



Cougar Column

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**ONE Team!
 ONE Goal!
 Success for
 ALL!**

Week of December 20, 2021

The Cougar Column is delivered via School Messenger

Monday	12/20	Related Arts Week D (PK, 2) and F
Tuesday	12/21	Dismissal 1:45
	12/22 - 1/5	Winter Break - No School
Wednesday	1/5	No School - Planning Day
Thursday	1/6	Students return to school Related Arts Week D (PK, 2) and F
Friday	1/7	-Cougars With Character Assemblies -Wear Crazy Clothes Day
Monday	1/10	Related Arts Week E (PK, 2) and A
Tuesday	1/11	PTO Meeting 5:00 p.m. - Media Center
Wednesday	1/12	Dismissal 1:45
Thursday	1/13	
Friday	1/14	PAW Celebration Wear Orange Day
Monday	1/17	Related Arts Week F (PK, 2) and B No School - M.L.King Day
Tuesday	1/18	
Wednesday	1/19	Dismissal 1:45
Thursday	1/20	
Friday	1/21	Crazy Sock Day - Wear Crazy Socks!

Winter Break
 There is no school Wednesday December 22 - Wednesday January 5th.
 Students return to school on Thursday January 6th

Dear Crookshank Families,

With the holiday season upon us, I want to express my warmest wishes for each and every one of you to have a safe and restful Winter Break. I am so proud of our school community and the resilience that our students, staff, and families have demonstrated this school year. I am thankful for the warm welcome that I have received. I am continually grateful for the thoughtfulness, flexibility, and positivity that our Crookshank community has brought to this school year. Our students are such a source of joy, and I could not be happier to see their smiling faces and hear their laughter each day. Thank you again for all that you have done to support our school, our teachers, and our students this year. I hope that your Winter Break is safe, warm, and filled with love.

Reminder!
Tomorrow, Tuesday December 21st is EARLY DISMISSAL!
 The Café will provide bag lunches for all students.

First Tee Golf
 Registration is open for on-site after-school golf classes. See flyer below for more information.



Warmly,

Bethany Mitidieri
 Principal





Crookshank Cougars PTO



Happy Holidays

Ho Ho Bingo!

Thank you Crookshank students and families for a wonderful night of bingo, dancing, reading, posing with Santa, and more! Once again, Crookshank staff, faculty, parents, students, and friends graciously volunteered their time and talents, and we are so grateful to you! Our Cougar Family is the best! Finally, thank you again to our amazing Ho Ho Bingo Sponsors for the fantastic prizes, donations, and contributions that helped make this event possible!"

Holiday Shop

We had one of our busiest and most successful shopping years this year thanks to you! Students were so excited to shop for you and we hope you enjoy your gifts! Remember, all funds raised go straight back to the school to benefit students.

A special thank you to our wonderful volunteers who went above and beyond to make sure each student left the shop with a smile. And a massive thank you to Crookshank staff and faculty for all of your help (and patience)!

Our Website Has Been Updated

<http://crookshankpto.org/index.html>

Come and check it out!

Spirit Wear

Nearly all shirts have arrived and will be delivered to your student today!! (Any outstanding shirts are due to supplier issues and will be handled ASAP.) We appreciate everyone's support in purchasing shirts and your abundance of patience.

PTO Meetings

Jan.	11th	5:00 p.m.	Media Center
Feb.	8th	5:00 p.m.	Media Center
Mar.	8th	5:00 p.m.	Media Center
Apr.	12th	5:00 p.m.	Media Center
May	12th	5:00 p.m.	Meeting and Election

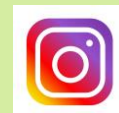
Smencils!

Smencil sales will resume after Winter Break.

Visit our Online Store!

<https://my.cheddarup.com/c/crookshank-ptu>

Our PTO is on Facebook and Instagram



Tap on the icon above and it will take you right to our Facebook or Instagram page. From there you can "Like" or "Follow" us and get to see everything we have planned for our Crookshank Cougars!

Coming Soon!

Birthday Messages to leave for your child on the digital marquee!



Become a Business Partner and your logo can go here. You can see the different levels of support on our website.



After-School Golf Classes!

onsite at Crookshank Elementary



**We're back for
Spring 2022!**

Fridays

3-4pm

Three Class Blocks:

Block I: Jan 21 - Feb 25 (6 wks)

Block II: March 4 - April 29 (6 wks)

Block III: May 6 - May 27 (4 wks)

All equipment provided

DETAILS AND REGISTRATION:

www.firstteenorthflorida.org/afterschool

Linda Johnson, Director of Community Outreach
linda@firstteenorthflorida.org ... (904) 586-4854

**Grades
1-5**

**Register
Online**

**Cost:
\$120 (6 wks)
\$80 (4 wks)**



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