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Ponte Vedra Beach (904) 547-3820

Rawlings (grades 3-5) 610 A1A North Ponte Vedra Beach (904) 547-8570

https://www-pvmkr.stjohns.k12.fl.us

#### Dates to Know

FAST testing in reading and math will take place December and January. Please contact your child's teacher for testing dates.

Dec. 4th – Dismissal at 2:45pm

**Dec.** 5<sup>th</sup> – Family Holiday Bingo Night (6:30-7:30pm in the Rawlings cafeteria) – RSVP required

Dec. 11th - Dismissal at 2:45pm

Dec. 18th – Dismissal at 2:45pm

**Dec. 20**th – **EARLY RELEASE at 1:45pm**; ACE closes at 5:00pm; End of Quarter 2

Dec. 23<sup>rd</sup>-Jan. 3<sup>rd</sup> - WINTER BREAK

Jan. 6<sup>th</sup> – School resumes

**Jan. 7**th – SAC at 3:15pm in the PVPV Cafeteria

**Jan. 9**th – Law Enforcement Appreciation Day

Jan. 16th - Report cards on HAC

Jan. 20th – No School for MLK Day

Jan. 21st – 31st – Kids Care Soup Collection

Jan. 22<sup>nd</sup> – STEM NIGHT from 5-7pm

#### A Note from the Principal

Dear Families,

As we approach the holiday season, we want to take a moment to express our heartfelt thanks to each one of you for making this year so special. It has been a wonderful journey of learning, growing, and building connections, and we are incredibly grateful for the kindness and support of our entire school community.

The holiday season is a time to celebrate joy, gratitude, and togetherness. We hope that you all take this opportunity to rest, recharge, and enjoy precious moments with family and friends. Whether you're celebrating the season with holiday traditions, outdoor activities, or simply relaxing at home, we wish you peace, happiness, and good health.

Please remember that there will be early release at 1:45pm on Friday, December 20<sup>th</sup>. School will be closed for winter break from December 23<sup>rd</sup> – January 3<sup>rd</sup>.

We are excited for all the new adventures and opportunities that await us in 2025. Thank you for being such an important part of our school family, and we can't wait to see you back after the holiday break!

Wishing you a warm and joyful holiday season filled with love and laughter! Happy Holidays Sea Turtles!

All the best,

Mrs. Jill Hillier

Principal

# HOLIDAY GIFT DRIVE



It's that time of year! Our community has the opportunity to help our Blessings in a Backpack students and their families have an extra special holiday season. Please consider a donation to support our Blessings in a Backpack families. We will continue to collect donations through December 6<sup>th</sup> to provide holiday gifts for each of these students.

If you are interested in sponsoring a student for the holidays (individually or with a group), please fill out this contact form.

Thank you so much for the donations so far! With your help, we were able to provide each of our Blessings in a Backpack to families with a \$50 gift certificate to help with their Thanksgiving holiday meal.

#### **Hurricane Make-Up Time**

Students will need to make up **THREE** days of instructional time that was lost due to the hurricanes. The district has released a plan for making up this time:

ALL Wednesdays starting November 13th and ending February 5th will be FULL SCHOOL DAYS (8:25am-2:45pm)

\*\*\*November 11th was the first hurricane make-up day.

#### **Teacher Gift Wrapping Event**

Let's treat our teachers & staff to holiday gift wrap "shopping" treat! PTO will fill the teacher lounges with everything school staff will need to wrap their holiday gifts. To donate, please follow the link below. We are also looking for homemade or store-bought treats! Items will be collected in both front offices. Please donate gift wrapping items by Wednesday, December 11<sup>th</sup>.

Click here if you would like to donate.



## **PVPV Rawlings Family Holiday BINGO Night!**

December 5<sup>th</sup> from 6:30-7:30pm in the Rawlings Cafeteria Sponsored by Beaches Orthodontics

Join us for Winter Bingo—a FREE, cozy, fun-filled family night out for our school community! Wear your best holiday attire and enjoy rounds of bingo for prizes. There will be pizza available for purchase. Bring your lucky charms, grab your friends, and get ready for an evening of laughter and friendly competition. All ages welcome!

Don't miss out on the fun—mark your calendars for a night to remember. Be sure to RSVP so we know you're coming.

# RSVP for BINGO by CLICKING HERE

#### **Clinic News**

Medication forms can be found on the "Health Clinic" web page.

Rawlings Clinic accepting donations of elastic waist shorts, joggers and girls' leggings.

If you have any questions, please call your student's respective clinic. PVPV: 904-547-3834 Rawlings: 904-547-8573

#### **Media Center News**

Click the link below to see our **AR Superstars** 

and SSYRA Junior & SSYRA 3-5 readers!

https://www-pvmkr.stjohns.k12.fl.us/media/

# Noteworthy News from Ms. Livingston!

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Rawlings Music Teacher

https://teachers.stjohns.k12.fl.us/livingston-k/



Now is the time to put in your orders for keepsakes with your child's art! These items are wonderful keepsakes and would also make great gifts for the upcoming holidays. Art created at home can also be uploaded. The final deadline to order is December 2nd. Please email <a href="mailto:kimberly.scribner@stjohns.k12.fl.us">kimberly.scribner@stjohns.k12.fl.us</a> with any questions.

Blessings in a Backpack is a program made available through generous donors which is designed to supplement student nutrient needs over the weekends. Children participating in this program will receive a bag consisting of non-perishable food every Friday. The bag will be given to the child in a discreet and caring manner through the school counselor's office. This program is offered to your child, if needed, throughout the school year at no cost to you.

If you would like for your child to participate in the program, please contact Heather Harrington or Kim Hollis, School Counselors, at <a href="https://example.com/Heather.harrington@stjohns.k12.fl.us">Heather.harrington@stjohns.k12.fl.us</a> or <a href="https://example.com/Kim.Hollis@stjohns.k12.fl.us">Kim.Hollis@stjohns.k12.fl.us</a>

#### **School Hours**

8:00 - Doors open for students

8:15 - First bell

8:25 - Tardy bell

**2:45** - Dismissal

#### Cafeteria News

Please visit our Sea Turtle Café's website for information:

https://www-pvmkr.stjohns.k12.fl.us/food/

#### NEW/UPDATED FAST access codes for the FAST Parent Portal

The access codes for parents/guardians to view FAST scores for their student in the Family Score Portal have been updated. The new access codes have been posted to HAC and are available under the Registration tab.

Starting November 10th, old portal access codes will NOT work. You must use the new access code.

#### **Extended Day ~ ACE Information**

Our new program has been very successful! The kids now switch locations and meet with each staff member every 30 minutes for different activities. They've done crafts, puzzles, made Thanksgiving cards for seniors and still have free play outside and in computer lab. We have continued to be sure the homework gets done upon request from parents.

We currently have openings in all grades for the remainder of the school year. Please contact Gail Catania or visit the website for more information.

Payment #6 is due December 10th. Please be sure all payments are paid prior to winter break.

As a reminder, ACE will close at **5:00 PM** sharp on Friday, December 20th. Please pick up your students as early as possible so our staff may get home to their families!

BEST WISHES FOR A HAPPY AND HEALTHY HOLIDAY SEASON! ENJOY YOUR TIME WITH FAMILY AND FRIENDS. WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING EVERYONE IN THE NEW YEAR!!

# ACE ~ Enrichment Camps

Registration is now open for all Spring Enrichment Programs

# New for 2024/2025

- <u>Booked Book Club!</u> Along with reading books, students will work on amazing projects and interactive games. The program is open to grades 3 through 5.
- **Burn Boot Camp** is back to teach our students healthy habits through exercise and nutrition.
- **<u>Tennis Time!</u>** a new tennis program for the Spring session

Please contact Gail Catania at 904-547-8570 or email at Gail.Catania@stjohns.k12.fl.us for more information.

## Rawlings Lost & Found

Do these belong to your student(s)?







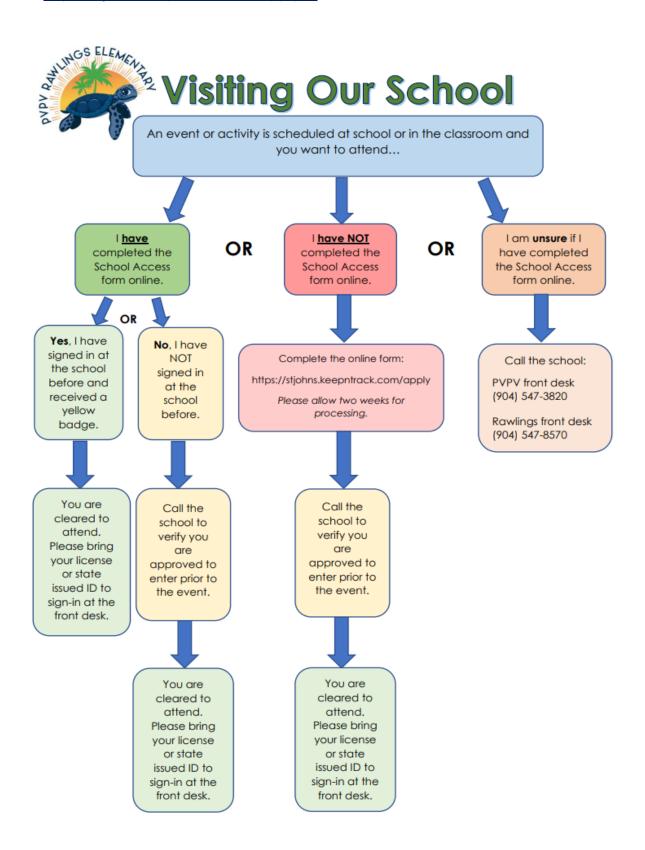




Our next Kid of Character Celebration sponsored by Chick-fil-A will be held on January 30<sup>th</sup> at 9:00am in the PVPV Cafeteria. Each student winner will be called on stage to receive a certificate. Parents/guardians are invited and encouraged to be part of the celebration. All visitors must be approved in KeepNTrack.

#### **Visiting Our School**

For any adult to have access to any St. Johns County School building for any reason, he/she must first submit a school access request form, background checks must be run, and the adult must be cleared. IF YOU HAVE NOT ALREADY DONE SO, please take a minute and complete the school access request for found here: <a href="https://stjohns.keepntrack.com/apply/">https://stjohns.keepntrack.com/apply/</a>.





# **MEET THE 2024-2025** COMMUNITY PARTNERS

THE COMMUNITY PARTNERS PROGRAM CONNECTS OUR COMMUNITY, LINKING LOCAL BUSINESSES WITH OUR SCHOOL TO PROVIDE OUR STUDENTS AND EDUCATORS WITH AN ENHANCED LEARNING **ENVIRONMENT AND ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR SUCCESS!** 













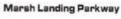


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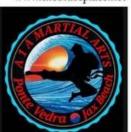
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Dear Parent,

Great news! Our school has partnered with Big Smiles to offer in-school dental care. We will be coming to the PVPV/ Rawlings Elementary School on Friday, February 28, 2025. Simply complete the permission form or go to <a href="https://www.myschooldentist.com">www.myschooldentist.com</a> to sign up your child TODAY. Please turn in your signed form to your school nurse by Friday, February 7, 2025!

## **Easy & Convenient**

Our in-school dental program saves you time and provides a safe and comfortable place for your child to receive gentle dental care from licensed local professionals. Dental care includes a complete dental exam, x-rays, cleaning, fluoride, SDF, and sealants when necessary.

### **Keep Your Child Healthy**

By having your child see the in-school dentist, you can help reduce the risk of:

Early tooth loss caused by dental decay
Gum disease
Heart disease

Impaired speech development

Taking care of your child's teeth is an important part of keeping them healthy

Simply fill out the permission form or go to www.myschooldentist.com



Estimados Padres,

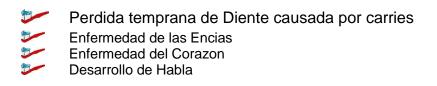
¡Una gran noticia! Nuestra escuela se ha asociado con Big Smiles para ofrecer atención dental en la escuela viernes, 28 de febrero de 2025. Simplemente complete el formulario o vaya a www.myschooldentist.com para inscribir a su hijo HOY. ¡Entregue su formulario firmado a la enfermera de su escuela antes del viernes 7 de febrero de 2025!

## Fácil y Conveniente

Nuestro programa dental en la escuela le ahorra tiempo y proporciona un lugar seguro y cómodo para que su hijo reciba atención dental amable de profesionales locales con licencia. El cuidado dental incluye un examen dental completo, rayos X, limpieza, fluoruro y sellantes cuando sea necesario, SDF, y en algunos casos.

## Mantenga a Su Hijo(a) Saludable

Al tener a su hijo evaluado por el dentista en la escuela, usted puede reducir el riesgo de:



# El cuidado de los dientes de su hijo es una parte importante para mantenerlos sanos

Simplemente llene el consentimiento o vaya a

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