

MARCH 2021

TWMS NEWSLETTER

Updates for the parents of The Woodlands Methodist School

Head of School Update

Parents, Staff, and Students,

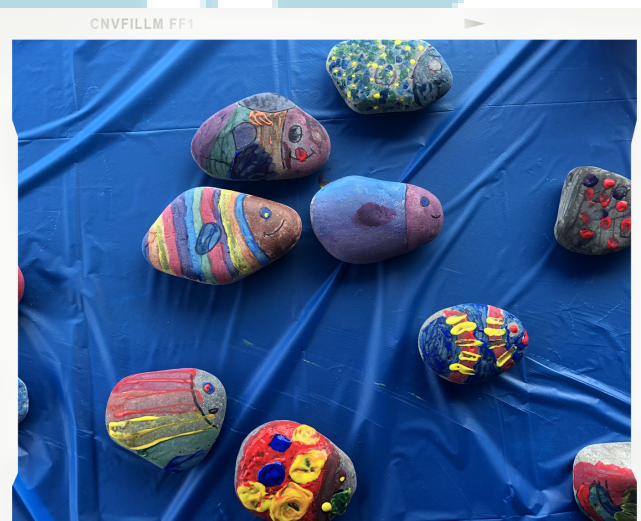
I hope all of you survived the winter blast. I know this was an extremely difficult time for everyone. We hope that you have recovered at this point, but if anyone still has needs, please let us know.

Spring break will be here soon and there are many important dates coming up. Please watch closely for emails regarding information on different grade level meetings regarding next year.

We hope you have already enrolled for the 2021-22 school years, but if you have any questions please contact us.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- 3/4 - 5th & 6th Move Up Night, 5:30 - 6:30 pm
- 3/5 - Go Texan Day
- 3/1 - 3/14 - Book Fair
- 3/10 - LS STEAM Day
- 3/12 - 3/19 - Spring Break
- 3/22 - After School Enrichment Begins
- 3/22 - MS STEAM Day



Lower School News

Since our return from the surprise freeze we have enjoyed so many special events! Just this past Friday, all of the students participated in our annual “Big Art Day”. This year, the inspiration for our collaborative school-wide project came from the book, Only One You by Linda Kranz. Each student, and many staff members, painted a rock fish. Our “school of fish” will be interspersed in the river rock that already provides drainage to the flower beds outside of our library.

On the same day, 12 students from third and fourth grade represented us in the ACSI Math Olympics, the final stage of the competition. Mr. B, our MS Math teacher hosted the tests in his room. The students had a wonderful and enriching experience. Not only did they participate in the Math Olympics, but they got an inside view of our Middle School. Those students included:

Computation - 3rd grade - Kylie Cline, Aiden Lee, Reid Przybyla
Reasoning - 3rd grade - Ross Lucas, Gray Shearer, Richard Ujoatu
Computation - 4th grade - Penelope Graham, Eric Moparty, Evelyn Young
Reasoning - 4th grade - Luke Clark, Emory Clements, Laney Harris

As usual, in March there is a lot to look forward to coming up...We have Go Texan Day, Book Fair, and more! Be sure to read your weekly classroom newsletters for details, updates, and photos.

Scripps Spelling Bee

On Tuesday, March 9th, Sachi Lee will represent TWMS in the State Spelling Bee. The winner of this competition will advance to the National Spelling Bee. The finals will be held this summer and the details should be announced soon. We will be sure to keep you posted!

Curriculum Coffee

Curriculum Coffees are special monthly presentations that focus on topics of interest for TWMS parents and staff. The most recent one was presented by Mary Beth Nolan and addressed digital citizenship. If you were unable to attend, a link is provided below.

<https://youtu.be/SbQQUifDRO8>

Our next curriculum coffee will be held on Thursday, March 25th @ 10:00, and will be held via ZOOM. Christy McGilvray and Amy Shaffer will be presenting/hosting. The topic will be “Everything You Wanted to Know About Standardized Testing But Were Afraid to Ask”.

Middle School News

Hello Middle School Parents,

We are planning a Move Up Meeting for 5th and 6th graders to see what 7th and 8th grade looks like.

If you know anyone looking for a wonderful middle school, please feel free to share the invitation with them!

Please use the invitation here to RSVP and to invite others who may be interested in joining us!

<https://www.punchbowl.com/parties/013972db5879950e8272>



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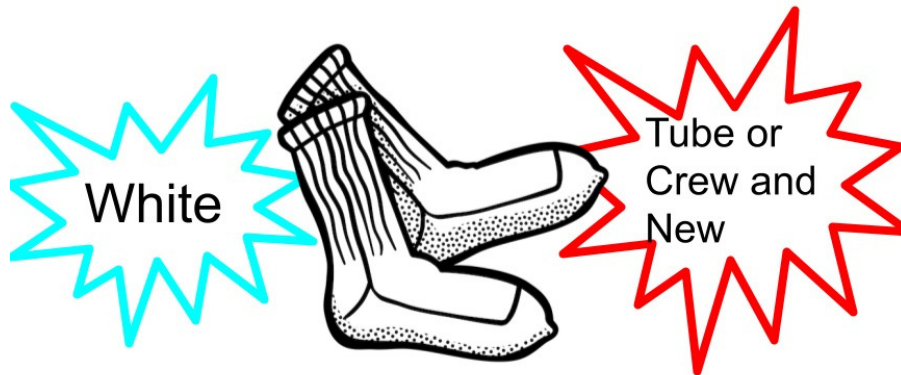
5th & 6th Grades
Move-Up Night

March 4, 2021
5:30-6:30pm

Starbucks Field Trip



SOCK DRIVE



This Week



**Please drop off
all socks at
carline.**



COVID Quarantine Policy Update

In response to updated CDC and local guidelines, our COVID quarantine guidelines have changed. If a student/teacher or class need to be quarantined, the length of quarantine will be 10 days.

Thank you all for your continued support as we navigate through this school year.

Music Notes

Mrs. Reeves and her music cart have started traveling into all classrooms! The students and teachers love seeing her in person!



News From the Library

The Spring Book Fair is March 1 – 14! Like last Fall, it will be run entirely online. The Fall Fair was very successful and we were able to purchase many new books for the library. We are hoping for the same success this Spring. Our dedicated school site is:

<https://www.scholastic.com/bf/twmsspringbookfair>

Start Making Your Summer Plans



**Summer Splash | The Woodlands
United Methodist Church | Woodland...**

Summer Fun at The Woodlands UMC

thewoodlandsumc.org

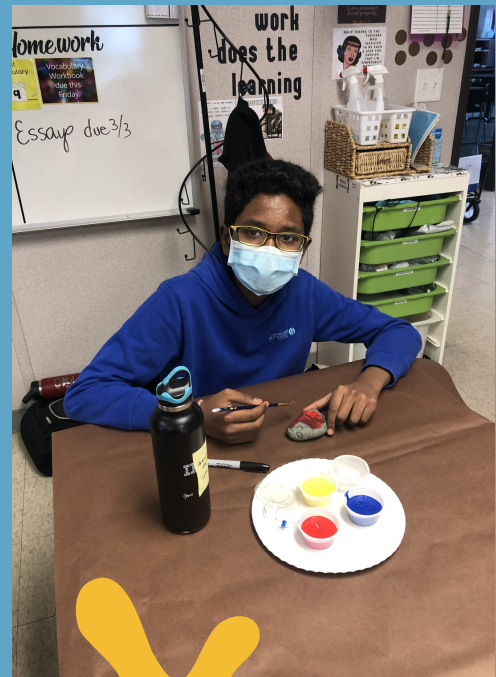


Science Camp Registration Opens March 1st!

<http://www.wowsciencecamp.com/index.html>



Big Art Day



Only One You