



Superintendent's Report

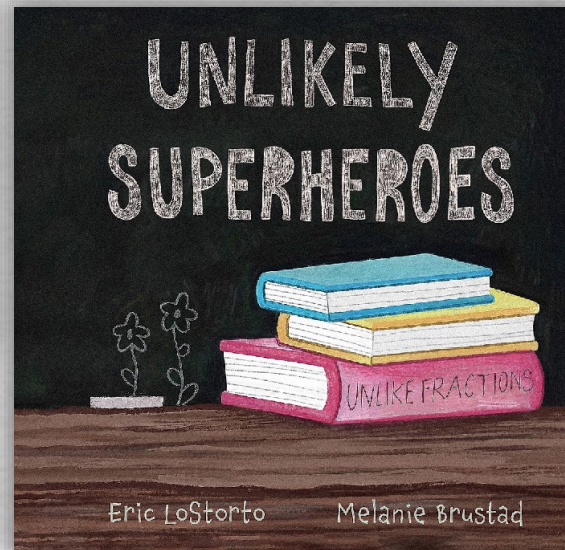
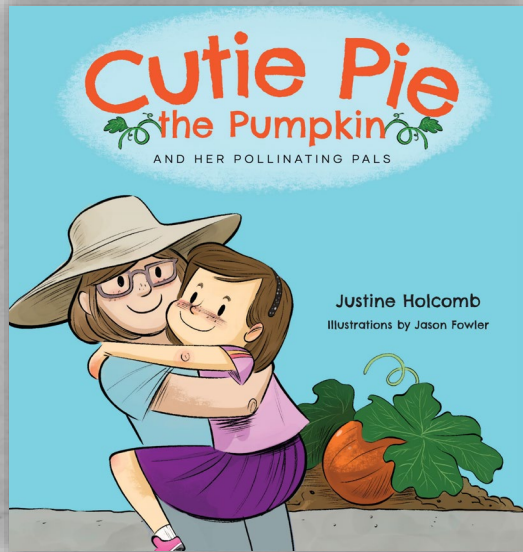
Sept. 5, 2023



Teacher & Student Achievements



Two Suncoast Teachers Release Children's Books



We are pleased to share that two Suncoast area 5th grade teachers from Tuttle Elementary School—**Justine Holcomb** and **Eric LoStorto**—have released children's books about key learning subjects for students. Both authors have published their works locally through The Peppertree Press, keeping the Suncoast area front and center from start to finish.

North Port STC Student to be Awarded by Fire Department



Nicholas Parasilti is an EMT student from the North Port STC campus. He will be presented with an award from the City of Northport Fire Department. After class, he was heading home and saw a gathering of people on the side of the road. Nicholas pulled over, got out, and started to render CPR to a patient in cardiac arrest due to trauma. On September 5th, at 6:15pm Chief Gorski and the crew who were on the call are going to present Nicholas an award in front of his classmates.



SCS Updates



YVote Contest



The Education Action Team of the League of Women Voters of Sarasota (LWVSRQ) in partnership with Sarasota County Public Schools, is sponsoring an essay, poster, and video contest, “YVOTE”, for high school students who will share their thoughts on the importance of voting.

- Submissions due by **October 17, 2023**
- Winners announced **November 8, 2023**

To learn more, view the entire announcement [here!](#)

US News & World Report HS Rankings



SCS has 3 top 100 high schools in Florida ranked by US News and World Report.

➤ **Pine View School**

- #2 in Florida,
- #6 Magnet School Nationally
- #13 in Nationally

➤ **Suncoast Polytechnical High School**

- #36 in Florida
- #491 Nationally

➤ **Riverview High School**

- #88 in Florida
- #1,347 Nationally

1,485

Public High
Schools in Florida

25,000

High Schools
Nationally

Safety & Security Forum



Sarasota County Schools will be holding a Forum to discuss safety and security measures at our schools. All employees, families, and community members are invited to attend.

We will send an update as soon as the venue, date, and time have been finalized; as well as reminders leading up to the event.



Listening Tour for Spanish Speakers

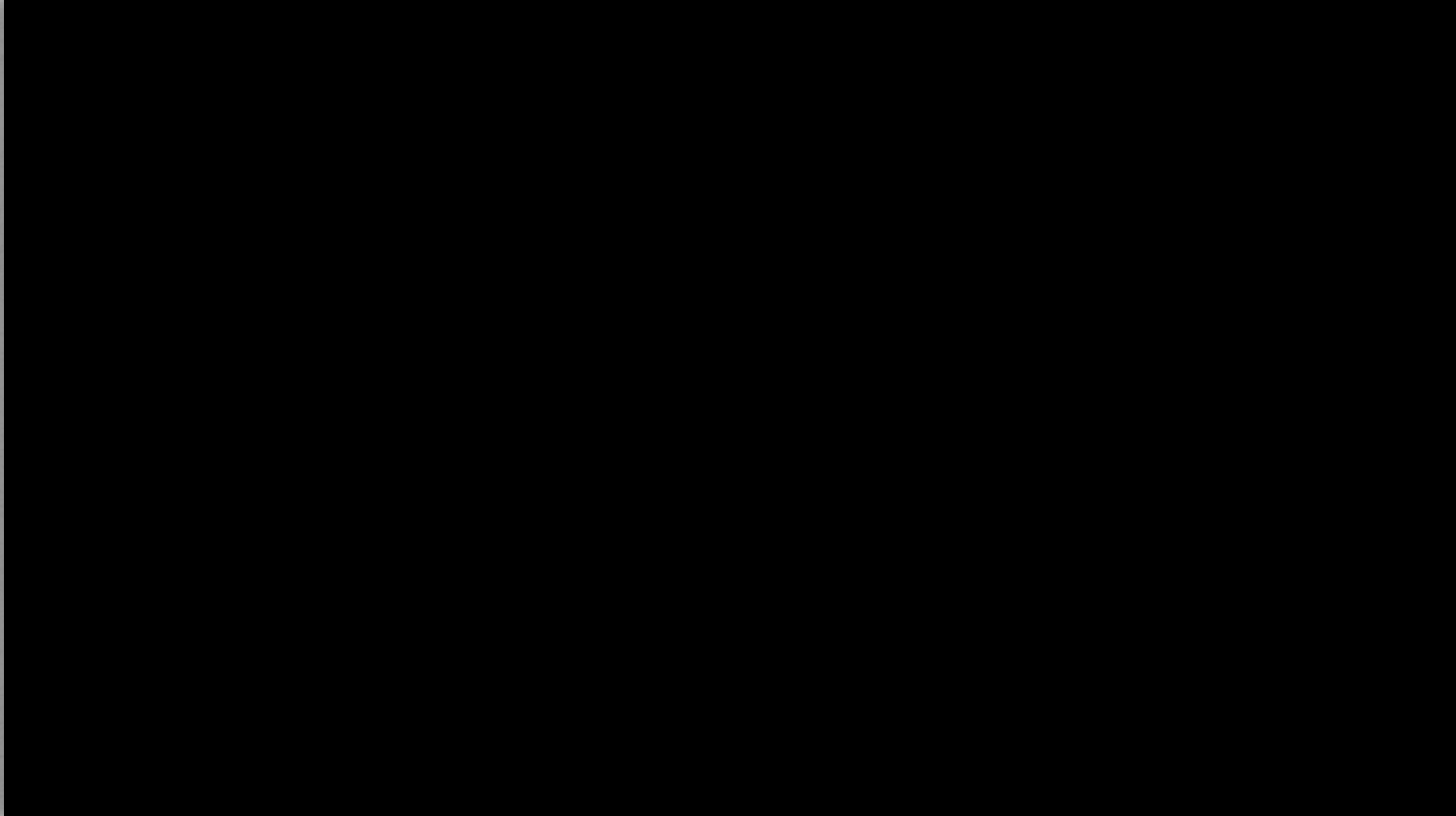


We are pleased to announce that Superintendent Terry Connor will be hosting a Listening Tour meeting for all Spanish-speaking teachers, staff members, parents, guardians, and community members:

- **Saturday, September 9th**
 - **Location:** Cafeteria at Tuttle Elementary School
 - **Time:** 11:00 AM – 12:30 PM



Hurricane Idalia Video





**EVERY STUDENT.
EVERY DAY!**