


# Simpson Middle School Newsletter From the Nest 3.21

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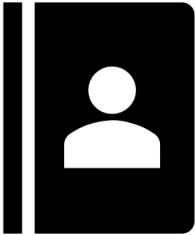
## Principal's Message

Thank you so much for helping the students get settled into the new year. We are off to a great start for Quarter 3! Please continue to encourage your students to log into CTLS to show you their progress in their classes and also be sure to check ParentVue for any important messages or updates.

Also, we are gearing up for STEAMAPALOOZA in just a few short weeks. This is an event you won't want to miss!

Dr. LaEla Mitchell  
Principal, Simpson Middle School

## School News



Don't forget to order your 2023 - 2024 Yearbook

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

School Order Number: 640

Price \$40 – until 2/17

*8th grade ONLY see information to purchase an AD for the yearbook using site link above!!*

## Around The Campus

Join Dr. Mitchell for Principal Coffee & Chat  
on Tuesday, January 23 at 10am  
This month's topic is:  
5 Keys to supporting your middle school student!





**Front Office Volunteers:** Do you have 2 extra hours every other week that you are looking for something to add to your schedule? We are looking for volunteers to help in the Simpson Office Front Desk to check students in and out as well as answering the phone and greeting visitors. Shifts are 1 1/2 or 2 hours one day every other week. Most of our available slots are for 830am-10am or 2pm-4pm.

***If you are interested in volunteering email our secretary at [Amy.Inglee@cobbk12.org](mailto:Amy.Inglee@cobbk12.org)***



**Silent Auction:**


**BIDDING OPENS THURSDAY FOR THE 2024 SIMPSON MS SILENT AUCTION!!**

- Visit this link for a sneak peek: <https://www.32auctions.com/Simpson2024>
- Proceeds from Silent Auction go to support our students, teachers and staff!
- Bidding will OPEN at 8am on Thursday, January 11th and close at 10pm on Thursday, January 25th (after STEAMapalooza Family Event)

If you have any questions, please reach out to [Silentauction@simpsonptsa.org](mailto:Silentauction@simpsonptsa.org) Thank you for supporting our school and Happy Bidding!

**Upcoming Events**

- 1-11 6th grade Band Concert at Lassiter - 630pm
- 1-17 7th & 8th grade Orchestra Camp - 430pm to 730pm (See Orchestra Class CTLS messages for more details)
- 1-22 8th Grade Music - Orlando Trip Parent Meeting - Chaperones (530p-630p) All parents (630p-730p)
- 1-23 Principal Coffee & Chat - 10am
- 1-25 **STEAMapalooza 6p-8p**



# STEAMapalooza


A family event celebrating

**SCIENCE. TECHNOLOGY. ENGINEERING. ARTS & MATHEMATICS**


## January 25, 2024 6 - 8 PM

Students **MUST** be accompanied by a parent/adult

Come out for a night of **free** STEAM family fun and participate in hands on activities, demos & presentations. See live snakes & geckos, gaze under the stars inside Starlab, make your own slime, taste unique soda flavors, meet CCSD NASA Ambassadors, flip through rare books, try an Oculus headset, 3D Augmented Reality, Robotics, Squishy Circuits, physics of snowboarding, music exploration, Ship the Chip! and SO much more!!




### Pizza Dinner 5:15-6:00PM (preorder ONLY)




➔ Prior to the event, dinner is available for purchase (**2 slices of pizza, drink and cookie \$5 per person**) . Preorder at [www.simpsonptsa.org](http://www.simpsonptsa.org) before **January 18th** and be automatically entered to win **raffle prizes**.

➔ Check out PTSA **Silent Auction** items in person! Online bidding is open January 11th 8:00AM - January 25th 10:00PM (scan QR code to begin) <https://www.32auctions.com/Simpson2024>



🎵 Musical entertainment by our talented Simpson students



**PTSA & SIMPSON FOUNDATION ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Simpson PTSA Announcements:**

Click on the link below for this week’s PTSA Announcements!

**PTSA Announcements 1-10-24**

**Simpson Eagles Educational Foundation**

To donate, go to [simpsonfoundation.net](http://simpsonfoundation.net) or click the link below. 100% of EVERY dollar invested goes directly to Simpson’s students and teachers through various educational and technology initiatives made possible by your generosity. Already this year the Foundation has funded two teacher grants to provide travel assistance to conferences that allow our teachers to gather with other educators and learn best practices for our students! Thank you so much for your support!

**Simpson Foundation Online Donation**

**Upcoming PTSA Spirit Nights**

**SIMPSON**  
Middle School  
Spirit Night

**Righteous Que**

Righteous Que  
Tuesday, Jan 18  
3:00pm-8:00pm  
1050 E Piedmont Road

Mention Simpson Middle and a portion of the proceeds go back to the school

**CONGRATULATIONS** to these talented artists from Simpson MS whose winning Reflections entries will advance to the GA PTA level of competition. You will receive an invitation from ECCC for a **January 30th** awards reception via email.

On March 8th, during Youth Arts Month, Simpson PTSA will celebrate all students who participated in Reflections and you will receive a separate invitation for that reception.

**CONGRATULATIONS**

**2023-24**  
**ECCC**  
**REFLECTIONS**  
**WINNERS**

<b>AMRITHA A.</b>	<b>MUSIC COMPOSITION</b>
<b>CHRISTOPHER L.</b>	<b>PHOTOGRAPHY</b>
<b>DREW G.</b>	<b>MUSIC COMPOSITION</b>
<b>LAVIE A.</b>	<b>LITERATURE</b>
<b>NOAH XAVIER S.</b>	<b>PHOTOGRAPHY</b>
<b>RIYA K.</b>	<b>FILM PRODUCTION</b>

**I am Hopeful Because...**  
Explore the arts and express yourself!  
Learn more and get involved!  
PTSA.org/Reflections

