

# Simpson Middle School Newsletter

## Dear Simpson Eagle Families,

Quarter 3 comes to a close next week, so be sure to monitor your student's progress in their classes by checking CTLS and ParentVue. Also, next week we will start our final administration of the Math Inventory and Reading Inventory. Student scores will be one of the data points used to help us find the most appropriate placement for student courses in the fall. Speaking of fall placement, if you would like for your student to be in advanced or high school classes, be sure to check out the advanced content matrix for the upcoming school year available on our school website. If you have any questions or concerns, each grade level administrator will be happy to assist.

*Dr. LaEla Mitchell*



**Neighborhood Food Pantry** at Sprayberry High School 2525 Sandy Plains Rd, Marietta, GA 30066 Lower left parking lot off of Sandy Plains Rd. Monday, March 13, 4pm-6pm (every 2nd Monday of the month). Click on the attached flyer for more information.



**Art Show Fundraiser March 29th – 530p to 7p during International Night.**  
More details and QR code for pre-sales coming soon!!!



**Save the Date! The next Principal Coffee & Chat will be held on Tuesday, April 18th! Dr. Mitchell will be sharing good to know information for EOGs (Milestones) and class placement for next school year. You won't want to miss it!**

**Have you ordered your Yearbook???????**

**Get yours today before time runs out!**

**2022 – 2023 Simpson Yearbook**

**LAST DAY TO ORDER IS MARCH 30TH**

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

School Order Number: **640**

\$45 (name stamp)

"8<sup>th</sup> Grade Only" Purchase a personal

1/8 page color ad for only \$25

## Upcoming Events

3/7 – 7 & 8 Band Concert 600p @ Lassiter

3/8 – 6 & 7 Chorus Concert 630p @ Lassiter

3/9 – 8<sup>th</sup> Chorus Concert 7p @ Lassiter

3/13 – 8<sup>th</sup> Orchestra Concert 7p @ Lassiter

3/16 – Rising 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Parent Night 6pm

3/16-3/19 – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Music Trip to Orlando

3/23 – 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Orchestra String Jamboree

7pm @ Lassiter

3/27-3/31 – Spirit Week

3/29 – Spring Art Show & International Night

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**PTSA SPIRIT NIGHT This Week  
 At Righteous Que  
 Thursday March 9<sup>th</sup> from 3p-8p  
 1050 E. Piedmont Rd  
 (Located at the corner of E. Piedmont and  
 Roswell Rd in the Publix Shopping Center)**



**Tell them you are with Simpson and a portion  
 of the sale will come back to the PTSA.  
 Thank you for your support!**



**Congratulations to our  
 February Students & Staff  
 of the Month!**

- Ms. Emilie Rose – 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Science**
- Ms. Tina MacDonald – Paraprofessional**
- Emily H. – 6<sup>th</sup> Grade**
- Sadie P. – 6<sup>th</sup> Grade**
- Shyla S. – 7<sup>th</sup> Grade**
- Noah R. – 7<sup>th</sup> Grade**
- Hannah D. – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade**
- Hailey W. – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade**

**REFLECTIONS WINNER!!!!!!**

CONGRATULATIONS to 6<sup>th</sup> grader, Riya K!  
 Riya's Film Production entry has won at the  
 GA PTA Reflections level and advances to the  
 National judging round.

Results will be announced in May!  
 We are so proud of Riya and all the students  
 who participated in this year's Reflections  
 contest.

- 6 Visual Arts Aarushi G.    6 Visual Arts Riya K.
- 6 Music Composition Gabriel M.
- 6 Film Production, Literature, & Photography Riya K.
- 7 Visual Arts Carter W.    7 Literature Rohan R.
- 8 Photography Arjun B.



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## PTSA ANNOUNCEMENTS

**International Night will be hosted by the PTSA this year on March 29th 5:30-7:30PM during the Simpson Art Show Extravaganza!! To RSVP for International Night by March 4<sup>th</sup>**

**International Night sign up extended** PTSA would love more heritages/countries represented on International Night OR if your family is coming to enjoy the festivities, please RSVP using **this form**.

\*\* Dr. Mitchell will participate in an interactive drum performance!

\*\* Small **non-perishable** international goodies can be dropped off in the front office starting 3/6.

**Motivation Monday** PTSA Health & Wellness chair Shonda creates affirmative messages to support our students and families' wellbeing. Visit the **Health & Wellness page** for more information. See attachment for this week's message.

### **Student Agendas survey due end of day Thursday March 9th**

PTSA provides every student with an agenda at the beginning of each school year and costs PTSA approx. \$4,000. PTSA & Simpson staff are evaluating the use and need of student agendas and would appreciate your input. Can you help us by filling out **this one question survey?**

Thank you for your input!

### **PTSA proposed slate of Exec Officers for 2023-24**

The Nominating Committee presents the proposed slate of Simpson Middle School PTSA Exec Officers for the 2023-2024 School Year. The Nominating Committee Report has been posted at the school.

For Co President: Lisa Thompson

For Co President: Aimee Ballenger

For VP: Stacey Albracht

For VP: Veena Raj

For Secretary: Kelly Tamayo

For Treasurer: Janett Park

**Connect with Simpson PTSA** to stay informed about activities, initiatives, spirit nights, volunteer opportunities, etc.

- **Follow** us on [Facebook](#)
- Sign up for **Remind text messages** (Text your child's grade code to 81010 Grade Codes: 6th Grade - @29eagle, 7th Grade - @28eagle, 8th Grade - @27eagle)
- Visit the **PTSA website** [www.simpsonptsa.org](http://www.simpsonptsa.org)
- Receive the **monthly PTSA newsletter**
- **Email** [president@simpsonptsa.org](mailto:president@simpsonptsa.org)



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