

2018 Gideon Pond School-wide Reading Activities in Honor of

"I to Read Month"

Kindergarten = Feb. 6th- Favorite Book Character Parade; 16th- 100th Day Read

1st Grade = Beach Day Read; 1st Grade Buddy Reading; Mystery Readers;

"Book It" Program;

2nd Grade = Comfy Cozy Cocoa Read; Campfire Flashlight Read; Buddy Read

3rd Grade = Read 100 Minutes on 100th Day; Cozy Read; Flashlight Read

4th Grade = Focusing on Figurative Language as it Relates to an Independent Reading Book;

Meet Individual Reading Goals; Intermediate Reading Bingo Challenge Sheet

5th Grade = Comfy Cozy Read; 5th Grade Buddy Read; Drop Everything and Read Time

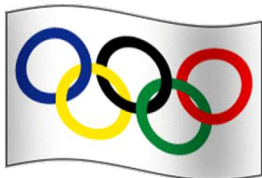
Digital Learning Specialist = Reading on "myON Reader" individually with their

Chromebooks, or as a whole class on the SMARTboard; (myON Reader is an online library that ALL Pond students have access too. Students can also read on myON at home on any device that connects to internet. Ask your child to show you their myON account!)



AND EVEN MORE FOR EVERYONE...

- ❖ School-wide Incentive Theme = "Make Reading an Olympic Event" 3:05 p.m. Kick-off Assembly on February 1st in Gymnasium with an Opening Ceremony to Motivate Us!
- ❖ All Students Create Their Own Personal Reading Flag
- ❖ Spirit Week on Feb. 5-9 ~ Look on calendar dates for special ways to dress for school!
- ❖ Olympic Photo Booth in the Pond Media Center ~ Students have photos taken in groups with books and props, which are then displayed in the main hallway windows
- ❖ "Super Selection Book Shoppe" on Feb. 15th ~ Every Pond student will be invited to browse through brand new gift books, in a variety of levels and interests, and then make a selection of the book that they will take home to keep and read!!
- ❖ "Pass the Torch" Reading From Class to Class on Feb. 19 & 20
- ❖ All Grade Levels Keep Track of Reading Goals While Earning Special Class Activities
- ❖ Community Leaders, #Burnsvillestrong High School Students, BHS Sports Team Members, and more as Guest Readers All Month for All Grade Levels
- ❖ Reading Incentive Calendars to Go Home with All Students ~ Once students complete their calendar of reading activities, they return them to the media center for a drawing for free new books! (Must be returned by March 2nd)



BREAKFAST OF CHAMPIONS ON WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21ST:

Families are welcome to join their student for breakfast and reading. We will be serving breakfast at 8:45-9:30 a.m. Books will be set out in the cafeteria and gym for groups to read together. We hope you can join us on this special day!