

# 2024-2025 THE ROUND TABLE



## Knole's Elementary School

**TOTAL ENROLLMENT:** 397 STUDENTS

**QUARTER 2:** DECEMBER EDITION

### Principal's Corner

HELLO KNOLES FAMILIES,

I WANT TO TAKE A MOMENT TO HIGHLIGHT SOME OF THE AMAZING THINGS WE'VE DONE AT KNOLES SO FAR THIS YEAR! WE FEEL SO FORTUNATE TO PARTNER WITH SUCH AMAZING FAMILIES HERE AT KNOLES. THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT IN MAKING THIS AN IMPORTANT AND SUCCESSFUL CHAPTER OF YOUR STUDENTS' EDUCATIONAL JOURNEY.

*PRINCIPAL -PETE GALVAN*

### LOOKING AHEAD

**JANUARY:** NEHS **BINGO NIGHT.**

**FEBRUARY:** KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

**MARCH:** SPRING BREAK **10TH-14TH**

**APRIL:** ASAA TESTING BEGINS

**MAY:** COLOR RUN FUNDRAISER

OUR READING UNDER THE STARS FAMILY NIGHT WAS A HUGE SUCCESS, WITH ABOUT 200 FAMILIES JOINING US. EVERYONE ENJOYED READING TOGETHER, VIEWING THE STARS, EATING HOT DOGS AND POPCORN, AND SPENDING TIME AS A COMMUNITY. READING REGULARLY WITH YOUR CHILDREN IS A FANTASTIC WAY TO BUILD THEIR READING SKILLS, IMPROVE COMPREHENSION, AND SPARK A LIFELONG LOVE OF READING.

### READING UNDER THE STARS



### WINTER CONCERT & COOKIES AND COCOA

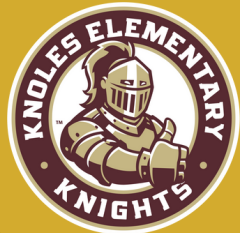
WE ALSO HELD OUR 4TH AND 5TH GRADE ART WALK AND WINTER CONCERT, AS WELL AS COOKIES AND COCOA NIGHT FOR STUDENTS RECEIVING ADDITIONAL SUPPORT. BOTH WERE WONDERFUL EVENTS THAT BROUGHT OUR FAMILIES TOGETHER.

### BOOKFAIR AND BINGO



THE BOOK FAIR AND FAMILY BINGO NIGHT WERE ALSO BIG HITS. FOR THE THIRD YEAR IN A ROW, WE MADE SURE EVERY STUDENT COULD BUY BOOKS FROM THE FAIR. EACH STUDENT RECEIVED UP TO \$15 TO SPEND ON BOOKS. BINGO NIGHT WAS PACKED WITH FAMILIES ENJOYING A FUN EVENING IN OUR GYM, AND WE'RE EXCITED TO BRING THIS EVENT BACK NEXT YEAR!





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## Family Survey

PLEASE TAKE A MOMENT  
TO FILL OUT OUR  
FAMILY ENGAGEMENT SURVEY  
FOR A CHANCE TO WIN A GIFT  
CARD!



POINT YOUR PHONE CAMERA AT THE QR CODE  
AND CLICK THE LINK THAT POPS UP!

## Knights Who Read: *Strategies for Home:*

**TAKE TURNS READING A  
SENTENCE, A PARAGRAPH  
OR A PAGE EACH.**

**START THE BOOK BY  
MAKING PREDICTIONS.**  
WHAT DO YOU THINK WILL  
HAPPEN IN THIS STORY?

**READ A SENTENCE AND  
HAVE YOUR CHILD  
REPEAT IT.**

**ASK QUESTIONS DURING  
THE READING PROCESS.**  
WHAT DO YOU THINK WILL  
HAPPEN NEXT? HOW DO  
YOU THINK THIS CHARACTER  
FEELS?

**MAKE CONNECTIONS:**  
DOES THIS STORY  
REMINDE YOU OF  
ANOTHER BOOK YOU  
READ, AN EVENT IN YOUR  
LIFE, A MOVIE?

**CHOOSE APPROPRIATE  
BOOKS.**  
HELP YOUR STUDENT SELECT  
BOOKS THAT ARE AT THEIR  
READING LEVEL AND INTEREST  
THEM.

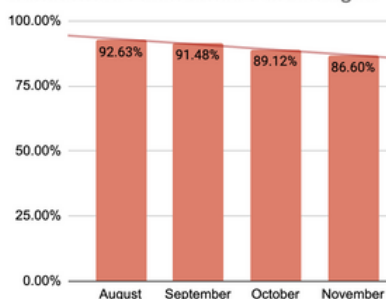
**MAKE COMMENTS DURING  
THE READING PROCESS:**  
WHAT WAS THE PROBLEM IN  
THIS STORY?

**DON'T BE AFRAID TO READ  
THE SAME BOOK AGAIN!**  
REPEATED READING HELPS  
BUILD READING FLUENCY

**ENCOURAGE YOUR CHILD TO  
USE HIS/HER FINGER TO POINT  
TO EACH WORD.**

## attendance MATTERS

Schoolwide Attendance Percentages



"WE KNOW YOU CARE ABOUT  
YOUR CHILD'S EDUCATION  
AS MUCH AS WE DO! THANK  
YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT  
AND COMMITMENT TO  
GETTING YOUR CHILD HERE  
ON TIME EVERY DAY! "EVERY  
STUDENT, EVERY DAY! IT'S A  
KNOLES THING."

SHOW YOUR CHILD HOW MUCH YOU VALUE  
EDUCATION AND THEY WILL FOLLOW YOUR LEAD.

TALK WITH YOUR CHILD ABOUT THE REASONS WHY THEY DO NOT  
WANT TO GO TO SCHOOL AND REASSURE THEM THAT YOU AND  
THEIR TEACHERS ARE ON THE SAME TEAM!

SCHOOL-RELATED ANXIETY CAN LEAD TO SCHOOL AVOIDANCE.  
BUT THE MORE SCHOOL THEY MISS, THE MORE ANXIETY THEY  
EXPERIENCE ABOUT COMING BACK.

HELP YOUR CHILD GET A GOOD NIGHT'S SLEEP BY SETTING  
(AND STICKING TO) AN AGE-APPROPRIATE BEDTIME.

## BULLY PREVENTION

AT KNOLES ELEMENTARY, WE ARE COMMITTED  
TO FOSTERING A POSITIVE AND SUPPORTIVE  
LEARNING ENVIRONMENT FOR ALL STUDENTS.  
AS PART OF OUR EFFORTS, WE WANT TO  
PROVIDE CLARITY ON AN IMPORTANT TOPIC:  
THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN BEING RUDE, BEING  
MEAN, AND BULLYING.

UNDERSTANDING THESE DISTINCTIONS IS  
CRUCIAL IN ADDRESSING CONFLICTS  
EFFECTIVELY AND PROMOTING KINDNESS IN  
OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY.

WE ENCOURAGE PARENTS AND GUARDIANS TO  
EXPLORE THIS TOPIC FURTHER THROUGH AN  
INSIGHTFUL RESOURCE PROVIDED BY DON'T BE  
A MONSTER: A BULLY PREVENTION CAMPAIGN.  
PLEASE VISIT THE WEBSITE BELOW TO READ  
MORE:

[WWW.DONTBEAMONSTER.COM](http://WWW.DONTBEAMONSTER.COM)

