

Sabercat Post

Full STEAM Ahead

By: Katie L.

STEAM Night was a hit! Early in March, there was fun all around with the many activities that helped teach kids cool and interesting things about science, technology, engineering, art, and math. On display were 2nd grade's awesome rural, suburban, and urban cities, science fair project winners from every grade level, including two winning pulley systems from a sixth grade STEAM lab project! Other activities included making art out of E-waste, constructing harmonicas, molding magnetic slime, and many other super cool things that made everyone in attendance have fun while learning new things. STEAM Night was such a fun, family-friendly event with activities for every age! Remember to come on out next year!

Book Swap

By, Angad S.

Last month, Silver Oak's Book Swap took place in D13. Our school collected over 2,000 books! For every donated book, students were allowed to acquire a new book. This helped kids in need get many much-needed books. Donation Day was on March 14th and New-Book day was held on March 21st. Thank you to everyone who took part in this important event! Keep reading!

Last Month in History

By, Rachel H. and Ashley H.

March 1, 1872- Yellowstone became the first national park in the U.S.A
 March 2, 1836- Texas declared its independence from Mexico
 March 3, 1931- The Star Spangled Banner became the National Anthem
 March 5, 1770- The Boston Massacre occurred
 March 6, 1950- Silly putty was invented
 March 7, 1933- The Monopoly board game was invented
 March 7, 1876- Alexander Graham Bell patents the telephone
 March 10, 1862- The U.S. government issued paper money for the first time
 March 12, 1912- Girl Scouts were founded
 March 17, 1845- The rubber band was invented
 March 19, 1918- Congress approves daylight savings
 March 29- Coca Cola was invented
 March 30- Alaska was purchased by the United States

Q & A

By , Melanie P.

Welcome back to Questions and Answers! Here are the questions and answers for this month!

We asked Yash K. from **Kindergarten**, "Who is your favorite book character?" He said, "George the monkey. From Curious George."

The **first** grade question was, "What's your favorite sport?" Aisha K. told me, "Soccer and basketball."

Our **second** grade question was, "What is your favorite song?" Kayla B. replied, "Him and I."

Then we asked Ian C. from **third** grade, "Who inspires you?" He told me "A youtuber named PopularMMOs."

We asked **fourth** grader Lizette D., "Who is your favorite artist (singer, artist, etc.)?" She replied, "Taylor Swift."

Luis B. from **fifth** grade was asked, "What's one thing people probably don't know about you?" He told me, "I have a grandpa from Spain."

Finally, we asked Hermione S. from **sixth** grade, "What is one thing you could not live without?" Hermione responded, "My phone."

Teacher question!!! We asked **Mrs. Tibbens**, "What are your top 3 favorite foods and why?" She excitedly responded, "In order, my favorite food is french fries. I like them because of their crispy texture, saltiness, and because the world is my oyster in choosing which dipping sauce I can use. I can't choose a specific food for my second and third favorites, but my next two favorite types of food are Mexican food and Italian food."

Now for the **poll**. We asked whether kids preferred "Vanilla or Chocolate?" Our results were...drumroll please...VANILLA! Vanilla defeated chocolate 7-4. Shocking!

Sports

By, John Henry K.

Who said this quote?

"I could talk food all day. I love good food."
 If you guessed Tom Brady, you're correct!

NHL: Evander Kane's debut for the San Jose Sharks was a hit on Feb 27, 2018, as he racked up 2 assists. He is a very aggressive player, which is exactly what the Sharks need. It is a tight competition in the Pacific Division for a playoff spot. Vegas has been quite impressive for an expansion team, but I have a feeling the Sharks' veteran players will come through! Go Sharks!

NFL: The Buffalo Bills traded Tyrod Taylor to the Browns for a first round 3rd overall pick. Maybe the Browns won't go 0-16 again (but maybe they will). Kirk Cousins signed a short term deal with the Minnesota Vikings because both of the Minnesota Vikings QBs were going into free agency.

NBA: After only playing 15 games with the Cavs, Isaiah Thomas and Channing Frye were traded for Jordan Clarkson and Larry Nance Jr.