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# Students OF THE MONTH

Evaline School Students Of The Month for November are:

**Aaron G.**  
**Audrey B.**



**BUS RIDER OF THE MONTH:**

**GUNNER B.**

**GREAT JOB**



## Student of Character Award

Each month one student from each classroom is recognized for their participation and application throughout the school day, particularly in their Social Emotional Learning Class. This weekly class focuses on one character trait during that entire month. In November the character trait was "GRATITUDE".

**Congratulations to the following recipients for the month of November:**

**K-2nd: Lily C.**  
**3rd-6th: Carly B.**

**SEL: December Character Trait of the Month is CREATIVITY**



## Important Dates!!



### DEC.

- Tues. 17th: School Board Meeting, 6:30pm**
- Wed. 18th: Play Matinee 1:00 pm**
- Thurs. 19th: All School Caroling, 12:30 at the Senior Center followed by Cardinal Glass**
- Thurs. 19th: Evening Play 7:00 pm**
- Fri. 20th: Late Start at 9:30 am - Student Holiday Party**
- Fri. 20th: 11:30 Early Dismissal**



**Winter Break - No School**  
**December 23rd - January 3rd**



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#### **SCHOOL BOARD APPRECIATION MONTH**

- Mon. 6th: Welcome Back to School!**
- Fri. 10th: Lion Paw Day 11:30 Dismissal**
- Thurs. 16th: Temperance and Good Citizenship Day**
- Mon. 20th: NO SCHOOL, Recognition of Martin Luther King Jr. Day**
- Tues. 21st: School Board Meeting - 6:30 pm**
- Fri. 24th: End Of Semester**
- Mon. 27th: Safety City Field Trip for TTK - 2nd grade**
- Tues. 28th: Science on Wheels, at Evaline - all day**

## **Lunch menu changes for next week**

- Monday: PB&J
- Tuesday: Ham & Cheese Sandwich
- Wednesday: Soft Pretzel
- Thursday: Turkey & Cheese Sandwich
- Friday: Bagel and Cream Cheese Brunch

### **Bus Reminders**

Dear parents/guardians, we would like to remind all students that there is **no eating or drinking on the bus**. Please do not send any snacks or drinks for the bus ride as eating on the school bus is not allowed. **Thank you for your continued support keeping Evaline students safe!**



## ***School Holiday Play!***

Each classroom will be doing their own short play/show this year. **The program will also feature musical performances by the students, led by Mr. Burlingame.** The shows will take place **Wednesday, December 18th at 1:00pm, and on Thursday, December 19th at 7:00pm.**

### **Packed PM Performance**

**Please encourage family and friends to join us during the less attended matinee performance on Wed, Dec. 18th at 1:00pm. Our evening performance is very well attended and seating fills up quickly.**

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## School Holiday Play!

### Student Evening Play Arrival Times

Thursday, December 19th, we ask that grades:

- TK-K and 3rd-6th: Arrive at 6:30 pm
- 1st-2nd arrive at 6:15 pm

**PHOTO OPPORTUNITY:** Students can have their pictures taken in their costumes on the stage with the backdrop after the play ends. **HOWEVER, 1st/2nd graders** will change their costumes directly after their scene, so their photos can be taken on the stage, in costume, just before the play begins from 6:35 pm to 6:50 pm.

**The performance will begin at 7:00pm.**

### Volunteers to Help get students ready

Volunteers please be here at 12:15 on Wednesday Dec. 18th, and at 6:15 PM on Thursday, Dec. 19th.

If you plan to volunteer and have not already filled out a paper for a background check, you will need to do so as soon as possible. Please contact the office for the background check form.

**Thank you for your support!**

## Parking

Parking at the school is extremely limited. While we will be working hard to ensure all attendees have a safe place to park on site, any and all carpooling is very appreciated!



## Cookies Donations

Please drop off your cookie donations at the school office **by December 16th.**

**Thank you!**

If you need clarification on anything regarding the play, please email your student's teacher.



## Caroling Dec. 19th

All students will leave the school at 12:15 to go caroling at the Winlock Senior Center & Cardinal Glass.

**Please have your students dress up in their holiday gear!**



## Let's Have A Party! **STUDENT HOLIDAY PARTY!!!**

**“On the last day before break my true love gave to me... a late start and a student party!”** On Friday, December 20th, **we will have a 1 hour late start**, due to our late night, the night before. School doors will open at 9:15am. **Staff and Students** are encouraged to get into the **holiday spirit** by either wearing holiday themed apparel or being cozy casual in our PJs. First we will have a fun and festive breakfast together. Then students will have an opportunity to participate in awesome activities as a whole school followed by gifts and activities for individual classes with their teachers until our **early dismissal time of 11:30am.**



## Transitional Kindergarten - 2nd Grade November Student of the Month: Aaron Gonzalez

**Aaron Gonzalez** is November's Student of the Month. Aaron is an exemplary example of who a student and citizen should be. He comes into his day with a desire to learn and to succeed. He builds upon this desire with a strong work ethic that drives his ability to start and finish any challenge set before him. He is eager for feedback for improvement and applies the concepts he is learning so he leaves each day with a wealth of positive experiences and knowledge. Aaron is also a compassionate, caring peer. He is quick to set an optimistic example and contribute constructively to his community. He jumps in to help anyone with a smile and with an energy that is contagious. We all adore being around and working with November's Student of the Month, Aaron Gonzalez. **Way to go, Aaron**



## 3rd - 6th Grade November Student of the Month: Audrey Burbank

For the month of November, I have chosen Audrey as student of the month. She is an exceptional student whose dedication and kindness make her a standout in every way. She consistently excels in class, demonstrating a strong work ethic and a genuine enthusiasm for learning. Beyond her own success, Audrey is always willing to lend a helping hand to her peers, offering support and encouragement to those who need it. Her positive attitude and sense of humor create a welcoming and uplifting environment, making her a joy to be around. Audrey's hard work, generosity, and fun-loving spirit truly embody what it means to be Student of the Month!

**Awesome job, Audrey!**



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## TK and Kindergarten

Mrs. Tinnin

Kindergarten students learned the letters k, y, x, and j. They are writing the sounds they hear on their whiteboards instead of finding the card that matches the sound. Students are also reading BOB books to help reinforce the sounds they are learning. After students finish each level, they will get a prize.

Kindergarteners started subtraction. They are also playing math games to reinforce their addition skills.

TK students finished up their unit learning about animals. Before the break, they will learn about The Gingerbread Man. Afterwards they will do fun activities reinforcing what they have learned so far this year. In math, they are learning about the numbers 6-10.

We are doing a lot of extra fun activities before the break. Hopefully, your child is sharing some of them with you!



## First and Second Grade Explorers

Mrs. Mittge

We are looking forward to our holiday play! Please continue practicing lines with your child **with expression, not speed**.

### PLAY NOTES:

1. Please have students arrive on the 18th and 19th with their hair and make-up done. Make-up is optional.
2. We will have a costume change after our skit. Please have students wear Christmas pajamas or nice clothes to wear for the song that will conclude the performances.
3. Please arrive at school at 6:15 pm the evening of the 19th.
4. If you would like to take photos of your child in costume on the 18th, they will be available from 12:35-12:50 pm. They will be available for costume photos on the 19th from 6:35-6:50 pm.

Please continue to read aloud for 30 minutes each day over the break. Also, practice counting to 120 by ones, 2s, 5s, and 10s. Students could also: practice writing letters a-z and digits 0-9, as well as practicing addition and subtraction problems.

Wishing you all a very merry holiday season. It is such a gift working with your children!



## Third and Fourth Grade Classroom

Mrs. Mars

Students worked hard this week on our last big writing project before break. They wrote a 4 paragraph opinion essay on whether they would rather live in Florida or Colorado. They used facts from the three sources they read to back up their opinion.

Our Christmas play is quickly approaching! Please have your child practice our two versions of the song everyday. Some students are still struggling to remember the order of the song.

**Please have your student's costume to school by Monday 12/16.** They will change into these costumes for the matinee on the 18th and then will wear them home. **They will need to come to the night performance in costume ready to go.**

We will not be changing at school this year like we have in the past. Also please have your child's hair/makeup done both Wednesday and Thursday.

**See you at the play!**



## Fifth and Sixth Grade Classroom

Mr. Burlingame

Next week we will be going caroling to the Winlock Senior Center and Cardinal Glass. Each class will also be serenading you between scenes during the play so please come on down, enjoy the play and hear us sing traditional Christmas songs for you.

Just a reminder that next week is our last week of the year! Well, last week of 2024 that is. While our students are on a well deserved vacation, please have them read each day and get ready for AR tests when they return.

Parents- Please make sure your student is coming to school with appropriate winter weather clothing. With the weather getting colder and wetter, students who are not dressed appropriately may be held inside for recess. This is to keep them warm and dry so they don't get sick. Thank you for understanding.

**We'll see you next week at the play!**

