



Communicator

March, 2019



Important Dates:

March 1	Cat in the Hat Day
March 4-8	Social Worker Week
March 5	College Shirt Day
March 7	End of 3rd 9-weeks
March 8-11	No School
March 15	Shamrock Day (Wear Green)
March 19	STEAM Night (6-8)
March 21	Spring Pictures Report Cards go home
March 26	Local School Governance Team Meeting (3:30)

2019 / 2020 Pre-K Lottery Enrollment

The Catoosa County Pre-K drawing is scheduled for April 16, 2019, at 9:00 a.m. and will be held at the county office. Parents/Guardians are not required to attend the drawing for a child to be eligible. Pre-K registration packets for the drawing are available February 27th through March 20, 2019 at all Catoosa County Primary and elementary schools. Registration for the drawing may also take place at the Student Enrollment Center (108 High Street, Ringgold between February 27th - March 20th. Packets will need to be completed at the time of registration. In order for a child to be eligible to attend the Catoosa County Schools Pre-K Program, children must be 4 years of age by Sept. 1, 2019, and parents/legal guardians must be a Catoosa County resident at the time of registration for the drawing. Only the custodial parent or legal guardian can register a child



As the school year winds down, continue to make sure that your child is in class every day. Schedule family vacations and events outside of school hours, and try to do the same for doctor and dental appointments. You'll show him/her that school is important, and she/he's likely to do better on their final report card.



Year Book Sale

Year Book on Sale for \$16 until March 7, 2019
Order forms are available at the school or you can order on-line at ybpay.lifetouch.com and use Code: #3769019



No School
March 8-11

1st Grade Spotlight

Our fantastic first graders are working hard learning their sight words and word attack skills. We are building up to reading books on our own and taking AR tests! In math, we are learning about place value, money, and working on our math fluency fact skills. Also, we are learning about narrative and informational writing. One project we have really enjoyed lately is learning how to graph using jelly beans! We can't wait to start our next project building shapes! We are so proud of all the progress our first graders have made!



On the STEAM scene

Rhonda Duncan, STEAM Teacher

It's Marvelous March Madness in STEAM class. Marvelous because March brings us the wonderful spring season. Grass growing, flowers blooming, and the trees are getting their leaves back. I'm hoping to experiment with planting seeds and doing a little digging in the dirt with the kids. March "madness" for all the basketball fans who spend hours glued to the TV watching the tournaments in hopes that their team will make it to the final four. (I'm a Vols fan myself). Happy Spring everyone!!
Mrs. Duncan



News from: Parent & Family Engagement

Kathy Honeycutt

Join us **March 19, 2019**, at 6:00 for a Brand New Family **STEAM** Night, presented by Pure Genius. We will explore magnetic poles, make magnets levitate, make a magic trick using magnetic force, test various chemicals for chemical reactions, use lights to make a series and parallel circuit, decode messages with orbies, explore sounds, build your name or initials with Legos and meet and greet **EMMET**, and then "Holy Cow" touch bones, eyeballs, real hoofs (with gloves of course) and weigh a real heart.

Our room is open from 8:00 to 2:00 every day, why not stop by and check out our Resource Center, Volunteer to make copies, laminate, and other jobs to help our teachers.

Parents we value your input on CSE School Improvement Plan, School Policy, and Budget. If you have any questions, concerns or ideas on meetings or events, please contact your Parent Involvement Coordinator, Kathy Honeycutt, at 706-866-6640, or e-mail khoneycutt.cse@catoosa.k12.ga.us



FoodCity School Bucks Challenge

CSE Parents please sign up for the Food City School Bucks Challenge. Link your **ValuCard** to our school and Cloud Springs Elementary School will receive Bucks for our School. Our school code is PLU# 60147

