

## Liberty Patriot Stars

## Learners Today ~ Leaders Tomorrow Talking Time

by Joan Brown Speech Language Pathologist

#### Why Take Laughter Seriously?

Usually teachers, parents, and, especially, guidance counselors are concerned about negative emotions—sadness, depression,

anger. But in the Speech Room we also consider laughter and developing a sense of humor. We use laughter to help students socialize and engage with teachers and friends.

Knock-knock jokes, puns, word plays, riddles, and cartoon are used to encourage talking, thinking, explaining, and sharing. Students can expand their vocabulary, sentence structures, questions answering, speech sounds production, and explaining skills with activities centered around humor.

In Speech, we take laughter very seriously.



October

16—End of First Quarter

19—No School (Teacher Workday)

20—Picture Retake Day

25—PTO/SAC Meeting @ 5:30pm

25—Grandparent's Group @ 6:30pm

29—Report Cards sent home

31-Character Parade

#### November

6-No School

9-Veteran's Day Celebration

12—Book Fair begins

16—Student L4ed Conferences

16—Turkey Trot

19-Mid Terms sent home

21—Thanskgiving break begins

### ONE VOICE ONE TEAM ONE MESSAGE





The Bully Program presented by School Resource Officers in Charlotte County is designed to help children know and understand the definition of bullying. This presentation teaches children what to do if they are being bullied or see someone being bullied. The program explains consequences for bullying and how to report

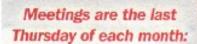
such actions. The goal is to help stop and eliminate bullying, thus creating a healthy environment for children to learn and enjoy their time in school.

## MATH&MOVEMENT



# Grandparents RAISING Grandchildren

A gathering of grandparents to support and assist each other in the challenges and joys of raising their grandchildren.



August 30, 2018 September 27, 2018 October 25, 2018 November 29, 2018

January 31, 2019 February 28, 2019

March 28, 2019

April 25, 2019

May 23, 2019



Liberty Elementary School Media Center 370 Abwater St. Port Charlotte, FL 33954

6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Free childcare provided. Refreshments are served.

Contact Debra Fewell at 941-286-7603 or Jennifer McGill at 941-255-7515 for more information.

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