

# The Stingray Scoop

## Stonegate Elementary Newsletter

Dec. 3, 2018

### Winter Weather

Children will go outside for recess when the temperature or wind chill is above 20 degrees. Please make sure children come to school prepared to be outside for a 30 minute recess with coats, hats, and gloves.

School closing information will be available on television stations 4, 5, 9, and 41 and most of the major radio stations. We will also send out a telephone call and email a message on our school messenger service. The information will also appear on the school's website at [www.raypec.k12.mo.us](http://www.raypec.k12.mo.us). You may also call the school district cancellation information line at 892-3988 to hear a recorded message.

### Holiday Shop

This year we have a great Holiday Shop planned for your students to shop during school on December 12th through the 14th. Students will be able to buy gifts for mom, dad, grandparents, uncles, aunts, brother, sister and so on. These gifts are available to students at really great prices ranging from \$0.50 to \$10. A little nervous about having your child shop alone? No worries, a sheet will come home that parents can fill out to help your student know who to buy for and how much you'd like to spend on that person. We will also have

volunteers to help them pick out some really great gifts for everyone on their list. Also, we need volunteers to help with the Holiday Shop. More information will be coming home soon.



Fourth grade students Norah Bear, Ella Charpie, and Grace Schwartz having fun at the P.E. bowling field trip.

### Fourth Grade Program

The fourth grade program will be Tuesday, December 11th at 7:00 pm. Students should arrive around ten minutes early and sit with their families in the gym bleachers. Students will wear pajamas. The audience can look forward to holiday music and a narration of the story 'Twas the Night Before Christmas.

## PTA Reflections Finalists

Congratulations to our PTA Reflection contest finalists. The theme this year was "Heroes Around Me".

### **1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> place winners**

#### Art- (grades K, 1, and 2)

1<sup>st</sup> Cohen Hunziker, 2<sup>nd</sup> Esther Keene, 3<sup>rd</sup> Alex Dawson

#### Art- (grades 3, 4, and 5)

1<sup>st</sup> Gracie McGuire, 2<sup>nd</sup> Audrey MacMillan, 3<sup>rd</sup> Emma Shellhorn

#### Musical Composition

1. Addison Gaster, Nicholina Sheldon, Norah Bear, Katelyn Frost
2. Jovi Urbina, Ryan Goss, Kayden Miller, Elizah Parker, Caden Neal

#### Dance Choreography: grade 3-5

1. Isabella Rushing, Elijah Rushing, Grace Schwartz

#### Photography- (grades 3, 4, and 5)

1<sup>st</sup> Zachary Waterhouse, 2<sup>nd</sup> Payton Holt

#### Literature- (grades K, 1, 2)

1<sup>st</sup> Ashlyn Jensen, 2<sup>nd</sup> Boston Lynch, 3<sup>rd</sup> Aiyana Redmond

#### Literature- (grades 3, 4, 5)

1<sup>st</sup> Michelle Duran, 2<sup>nd</sup> Brooklyn Lynch, 3<sup>rd</sup> Elijah Parker

### **Honorable Mention Finalists**

#### Art: Grade 3-5

Lucy Sparks, Ian Pettengill, Felicia Moss, Myah Smith, Brooklyn Lynch, Jenna Sparks, Landry Sparks, Livie Duncan

#### Literature Grade 3-5:

Emily Mittlestadt, Mark Langston, Nicholina Sheldon, Holly Fantasma, Grace Schwartz, Connor Fuselier, Landry Sparks

#### Literature Grade K-2:

Rose Siegenthaler, Conall Womack, Lane Renfro, Hailey Supple

Art: (grade 3-5): Lucy Sparks, Ian Pettengill, Felicia Moss, Myah Smith, Brooklyn Lynch, Jenna Sparks, Landry Sparks, Livie Duncan



Reflection Contest Finalists

## Upcoming Events

2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade Gingerbread with Grownups	Dec. 7
Fourth Grade Program	Dec. 11
Holiday Shop	Dec.12-14
Early Release, Classroom Parties	Dec. 21
Winter Vacation Begins	Dec. 24
School Resumes	Jan. 7
Progress Report Available	Jan. 8
Awards Assemblies	Jan. 11
No School, MLK Day	Jan. 21

*Happy Holidays!*

