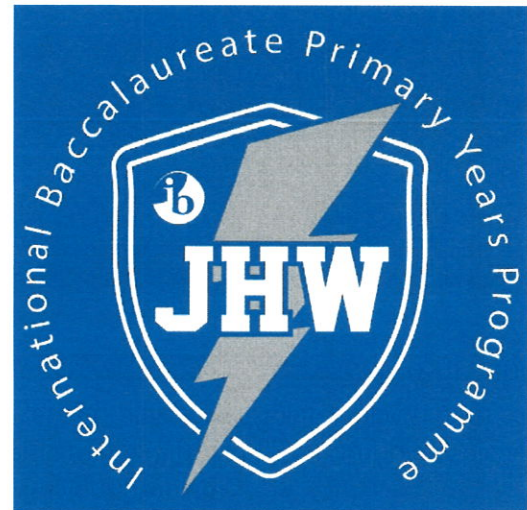


# The Bolt

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"If you have a problem or think you're going to have a problem, please come to the office and let us help you with your problem"



## Message from Administration:

Happy New Year!

Happy New Year. We are so excited to be back for the second half of the school year. We are very proud of how amazing our dancers did before the break at the Lake Wales City Tree Lighting, the Bilingual Christmas Event, and our Dinner with Santa evening. We are also appreciative of all the effort our students are putting into their testing assessments. Report cards and the testing information will be sent home and we encourage you to set up a conference with your child's teacher.

This month, Janie Howard Wilson will be hosting their first school-wide spelling bee for grades 1-5. Lakeland Magic will be coming to visit, the school will also host a fun family night for our PYP program this month. We had a successful evening for our fifth graders as we shared about middle school. The teachers are looking forward to literacy week as we "Dive Into Reading." Please encourage your child to read for 20 minutes a day. It is critical as these precious minutes expand your child's vocabulary.

As an essential member of your child's learning community, you play an important role at helping them take their learning deeper. Here are five simple ways you can support your child's learning at home. Whether it is the more formal learning connected to their schooling, on the incidental, unplanned learning through play, exploration and life experience, these five strategies will help you, help your child become lifelong learners:



We are very proud of the two way communication that is going on with our staff and parents. This communication helps us to meet the child's individual needs. We encourage everyone to set up a conference with your child's teacher if you have not done so. This support helps them through their educational journey.

Please stay connected with everything that is happening at Janie Howard Wilson by following us on Facebook, Instagram, and DOJO and checking out our website. This is how we communicate the latest information.

As always your feedback continues to help us get better and we welcome your ideas, thoughts, and perspectives as we get better together.

Looking forward to a GREAT 2023 year!  
Kim Griffiths and Brittany Alexander



**Teacher of the Year- Mrs. Cole**  
**Support Staff of the Year- Ms. Walker**

## January Calendar

Jan 4- 31- First Grade Fundraiser- School Store  
Jan. 4- Students return from Winter Break  
Jan.5- 5th grade middle school night @6:00pm  
Jan.11- ATeam Competition at Spook Hill  
Jan.12- 3-5 Paint Along at 3:00pm  
Jan.13- Spelling Bee Classroom Champion announced  
Jan. 16- No School- Dr. Martin Luther King Day  
Jan. 17- School wide Spelling Bee Competition at 8:30am  
Jan.19- K-2 Paint Along at 3:00pm and PYP Family Night at 6:00pm  
Jan. 20- Silver Streak Celebration and SAC Meeting at 1:00pm  
Jan.23-27- Literacy Week  
Jan. 24- Class Picture Day  
Jan.27- PTO Meeting at 1:00pm  
Jan. 30- Feb. 17- Color Run Fundraiser donation collection

## EARLY RELEASE DAYS 2022-2023

August 24, 2022  
September 21, 2022  
October 12, 2022  
December 16, 2022

February 15, 2023  
April 26, 2023  
May 26, 2023



# Featured articles

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## Kindergarten

Happy New Year from Team Kindergarten!

As we are starting the second half of the school year, we want to emphasize the importance of being here every day and on time. We work with students one on one in the morning and the amount of tardies/absences are affecting our students overall reading grades and work. Continue practicing sight words and independent writing with your child in their nightly homework. It is imperative that you review these, as the students are becoming more independent and expectations are increasing as we ready the students for first grade. We are so excited to see the growth the students will have during the second half of the school year.

~ Team Kindergarten

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## First Grade

Happy New Year!

1st Grade is so excited to begin this new year with a new grading period. "Thanks" to all the parents who made sure the Holiday Homework made it back to school, and remember the completed packet is counting as a grade for Math and Reading. We will begin this grading period with Reading and Interpreting Data in Math, Basic Needs in Science, Past, Present, and Future in Social Studies and Informational Text in Reading. As always, please make sure your child is doing homework daily along with reading some kind of material for at 20 minutes each day. We will be focusing on handwriting mechanics and getting ready for 2nd Grade. Our little ones are growing and maturing, we want their educational skills to grow with them at the appropriate rate.

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## Second Grade

In Reading/ELA students will be learning about what kids around the world do. They will be doing research and writing expository text in Writing. For Math they will work on subtracting with numbers through 100. In Science and Social Studies students will be learning about "How the World Works" with the scientific method, working together, weather, and rocks.



JANIE HOWARD WILSON ELEMENTARY

## SPELLING BEE

Classroom Competition-  
Friday, January 13th

School-wide Competition-  
Thursday, January 19th in the  
Cafeteria at 8:30am

**READ 20**

**PLEASE READ  
WITH YOUR CHILD  
20 MINUTES  
EVERYDAY !**



## Featured articles

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### Third Grade

3rd grade will continue middle of the year testing with Writing & Science. Please schedule a mid-year conference with your child's teacher to discuss their academic progress and next steps. Attendance is imperative, as well as completing ALL homework and classwork assignments. We will have our very 1st School Spelling Bee, please encourage participation and diligence in studying.

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### Fourth Grade

In 4th grade for the month of January in science, 4th grade will review Earth/Space science standards and move into physical science. In math, they will learn division. In reading, we will be working on realistic fiction.

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### Fifth Grade

In Fifth Grade for the month of January in Math, students will be starting to divide multi-digit whole numbers. We are continuously practicing our math facts and encourage students and their families to practice them at home. In ELA, we are working on poetry, morphology, and argumentative writing. We are having weekly Literature Circles every Friday. Students should be reading at least 20 minutes a day and recording a summary in their reading logs. In Science and Social Studies, we will be starting our "Sharing the Planet" unit and learning what systems, processes, and resources impact humans, animals, plants, and other organisms.



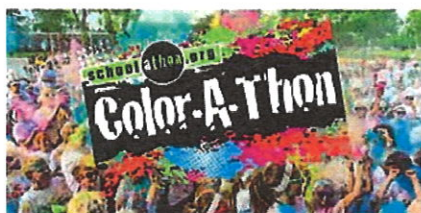


# PTO

PTO Meeting will be held on  
Friday, January 27, 2023 at  
1:00pm in the PLC room

Zoom link for meeting please  
look at social media, website, and  
DOJO!

Monday, January 31st- Friday,  
February 17th to get DONATIONS!



## Social Media



janiehowardwilson



janiehowardwilson elementary



www.janiehowardwilson.com

# PTO

Parent Teacher Organization

### SAVE THE DATES:

#### MEETING DATES:

1:00pm in the PLC room

Friday, September 16	Friday, October 21
Friday, November 18	Friday, December 9
Friday, January 27	Friday, February 24
Friday, March 31	Friday, April 21
Friday, May 19	

#### FUNDRAISERS:

50/50 RAFFLE at all performances  
Kona Ice- August 4th  
Domi Italian Ice- September 8th  
Uniform Free- November 17th-  
Thanksgiving  
COLOR RUN in February/March  
SPIRIT NIGHT- Lake Wales Chili's-  
April 6th  
Uniform Free- May 12th- Hawaiian

**Janie Howard Wilson PTO Board:**

Tiffany Pressley, Lacey Moye,  
Linda Bagley, & Cheryl  
Donaldson

**We are so excited about the 2022-2023 school year! We have big plans for this year, but our success depends on YOU!**

**Have you joined PTO?**

It is only \$5.00. Join today so your child may attend the celebration popsicle party on September 16th. Your membership does not obligate you to attend meetings or to volunteer.

**Are you following Janie Howard Wilson on Facebook, Instagram, DOJO, and the website?**

This is primarily how we communicate with you and provide sign up links for volunteer & donations needs.

**Do you own a business and would like to help support events during the year?**

Email: [betty.finnell@lwcharterschools.com](mailto:betty.finnell@lwcharterschools.com)

**We're looking forward to a great year, please join us!**



## Home and School Connection

Keep an eye on your child's schoolwork

Children get more out of schoolwork when parents monitor their efforts. Each day, take some time to review assignments and any classwork your child brings home. Is it neat? Complete? Ask your child to explain anything you don't understand. This will reinforce the material in your student's mind and help you both know if your child understands it. Together, double-check the assignment to make sure your child has completed everything.





# SAC

**SAC Meeting will be held on  
Friday, January 20, 2023  
1:00pm**



## Lake Wales Charter Transportation Information

The transportation department is actively recruiting motivated bus operators to join our team to meet the demands of serving our students and community.

Requirements and qualifications for operating a school bus for the Lake Wales Charter Schools System are posted. Interested parties may contact Ellen Walterson at [ellen.walterson@lwcharterschools.com](mailto:ellen.walterson@lwcharterschools.com) for more information.

## Why Offer Primary Years Programme (PYP) IB

**How does the PYP foster a student's personal and social-emotional development?**

The PYP promotes the development of a list of behaviors that we call the learner profile. The PYP supports children to become inquirers, thinkers, communicators, risk-takers, knowledgeable, principled, caring, open-minded, well-balanced and reflective. The PYP also lists attitudes to be developed in the children that will contribute to the student profile. These are: appreciation, commitment, confidence, cooperation, creativity, curiosity, empathy, enthusiasm, independence, integrity, respect, and tolerance.

## MONDAY

**2**

Winter Break - No School

## TUESDAY

**3**

Winter Break - No School

## WEDNESDAY

**4**

**Center Plate**  
• Cinnamon Monkey Bread  
**Cold Bar**  
• Nonfat Strawberry Yogurt  
• Vanilla Bear Crackers  
**1-cup Fruit Options**  
• Fruit Selections

## THURSDAY

**5**

**Center Plate**  
• Ham and Cheese Croissant  
**Cold Bar**  
• Assorted Cereals  
• WG Cinnamon Pop-Tart  
• Vanilla Bear Crackers  
**1-cup Fruit Options**  
• Fruit Selections

## FRIDAY

**6**

**Center Plate**  
• Biscuit with Gravy  
**Cold Bar**  
**1-cup Fruit Options**  
• Fruit Selections

**9**

**Center Plate**  
• Pancakes  
• Maple Syrup  
**Cold Bar**  
• Assorted Cereals  
• Animal Crackers  
**1-cup Fruit Options**  
• Fruit Selections

**10**

**Center Plate**  
• Egg and Cheese Biscuit  
**Cold Bar**  
• WG Strawberry Pop-Tart  
• Animal Crackers  
**1-cup Fruit Options**  
• Fruit Selections

**11**

**Center Plate**  
• Turkey Sausage Breakfast Pizza  
**Cold Bar**  
• Chocolate Chip Muffin  
**1-cup Fruit Options**  
• Fruit Selections

**12**

**Center Plate**  
• Turkey Sausage and Cheese Croissant  
**Cold Bar**  
• Assorted Cereals  
• WG Strawberry Pop-Tart  
• Animal Crackers  
**1-cup Fruit Options**  
• Fruit Selections

**13**

**Center Plate**  
• Scrambled Eggs  
• Toast  
**Cold Bar**  
**1-cup Fruit Options**  
• Fruit Selections

**16**

MLK Day - No School

**17**

**Center Plate**  
• Chicken Biscuit  
**Cold Bar**  
• WG Strawberry Pop-Tart  
• Honey Graham Crackers  
**1-cup Fruit Options**  
• Fruit Selections

**18**

**Center Plate**  
• Maple Pancake Wrapped Turkey Sausage  
**Cold Bar**  
• Nonfat Strawberry Banana Yogurt  
• Honey Graham Crackers  
**1-cup Fruit Options**  
• Fruit Selections

**19**

**Center Plate**  
• Egg and Cheese Croissant  
**Cold Bar**  
• Assorted Cereals  
• WG Strawberry Pop-Tart  
• Honey Graham Crackers  
**1-cup Fruit Options**  
• Fruit Selections

**20**

**Center Plate**  
• Breakfast Quesadilla  
**Cold Bar**  
**1-cup Fruit Options**  
• Fruit Selections

**23**

**Center Plate**  
• Buttery Maple Waffles  
**Cold Bar**  
• Assorted Cereals  
• Vanilla Bear Crackers  
**1-cup Fruit Options**  
• Fruit Selections

**24**

**Center Plate**  
• Turkey Sausage with Cheese on a WG English Muffin  
**Cold Bar**  
• WG Cinnamon Pop-Tart  
• Vanilla Bear Crackers  
**1-cup Fruit Options**  
• Fruit Selections

**25**

**Center Plate**  
• Cinnamon Monkey Bread  
**Cold Bar**  
• Nonfat Strawberry Yogurt  
• Vanilla Bear Crackers  
**1-cup Fruit Options**  
• Fruit Selections

**26**

**Center Plate**  
• Ham and Cheese Croissant  
**Cold Bar**  
• Assorted Cereals  
• WG Cinnamon Pop-Tart  
• Vanilla Bear Crackers  
**1-cup Fruit Options**  
• Fruit Selections

**27**

**Center Plate**  
• Biscuit with Gravy  
**Cold Bar**  
**1-cup Fruit Options**  
• Fruit Selections

**30**

**Center Plate**  
• Pancakes  
• Maple Syrup  
**Cold Bar**  
• Assorted Cereals  
• Animal Crackers  
**1-cup Fruit Options**  
• Fruit Selections

**31**

**Center Plate**  
• Egg and Cheese Biscuit  
**Cold Bar**  
• WG Strawberry Pop-Tart  
• Animal Crackers  
**1-cup Fruit Options**  
• Fruit Selections

### Daily Offerings:

- Assorted Cereals
- 1% White Milk
- Fat Free Chocolate Milk
- Fat Free Strawberry Milk
- Fresh Fruit
- Fruit Cup
- 4oz Juice 100%

### Student Meal Pricing

- Breakfast Meal:: \$1.25
- Lunch Meal:: \$2.90



### MONDAY

2

Winter Break - No School

### TUESDAY

3

Winter Break - No School

### WEDNESDAY

4

Spaghetti Day  
**Center Plate**  
 • Spaghetti with Meatballs  
**American Grill**  
 • Chicken Nuggets  
**Deli Delights**  
 • PB&J Cool Pack  
**Additional Veggie Option**  
 • Broccoli Parmesan  
 ½-cup • Garden Patch  
 • Fresh Garden Patch Options  
 ½-cup • Fruit Options  
 • Fruit Selections

### THURSDAY

5

**Center Plate**  
 • Jumbo Corn Dog  
**American Grill**  
 • Chicken Nuggets  
**Deli Delights**  
 • PB&J Cool Pack  
**Additional Veggie Option**  
 • Seasoned Corn  
 ½-cup • Garden Patch  
 • Fresh Garden Patch Options  
 ½-cup • Fruit Options  
 • Fruit Selections

### FRIDAY

6

**Center Plate**  
 • Fresh Baked Cheese Pizza  
 • Fresh Baked Turkey Pepperoni Pizza  
**Deli Delights**  
 • Breadstick  
**Additional Veggie Option**  
 • Southern Green Beans  
 ½-cup • Garden Patch  
 • Fresh Garden Patch Options  
 ½-cup • Fruit Options  
 • Fruit Selections

9

**Center Plate**  
 • Cheese Calzones with Marinara  
**American Grill**  
 • Crispy Chicken Sandwich  
**Deli Delights**  
 • PB&J Cool Pack  
**Additional Veggie Option**  
 • Southern Green Beans  
 ½-cup • Garden Patch  
 • Fresh Garden Patch Options  
 ½-cup • Fruit Options  
 • Fruit Selections

10

**Center Plate**  
 • Mandarin Orange Chicken with Rice  
**American Grill**  
 • Crispy Chicken Sandwich  
**Deli Delights**  
 • PB&J Cool Pack  
**Additional Veggie Option**  
 • Fresh Roasted Zucchini and Squash  
 ½-cup • Garden Patch  
 • Fresh Garden Patch Options  
 ½-cup • Fruit Options  
 • Fruit Selections

11

**Center Plate**  
 • Beef Macaroni Bake  
**American Grill**  
 • Crispy Chicken Sandwich  
**Deli Delights**  
 • PB&J Cool Pack  
**Additional Veggie Option**  
 • Fresh Broccoli  
 ½-cup • Garden Patch  
 • Fresh Garden Patch Options  
 ½-cup • Fruit Options  
 • Fruit Selections

12

**Center Plate**  
 • Chicken Pot Pie  
**American Grill**  
 • Crispy Chicken Sandwich  
**Deli Delights**  
 • PB&J Cool Pack  
**Additional Veggie Option**  
 • BBQ Baked Beans  
 ½-cup • Garden Patch  
 • Fresh Garden Patch Options  
 ½-cup • Fruit Options  
 • Fruit Selections

13

**Center Plate**  
 • Fresh Baked Turkey Pepperoni Pizza  
 • Fresh Baked Cheese Pizza  
**Deli Delights**  
 • PB&J Cool Pack  
**Additional Veggie Option**  
 • Seasoned Corn  
 ½-cup • Garden Patch  
 • Fresh Garden Patch Options  
 ½-cup • Fruit Options  
 • Fruit Selections

16

MLK Day - No School

17

**Center Plate**  
 • Beef Quesadilla  
**American Grill**  
 • All American Hot Dog  
**Deli Delights**  
 • BBQ Chicken Wrap  
**Additional Veggie Option**  
 • Roasted Corn and Black Bean Salsa  
 ½-cup • Garden Patch  
 • Fresh Garden Patch Options  
 ½-cup • Fruit Options  
 • Fruit Selections

18

**Center Plate**  
 • Creamy Chicken Alfredo Pasta  
**American Grill**  
 • All American Hot Dog  
**Deli Delights**  
 • BBQ Chicken Wrap  
**Additional Veggie Option**  
 • BBQ Baked Beans  
 ½-cup • Garden Patch  
 • Fresh Garden Patch Options  
 ½-cup • Fruit Options  
 • Fruit Selections

19

**Center Plate**  
 • Brunch For Lunch  
 • Maple Syrup  
**American Grill**  
 • All American Hot Dog  
**Deli Delights**  
 • BBQ Chicken Wrap  
**Additional Veggie Option**  
 • Breakfast Home Fries  
 ½-cup • Garden Patch  
 • Fresh Garden Patch Options  
 ½-cup • Fruit Options  
 • Fruit Selections

20

**Center Plate**  
 • Fresh Baked Turkey Pepperoni Pizza  
 • Fresh Baked Cheese Pizza  
**Deli Delights**  
 • BBQ Chicken Wrap  
**Additional Veggie Option**  
 • Seasoned Corn  
 ½-cup • Garden Patch  
 • Fresh Garden Patch Options  
 ½-cup • Fruit Options  
 • Fruit Selections

23

Pickle Day  
**Center Plate**  
 • Buffalo Chicken Bites  
 • 1oz Biscuit  
**American Grill**  
 • Jumbo Corn Dog  
**Deli Delights**  
 • Ham and Cheese Sub  
**Additional Veggie Option**  
 • Creamy Mashed Potatoes  
 • Pickle Slices  
 ½-cup • Garden Patch  
 • Fresh Garden Patch Options  
 ½-cup • Fruit Options  
 • Fruit Selections

24

**Center Plate**  
 • Heapin' Beef Nachos  
**American Grill**  
 • Jumbo Corn Dog  
**Deli Delights**  
 • Ham and Cheese Sub  
**Additional Veggie Option**  
 • Roasted Corn and Black Bean Salsa  
 ½-cup • Garden Patch  
 • Fresh Garden Patch Options  
 ½-cup • Fruit Options  
 • Fruit Selections

25

**Center Plate**  
 • Creamy Chicken Alfredo  
**American Grill**  
 • Jumbo Corn Dog  
**Deli Delights**  
 • Ham and Cheese Sub  
**Additional Veggie Option**  
 • Broccoli Parmesan  
 ½-cup • Garden Patch  
 • Fresh Garden Patch Options  
 ½-cup • Fruit Options  
 • Fruit Selections

26

**Center Plate**  
 • Roasted BBQ Chicken with Mac and Cheese  
**American Grill**  
 • Jumbo Corn Dog  
**Deli Delights**  
 • Ham and Cheese Sub  
**Additional Veggie Option**  
 • BBQ Baked Beans  
 ½-cup • Garden Patch  
 • Fresh Garden Patch Options  
 ½-cup • Fruit Options  
 • Fruit Selections

27

**Center Plate**  
 • Fresh Baked Cheese Pizza  
 • Fresh Baked Turkey Pepperoni Pizza  
**Deli Delights**  
 • Ham and Cheese Sub  
**Additional Veggie Option**  
 • Southern Green Beans  
 ½-cup • Garden Patch  
 • Fresh Garden Patch Options  
 ½-cup • Fruit Options  
 • Fruit Selections

**Center Plate**

- Mini Corn Dog Nuggets

**American Grill**

- All American Cheeseburger

**Deli Delights**

- Italian Wrap

**Additional Veggie Option**

- Broccoli Parmesan

**½-cup • Garden Patch**

- Fresh Garden Patch Options

**½-cup • Fruit Options**

- Fruit Selections

**Center Plate**

- Roasted Chicken with Cheesy

**Brown Rice****American Grill**

- All American Cheeseburger

**Deli Delights**

- Italian Wrap

**Additional Veggie Option**

- Steamed Peas and Carrots

**½-cup • Garden Patch**

- Fresh Garden Patch Options

**½-cup • Fruit Options**

- Fruit Selections

**Daily Offerings:**

- 1% White Milk
- Fat Free Chocolate Milk
- Fat Free Strawberry Milk
- Fresh Fruit
- Fruit Cup
- 4oz Juice 100%

**Student Meal Pricing**

- Breakfast Meal:: \$1.25
- Lunch Meal:: \$2.90

What comes with a reimbursable lunch meal?: Milk is offered with each reimbursable meal.

**Nutrition & Allergen Information (NSLP Schools Only):** Nutrition and Allergen information is based on data obtained from manufacturers and may vary due to product substitutions, recipe variations and even customer choice and personal consumption. , If you or any individual on whose behalf you are using this tool have a medical condition please check the manufacturer label before consuming any food at your dining location. , This information and the menus can change regularly and foods are substituted periodically without notice. To obtain the most updated information contact your café manager. , In our reimbursable meal programs, a variety of milk choice is offered. , In our offer versus serve programs, each reimbursable breakfast must include at least 3 items, one of which must be at least a half-cup fruit selection. , In our offer versus serve programs, each reimbursable lunch must include at least 3 components, one of which must be at least a half-cup fruit or vegetable selection.