

# Evergreen News

Soaring into the Future-One Student at a Time

January 14-18, 2019

Stephen E. Sweeney, Principal

Part II, Neil Gaiman's New Year Wish from 2012

It's a New Year and with it comes a fresh opportunity to shape our world.

So this is my wish, a wish for me as much as it is a wish for you: in the world to come, let us be brave – let us walk into the dark without fear, and step into the unknown with smiles on our faces, even if we're faking them.

And whatever happens to us, whatever we make, whatever we learn, let us take joy in it. We can find joy in the world if it's joy we're looking for, we can take joy in the act of creation.

So that is my wish for you, and for me. Bravery and joy.

*Neil Gaiman's work has been honored with many awards internationally, including the Newbery and Carnegie Medals. His books and stories have also been honored with 4 Hugos, 2 Nebulas, 1 World Fantasy Award, 4 Bram Stoker Awards, 6 Locus Awards, 2 British SF Awards, 1 British Fantasy Award, 3 Geffens, 1 International Horror Guild Award and 2 Mythopoeic Awards.*

## SUPER KIDS DOING SUPER STUFF

In December Evergreen Elementary's Expect Respect Team energized the school and our Community in a Coin Drive to benefit those affected by the devastating fire in Paradise, CA this past November. We are so very proud of the leadership of these students, and their mentor Ms Phan. The Coin Drive raised over \$2,000 which is already helping those in need. Thank You Expect Respect team and keep up the great work Eagles!

“WHEREVER THERE IS A HUMAN BEING THERE IS AN OPPORTUNITY FOR KINDNESS.”

-Seneca

# KEEPING HEALTHY

Wash your hands frequently. If you sing Twinkle Twinkle Little Star while you wash, when you come to the end of the song, your hands will be clean.

Cough and sneeze into your elbow.

Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth.

Say home when you are sick. Remember to call in your absence.

## Achievement Box

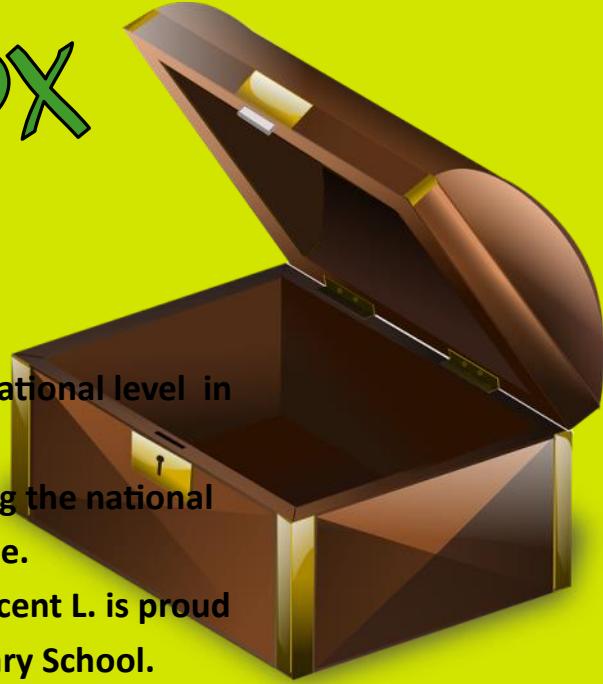
★ Sixth grader Dhruva was a part of a team that reached the state level in robotics.

★ Fourth grader Krish A. was chosen to compete on a competitive badminton team.

★ Fifth grader Nithin L. reached the national level in a robotics competition.

★ Sixth grader Vannesa H. sang the national anthem with her choir at a recent Golden State Warriors game.

★ Sixth grader Vincent L. is proud of creating the first achievement box for Evergreen Elementary School.



TUESDAY JANUARY 15, 2019

4-7 PM

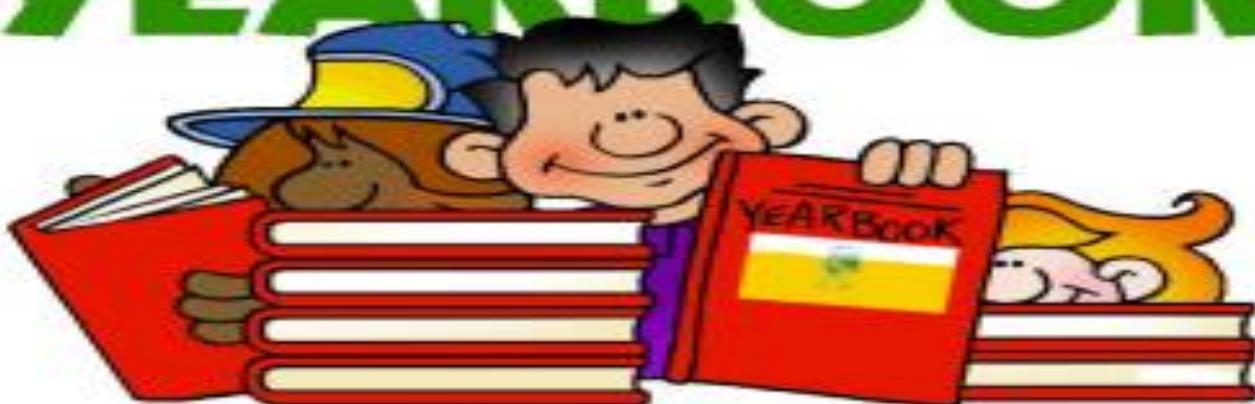
**McTeacher's NIGHT**

4838 SAN FELIPE ROAD

# EVERGREEN EVENTS

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| JANUARY 15     | MCTEACHERS NIGHT                                |
| JANUARY 15     | PRINCIPALS PICNIC                               |
| JANUARY 17     | GEOGRAPHY BEE                                   |
| JANUARY 17     | DISTRICT SPELLING BEE                           |
| JANUARY 18     | PROGRESS REPORTS TRIMESTER 2 GO HOME            |
| JANUARY 21     | MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DAY (NO SCHOOL)          |
| JANUARY 22     | SCHOOL SITE COUNCIL MEETING (SSC) 4PM           |
| JANUARY 22     | ENGLISH LANGUAGE ADVISORY COUNCIL (ELAC)<br>5PM |
| JANUARY 25     | WALK TO SCHOOL DAY                              |
| FEBRUARY 12    | PRINCIPALS PICNIC                               |
| FEBRUARY 15    | PTA FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT                          |
| FEBRUARY 18-22 | WINTER BREAK (NO SCHOOL)                        |

# It's Time to Order Your..... **YEARBOOK!**



Why did the yearbook cross the road? I don't know but I do know that there is a limited time to buy a yearbook. PLEASE make sure to order your yearbook today at: [jostensyearbooks.com](http://jostensyearbooks.com). We will NOT order any extra yearbooks. Yearbooks are \$25, but the memories are priceless.



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**UPDATE**

Five of our students have won at the PTA 6th district level. Below are the names of these creative Eagles. Vishaka and Avyay's entries have advanced to the State level. We are all very proud of our Evergreen Eagles.

Theme: Heroes Around Me

Visual Arts -	Middle	Vishaka A.
Film -	Primary	Adit A.
Photography -	Primary	Rithik V.
Photography -	Intermediate	Aarav J.
Photography -	Special Artist	Avyay. D

## Old Crayon & Marker Recycling

The markers can be any brand and do not need to be working. Crayons can be broken and mangled. There are boxes for both in the office.

