



PANDA PAW

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****This will be the last printed copy of the Panda Paw Newsletter. Panda Paw will be uploaded to Memberhub for the remainder of the school year.**

Memberhub

Parkside is using Memberhub to communicate important school-wide updates like school closings and important dates/announcements. We need all parents to JOIN the school's page. Here's how:

- 1) If you **HAVE** gotten an email from Principal Foster or the PTA in the past: go to parkside.memberhub.com and login with that email or create a password and login.
- 2) If you **HAVE NOT** gotten an email from Principal Foster or the PTA: by going to: <https://parkside.memberhub.com/join> Join Request code is **c7jf85**.

As an added incentive, the first class with 100% Memberhub enrollment (via email or text) by the end of January will get a pizza party!!

Upcoming Events



PANDA CALENDAR

- January 9 Report cards GO HOME
- January 17 Awards Day K-5
Grades K-2 8:30AM
Grades 3-5 10:00AM
- January 20 MLK Holiday NO SCHOOL
- January 23 100th Day of School
- January 28 PTA Meeting 5:30PM

Volunteers

Volunteering is an important part of your child's education.. Examples of volunteers include parents/guardians volunteering for classroom helpers, in-class tutors, performers/ speakers from external agencies, and field trips. *Exceptions: mystery reader, eating lunch in the cafeteria, attending field day, and class parties.

- ◆ If you would like to volunteer at Parkside, you **must** complete the *Volunteer Training, Volunteer Release Form and Criminal History Release Form*.
- ◆ Our District has an ongoing effort to ensure the safety and security of all students. All Volunteers are required to submit a Volunteer Release Form and *Criminal History Release Form*, allowing the scan of their full names and driver's license through the appropriate criminal databases by the Office of Safety & Security. Registered sex offenders will not be allowed to volunteer.

Note: Persons must visit The APS Central Office to complete and submit these forms. (130 Trinity Ave. SW Atlanta, GA 30303).

- ◆ The Volunteer Trainings will be held every Wednesday at 8:30AM in the Media Center..
- ◆ If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Counselor Brown.

Georgia Parent Survey

We would like to hear what you think about your child's school. Please let us know what you like, love, or needs to be improved to make our school better.

This year we are encouraging parents to complete their surveys online.

Survey closes March 2, 2020.

Georgia Parent Survey:

<https://gshs.gadoe.org/personnel>

IB News from our IB Coordinator, Mrs. Lowe

Parkside's "Open- Minded" Learners for the Month of December

Students who are **OPEN-MINDED** understand and appreciate their own cultures and personal histories, and are open to the perspectives, values and traditions of other individuals and communities. They are accustomed to seeking and evaluating a range of points of view, and are willing to grow from the experience.

TEACHER		Student	TEACHER		Student
PRE-K	GIBSON	Isabella Green	THIRD	MARABLE	China Denson
	A.WILLIAMS	Genevieve Mottern		BOWIE	George Voorhees
K	L. MILES	Samuel McKnight		GOENS/ SOESBE	Zaiden Johnson
	S.WILLIAMS	Mary Eloise Gwinn		DOTTERY	Vivien Marquez
	HOLLOWAY	Lavinia Herder	FOURTH	CONNER	Darcy Holmes
	LOPEZ	Zaleiyah Crumedy		BECKNELL	Jayla Purnell
	LOFTON	Amelia Green		ALEXANDER	Keon Williams
FIRST	M. MILES	Zac Taylor		HUGLEY	Ty'Quarius Wyche
	STITT	Alano Harris	FIFTH	JOHNSON	Hasaun Logan
	FULMER	Solara Girdhari		BYRD	Kenzie Trice
	FASSINGER	Dean Wareham		BAKER	Ladaysiah Young
	MOORE	Callum Cameron		L. WILLIAMS	Santiago Voorhees
SECOND	UNDERWOOD	Peyton Rankin	ART	WEEKES	Jayla Ellis
	MANNING	Braylin Welander	MUSIC	HENDERSON	Sarah Wareham
	RUCKER	Ahmari Terrell	GIFTED	DONERLSON	Donald Smith
	BYRUM	Grant Jemison	P.E.	BETHUNE	Somi James
			SPANISH	CANTU	Alexander Smith

Career Day

The community plays an important part in helping to shape the lives of our youth, as they become responsible citizens. We appreciate the dedication that you play in this endeavor. Parkside Elementary School will observe its annual Career Day Friday, February 7, 2020 from 9:00am- 12:00pm. We would like to invite you to partner up with us by being a participant in our Career Day. As a participant you will be responsible for speaking to classes and/ or small groups of students and provide career educational materials.

Please contact Counselor Brown at (404) 802-4100 to confirm your participation. Thank you in advance.

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