



Fairglen Elementary School Newsletter

November 16, 2023



MESSAGE FROM MRS. MERAZ

Dear Fairglen Families,



November is here!! We have so many things to be thankful for in our school community. Your support of our school and children makes Fairglen a wonderful learning environment. Thank you to all the families that attended our annual **Piles of Pumpkins, Piles of Smiles Event**.

We had over 400 people attend! HUGE SHOUT OUT TO: Eckerd, Steiner Insurance, and families. Thanks for your donations to make the event a success! WHOO HOO! Stay tuned for a fun family event coming up in December: Candy Cane Lane.

The staff joins me in wishing you and your family a Happy Thanksgiving. May your time together be filled with fun, laughter, and memories! Thank you for your continued partnership as we work together for the betterment of our students!

You may have lunch with your child on Fridays only. We ask that you be on time and leave once lunch times is over. There will be limited seating outside of the cafeteria. Please email: Meraz.Christy@brevardschools.org by Thursday of each week to reserve your spot. Thank you!

Proud to be your principal,

Mrs. Meraz

REMINDER



All schools will be closed the week of November 20-24, 2023 to celebrate Thanksgiving with family and friends.



Thank you to all Families who participated in the Pumpkin Book Character Contest. It was a huge success and all the entries were amazing!

Title I News

On October 24, 2023, the Brevard County School Board approved Fairglen Elementary's Schoolwide Improvement Plan which also serves as our Title I plan. Please take a minute to review our school's plan at <https://www.floridacims.org/districts/brevard/schools/1091>. Copies of this document will be made available upon request and if you would like the document translated please contact walker.colleen@brevardschools.org.

"Fairglen's Parent and Family Engagement Plan is also available for your viewing on our website or in the Parent Notebook in our front office in English and Spanish. If you would like a hardcopy or a different translation, please email walker.colleen@brevardschools.org"



Fairglen was excited to host a "Glow Party" Friday, November 3, 2023. Students invited were those who have made good choices and worked hard to be positive examples to those around them. Thank you to Eckerd Connects—Prevention Services for continuing to provide opportunities like these for our school.

Fairglen participated in the annual Orlando Solar Bears Student Day for the first time this year thanks to (eckerd tag). Participating students were chosen by school staff as those that consistently represent Fairglen's standards: be safe, be kind, work hard. These students were incredible representatives while at the Amway Center and attending staff shared that our group was one of the best behaved of the entire event. Congrats to all those that were chosen and attended this awesome opportunity!

HAPPENINGS



5th Grade Starbase Patrick AFB Field Trip on Nov. 27, Dec. 4, Dec. 11, Dec. 18 and Dec.19. Permission Forms Due ASAP

PBIS/ECKERD Event Movie & Food Art Dec. 1 from 1:30—2:45 in the Media Center

Fairglen is bringing back Candy Cane Lane. Come out and enjoy the festivities on Dec. 14 from 5:00—7:00 p.m.



Congratulations to Mrs. Messer and Mrs. Lancaster. They were winners of the Bright Ideas Classroom Grants for STEM Education. Each teacher will receive \$1,500.

PARENTS—MORNING CAR LOOP PROCEDURES



It is not safe to let kids out until they are inside the gates. Drop off along US1 or Indian Trail is not safe. VPK students should stop at the doors and everyone else follows the line down.