

Cheetah News Volume 2

Issue 9

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*Week 9*

*October 9th-15th*

*Tallahassee School of Math and Science*

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## TSMS Staff Appreciation Breakfast- November



We will be hosting our monthly teacher appreciation breakfast on Friday, November 4th. If you can participate in bringing in one of the following items, this would make it a successful event. Breakfast starts at 7:30am. Please have all items brought to the front office by 7:15am on the 7th. We currently have 35 staff members at TSMS. Date: 11/4/2016 (Fri.) Time: 7:30am - 9:00am EDT  
Location: TSMS Staff Lounge

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/508054aafad28a57-tsms>

Hispanic Heritage Night!























Hispanic Heritage Night was a huge success! Thank you to all the performers, families, and staff who came out to make this years event one of the best!

## TSMS Fall Festival!



### 2nd Annual Fall Festival

Friday, October 28 2016

9-11am (K-4th Grade) 12:30-2:30pm (5th-8th Grade)

Kona Ice\*



3 HUGE Bounce Houses

Face painting

Relay Races

Music

ALL THIS FOR \$2



\*\*\*Don't forget that this is also Book Character Day\*\*\*

Questions? Please email [Info@tsmas.org](mailto:Info@tsmas.org)

Would you like to help? Please sign up:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0f4aafab2da1fe3-fall>

\*Students will need to bring extra \$5 to purchase Kona Ice

**PURCHASE YOUR TICKET IN HOMEROOM BY 10/27**

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FSU Math Fun Day





TSMS students, teachers, and parents attended to FSU Math Fun Day which was hosted by The FSU Department of Mathematics hosted on Saturday, October 8, 2016.

There were hands on activities, presentations, and exhibits, for students in grades K-12 as well as the general public. Activities and workshops occurred from 1:00-4:00pm.

Students tried 3D tic-tac-toe and other games. They learned some of the mathematical strategies for playing various games and use mathematics to improve their playing style. In addition, Students build polyhedral and other shapes with mathematical tools.

We also had chance to take a group picture with Mr. Jackie Pons who is Superintendent of Leon County Schools.

TSMS students, teachers, and parents would like to thank The FSU Department of Mathematics for hosting this event.

## NJHS Goodwill Clothing Drive





National Junior Honors Society members were working diligently this week to prepare the school for our Goodwill clothing drive. National Junior Honor Society members are seen here processing all of the

donations getting them prepared for Goodwill. We would like to thank all faculty and students for their participation in an event that help so many people.

Go Cougars

## National School Lunch Week



This week, Ms. Priore's homeroom class prepared for National School Lunch Week. Before creating a poster, the class discussed what foods are good to eat and what foods should only be eaten sometimes. We discussed why it is important to eat certain foods as well! As a class we decided it is important to eat healthy and to occasionally eat sugars and sweets!

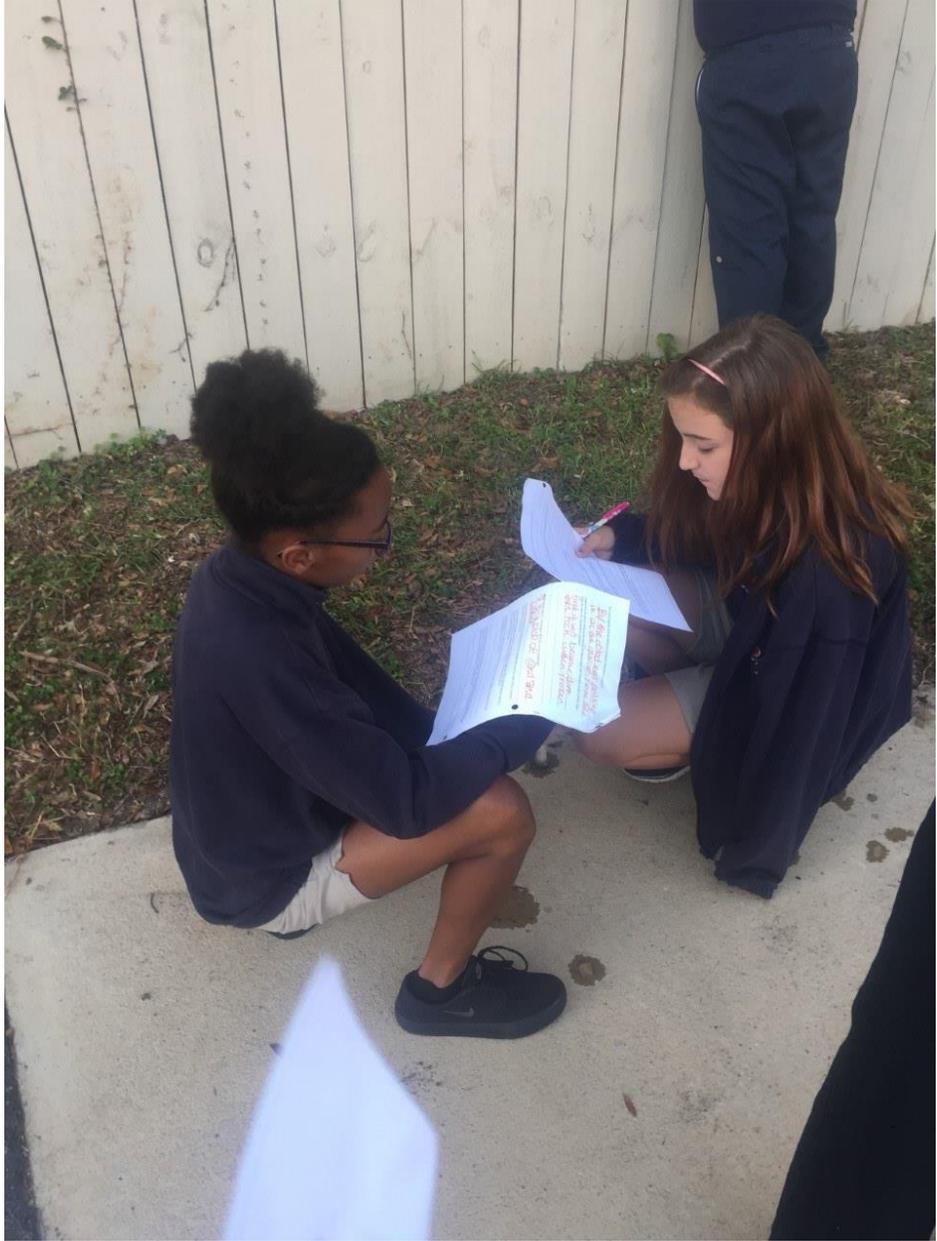
TSMS Garden!

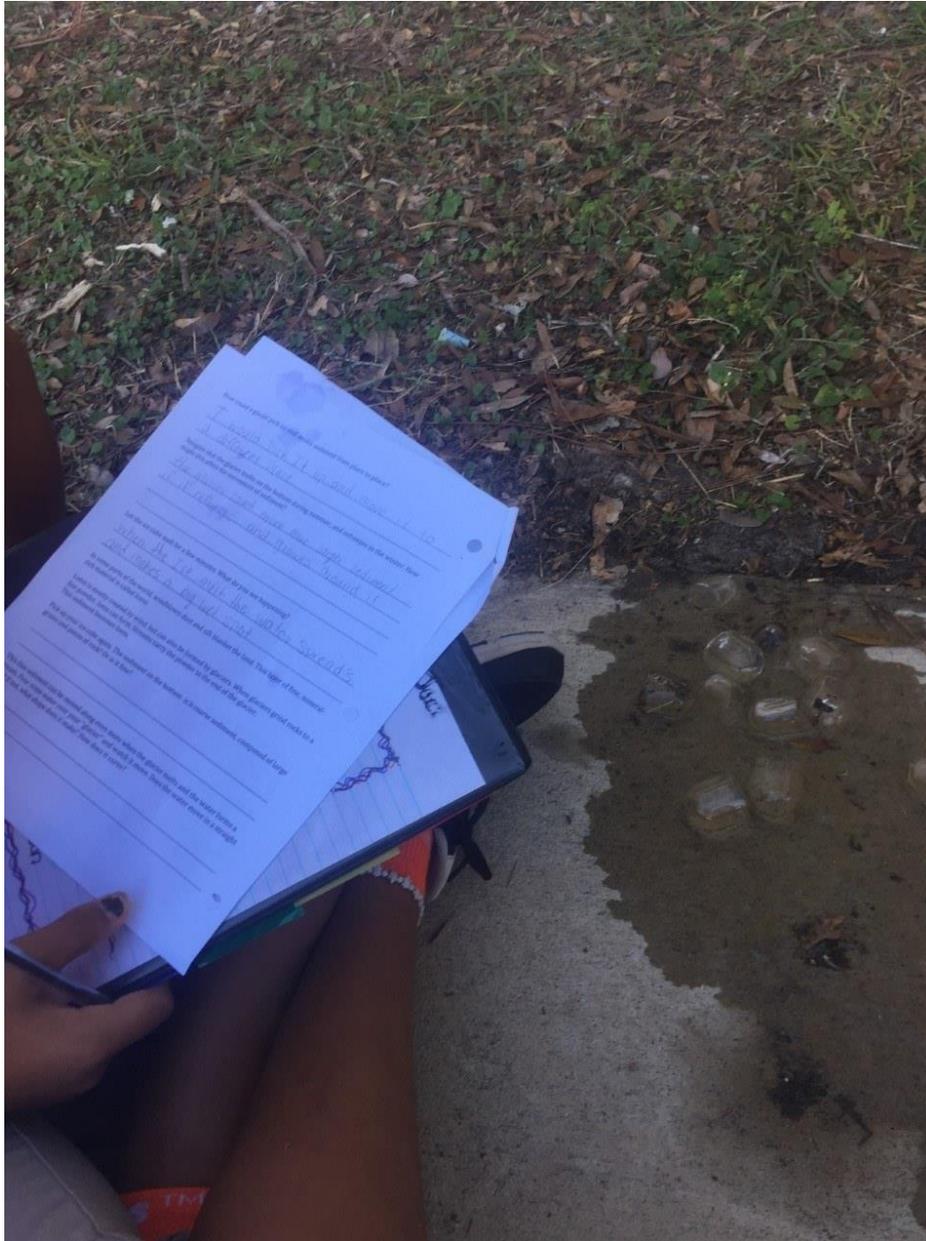












Ms. Burns' class got a lot of outside time this week!

The 8th grade biology class was invited to plant some seedlings in the garden. Mr. Froemke is a real pro at getting it all set up! We not only put in some lettuces, but talked about the environment of the soil. It was a great review for the nitrogen, phosphorus, and carbon cycles, as well as a reminder that science is applicable to many things in our everyday lives.

In 6th grade, we are still covering erosion and weathering, since there are so many ways that it can happen. One of those ways is via glaciers and meltwater. We had a model of a glacier (otherwise known as an ice cube) and saw how it picked up sediment, melted, and carried that sediment away. Our fingers were cold, but I think it was well worth it!

## TSMS 2016-2017 cheerleading squad!

Congratulations to the following students on making the TSMS 2016-2017 cheerleading squad!

Samiyah Opoku

Nakya Faison

Arwyn Gilliand

Milagros Bustamante

Saliyah Davis

Heaven Robinson

X'Zaveah Jackson

Yasmariah McNair

Zaniya Wyche

Ariyona Wyche

Phoebe Yarborough

GO CHEETAHS!

## October Dress Down Days at TSMS

**\*Dress down guidelines on the back**

**Thursday, 10/20** we will have a fundraiser for the American Cancer Society. Students can pay their homeroom teacher \$1 to participate in wearing PINK. 100% of money raised will go directly to the American Cancer Society. Feel free to donate more than \$1.

**Wednesday, 10/26** students may dress down in RED to celebrate RED RIBBON WEEK. Students will take the National Red Ribbon Campaign pledge, and promise to do their part in creating a drug free America.

**Friday, 10/28** students will dress up for BOOK CHARACTER DAY. A flyer will be sent home from each teacher, explaining the book characters your student's will be dressing up as. This is also the day of our FALL FESTIVAL. We would love to have parent volunteers. Please see our Sign-Up Genius for more information. <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0f4aafab2da1fe3-fall>

**Dress down Guidelines:**

1. Clothing should be neat and clean.
2. Clothing may not be worn inside out or backwards.
3. Undergarments must not be exposed.
4. Hair, face, body paint, and tattoo are inappropriate for school and not permitted.
5. No flip flops.
6. Cosmetics or make-up should be age and school appropriate.
7. Clothing with rips, tears, holes or frayed edges is considered inappropriate for school.
8. Jewelry and accessories should be appropriate for school and not attract undue attention or pose a safety risk. Piercing other than earrings are prohibited.
9. Extreme hairstyles are not permitted (examples: Mohawk haircuts; designs, words, or names cut into the hair; hair coloring other than standard frosting or natural highlighting) and should not attract undue attention.
10. Hats, caps, curlers, headscarves, bandanas, doo-rags, pick combs, combs, brushes, sweatbands, chains, sunglasses, tennis skirts, gloves, arm warmers and coats are not to be worn during school.
11. Clothing that is revealing, such as short mini-skirts, short-shorts, tank tops, loosely fitting, low-cut blouses or halter tops, mesh shirts, or shirts exposing the midriff are not to be worn. Sleeveless shirts are not allowed. Shirts must be worn buttoned up to second from top. No strapless dresses allowed.
12. Exemptions may be granted for religious purposes if approved in advance.
13. Leggings cannot be worn as pants.

# Chuck E. Cheese TSMS Family Night



**SCHOOL FUNDRAISING EVENT**

**CHUCK E. CHEESE'S**  
Where A Kid Can Be A Kid.®

**LET'S TURN FUN INTO FUNDS!**  
Chuck E. Cheese's donates 15% of the sales generated from this event to your child's school. Friends and family members are encouraged to help support this event.

**EVENT INFORMATION**

**LOCATION:** Chuck E. Cheese's  
**TIME:** 3:00 pm – 9:00 pm  
**SCHOOL:** **TSMS**  
**EVENT DATE:** **11/15/2016**  
**EVENT ADDRESS:** **2810 Sharer Rd #13**  
**Tallahassee, FL 32312**

To find out more, check out [www.chuckecheese.com](http://www.chuckecheese.com)  
**PROUD SUPPORTER OF EDUCATION IN YOUR COMMUNITY!**

Sales includes all food, merchandise, and token deals purchased at the register. Just notify the cashier that you're participating in your school's Fundraising Night.

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PVO



# 11/8/2016 PVO MEETING

**Parent Volunteer Organization**

Come join us for our first Parent Volunteer Organization meeting

The meeting will be held in the cafeteria (Media Center)

from 6-7pm

\*Supervision provided for students during meeting



Come learn  
about...

School Events

Skate Nights

Family Events

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2 - [PPagozalski@tsmas.org](mailto:PPagozalski@tsmas.org)

## Winter Is Coming!



Winter is coming! Get over to ALL UNIFORM WEAR to purchase the Dress Code approved pieces. Make sure your students stay warm with the TSMS pull-over sweater, cardigan, and the zip-up fleece jacket.

ALL UNIFORM WEAR is located on 1989 Capital Circle Northeast, Tallahassee, FL 32308. For more information you can contact them at (850) 629-4144.

# TSMS Uniforms

The graphic is titled "Guidelines For Clarification" and features a blue header with the TSMS logo and icons for Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics. On the left, a large green checkmark is positioned next to a vertical column of six shoes: a black sneaker, a white sneaker, a brown loafer, a black sneaker, a navy blue sneaker, and a white sneaker. On the right, a large red 'X' is positioned next to a vertical column of seven shoes: a black sneaker, a white sneaker, a red sneaker, a light blue sneaker, a multi-colored sneaker, a multi-colored sneaker, and a pair of brown boots.

3 - Shoes on the left are in the appropriate colors-- Black, White, Navy, and Brown; they do not have flashy colors or logos that stand out. Shoes on the right are not in the appropriate colors, they have logos that stand out, and boots/Uggs are not permitted.

The graphic is titled "Dress Code" and features a blue header with the TSMS logo and icons for Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics. It displays several items of clothing: a navy blue polo shirt, a navy blue long-sleeved shirt, a pair of navy blue shorts, a pair of khaki shorts, a pair of navy blue trousers, a pair of black dress shoes, and a pair of brown dress shoes. A central logo for "ALL UNIFORM WEAR" features a globe. To the right, a black rectangular patch with "TSMS" in white is shown. Below the clothing items, the following contact information is provided: "Address: 1989 Capital Cir NE, Tallahassee, FL 32308" and "Phone: (850) 629-4144". At the bottom, a note states: "Each article of clothing will have to have the 'TSMS' embroidery".

4 - All Uniform Wear 1989 Capital Circle NE

Tallahassee FL 32308

850-629-4144

[www.alluniformwear.com](http://www.alluniformwear.com)

[store28@alluniformwear.com](mailto:store28@alluniformwear.com)

\*Please refer to pages 25-29 in the Student Handbook for more information.

Dismissal: Parent Pick-up Cards



To help combat heavy traffic, please park in the parking lot and walk up to pick up your student.

Dismissal is from 2:45-3:00pm, after 3:00pm students will be sent to EDP.

Please displayed Pick-up card clearly on the dashboard for car pickup. If you do not have a Pick-up card,you will be directed to park your car and show your photo ID to the front office to release your student. EDP also requires Pick-up card for dismissing a student through the front office.

Transportation change or any afternoon change will need to be submitted in writing via letter or email to the secretary Ms. Meriweather

Parents MUST notify front office by 2:30pm– at the latest if there is an emergency and transportation needs to be changed for the day. –If after 2:30pm student will go home as arranged.

## Contact Us

### TSMS

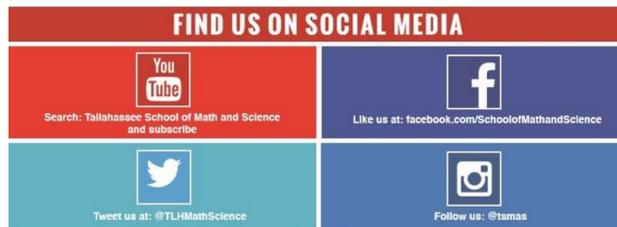
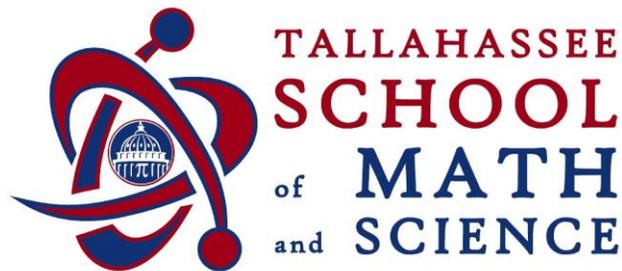
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