



THE PANTHER PRESS

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Upcoming this month:

Coffee with the Principal

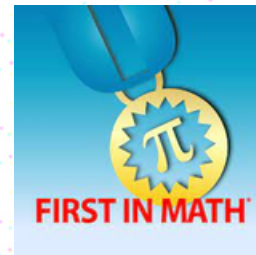
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2nd & 3rd grade
parents are invited
to join Mrs. Ferlick
from 8:20-9:00!



Our Next School Wide Challenge

From now until Jan.
26th!



Complete
our EMC
gyms in
First in
Math!

Reminders:

There will be no school for students
Jan. 1st, 15th, and 24th

Enjoy the winter break Dec. 22nd-Jan 1st!
Jan 2nd will be our first day back!

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We are on Instagram!

We will be sharing images and stories of the great things happening in our school. Visit us [@SoudertonSD](#) and follow our school hashtag [#EMCeleментарy](#)

Read all about it



4th Grade McDonalds Fundraiser

EMC's 4th Graders would like to express their deepest appreciation for your support on EMC's Night at McDonald's. We enjoyed seeing everyone who chose to dine-in and drive-thru! Thanks to everyone's support, it was a successful event that raised an impressive \$478 for our upcoming trip to Harrisburg/Hershey. This significant fundraising opportunity will go a long way in ensuring our 4th grade students will have an unforgettable learning experience while exploring our state's capitol building and learning about Milton Hershey's many accomplishments. None of this would have been possible without the support of our EMC Families. Thank you!

Winter Warmth Donations



Thank you Mayor Yocum for your very generous Winter Warmth Donations!

December School Wide Challenge

Our December school-wide challenge is a shoe-tying challenge! We are all learning how to criss-cross down and loop around! If you haven't learned yet, you have until this Friday December 22nd to get tying!



STOCK MARKET CHALLENGE

The 4th and 5th grade EMC Challenge students participated in the Stock Market Game simulation during the Fall 2023 Competition. This is an online simulation of the global capital markets that engages students grades 4-12 in the world of economics, investing, and personal finance and that has prepared nearly 20 million students for financially independent futures. The students studied the basics of economics for several weeks. They then researched and analyzed stocks to make informed investments, based on their learning. Throughout the first trimester, students invested in about 10-12 companies, spending \$100,000 on their stock purchases. The students followed the growth and losses of their stocks throughout the simulation. This year our EMC teams took first place and third place in the region! Later in the year there will be an awards ceremony to celebrate their learning and success! We are so proud of our EMC Challenge 4th and 5th graders!

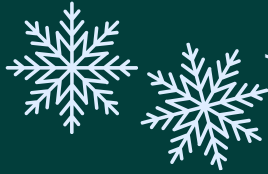
Upcoming Events:

January 3rd – Spirit Day – Wear Our School Colors

January 18th – Souderton Pizza Fundraiser Night

January 30th – Home and School Meeting

7:00 PM in the Cafeteria



INDIAN VALLEY EDUCATION FOUNDATION

The Indian Valley Education Foundation (IVEF) support Souderton Area School District with opportunities and resources through grants for our schools.

Click below to learn more about what they do and how you can support their programming.

Fall Newsletter 2023

This school year, IVEF worked to provide funding for local student, Luca Barnabei, to complete his Eagle Scout Project here at EMC. Thank you to Luca and IVEF for planning and building a fence to start our outdoor learning space! We are looking forward to watching this project grow!



Riddle

Q: What is it called when a snowman has temper tantrum?

A: A Meltdown

**Effort Makes
Champions**

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