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# The FAIRHOPE WEST ELEMENTARY PIRATE

## FEBUARY News ♦ 2022

*"Learning and Leading to Empower Our Genius!"*

## The Gap Project

Mr. Corey Martin hosted his 2<sup>nd</sup> lesson for our Promise Students. In December the students created vision boards for their future dreams. In January, the students learned about finances and how to budget for those dreams. Each student was given 20 black beans to purchase everything from housing and transportation to investments and insurance! We are so blessed to have Mr. Martin and his mentors on campus each month at Fairhope West.



## Important Dates

- Feb. 1-4** Red Ribbon Project - USA Children's and Women's Hospital
- Feb. 4** Bike to School
- Feb. 7-11** 3<sup>rd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Grade Candy Gram Sales by Student Council
- Feb. 7-11** Counselor Appreciation Week
- Feb. 11** 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Wax Museum, 8:15, Gym
- Feb. 11** Progress Reports Go Home
- Feb. 12** PIRATE DASH!!
- Feb. 14-25** PTP Strawberry Sale
- Feb. 17** 7 Habits Chat and Coffee with the Principal, 8:00, Cafeteria
- Feb. 21** Yearbook Sales Deadline
- Feb. 25** Perfect Attendance for Out of Uniform, No Checkouts or Tardies
- Feb. 25** Kindergarten Mardi Gras Parade, 1:45, Track, Parents Welcome!
- Feb. 28-Mar. 4** Mardi Gras Holidays, No School

## Red Ribbon Week PROJECT



This year sixth-grade student, Landon Sosienski, was selected as the 2021-2022 Red Ribbon Leader for our school. As his community service project, Landon wants to help USA Children's and Women's Hospital in Mobile. Landon chose this project because he suffers from a serious health condition. When he was younger, he credits USA Children's and Women's hospital for saving his life. Now he wants to give back to them. After Landon decided on Women's and Children's, his little sister ended up at the same hospital for a week in November with the same illness.

Please consider supporting Logan's efforts by donating online at My School Bucks on our school website:

<https://www.bcbe.org/fairhopewestelementary>

*Congratulations, Landon, on being chosen as our Red Ribbon Leader!*

# PLACE YOUR YEARBOOK ORDER TODAY!

*Don't miss out on preserving your 2021-2022 school year memories.*

Please pay \$35 online at [www.bcbe.org](http://www.bcbe.org)  
 (select Fairhope West, scroll down to "Find It Fast," and select: "My School Bucks"). Or, send cash or check to your child's Teacher made payable to FWES.



**"Have I paid Already??"**

*When ordering, please keep a record of the number of books purchased - we will not be refunding for duplications.*

Your child will receive his/her copy at the end of the school year so it can be signed by friends and teachers.

*Reserve your copy today!*

**Deadline for payment is Friday, February 21, 2022.**



# PIRATE DASH

5K AND 1 MILE FUN RUN *is back!*

**Register Now!**

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 12TH**

**KNOLL PARK | DOWNTOWN FAIRHOPE**

**5K STARTS @ 8AM | FUN RUN STARTS AT 9AM**

Presented by  
**SHOE STATION**  
 benefitting the  
 Fairhope Elementary Schools



# BIKE TO SCHOOL

Decorate your bike for Mardi Gras and Bike to School on Friday, February 4! We are grateful to Anna Ready of Local Properties who will be distributing water bottles to riders. All participants will also receive a spoke bead. Laissez les bon temps rouler!

As always, remember to wear your helmet, enter by the HOV line, and walk your bike once on campus. For more information, visit [Facebook.com/BikeToSchoolFairhope](https://www.facebook.com/BikeToSchoolFairhope).



## STUDENT COUNCIL Valentine Candy Grams Available to Grades 3-6 Only

The FWE Student Council will be selling Candy Grams for Valentine's Day. All sales will be pre-orders only. You may pre-order your Candy Gram beginning Monday, February 7th through Friday, February 11th.

The pre-order forms will be sent home Friday, February 4th. Students will turn in pre-order forms and money at the Candy Gram table in the gym each morning before 7:45 a.m. Candy Grams will be delivered Monday, February 14th.

**Pre-orders only accepted  
 Monday, February 7 - Friday, February 11  
 7:15am - 7:40am in the gym**

..... Items available for sale.....

- \$ 1.00 ..... Ring Pop
- \$ 2.00 ..... Airhead Extremes
- Sour Patch
- Push Pop
- Hershey's
- Reese's

Come Join Us!

# 7 HABITS



Chat & Coffee with the Principal  
February 17, 2022 - 8:00 am - FWES Cafeteria

There will be a brief presentation showing how the 7 Habits may be implemented in the home, followed by an informal chat with Mrs. Pierce on any topic or concern.

**BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND!**

**THE WAX MUSEUM**



The annual 2nd Grade Wax Museum is coming! Parents are invited to attend to hear and see these incredible student presentations on February 11 from 8:15-8:45. Parents, please enter the gym directly. It is not necessary to check in through the office. We hope to see you there!

New Parent

## TOURS

Do you know a parent who will have a new K-6 student at Fairhope Elementary School next year? Please invite them to attend our "New Parent" tour scheduled for **Wednesday, March 10th at 9:00 a.m.** This informational session And guided tour is for PARENTS only. Children will have an opportunity to see our campus at another time.



*Kindergarten Mardi Gras Parade*

The parade will begin at 1:45 p.m. on Friday February 25<sup>st</sup>.  
The children will parade on the track.

*Parents are invited to attend!*





The Fairhope Garden Club donated books to the Fairhope West library. The books are all about gardening. What a wonderful way for children to develop and further their interests in a life-long hobby that brings such joy. Thank you, Fairhope Garden Club!

## Science Olympiad Team to Dothan for Competition

On Saturday, February 26, our BRAVE and INTELLIGENT science students will travel to Dothan to compete in the Science Olympiad. On the day before, the students will parade through the hallways so the school can cheer for them and send them off for good luck! Below are the students who will compete in the various science events. GOOD LUCK!!

### **Aerodynamics**

Henry Cork and Charlie Coleman

### **Deep Blue Sea**

Lucy McIntosh and Ree Gibson

### **Bridging the Gap**

Cole Orcutt and Ford Stankoski

### **Weather or Not**

Ella Claire Brenizer and Hudson Beall

### **Leaf and Tree Finder**

Sims Peters and Olivia Kaiser

### **Barge Building**

Charlie Coleman and Sims Peters

### **It's Elemental**

Hudson Beall and Lucy McIntosh

### **Pasta Mobile**

Cole Orcutt

### **A is for Anatomy**

Jack Kier and Olivia Kaiser

### **Food for Thought and Energy**

Ree Gibson and Ella Claire Brenizer

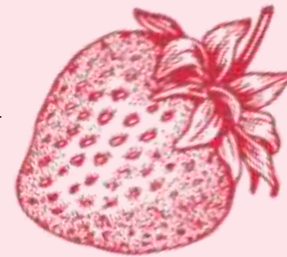
### **Crash Landing / Unbreakable**

Henry Cork and Hackett Robinson



## FAIRHOPE WEST PTP & SOUTHERN HERITAGE

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to You

## STRAWBERRY SALE

**8 One-Quart Clamshells: \$25**

**DIY Chocolate Strawberry Kit: \$15**

**Taking ONLINE Orders ONLY  
February 14-25**

[www.southernheritagefarms.com/menu/wfe/](http://www.southernheritagefarms.com/menu/wfe/)

*Don't forget to share our link with  
your friends and family!*