

#### From Principal Kelley

Please read below for information about the proposed House Bill 7069 that could significantly impact our school district and South Woods Elementary.

### SUPERINTENDENTS CALL UPON THE GOVERNOR FOR VETO

Florida superintendents stand united in calling upon Governor Rick Scott to veto HB 7069 and the Florida Education Funding Program (FEFP) in the General Appropriations Act.

Superintendent's primary concern is the devastating impact this legislation will have on Florida's public schools. "Florida superintendents cannot support HB 7069 or the budget due to the negative impact on public education," states FADSS President and Escambia County Superintendent Malcolm Thomas. "The budget fails to meet the basic funding needs of Florida's nearly 2.8 million public education students, and despite some good education policy in HB 7069 the overall damage to public education far outweighs the good," adds Thomas. "With a united voice, we call upon the Governor to veto HB 7069 and the FEFP in support of Florida public education," states Thomas. The issues of greatest concern include:

## Budget

The Base Student Allocation (BSA) - which is the basic per student revenue that funds programs that serve Florida students – is being cut so many school districts will experience an overall cut in per student funding.

## Title I

The Title I provision in HB 7069 threatens to put district-wide services at risk, particularly impacting students in poverty. Title I is a federal program that provides funds to school districts to serve economically disadvantaged students. The current proposal would limit the ability of school districts to provide district-wide services and would place undue restraints on a district's ability to target specific services to support the needs of Florida's most vulnerable students.

Please take a moment to contact Governor Scott and ask that he vetoes HB 7069.

The Honorable Rick Scott Governor, State of Florida The Capitol, Plaza Level 05 Tallahassee, FL 32399-0001

# **Upcoming Events**

May 24<sup>th</sup> Last Day of School Report cards go home

June 5th-June 30th K-2 Summer Reading program 8:00am-12:00pm

June 6<sup>th</sup>- July 13<sup>th</sup>
4<sup>th</sup> grade Summer Enrichment
Program
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday only
8:00am-12:00pm

June 12<sup>th</sup> - July 13<sup>th</sup>
3<sup>rd</sup> grade Summer Reading
Program
\*;00am-12:00pm

August 10<sup>th</sup>
Students start the 2017-2018 school year

South Woods Summer Hours Monday - Friday 8:00am-4:00pm

## **Community Partnership School Update**

We are happy to share some of the successes we have been able to achieve here at South Woods Elementary with our new Community Partnership School (CPS) initiative. The placement of our Director in January, Mr. Chris Stone, was the first step in implementing the CPS model along with adding our Communications, Legislative, Executive & Community Leadership councils. We have also been fortunate to partner with local agencies such as St. Johns County Library, 4-H, READ program, Good News Club & others to provide fourth grade summer programing.

#### Where are we now?

We're right in the community, collecting information from students, families and teachers to determine priorities as we implement the community partnership school strategy.

## Is South Woods Elementary transitioning to A Community Partnership School?

Yes. This means as services and resources are added at the South Woods Elementary campus, the school site will transform from a traditional school to a Community Partnership School campus.

## What does this mean to the community?

It's an opportunity to unite for a shared vision and purpose. As the community and school work together, we can align resources and opportunities to address significant challenges and best prepare students for lifelong success.

#### 2017-18 School Year

Be on the lookout for new updates about programing we hope to offer in the near future for our students! Some of those include a Student Leadership Council, Afterschool Programs, Summer Programs and other services on campus throughout the year.

## FOOD THAT'S IN WHEN SCHOOL IS OUT!



Any student who is 18 years of age or younger may receive free, nutritious meals at SOUTH WOODS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL from June 5th until July 12th. W.E. HARRIS COMMUNITY CULTURAL ARTS CENTER or THE TEEN CENTER in Hastings will also be serving meals during the summer months beginning June 5th-July 21st. Please call 904-547-8932 or 211 to inquire about the serving times or any additional locations serving meals.

## **PTO News**

Contact PTO at: <a href="mailto:southwoodspto@gmail.com">southwoodspto@gmail.com</a> and like our Facebook page "South Woods Elementary PTO" to stay up to date with Events and Info for our school!

## **Many Thanks!**

South Woods PTO would like to send out a big thank you to the business sponsors that have partnered up with us for the current schoolyear!

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Don't forget to clip and save Box Tops over the summer!

## School Supply List

#### South Woods Elementary School Supply List 2017-2018

Welcome to our South Woods Family! Please bring all supplies with you to orientation ("Meet the Teacher Day")!

#### Kindergarten Supply List

- Backpack-large size (no mini or rolling backpacks)
  1 plastic pencil box (with name written on it in per marker)
- 2 plastic, three prong folders with pockets 4 Boxes Crayons (24 count Crayola brand recommended) 1 box of fat Crayola markers
- 1 pair of scissors
- 3 packs of glue sticks No Liquid Glue 2 packs of fat, black dry erase markers
- 2 packs of plain, yellow pencils (Ticonderoga or Paper Ma-
- te Classic) (No pencil sharpeners) 1 box of pencil cap erasers 2 packs of copy paper

- 2 packs of baby wipes 1 spiral notebook 1 bottle of clear hand sanitizer with pump
- 1 bottle of Elmer's school glue
- 1 box Zip-lock bags (girls bring quart size) (boys bring gal-
- 1 roll of paper towels
- 3 boxes of tissues and/or paper towel rolls
- 1 box of Sharpie permanent markers 1 can of Play dough

#### 1st Grade Supply List

- Backpack (NO Rolling backpacks)
- 1 plastic 3 ring pencil pouch
- 4 boxes of 24 count Crayola Crayons 1 box Crayola Washable Markers
- 1 Scissors (Fiskars Recommended)
- 2 packs of glue sticks
- packs of Expo dry erase markers (fat markers and one thin)
   pack yellow pencils (Ticonderoga brand, no pencil sharpeners)
- 2 BIG pink Brasers and 1 box of pencil erasers 1 pack of copy paper 1 packs of 4x6 white index cards

- 1 pack of CloroxWipes
- boxes of tissues
- 2 rolls of paper towels
- 1 box of quart size Zip-lock bags (boys only)
- 1 box of gallon size Zip-lock bags (girls only) 4 composition notebooks
- 1 bottle of hand sanitizer with Pump
- 1 Stylus for iPad (optional)

#### 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Supply List

- 1 Pencil box
- 2 pocket folder with brads
- 1 pack of copy paper
- 3 boxes of tissues 8 glue sticks
- 1 container of baby wipes Boys: 1 box of gallon size zip-lock bags
- Girls: 1 box of quart size zip-lock bags
- 4 (24 count) plain yellow #2 pencils (Ticonderoga or paper Mate Classic brands work best)
- 1 pack of wide notebook paper
- 4 boxes (24) Cravola Cravons
- 1 box of colored pencils
- 2 packs of pencil top erasers or 3 pink erasers
- 1 package of markers
- 1 bottle of clear hand 1 roll of paper towels of clear hand sanitizer with pump
- 4 BLACK Expo dry erase markers (No Colors)

#### 3rd Grade Supply List

- 1 Backpadk (NO Rolling backpadks)
- 4 pink erasers or 2 packages of cap erasers 1 package of fat dry erase markers (4)
- 1 packs of copy paper 5 subject dividers with pockets (plastic)
- 1 each-Red, Blue, Green & yellow 1 subject notebooks

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   1 pair of Fisker scissors
   50 pencils (Ticonderoga)
   1 box of colored pencils
   1 box of Markers
   2 boxes of 24 Crayola Crayons
   4 BIG Elmer glue sticks
   1 box of Lysol Wipes
   2 boxes of tissues
   1 pair of headphones/earbuds
   1 beavy duty pencil pouch

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- 2 Composition Books Boys—bring in 1 box of quart size plastic bags Girls—bring in 1 box of gallon size plastic bags

## 4th Grade Supply list

- Backpack (NO Rolling backpacks)
   G-One subject spiral notebooks (1 of each color: red, blue, yellow, green, purple, black)

- 1 pack of <u>yellow</u> highlighters (Yellow only) 1 packages notebook paper, wide ruled 4 packages of Ticonderoga pencils or <u>Repermate</u> Classic
- 2 BIG glue sticks
- red binder pencil pouch
- 1 zippered binde 1 box of tissues 1 pair of scissors
- 2 pack of caperasers 1 box of 12 colored pencils
- 1 package of copy paper
- 1 package dry erase markers 1 bottle of hand sanitizer with pump
- 2 pairs of earbuds

#### 5th Grade SupplyList

#### Backpack is optional. (NO Rolling backpacks)

- 1 box of 24 count Crayola crayons
- 1 box of Crayola markers
- 1 box of colored pencils
- 1 package of highlighters
- 1 bottle of hand sanitizer with nump
- 2 packs of wide ruled notebook paper
- 2 BIG glue sticks
- 1 package of Expo dry erase markers (Expo only)
- 2 packages of Ticonderoga pencils 2 packages of cap erasers
- 1 roll of paper towels
- 1 container of Clorox wipes
- 2 packs of copy paper
- 1 box of baggies (girls = quart; boys = gallon) 8 spiral notebooks (2 red, 2 yellow, 2 blue, 2 green)
- 8 (no brads) folders (2 red, 2 yellow, 2 blue, 2 green) 4 packs of index cards (4 x 6)

We hope everyone has a safe and fun summer!