

Paws for the News

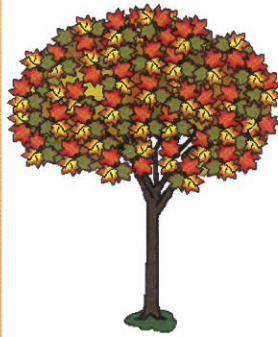
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DATES TO REMEMBER

- **September 26th** - Vision screening from Lions' Club
- **September 30th** - Recognition for September student birthdays
- **October 3rd** - Field Trip to Ruth Patrick Science Center (3rd grade)
- **October 5th** - World's Finest Chocolate Reward Party
- **October 7th** - Breakfast with moms and grandmoms 7:15 - 8:00
- **October 14th** - Breakfast with dads and granddads 7:15 - 8:00
- **October 19th** - Visit from Trenton Fire Dept
2nd Nine Weeks begins
- **October 21—27** - Scholastic Book Fair
- **October 27th** - Report Card Night / Parent conferences 2:30 - 7:00

Happy Fall Y'all



Breakfast with Moms and Grandmoms



October 7:

7:15 -8:00

September Students of the Month



Trent Holmes
Angel Hyman
Billybob Reed
Isaiah Wakefield
De'Asia Garrett
Mya Long
Yoselin Cortez
Eleasha Dunston
Noah Yeldell

Amber Bishop
Renyshia Thomas
Amya Randle
Viviana Acosta
Destiny Johnson
Zahria Glover
Tatyiana Dukes
Mark Bishop

Augusta Chronicle online for student access

DES students now have access to the local newspaper at school and at home. The service is free and the electronic edition is the exact replica, page for page, of the daily newspaper. You and your child can now discuss local events happening in our area. The newspaper can be used to enhance your child's skills in reading, writing, listening, speaking, math, social studies and science. An information sheet will be sent home from your child's homeroom teacher regarding how your family can access the newspaper at home online.



Annual Vision Check

We will be having an annual vision screening for all the children at DES provided by The Lions Club on Monday, Sept. 26th. This screening is as simple as scanning the children’s eyes and is a much more definitive screening for vision problems than we have been able to do at school in the past. It takes away the error of the children maybe not knowing their letters or shapes when reading the eye chart. This is done free of charge by the Lions Club. You will only be notified if your child is found to have vision problems.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Jo Ashley Jordan RN at 275-1752

A new friendly face at DES



Mrs. Jo Ashley Jordan is our new school nurse. She graduated from Piedmont Tech in 2003 and worked at Aiken Regional ER for 3 years as a nurse before coming to Douglas. She is married to Ryght Jordan, from Edgefield and they have two sons, William, 4 and Hudson 20 months. She enjoys riding horses and resides in Edgefield.

We are very excited to have her as part of our DES Family.

Some Lucky “Mateys” from our “Pawsitive Behavior” ship.



(from left to right): Nelliana Bido, Mikel Trujillo, Irvin Garcia, Kiley Taylor

These lucky students had their names drawn today for being “caught” exhibiting “Pawsitive Behavior”.

The behavioral objective for the week of September 19th was to be courteous. Being courteous consists of saying things like: “thank you”, “excuse me”, “I ‘m sorry”, “you’re welcome”.

Each week during announcements, students hear a “pawsitive” behavioral objective. If students are caught during the week exhibiting that behavior, they receive a paw. Students place their name on the paw and put it into a container located in the front office. Each Friday, 5 paws are randomly chosen from the container. These students win a prize. The more paws they get in the container, the better their chances to win.

October 5th is Pink Out Day



Wear PINK to support Breast Cancer Awareness

Coming Soon...

Breakfast with Dads and Granddads
October 14th

Make up Picture Day — November 4th