



Nighthawk News

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PTA

Northwest Elementary PTA's Quarterly Newsletter

Reflections Winners Announced!

The 2024 Northwest Reflections Arts Program winners were announced and cheerfully celebrated with coffee and donuts in November! Thank you to everyone who submitted a piece, and supported the program this year. A big congratulations to all of our amazing student artists, and winners at both the school, and regional level. We are also excited to announce that after a two week period of blind judging by 13 judges from across the state, that Northwest's own **Saint Burgue-Rose has advanced to state level and received an Award of Merit in the Primary Literature category!**

Primary

Visual Arts

1. I am Hopeful Because I'm Dreaming of My Future as an Artist - Olivia Alvarado
2. Taking Care of My Flowers - Josie Taylor
3. SOAR Everywhere - Brooks Mellnick

Photography

1. A Web of Hope - Saint Burgue-Rose
2. Angels are Everywhere - Brooks Mellnick

Dance Choreography

1. Barbie Girl Power - Josie Taylor

Literature

1. I am Full of Hope - Saint Burgue-Rose
2. Best World in the World - Clayton Taylor

Intermediate

Visual Arts

1. Dancing with the Stars - Priscilla McGee
2. Hearts are Filled with Goodness - Logan Mellnick

Photography

1. I Believe - Logan Mellnick

Dance Choreography

1. I can be Anything - Charlee Hagerich

I am Hopeful Because



Ingram's Karate Fundraiser

Ingram's Karate Center in Carrollwood is offering one month memberships to all Northwest families and friends for only \$50, and 100% of the proceeds goes directly to Northwest PTA! Scan the QR code to purchase and a member of their team will contact you to schedule your first class.

You can use this for yourself or to give as a gift!

They also offer an Afterschool Program and Adult Classes!



January

- 8 First Day of Second Semester
- 15 No school
- 18 Dad's Club Meeting
- 23 PTA General Meeting & Talent Show
- 29 Spring Fling Volunteer Meeting
- 31 Northwest Night Out - TBA

February

- 9 Father/Daughter Dance
- 16 No school

KEEP AN EYE ON OUR FACEBOOK PAGE FOR IMPORTANT UPDATES!



OUR SCHOOL STORE NEEDS YOUR HELP!

School Store is an incentive based program for Northwest students in kindergarten through 2nd grade. Each week they earn money through the SOAR Program for positive behavior. At the end of the month, they have an opportunity to shop with Northwest dollars to purchase "prizes." Each Grade takes a slight different approach; please contact your teacher for specific details.

How can you help? We need prize donations! We will HAPPILY TAKE DONATIONS of any quantity of small party favors, stickers, pencils, toys, and like-new Kid Meal Toys. We will also take any non-edible out-of-season items and save them for the store next year. Just drop them off at the office with a note "PTA- School Store".

We need adult volunteers with approved applications to help set-up the student store each month. Volunteers also help students shop and spend their hard earned "money"! Check the SignUp Genius link below to find a volunteer time!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D45ADAA28A1FFC70-northwest#/>



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