Lewis Carroll - Dolphin Dialogue 9/11/2026

Hello everyone, you may submit nominations for teacher of the month here:
Teacher Nomination Form
If you have any questions, you may email: brandes.aspen@brevardschools.org

Brevard County "Research Rules"

A science fair conference for students in grades 4-8, their teachers, and parents. Learn lots of useful tips from subject matter experts including designing a winning project!

Saturday, September 12, 2026
8:00 AM to 12:00 PM
Brevard Public Schools
2700 Judge Fran Jamieson Way





RSVP for FREE at: kevin.smith@brevardfl.gov

This event is sponsored by the Space Coast Science Education Alliance

Space at this free event is limited! Only students actively participating should attend. Limited to one adult per child.

Questions? Contact
spacecoastscience@gmail.com

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As a reminder, please send all school-level communication such as illness excusals, change of transportation, and more to:

carrollelementary@brevardschools.org

We encourage you to CC your child's teacher. As always, please direct any classroom specific questions to the teachers.



Dear 6th Grade Families,

Calling all families to support their 6th graders navigate the BPS Beanstack Reading Challenge; to build strong habits, and truly thrive, we are launching a special at-home reading challenge for the month of September.

The Challenge: Survive. Read. Thrive. Sept. 1st-30th.

- **The Goal:** Read **100 minutes weekly** (just 20 minutes a day, 5 days a week). Log your 100 minutes on Beanstack by **each Sunday night** to unlock your reading reward.
- **The Total: 400 minutes** for the entire month of September.
- **The Deadline:** September 30th.

Consistency Over Competition

This challenge is **not** about who reads the most minutes. There is **no top reader reward nor top class reward**, and there are no extra prizes for reading more than the challenge requires. We kindly ask that students do not log a ridiculous amount of minutes just to see a high number.

Instead, the true mission is simple: **build a consistent daily practice of reading at home for 20 minutes.** We trust our students to be honest, accurate, and responsible with their logging.



Important Dates & Information

- 9/14 New Worlds Reading RSVP Due
- 9/16 Q1 Interims Posted
- 9/17 New Worlds Reading Event (RSVP)
- 9/21 Fall Portraits
- 9/23 Gator's Spirit Night
- 9/24 Kindergarten Literacy Night
- 9/25 No School – Teacher Workday
- 10/7 PTO Meeting @3:45

Important Testing Dates:

Primary Grades (K-2):

- PM1 Testing Makeups will continue through end of window.

Intermediate Grades (3-6):

- PM1 Testing Makeups will continue through end of window.

Helpful Links for Families

BPS Attendance Policy po5200: Board Policy po5200 Student Attendance

******PLEASE READ CAREFULLY******

A signed parent note may excuse up to ten (10) school days per year as an excused absence for illness. Absences of five (5) consecutive days or more may require medical documentation. If a student has a chronic health condition, they should contact the school to engage in the chronic health condition process outlined in Policy 5335. Without exception, all required documentation concerning absences must be submitted within two (2) days of the student returning to school.

Add Lunch Money to Your Child's Account: BPS School Bucks

Lewis Caroll Elementary Webpage: Lewis Carroll Webpage

Lewis Carroll Elementary Facebook Page: Lewis Carroll Facebook Page

Woot Woot Wagon Wish List: Woot Woot Wagon Wish List

How to Volunteer: Volunteers | Brevard Public Schools (brevardschools.org)

Brevard Before and After School: Click here for the Brevard After School Page

Resiliency Skill of the Month: Parent Event One-Pager.pdf - Google Drive

Parent/Student Lunches:

All visitors for school lunches must be current approved/registered volunteers and must be on the child's contact list. It is the responsibility of the visitor to maintain current volunteer status.

BOARD POLICY 5136 - WIRELESS COMMUNICATION DEVICES: BPS Wireless Policy

Mental Health Resources: BPS Community Connect Mental Health

Information on Hand, Foot, and Mouth Disease: Hand Foot & Mouth Disease

Fundraisers & Support Opportunities

STUDENT RECOGNITION ON THE MARQUEE

NOW ACCEPTING REQUESTS for your child to be recognized on the school marquee. This will be a great way to celebrate birthdays, recognize achievements, and more! You may purchase a week slot for $10. Forms are available in person only in the front office. Please bring the exact cash or check. These can be purchased up to 6 months in advance.

PERSONALIZED PARKING SPACES / BUSINESS SPONSORED VISITOR SPOTS

Brevard Public Schools now offers advertising opportunities for local businesses. Sponsoring a Visitor Parking sign would be $250 per year and renewal at $225, with BPS providing the sign and approving the artwork from the sponsor. Families may also sponsor their own spaces for priority parking (limit 10 per school year). For more information, please contact our front office.



FENCE BANNERS

New Banners will be approved through the district sign shop and cost $1000 per year. If the sign shop makes the banner, an additional one-time cost of $200 will be required. Donations equivalent to $1000 can also be accepted in exchange for yearly banner contract.



Become a Lewis Carroll Partner in Education!
Email:
Brandes.Aspen@brevardschools.org





September

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Thursday
6:00 pm

UF | Lastinger Center
UNIVERSITY of FLORIDA

new worlds reading

Join New Worlds Reading and Lewis Carroll Elementary for a Parent & Caregiver Workshop

Join our team to learn about reading strategies and how to support your child's reading skills through C.R.O.W.D. Prompts.

Enjoy:

- Presentation on reading strategies
- Application Support
- Free food for registered participants

Already enrolled in New Worlds Reading? Bring a friend who isn't enrolled yet and share the magic of free books!

Pre-register with the QR code by 9/14:

Lewis Carroll Elementary School
1 Skyline Blvd.
Merritt Island, FL

Brevard Schools FOUNDATION
INVESTING IN YOUNG MINDS

#NewWorldsReading **newworldsreading.com**

Spirit Night Fundraiser

Come out and join Lewis Carroll Elementary for a Spirit Night at Gator's Portside

WEDNESDAY

SEPTEMBER 23, 2026

5-10 PM

683 Dave Nisbet Dr.

Port Canaveral, FL 32920

15% of all group food sales will be donated back to Lewis Carroll Elementary

LEWIS CARROLL ELEMENTARY PTO

FOLLOW OUR FACEBOOK PAGE!



TOGETHER, WE MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

DID YOU KNOW the PTO does that?

SCHOOL EVENTS
We coordinate events like Book Fair, Dudes and Donuts, Daddy Daughter Dance, Muffins with Mom, and more!

FUNDRAISING
We work with our community partners and companies to raise funds for our school.

UPGRADES
We raise money for electronics, playground equipment, classroom supplies, and other needed items.

CONNECT WITH FAMILIES
We keep families connected through social media, events, and volunteer opportunities.

TEACHER & STAFF SUPPORT
We love our teachers and staff! We support them through classroom requests, Teacher Appreciation, and more.

HOW WE RAISED

$59,466.22

A+ Thrift Store Donations	$ 11,700
Sponsor Banner	$ 300
Holiday Shop	$ 12,002
Mega Blast	$ 23,353
PTO Shirts / Spirit Gear	$ 619.95
Sign Gypsies Fundraiser	$ 10.00

HOW WE SPENT

$47,000+

- Instructional Resources
- Student Programs
- Family & Community Events
- Staff Support
- Administrative Supplies & Insurance
- Mega Blast
- School Improvements

...and so much more!

TOGETHER WE CAN!

WANT TO GET INVOLVED?

Join us!
Every effort, big or small, makes a difference!

We are always looking for new members and volunteers!

SCAN ME!

Find us on Facebook: Lewis Carroll Elementary PTO

lcepresident1@gmail.com

Moments in Time







MEMORIES THAT GIVE BACK

40% OF THIS PURCHASE

GOES TO YOUR SCHOOL

FALL PORTRAITS

ORDER BEFORE PICTURE DAY: TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2026

https://shop.imagequix.com/g1001404696

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Your student's personal online code and gallery link were sent via email from DSP.

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WANT TO BE A LUNCH ANGEL?

Each school has a Lunch Angel Fund that may be used by students who have reached their lunch account charge limit.

You can be a Lunch Angel by making a cash or check donation to the school's Lunch Angel Fund.

Please make your check payable to the school, with the reference "Lunch Angel Fund". Check and cash payments may be taken to the front office for the Cafeteria Manager to process.

You may also contact us at fshelpdesk@brevardschools.org for a list of schools that are most in need.

Donations requiring a receipt for tax purposes should be mailed to:

Brevard School Foundation,
2700 Judge Fran Jamieson Way,
Viera, FL 32940.

Please notate the School Name and Lunch Angel Fund on your check.

THANK YOU FOR HELPING PROVIDE LUNCH TO STUDENTS IN NEED!

Food & Nutrition Services

This institution is an equal opportunity provider

Brevard Public Schools

FOOD ALLERGY ALERT!

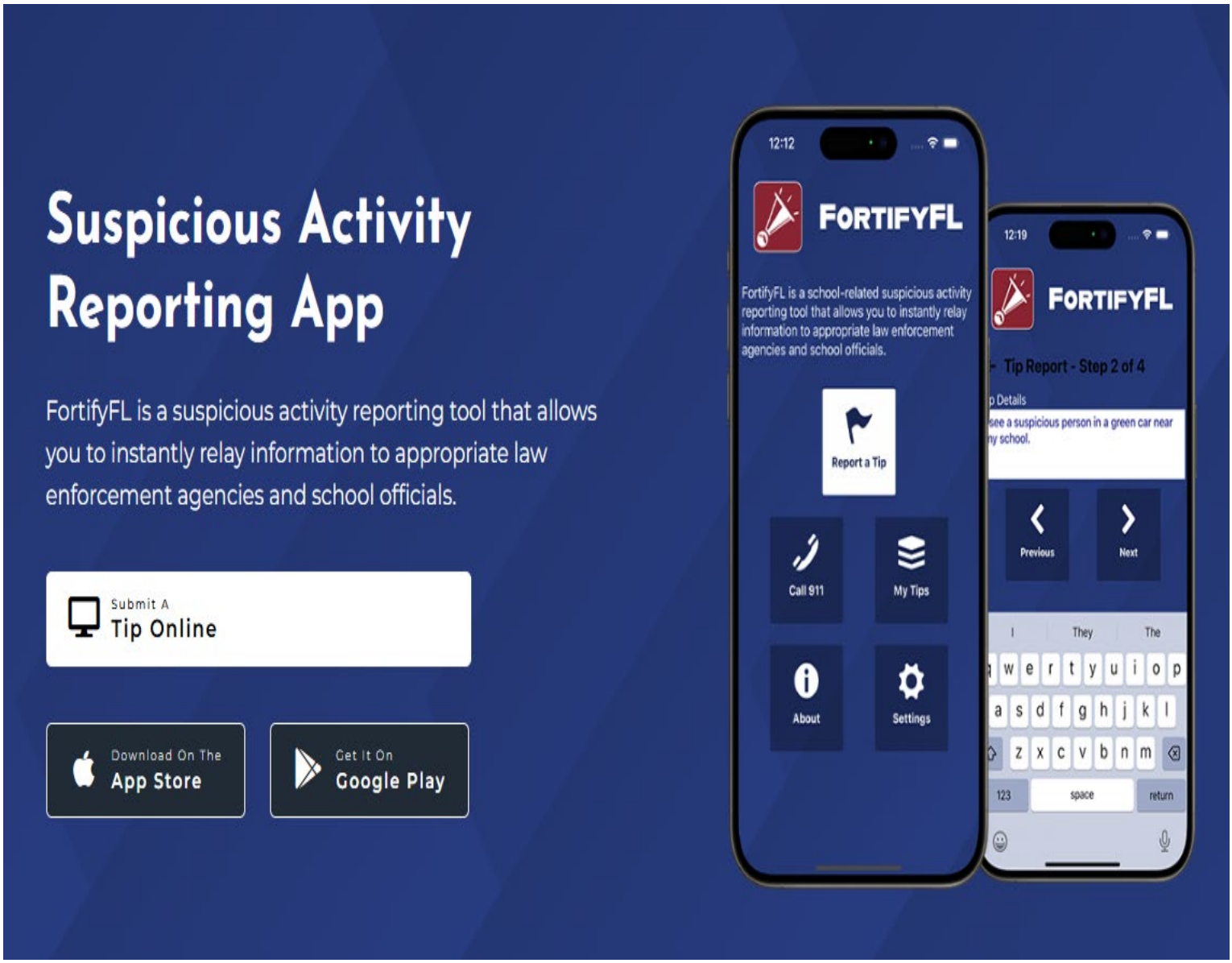


PLEASE WASH HANDS AFTER **EATING**

DON'T SHARE **FOOD**

READ INGREDIENT LABELS AND ASK QUESTIONS IF YOU ARE UNCERTAIN OF WHAT A "SAFE" FOOD IS.

PLEASE HELP TO KEEP YOUR FRIENDS SAFE.



SpeakOut (800)423-TIPS

The SpeakOut Hotline (800) 423-TIPS is designed to help you anonymously report any threatening behavior or situation that endangers you, your friends, family, community, or your school campus. Reporting isn't "snitching," reporting is when you need to keep yourself or someone you know safe from threats, harmful behaviors, or dangerous situations.

By guaranteeing a caller's anonymity, SpeakOut allows the caller to give information without the fear of retribution.