



## Upcoming Events

Feb. 28<sup>th</sup> - March 8<sup>th</sup>  
Strawberry Festival

March 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Project Laser Testing

March 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Dr. Seuss' Birthday  
-wear red & white-

March 2<sup>nd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup>  
Dr. Seuss Book Week

March 4<sup>th</sup>  
Hills.Co.Public School  
Early Release Day  
12:15pm

March 13<sup>th</sup>  
Stretch-N-Grow

March 17<sup>th</sup>  
St. Patrick's Day  
Celebration  
-wear green-

March 20<sup>th</sup>  
1<sup>st</sup> Day of Spring

March 24<sup>th</sup>  
CPA Board Meeting  
10:00am

During the month of March our students will be learning about animals and where they live. The children will be studying baby animals & their habitats; farm, zoo, water animals.



## Dr. Seuss Celebration – March 2-6

HAPPY BIRTHDAY DR. SEUSS!

Theodor Seuss Geisel was born on March 2, 1904, in Springfield Massachusetts. He wrote more than 40 children's books, which have sold more than 200 million copies worldwide. Although he was told by a high-school art teacher that he would never be an artist, Seuss illustrated many of his books. Seuss died in September 1991, at the age of 87.

We will be celebrating this special birthday with some fun activities & book readings.

We would love for parents to volunteer to read to the class throughout the week.

Please sign up with your child's teacher.

## Project Laser Testing - March 2<sup>nd</sup>

Project Laser will be testing the 4 year olds on their recognition of uppercase and lowercase letters.

## Early Release Day – Wednesday, March 4<sup>th</sup>

Hillsborough County Schools will be closing early for teacher planning. The Grads will be picked up from school on Wednesday at 12:15pm. Please see Miss Kisha for more details. Extended care will be provided for all Graduates at no additional charges.



## St. Patrick's Day – Wednesday, March 17<sup>th</sup>



Saint Patrick's Day is celebrated worldwide by Irish people and increasingly by non-Irish people. Celebrations are generally themed around all things Irish and, by association, the color green. Both Christians and non-Christians celebrate the secular version of the holiday by wearing green or orange, eating Irish food and/or green foods, imbibing Irish drink and attending parades. The children will celebrate the day by wearing green and having their own KCC St. Patrick's Day parade.

## CPA Board Meeting – Monday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>

The CPA board meets on the last Monday every month to discuss upcoming campus events, activities, and fundraisers to make our learning environment the best it can be. Please join us at our next meeting on Monday, January 26th at 10:00 am. All parents are invited to attend.



# February High Lights

*If  
Candelmas  
be fair and  
bright,  
Winter has  
another  
fight. If  
Candlemas  
brings  
clouds and  
rain,  
Winter will  
not come  
again.*

## Ground Hog's Day

At 7:30 AM EST on February 2, 2009 the world discovered that Punxsutawney Phil saw his shadow - predicting six more weeks of winter!

The custom of predicting future weather conditions based on animals dates back at least a thousand years. It was during the Dark Ages in Europe that this widespread superstition took hold. Peasants and nobles alike noticed a strong connection between a bright, sunny, medieval Candlemas Day and long, dreary winter weather extending into the next 6 weeks. German settlers later brought the old belief with them to Pennsylvania, replacing the hedgehog with the more common American groundhog. Today, Pennsylvania-born groundhog Punxsutawney Phil is a minor celebrity. This sleepy groundhog may be the most famous weather forecaster in the USA.



The children at KCC also adventured outside to see if they could see their own shadows. They also had fun looking around the playground for the groundhog.

## Rotary Camp Florida Teddy Bear Drive

Thank you to all of our parents who contributed to our Teddy Bear Drive for the Rotary Camp.

Rotary's Camp Florida provides a camping experience for special needs children in a residential or day camp setting. The special needs of the children range from emotional, mental, physical or medical disadvantages. A teddy bear is given to each child upon arrival to give them comfort while they are away from home. Your support for this is a true blessing for these children.

## Valentine's Party

The children celebrated Valentine's day by all making mailboxes out of tissue boxes and exchanging valentines. Thank you to all of our parent volunteers.





**Kid's Community College® FishHawk**

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## **Kid's Community College® FishHawk Offers:**

### **Pre-School Program – ages 4 months to 5 years**

Low Classroom Ratios with CDA Certified Teachers

Multiple Intelligence Inspired Instruction

IDEP Assessments with Scheduled Parent/Teacher Conferences

### **Afterschool Program – ages 5 years to 12 years**

We offer morning drop off to Randall Middle School

Before school drop-off and after school pick-up from

Beavis and FishHawk Creek Elementary

Homework Assistance, Nutritional Snack, Small and Large Group Activities

### **FREE Voluntary Pre-Kindergarten – age 4 by Sept. 1<sup>st</sup>, 2008**

We offer 3 classroom options:

9:15am – 12:15pm VPK class with full time care

8:00am - 11:00am class

or

11:15am - 2:15pm class

Extended care hours are available with either 3 hour class options

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