

# Hoofprints

## WELCOME BACK TO MRES!

### A MESSAGE FROM THE PTA BOARD

We are off to a great start this semester. So far, PTA has sponsored a Scholastic Book Fair, Chick-fil-a Spirit night, and Skate night. Thank you to the MRES BETA club who served at Chick-fil-a and thank you to all families who came out to show your school support. Thanks to your participation and our partnership with Chick-fil-a on Pelham Road, we raised \$141.33.

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### STUDENT COUNCIL NEWS



Through "Coins for Canines" Student Council will be raising money to support the Canine FETCH (Friends Encouraging Therapeutic Coping and Healing) Unit. This is Greenville Health System's Children's Hospital's animal-assisted therapy program for patients and their families. Students will participate in a coin war battling against the other houses to raise the most money. The coin war will take place starting Monday, April 8th and run until Friday, April 12th. We will have colored bins in the cafeteria for the students to place their coins in.

Our Scholastic Book Fair was also a great success and we want to say a big THANK YOU to Kelley Jones and Sloan and Dustin Dozier for all of the hard work and amazing decorations. Thank you also to the volunteers who worked at the book fair. We raised \$1,732.15. Mitchell Road Elementary students are readers!

There are a couple of big PTA events coming up in April and May. For our April PTA meeting, scheduled for April 8 at 5:30, we will have a Movie Night in the courtyard. This event will include the sale of Chick-fil-a, popcorn, and s'mores kits.

#### **Pre-order Chick-fil-a for \$5**

\*8 count nuggets with chips and drink

\*sandwich with chips and drink

Our May PTA event will be on May 6 and will include a MRES Art show and the chorus's performance of a Broadway musical.





## Reflections Contest

**Congratulations to our 2018-2019 Reflections Winners! We are so proud to announce that the District and State winners will be representing *Mitchell Road Elementary* at the 2018-2019 "Heroes Around Me" District/State ceremonies in the spring!**

### School Visual Arts Winners

#### Primary

1st: Baylor Baltz (Helping others First)

2nd: Harper Lutz (The Shining Star)

3rd: Landon Sanchez (Superheroes Daddy & Landon)

#### Intermediate

1st: Emma Smoke (A Hero's Spirit)

2nd: Avery Powell (Bee Brave)

3rd: Jocelyn Sanchez (Superheroes to You)

### School Literature Winners

#### Primary

1st: Amelia Lutz (Mom)

### District & State

#### ***Award of Merit Winner***

#### Primary

Baylor Baltz (Helping others First)

#### ***District Award of Excellence & State Award of Merit Winner***

#### Intermediate

Emma Smoke (A Hero's Spirit)

## Read Across America Celebration

To celebrate the contribution that Dr. Seuss has made to literacy, our school celebrated Read Across America with a variety of fun activities. Each morning, fifth grade students read a Dr. Seuss book to the student body that aligned with the dress up theme for the day. On Friday, students and teachers dressed up as their favorite book character. Additionally, each class decorated their door in theme with a Dr. Seuss book. The winners on each grade level received a popsicle party. The winners were:

K-5: Mrs. Betten with *Horton Lays an Egg*

1st: Mrs. Youngblood with *Wacky Wednesday*

2nd: Mrs. Jones with *Ten Apples Up On Top*

3rd: Mrs. Tinklepaugh with *Yertle the Turtle*

4th: Mrs. Fallaw with *How the Grinch Stole Christmas*

5th: Mrs. Funderburg with *Horton Hears a Who*

Special Areas: Ms. Nemchek with *Fox in Sox*

Thank you for participating and supporting this fun week of literacy celebration.

## SAVE THE DATES

### MARCH

27-29 No 4k Classes

29 House Rally

### APRIL

5 Spirit Day

8 PTA Movie Night

15-19 Spring Break

### MAY

3 Spirit Day & Teacher Luncheon

6 PTA Broadway & Art show

27 Memorial Day - no school

29 & 30 Field Days

31 Award Days (1st-4th)



## STAYING CONNECTED

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## 2018-2019 PTA BOARD

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