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Subject: Clark news on the FINAL Friday of the school year!

Celebration and Appreciation

Many thanks to the family of **Maurice Villalba** who provided a delicious staff breakfast from Panera this week!

Thanks to the **Rucker family** for the surprise staff lunch today!

Congratulations to the Clark students who were selected to assist at elementary schools to support all things technology next year! **PSE Pierson Hendricks, HSE- Alex Johansson, and SWE- Jacob Roman.**

SPAM Seniors **Hunter Volonino, Nate Deforest, Luke Bartnick (plus Lucas Guaglardi**, absent from banquet/rodeo) were recognized at the Robotics Rodeo hosted Tuesday evening, May 18, at the Martin County Fairgrounds. Other Clark attendees at the event celebrating the 24 years of SPAM in Martin County were **Adrian Arteta, Kayla Carroll, Alexander Johansson, Jake Roman, Mrs. Kohuth** (photographer) and **Mr. Fears**, who was affirmed as a very involved and essential teacher serving as our school liaison.



Clark's Interact Club members who graduated this year were celebrated by our sponsoring Rotary Club of Stuart Sunrise on Thursday morning, May 20. Pictured with Mrs. Kohuth, an Honorary Rotarian & former Rotary Exchange Student (1983-84 in the Philippines), are **Emma Elliott, Connor Smith, Brendan Hoffman, Nick Lynch**. Also attending the Rotary meeting was Dr. Bonds, an Honorary Rotarian. Clark is grateful for many Rotarians who are Business Partners for our Senior Internship Program. Other Class of 2021 Clark graduates who were part of Interact were: **Gianna Brooks, Caroline Riggs and Anja Simmons**.



Clark rising senior, **Brianna Gasparini**, was recognized at the MCSD board meeting Tuesday night for placing 3rd out of 38 entries in the elections office sticker contest. Pictured below center with Mrs. Gribble.



Announcements and Reminders

Save the date: ALL students and at least one parent are **required to attend our annual orientation/updates session**. This year, it is scheduled for returning students on Wednesday, August 4 from 5:30-7:30 pm. If you have a sibling coming new next year, we prefer you attend the new student session on Thursday, August 5. A letter will be sent with your final report card in early June with more details.

Attendance WILL BE TAKEN in every class this Monday and Tuesday.

The **Hobe Sound Nature Center has volunteer opportunities** for students over the summer. I have attached the flyer for an animal care volunteer. I have also attached the volunteer application form (which can be found on their website as well).

Student Volunteers have been approved to volunteer for MCSD Summer Extended Day. If any students are looking for community service opportunities to help fulfill their Bright Futures requirements, Bessey Creek and Pinewood are looking for help with their programs. They need to be registered as volunteers and sign off that they have read and understand the Risk Mitigation Strategies (links below).

- Bessey Creek Elementary: June 2 – July 1, Mondays – Thursdays, 7:30 am- 11:30 am
- Pinewood Elementary: June 2 – July 1, Mondays – Thursdays, 7:45 am- 1:30 am
- Volunteer Application: <https://www.martinschools.org/Domain/245>
- Volunteer Agreement (Risk Mitigation Strategies): <https://forms.gle/NY6AYAYC1exWBXeS7>

IRSC PERT Bootcamp is being offered soon. See attached flyer.

Laptop collection procedures:

Option 1: Students should return all equipment to Mr. McCrory after the conclusion of their last classes but **no later than Tuesday, May 25, 2021**.

Option 2: provided each student and parent/guardian completes the following action steps prior to Tuesday, May 25, 2021 students may keep their school issued MacBook through May 25, 2022.

1. Insurance must be renewed and paid for by May 25, 2021. Submit a check in the amount of \$70 to Chris McCrory. Please make the check payable to the Clark Advanced Learning Center.

2. A photo of the IRSC asset tag must be submitted as an attachment via email to cmccrory@irsc.edu, or the MacBook must be presented for asset inventory verification to Mr. Chris McCrory in Room 212 prior to Tuesday, May 25, 2021.

3. An updated Acceptable Use Policy form must be signed by both parent/guardian and student, and then submitted as an attachment via email to cmccrory@irsc.edu, or submitted in person to Mr. Chris McCrory in Room 212 prior to Tuesday, May 25, 2021.

Reminder: high school students must receive 6 hours or more of education related to substance abuse, human trafficking, suicide awareness, and other issues related to mental wellness. **ALL students are required to complete the modules in a program called Suite 360 EVERY year of high school.** The videos and content do change from year to year, so even though you did it last year, it still needs to be done for this year. Students will log in with their Clark email address as the username and their 4300# as the password. Contact Dr. Judd with questions. <https://martin.suite360sel.org/login?return=content> If you are new to Clark this year, you may need to use your classlink info to log in.

Working in partnership with Martin County Emergency Management and the Medical Reserve Corps, the Florida Department of Health in Martin is hosting a series of special clinics to offer the COVID-19 Pfizer vaccine. **Vaccinations will be offered at the Treasure Coast Square Mall**, 3066 NW Federal Highway, Jensen Beach, May 26, 27, 28 and 29. The clinics are offered on a walk-in basis and everyone age 12 and older is eligible to receive the vaccine, which is administered as a two-shot series, approximately 21-days apart. A parent or guardian must be present for those age 17 and younger.

Parent Corner

Dr. Judd sent to all parent emails the documentary from a father whose son died by suicide in 2018. He writes, "In 2018, I lost my 14-year-old son, Ryan, to suicide. As a parent of 4 teenagers, I never realized the depth of his sadness; Ryan hid his depression very well. He left a post-it note behind that said, "tell my story."

She would love to hear from those who are able to view it.

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