

SHINING STARS NEWSLETTER

MAY , 2019



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Serena's House System: Here are the House points for May:

By Bryce

Arcturus 1893 (bear)

Rigel 1803(shark)

Polaris 1450(wolf)

Sirius 1665(penguin)

Vega 1492(eagle)

We can't wait to see who the winner is!!

Students will be researching animals Arcturus- bear, Sirius-penguin, Rigel- shark,
Polaris- wolf, Vega eagle.

Pre-Kindergarten: by Anna P-K is working on worms, dirt, and flowers. They are also working on the color pink and the shape hexagon. They are learning about zoo animals. They went field trip to the zoo on May 7th. (Upcoming field trip [May 7th]) By: Addison

Kindergarten: by Zuri. We are reading realistic fiction and measuring bugs. We are also counting by 10's and finding patterns.

First Grade: by Addison. In First Grade they are growing tomatoes, learning about Earth day, and doing place value to 100. They are also learning adding 1 and subtracting 1. They are also learning adding 10 and subtracting 10. They are learning about money, space and planets.

Second Grade: by Ella

Students are reading and writing numbers to 1,000 using numerals, words, and expanded notation. Students are finding fractions on the number line. Students are finding text features on informational texts and writing narratives.

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Third Grade: by Caelen We read about the Titanic, Rosa Parks, and Clara the Brave who stopped unfair child labor. We compared stories and wrote opinions on who is the strongest character that changed events in a story.

Fourth Grade: by Denise. Students are working on multiplication and division and reading Max Malone makes a Million identifying themes. We are writing narrative short stories with characters who solve problems using an innovative solution.

Fifth Grade:By: Jazlyn They are learning for reading they are reading about science fiction and nonfiction books. And for math they are multiplying by fractions. And for Social studies: They are learning about the constitution. Writing: They are writing about science. And fifth grade are going to a field trip to the science industry.

Fun Events: by Caiden

Serena Hills Drama Club's play "United We Stand" was on May 1 of 2019. It was a big success! Followed by the Orchestra Musical the following Monday. This following Friday Third and Fourth Grade went to Parker to see the play Wizard Of Oz. The whole school is going to the zoo on Wednesday May 29th!

New Principal: by Zion

Hello Serena Hills Stars, it deeply hurts me to say, Dr. D is leaving Serena Hills Elementary School. Next year a new Principal will be watch over us at Serena. Dr. D, you will be missed by every Serena Star.

The ABC Countdown

A is for Animal day bring you stuffed animals that can fit in backpack.

B is buddy book day read to a friend.

C is cap day wear your favorite hat.

D is dance day be ready for flash dances throughout the day.

E is exercise day get moving.

F is friendship Friday play with someone new at recess.

G is goals day what do you want to be when you grow up? Share out during a peace circle.

H show your pride by wearing your house color.

I is i-spy play a game of i-spy in your classroom.

J is joke day share a joke during Peace Circle.

K is Kindness day do something kind for someone else and share during Peace circle.

L is lights out day try to go all day without turning on lights.

M is Mindfulness practice yoga in the classroom.

N is new word day come to school with a new word to teach the class.

O is outside day get outside for a lesson, play a game, read a book.

P is pajama day wear your school appropriate pajamas to school.

Q is quiet day try to whisper all day.

R is have a ROARING good time at the Zoo.

S is school spirit wear your Serana gear.

T hank you letter day

U ltimate Game Day Field Day

V ideo Day classroom memories

W acky clothes day

X tra recess day

Y ear end clearance clean up

Z oom out of school

Girls On The Run Race:

By: *Jazlyn*

Girls in the run collected plastic because turtles think they are food and it is not healthy for our environment from May 6th- May 10. Students who brought plastic bags earned 5 house points for their houses.

Girls that are on Girls On The Run were ready to run the 5K on May 18th -That is 3.1 miles if you were wondering. Girls were prepared and ran with their running buddy. Girls on the Run was so much Fun!

Join Next Year: By Zion

The Shining Stars News Club was a very fun experience. *SO JOIN NEXT YEAR!*