



The Bear Facts



A Newsletter for Friends and Families of Riverhill School

January 19, 2018

OUR MISSION:

We are committed to providing a child-centered, academic environment whereby we empower our students to become informed, responsible, productive, life-long learners with solid values and positive self-images.



We love and miss you!

Sra. Nancy Corbett

QUOTE WORTH QUOTING

When one door of happiness closes, another opens; but often we look so long at the closed door that we do not see the one which has been opened for us. --Helen Keller



SPIRIT WEAR DEADLINE EXTENDED

Because of the missed days this week, the Spirit Wear order deadline has been extended until **FRIDAY, JANUARY 26**.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

The City of Florence will be celebrating its 200th Birthday in March of 2018. We will be having a **FLORENCE BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION** on **THURSDAY EVENING, MARCH 1, AT 7:00 P.M.** Kindergarten through Fourth Grade students will sing, special guests will be here, and classroom Florence Birthday projects will be on display. Please make your plans to join us for this special event!

SUMMER ENRICHMENT ACADEMY

INTEREST FORM DEADLINE

The deadline for returning the Summer Enrichment Academy Interest Forms has been extended until **Tuesday, January 23**.



JANUARY/FEBRUARY DATES TO REMEMBER

Thursday, January 25: AISA District Spelling Bee

Friday, January 26: Bingo Night (6:00-8:00 p.m.)

Monday, February 5 - Friday, February 9: Kindness Week

Friday, February 9: Lauderdale County Spelling Bee

Monday, February 19: Presidents Day Holiday (No classes)

INCLEMENT WEATHER DAYS

As of today (1/19/18), we are still good on not having to "make up" any days due to missing several days because of inclement weather or the threat of inclement weather thus far this school year. However, that may change if we are forced to miss more days before the end of school.

YOU WILL BE NOTIFIED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE IF WE HAVE TO ATTEND SCHOOL ON THE INCLEMENT WEATHER DAY SCHEDULED FOR APRIL 27 or IF WE HAVE TO ADD DAYS TO THE END OF THE YEAR.

BINGO NIGHT

Friday, January 26 6:00-8:00 p.m.
More details coming!

Congratulations to the Riverhill Science Fair Winners

2nd Grade – Biological Science Division

1st Place – Layla Adams

2nd Place – Mariella Lanzenstiel

3rd Place – Rane Albretsen

2nd Grade – Physical Science Division

1st Place – Vann Gillis

2nd Place – Pride Tompkins

3rd Place – Warren Tompkins

3rd – 6th – Biological Science Division (Advancing to the AISA District Science Fair)

1st Place – Connor Reynolds

2nd Place – Anders Johnson

3rd Place – Hudson Beadle

3rd – 6th – Physical Science Division (Advancing to the AISA District Science Fair)

1st Place – Trey Kerl

2nd Place – Azlynn Phillips

3rd Place – Grant Billingsley

Special Thanks to our Judges:

Mrs. Jenny Bilyeu, Science Major with Microbiology Background

Miss Emily Tash, Graduate of Troy University with Degree in Biomedical Science

Mrs. Gina Tash, Retired K-12 Science Educator and Online Teacher for Northwestern University

Mrs. April Waltz, Alabama Wildlife Federation

Dr. Brenda Webb, UNA Department Chair Physics and Earth Science