



Eagle Eye News

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Important Dates

Tuesday, 3/1
FSA Writing Test
6th-8th grade

Tuesday, 3/1
Spirit Night
Zaxby's, 6-8pm

Thursday, 3/3
Cheer Meeting, 6pm

3/7 - 3/9
SAHS Registration

Tuesday, 3/8
SAC, 3pm

3/9 - 3/11
Cheerleading
Tryouts, 2-4pm

Tuesday, 3/8
SAC, 3pm

Thursday, 3/17
Spring Fling,
12-2pm

Thursday, 3/17
Third Quarter Ends

Friday, 3/18
Teacher Planning
Day

3/21-3/28
Spring Break



A Message From the Principal....

**Dear SMS Parents/
 Guardians,**

We are pleased to welcome three new staff members: **Albert Avetisov** - custodian, **Gigi Bellucci** - computer operator, and **Tamara Tucker** - ICT teacher.

Spring Break arrives this month but it is important students stay focused for the last 55 (!) days of the school year. FSA testing, final exams, grades and 2016-17 registration are top priority. Fun events like Spring Fling, Music and Drama performances, Talent Show and 8th

grade graduation events add to our busy schedule.

Please visit our website often for up-to-date information and as always, never hesitate to call if you have any questions.



Applications are now being accepted for the **Marine Science Program**. This hand-on program is designed for students

who wish to expand their knowledge of local coastal environments and stimulate an interest in the sciences through a variety of fun and engaging activities such as boating, hiking, snorkeling, sailing, windsurfing, surfing, SUP and more!

Visit www-grms.stjohns.k12.fl.us/marinescience for more information and to view a highlight video.

Go Eagles!
Mrs. Battell

8th Grade Dates!

SAHS Registration	Mar. 7-9
GradVenture \$ Due	Mar. 16
GradVenture	May 6
8th grade Dance	TBD
Graduation	May 26, 8:30am

Proctors Needed for FSA Testing in April




Please visit our website to sign up or call **Ms. Solana** at 547-3840.

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“Sebastian Middle School will cultivate high achieving, college and career ready students who excel in a complex and changing world.”

**Science
 Technology
 Engineering &
 Math Workshop for
 Young Women,
 Grades 5-8 @ UNF
 March 5th, 9am-3pm**

www.eyhnorthflorida.org



**Attention
 6th_Grade
 Parents:**

All 7th grade students are required to have a Tetanus-Diphtheria-Pertussis shot (T-DaP). The updated blue HRS 680 form must be provided to the school. Please take the time to review your child’s records or contact your health care professional.

Your child will not be receive a schedule in August if immunization records are not up-to-date.



EAGLES

Visit the SMS website athletic page for schedules and contact information.

**April is National
 Child Abuse
 Prevention Month**


Since 1989, people nationwide wear the blue ribbon and carry blue pinwheels in April to create awareness of the need to keep kids safe and families strong.



**SMS Yearbooks Now
 On Sale for \$30 thru
 March 13th!**

(price after March 13 - \$35)

Limited Supply!



www.leonards.com/yearbooks
Order number: C34446

Or send in a check made payable to SMS.

**PRACTICAL
 PARENTING MAGIC**

SJCSD Welcomes Author and Behavior Specialist,
 Melisa Genaux

**REDUCING CONFLICT AND
 CREATING A PEACEFUL
 RELATIONSHIP WITH YOUR
 CHILD**

Date/Time: 3/8/16 from 6-8pm

Location: Pacetti Bay Middle School – 245 Meadowlark Lane,

Cost: **FREE!**

The 3rd Annual Pinwheel Parade Against Child Abuse will be held on Saturday, April 2nd at the SAYS campus from 10:00-11:30am. There will be a ceremonial “parade” around the campus, refreshments, free children’s activities plus tables set up with parenting information and people on hand to answer questions about the resources available in St. Johns County.

SAYS is located at 6624 US 1 South, just north of the SE Branch Library, near SR206. For more information, please call 829-1770 or visit www.sayskids.org.

CHARACTER COUNTS!



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