this year! Click the link below for more info!



Boxes DUE Wednesday 11/20/24

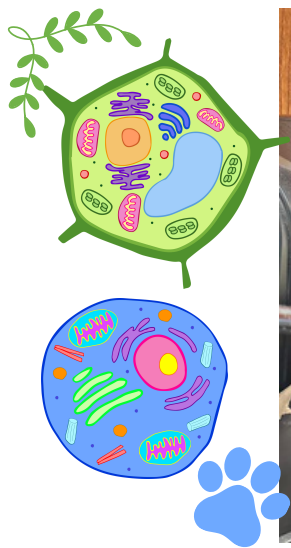
Help us REACH our goal of 300 boxes

[CLICK HERE for shoebox instructions](#)



7TH GRADE SCIENCE

During their exploration of the differences between plant and animal cells, students viewed different dry slide samples under the microscope. They learned how to determine the difference in cell shape and structure and discussed this with their lab partners. Then they compared the two types of cells and recorded those observations in their lab journals.



We Need A Little Christmas

TUESDAY - DECEMBER 10, 2024 - 6:30



2ND GRADE SCIENCE

Science CAN be fun! They made ice cream and there was a whole lot of shaking goin' on! Their lima bean seeds sprouted into young seedlings and continue to grow. They have green thumbs!



WINTER SPORTS UPDATE

Congratulations to those chosen for the 2024-2025 teams!

VARSITY CHEERLEADING



5th Grade
 Carolina C.
 Chloe G.
 Skyler H.
 Violet J.
 Makenzie M.

6th Grade
 Bailey B.
 Georgia D.
 Stella R.

7th Grade
 Kady D.
 Izzy F.
 Jasmin H.
 Keeleigh R.
 Sophie S.

8th Grade
 Kenley A.
 Emma M.
 Monica N.
 D'yanna S.

BOYS BASKETBALL

JUNIOR VARSITY

5th Grade

Elijah B.
 Austin H.

6th Grade

Daniel C. Carl M.
 Dylan C. Jayden N.
 Kash C. Isaac R.
 Jackson F. Eli S.
 Chase H. Jaydon S.

VARSITY

7th Grade

Shane A.
 Nigel B.
 Isaiah B.
 Lennon B.
 Gavin L.
 Levi P.
 Ayden W.

8th Grade

Gabriel D.
 Justin G.
 Clayton G.
 Dylan P.
 Caden P.
 Caleb R.

GIRLS BASKETBALL

5th Grade

Cristina B.
 Social B.
 Madelynn K.
 Emy N.

6th Grade

Brianna B.
 Patricia H.
 Amelia J.
 Zoe R.

7th Grade

Abigail B.
 Isabella R.
 Ayla S.

