



The Hornet

50 Holland Court
Satellite Beach, FL 32937
<https://www.brevardschools.org/HollandES>



VISION: To help all students develop skills, concepts, attitudes, and values which enable them to be successful members of society.

MISSION: Looking toward our children's future with challenging learning experiences that will lead to success.



CALENDAR

December 5th -6th
FAST Assessment
Grades K-2

December 6th
Dominoes Spirit Night
Winter Concert 6:00 pm

December 8th
A Holland Holiday
5:30 – 8:00 pm

December 20-22
Early-Release Days

December 25th
Winter Break Begins
Front Office Closed

January 8th
Students and Staff Return
End of Quarter/Semester

January 9th
SAC Meeting

January 12th
Report Cards Issued

Holland Holiday Annual Themed Baskets



Our PTO recently sent out information regarding themed class baskets for our Holland Holiday Annual Holiday Basket donations. Each class's theme was sent out in the letter with ideas/items to contribute, if you would like to participate. It is recommended to keep any donations to \$5.00 or less. Items are requested to be donated on or before Tuesday, December 5th and the basket auction will take place at PTO's *Holland Holiday* event on Friday, December 8th from 5:30 – 8:00 pm.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact Aimee at amolineaux8@gmail.com or 321-298-7785.

Thank you in advance for your help! 😊

Invest in the Future **BECOME A VOLUNTEER!**

For information on how to become a registered volunteer, click the link below. Inquire with your child's teacher or the front office regarding ways to volunteer at Holland. Becoming a registered volunteer allows you to chaperone field trips too!

<https://apps.raptortech.com/Apply/NjE6ZW4tVVM=>

CUP STACKING WORLD RECORD



Spessard L. Holland Elementary School helped set a New World Record!

Click this link for all the details!
thewssa.com/stackup/2023/the_sp/ort/?rid=40116



SCHOOL NEWS



ACADEMIC SUPPORT PROGRAM

If your child attends Holland's Academic Support Program (ASP) on Mondays and Wednesdays, the last day for ASP is this Wednesday, December 6th. If your child attends ASP on Tuesdays and Thursdays the last day for ASP is this Thursday, December 7th.

Be on the lookout for information on ASP for next semester.

Founder's Day Fun!

The Holland Chorus participated in Satellite Beach's Founder's Day Parade on November 11th. It was a wonderful community event and Holland's Chorus earned the school spirit Award from the parade judges!



JOIN US FOR

"Holland Holiday"



FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2023

5:30 – 8:00 PM

Tickets are on sale now! Join us for an evening of treats and crafts, visit with Santa, and more. Ticket payments can be turned in until the end of the day on Thursday, December 7th.

SCHOOL NEWS



GRATITUDE

The following students were recognized for demonstrating the greatest amount of our November Character Trait, GRATITUDE! Students were nominated by each teacher for modeling an attitude of gratitude in their classrooms.

Kindergarten

Ryker DeMier – Ms. Bonomo
Grace Tennyson – Ms. McDonald
Nolan Fudela – Ms. Terry
Jaxon Covington – Mrs. Weatherspoon

First Grade

Tinley Griffin – Ms. Breder
Marlowe Mackinlay – Mrs. Knox
Anika Houston – Ms. Patton

Second Grade

Liana Covington – Mr. Culbreth
Annalisa Rosato – Mrs. Grover
Addilyn Garnish – Mrs. Hering

Third Grade

Nai'a Breder – Mrs. Brohel
Lucas Rojas – Mrs. DeMarco
Peter O'Rourke – Mrs. Hodge
Syl Rivera – Mrs. Wiebusch
Ashiya King – Mrs. Keegan

Fourth Grade

Teyonna Jones – Mrs. Brown
Elizabeth Juetten – Mrs. Manifold
Ash'Lyn King – Mrs. Wirta

Fifth Grade

Na'resse Jones – Mrs. Christensen
Slade Weisner – Mrs. Lane
Naiomi Velasquez – Ms. Rodriguez

Sixth Grade

Azaelia Newton – Ms. Corrado
Rowan Post – Mrs. Donaldson
Addison Anderson – Mr. Joyce



**December
Character Trait:
GENEROSITY**

2024

**Students Return
to School on
Monday,
January 8th**



**Wednesday –
Friday,
December 20–22
Dismissal at 1:15 pm**



December 25 – January 5



Science Fair Projects Due January 29, 2023

All 4th-6th grade science projects are due on January 29th. For questions for 4th grade, contact Mrs. Manifold, for 5th grade Ms. Rodriguez, 6th grade, Mr. Joyce.

Community Corner

To view the exciting community events planned in our wonderful Satellite Beach town this holiday season, click the link below!

https://www.satellitebeach.org/departments/recreation_department/special_event_calendar.php

SCHOOL NEWS



See below for the Holland Chorus/Orchestra
2023 Winter Concert Schedule:

- **December 1st:** Concert for Students, 8:30 am
- **December 3rd:** Chorus Performance Satellite Beach Fire Department at 5:30 pm
- **December 6th:** Chorus and Orchestra Concert for Family and Friends, 6:00 pm
- **December 8th:** Select Students Perform at Holland Holiday PTO Event
- **December 11th** – 1st Grade Holiday Program, 8:30 am
- **December 11th** – Intermediate Orchestra December Feeder Chain Concert at Satellite High School Auditorium, 6:00 pm
- **December 12th:** Chorus Field Trip to Perform at Gaylord Palms
- **December 14th:** Orchestra Field Trip to Perform at Gaylord Palms



THANK YOU to our wonderful PTO and generous volunteers for turning our hallways into an AMAZING winter wonderland for the holidays! You brought great cheer and festiveness to us this holiday season!

Innovation Games!

During the months of September, October, and November, ten fourth, fifth and sixth grade students honed their computer coding skills. They have learned or progressed in coding through a program called Scratch, which is popular among young coders.

Recently, this coding team competed in the BPS Innovation Games held at Satellite High School. This was an all-day event in which elementary teams, representing 20+ different schools, shared their programs that were based on an creating an original, informative, and compelling game or web story that features a world-changing topic that they were passionate about such as recycling, animal conservation, anti-bullying, etc. Representatives from each team shared their coding program and gave an oral presentation on Satellite's stage to the audience of about 250 people.

Holland's team members are:

- Zoe Waite – 4th grade
- David Mansfield-Gross – 4th grade
- Asher Noke – 4th grade
- James West-Lopez – 4th grade
- Eryck Burden – 5th grade
- David Morgan – 5th grade
- Mia Brenoskie – 6th grade
- Liam Ritchie – 6th grade
- Finn Redd – 6th grade
- Nora Wise – 6th grade

There were three places awarded for this competition. Holland's **Nora Wise** placed **second in the district!** Our hats are off to these fine coders – we look forward to seeing what you do next!! Congratulations to All!

2023-2024
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