

March 2021

# The **BEACH HAVEN BREAKER**



Happy Day #106 and counting, Beach Haven!

This past month, our **6<sup>th</sup> Grade Community Outreach Committee** completed their 3<sup>rd</sup> service learning project by hosting the Souper Bowl. We had an amazing school-wide support that benefited St. Francis' food pantry. Despite enduring the 3 inclement weather days, we eventually celebrated our 100<sup>th</sup> day of in-person instruction. Our students and staff were encouraged to dress as their favorite person or favorite decade from the last 100 years. Even Dr. Fauci made an appearance!

This month, our **School Climate Committee** planned an eventful Read Across America Week that includes a reading challenge, themed dress-up days, and virtual guest readers. Our **Let's Move and Mindfulness Committee** will host another Workout Wednesday with an added addition from AtlantiCare and the Baxters.

Finally, we are coming to the end of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Trimester. Conference days have been set for Tuesday, March 16<sup>th</sup> in the afternoon and Wednesday, March 17<sup>th</sup> in the early evening. **We had 100% of 1<sup>st</sup> Trimester parent participation and I look forward to matching this perfect score!**

**Continuing to promise every student a future!**



March is the  
month of  
**Honesty!**

## **Educational Focus**

NEA's Read Across America Day is a nationwide reading celebration that takes place annually at the beginning of March. However, this should be a focus throughout the year.

It's easier for kids to build reading skills when they enjoy reading. They practice more and feel more motivated to take on reading challenges. Just like the one we will have next week! Try this tip to encourage your child to read while they will continue to build a love of reading.

Make it real! If your child loves princesses, dinosaurs, or soccer, find a book that they can read independently. Not only will it be something they want to do because of the topic, it will be something they can do on their own while they improve their reading confidence!

For complete article, please see <https://www.understood.org/en/school-learning/learning-at-home/encouraging-reading-writing/14-ways-to-encourage-your-grade-schooler-to-read>

## **Upcoming Events**

**3/8-3/12- Read Across America Week**

**3/16-3/17-2<sup>nd</sup> Trimester Conferences**  
*These are half days.*

**3/17-Workout Wednesdays Continue**

**3/17-Board Meeting at 5pm**

**Look for this monthly publication in your child's folder, webpage, and Facebook page!**