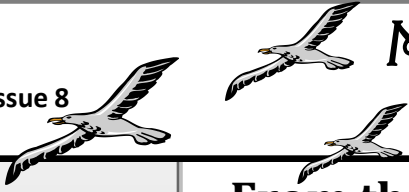


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Our Mission

McDonald Elementary School will provide every student with a multi-faceted curriculum challenging students to reach their maximum potential and be productive in a global society.

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From the Principals' Office . . .

We are all excited about the arrival of our spring break. We are looking forward to our Science Fair on April 16. All of the exhibits are so well planned and show the scientific talent of all the students and teachers who participate. We look forward

to seeing all our families at the PTO/Science Fair night. We encourage our students each day to concentrate on their work so they will be well prepared for PASS testing in May. Have a great Spring Break!

We are so Proud of our Teacher of the Year; Carla Brandon and Support Staff of the Year; Dawn Elliott for being chosen for the top 5 finalist for the district!

What's happening at our school?

We celebrated the Book Winner – Eric Litwin's *Pete the Cat Rocking in My School Shoes* on April 8. Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Goins presented many lucky winners with autographed FREE Pete the Cate Books! What a FUN day!



Characters of the Month –

March Judgment – To have the ability to make a sound decision or to form an opinion.



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|-------------------|--------------------|
| Zacarius Brown | Jennifer Hernondez |
| Adam Moore | Amari Giles |
| Liam Chatman | Jeremiah Dawson |
| Austin Nesbit | Morgan Garrison |
| Anthony Heideman | DaeVeon Greene |
| Callie Small | Ashanti McCray |
| Cash Johnson | Alyssa Britt |
| Janeth Aguilar | Dawson Goins |
| Kadance Crawford | Ryan Holt |
| Cole Howard | Camille Hempel |
| Ce'Nai Holmes | Enosh Brown |
| Christopher Brown | George Allen Long |
| Kahziah Gardner | Eva Gray |

School Calendar

Plan Ahead

April

- 15 PTO/Science Fair
- 16 Science Fair
- 18 No School
- 23 Admin. Professional Day
- 21-25 Spring Break- No school**
- 28 Superintendent's Honor Roll Awards Celebration

May

- 1 Domino's Night
- 6-9 PASS testing
- 5-9 Teacher Appreciation Week
- National School Nurse Week
- School Nutrition Employee Wk.
- Bus Driver Appreciation Wk.
- Teacher Appreciation Week
- 22 CB Dodson Awards
- 23 Technology Fair
- 26 Memorial Day Holiday- No School



Congratulations to Our Students of the Week

March 31 – April 4

Justin Alarcon
 Ronald Smith
 Liam Chatman
 Chadi Floyd
 Jaedyn Gibson
 Madelyn Wilson
 Jordan Thompson
 Jennifer Hernandez
 Kason Wright
 Javier Hernandez
 Danasia Morris
 Zyair Smalls
 Kashiya Snow
 Kahziah Gardner
 Aaron Keller
 Morgan Garrison
 Jadd Lewis
 Lanasia Brown
 Jackson Sanderson
 Ta'Ziya Thornton
 Charlie Edwards
 Shantal Cevantes
 Ahston Sumpter
 Madison Powell
 Breanna Dennison
 Cash Johnson

April 7-11

Austin Nesbit
 Elane Bone
 Aunesty Thomas
 McCray
 Jayden Tisdale
 Janasia Duncan
 K'ary Henry
 Kyleigh Crawford
 Kason Wright
 Lazaria Greene
 Brett Russell
 Bremere Sumpter
 Ari Linen
 Hannah Gamble
 Kush Mont
 Naomi Reed
 Selasse Robinson
 Kayden Johnson
 Blake Howard
 Amari Giles
 Sierra Self
 Briyith Cervantes
 Ariyah Cobb
 Hunter Gray
 Aaliyah Jones
 Gracie Childress

April 14 -17

Armani Holmes
 Camile Hempel
 Timber Wilder
 Willie Wood, IV
 Demetria Brunson
 Ziare Barrentine
 Trinity Shackelford
 Jackson Hodges
 Vanessa Powell
 Ny'Jiah Simmons
 Ayanna Steele
 Matthew Johnson
 Destini Simon
 Kylisa Sargent
 Nashya Ward
 Tatyana Gibbs
 Skylar Blake
 Alison Barrientos
 Yizel Santos
 Wendy Angeles Reyes
 Kamaury Green
 Alisha Adams
 Jordan Briggs
 Devontae Barron
 Yasmik Neville
 Dominic Graham



Academic Team

Winners – Way to Go!

Spontaneous Problem Solving
 – Audra Nesbitt,
 Morgan Garrison,
 Selasse Robinson
 Stem Creations – Trace
 Shannon, Stormy Blythe
 Word Works – Logan
 Locklear, Evyn Canova, Kaylyn
 Johnson and Vanessa Powell
 Net Research – Tabitha
 Anderson and Shana Browne
 Map Reading – Zaria Blain and
 Sierra Blythe
 Mathastic – Destini Simon and
 Trace Shannon



Bailee Blocher WON 1st place at the Superintendent's Art Show! Congratulations, to her and all of the students who participated.

World's Finest Chocolate Top 10 Winners - Received the Red Carpet Treatment, with a Limo Ride to Pizza Hut!



Authors of the Month- March



Thank You! We raised \$4000 for March of Dimes!

