

SOUTH ADAMS ELEMENTARY/MIDDLE SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

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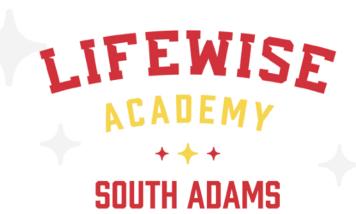


Riley donations totaled \$1,134.63. Thank you so much for your donations for Riley Hospital.



January Students of the Month

Engineering 8 – Jace Gamble, Literacy 7 – T.J. Dillion, Band 8 – Jesse Johnson, Choir 6 – Aleah Mcintire, Music 8 – Audrey Orr, Art 7 – Serenity Shepherd, Business 7 – Gabe Steiner, Math 7 – David Flores-Santos, Language Arts 8 – Hadassah McKinley, Computer Science 7 – Jacob Provost, Guidance 7 – Zoe Ashley, Health 6 – Jamison Patterson, Science 6 – Katelyn Dubach, P.E. 6 – Kannen Schwartz, Social Studies 7 – Mervin Shetler. These students excelled in the classroom during the month of January. They will be treated to pizza on Monday, February 19.





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Scan the QR code or visit *lifewise.org/southadamsin* to register your K-5th Grade student.





Kindergarten for 2024-2025

We are already planning for the next kindergarten class. If you have a child who will be five (5) on or before August 1, 2024, and plan to send him/her to kindergarten, please email Sue Shoaf at sshoaf@southadams.k12.in.us with the following information:

Child's Full Name, Date of Birth, Parent(s), Address, Phone, Email. If your child is brand new to South Adams (did NOT attend S.A. for speech or S.A. Preschool) please go ahead and complete the online registration now at https://

registration.powerschool.com/family/gosnap.aspx? action=38563&culture=en. Roundup will be held on Tuesday, April 9, from 4-6:30 p.m., but we want to get an idea before then of how many students to plan for. Thanks for your help! We're excited to meet the Class of 2037.

Calendar



February 19 - March I

School supply Drive for Dots in Blue Water (see page 6 for details)

Monday, February 19

President's Day - Make Up Day for the day we missed January 25th.

MS Students of the Month Pizza Luncheon

MS Wrestling at Blackford - 5:30 p.m.

Tuesday, February 20

MS Wrestling vs. Heritage/Woodlan - at Woodlan - 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday, February 21

MS Swimming at Blackford-5:30 pm

Thursday, February 22

MS Wrestling vs. Bluffton (home) - 5:30 p.m.

MS Swimming vs. A.C./Bellmont (home)-5:30

Friday, February 23

Popcorn Friday - Elementary students can pay 50 cents and enjoy popcorn at school.

Saturday, February 24

MS Wrestling at Jay County Invitational - 9 a.m.

February 26 - March I

IREAD Boot Camp from 3-4 p.m.

Monday, February 26

MS Swimming at Bluffton - 5:30 p.m. MS Wrestling vs A.C. (home) 5:30 p.m.

Thursday, February 29

MS Swimming at Crestview-5:30 p.m MS Wrestling vs Muncie Southside/ Monroe Central at M.C. - 5:30 p.m.

Saturday, March 2

MS Wrestling at A.C. - 9:30 a.m.

Monday, March 4

IREAD 3 Practice Test

MS Swimming at Norwell - 5 p.m.

Tuesday, March 5

at S.Wells - 5:30 p.m.

IREAD3 Test Segments 1 and 2 MS Wrestling vs. Eastbrook/S. Wells

Monday, February 19 - President's Day

We will have school! This is a makeup day for the day we missed on January 25.

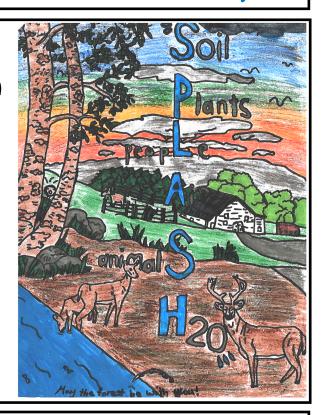
Elementary **Popcorn Friday** on Friday, February 23

Elementary students can pay 50 cents and enjoy popcorn at school on Friday, February 23.



Shirt Design Winner

Mary Schwartz, 6th grade student at S.A. designed the winning Splash Day Shirt Design which will be printed on the back of this year's shirts that every 6th grade student will receive. Great job, Mary! We love the design!



South Adams Elementary Yearbooks on Sale Now

Cost: \$25 (order your yearbook by March 21, 2024)

Make checks payable to: South Adams Schools

Student's Name:

Grade: _____ Parent/Guardian _____

Phone _____ Teacher's Name _____ Number of yearbooks ____ Total Payment _____

If you prefer, you can order online until May 1, 2024 at www.schoolannual.com. Click on "Buy My Student's Yearbook" and enter South Adams Elementary School.

To order a Middle School/High School yearbook, order online at https://www.jostens.com/apps/store/productBrowse/1073414/South-Adams-High-School/2024-Yearbook/20230927081648617121/CATALOG SHOP/ **Cost is \$65.**

2024 PBS Kids Writers Contest

Kindergarten through 5th Grade Students can enter a Young Writer's Contest through April.

- 1. Story Requirements
- Kindergarten and First grade 50-200 words
- Second and Third grade 100-350 words
- Fourth and Fifth grade 150-400 words
- 2. The story can be fact or fiction, prose or poetry.
- 3. Story text and pictures on one side of paper with the page number on the back of each page (use only one side of the paper for the story/back side has only page number on it).
- 4. Stories must have a minimum of 5 original, clear and colorful illustrations. Art work can include drawings, photos, collages, and author-created 3D. Photos must be taken by the student author.
- 5. Story text can be printed, written legibly or typed.
- 6. Children who cannot write may dictate their story to an adult.
- 7. Invented spelling is accepted.

Each story needs to have the following parts to be complete:

- Official signed entry form page
- Title page
- Story

A committee will select stories from each classroom to send to PBS39. If you have questions, please ask your child's homeroom teacher.

Library News

Fourth and fifth grade library students made snowflakes after listening to

the book, "Snowflake Bentley," by Jacqueline Briggs Martin. The snowflakes are displayed on the front windows of the library.







Dots will be traveling June 4—11 to Costa Rica to help school children and bring clean water.

School Supply Drive

Where: Tucurrique, Costa Rica

Who: Native school kids

When: Feb. 19th—Mar. 1st

Need: School Supplies (Paper, pencils, crayons, markers, etc.)

*Winning class will receive ice cream from Mr. Roby!

