April 2017 Board Meeting: Elementary Principal Jennifer Ward

* Current Enrollment:
	+ 360 not including preschool
* SBDM News:
	+ KPREP testing teachers will be having a door decorating contest hosted by the PTO – Prizes will be awarded
	+ 3rd and 5th grade Math teams competed at MCC on Friday April 14th
	+ Ready Set Go Night was held on April 13th – hosted by Mrs. Peters, Mrs. Collins, Ms. Smiley, Mrs. Gail, Ms. Kammie and Ms. Mary, alongside head start Ms. Candy
		- * Other volunteers for the night included Mrs. Glenda and Mrs. Darla as well as some volunteers from head start
		- Incoming kindergarten students and families came to visit the school
		- Fill out enrollment forms
		- Approximately 25 students attended
* Academics:
	+ 5TH/6TH Grade Science Fair was held on Friday
		- Absolutely amazing!!! We had everything from homemade lava lamps, slime, volcanos, tornados in a bottle, taste challenge, etc.
	+ Spring assessments:
		- MAP – K-6 grade - April 10-21, 2017
			* Students are testing and results are very promising
		- KPREP – 3-6 grade – May 8-12, 2017
		- Preschool Screening will take place on April 21st
	+ Science PLC:
		- Mr. Taylor will be hosting a meeting with the 4th, 5th/6th grade, and middle school Science teachers on Tuesday at 3 PM covering the new Science standards, testing, and our direction towards preparing for future instruction/testing.

**Upcoming events:**

* April 20 – Service with a Smile
* April 21 – Earth Day and SUDS events
* April 21 – 5th and 6th grade students travel to Jeffers Bend for a day of Science and nature activities
* April 24 – PTO meeting in the media center
* Testing Dates:
	+ April 10-21, 2017 – MAP
	+ May 8-12, 2017 - KPREP