



# Adams Topics

September 29, 2015

Gerald Adams Elementary  
Dolphin Pride

## October Calendar Dates:

- 7 School Pictures—See back for details
- 9 Cherrydale Fundraiser Due
- 15 5th Grade Play
- 15 SAC Meeting
- 21 Early Release Day
- 23 1st 9-weeks Ends

**ART NEWS:** Square 1 Art is Back!! Your child has been creating a one-of-a-kind artwork and you may view it on their personalized catalog coming home to you soon! Celebrate your child's artistic achievement! Order timeless keepsakes to cherish for years to come. Check out [www.square1art.com/shop](http://www.square1art.com/shop) for more information. These keepsakes are great gift to give to friends and family around the holiday season!

**STUDENT COUNCIL NEWS:** Our first meeting will be October 6<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday from 7:45-8:15 am in the Media Center. If you are in 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> grade you are welcome to rejoin or learn more about it.

**CHERRYDALE FUNDRAISER:** The seller packets went home last week. This is fundraiser supports our many field trips, award programs and student body needs. Your participation is greatly appreciated. Look inside the packet for great prize opportunities. The more items you sell, the greater the prizes. Top sellers in each grade level will get to go to lunch in a limousine! Family members can also buy online [www.Cherrydale.com](http://www.Cherrydale.com) Then enter our group code: **GERKF**

**SO SELL, SELL, SELL!**

## CENTURY 21 AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAM

Our After School Tutoring Program started yesterday. Reminder, that our after school busses only run Monday-Thursday.

**PBS BOOTH AT CHILDREN'S DAY:** We are excited about the approach of Children's Day on November 1<sup>st</sup>! Gerald Adams will have a booth for water, Capri Suns and snow cones! All money earned goes to fund our PBS! In order for this to be a success we will need water and Capri Suns. Students that donate a case of water will get \$20 Dolphin Dollars! Students that donate a box of Capri Suns will get \$10 Dolphin Dollars! Thank you for making this event a success!



**ACCELERATED READER COUNT:** Students at Gerald Adams have been reading constantly this school year! Our school word count leaders are soaring! I predict that our Millionaire Word Club will be bigger than ever this year. The more you read, the more you know!

Congratulations to the Accelerated Reader Word Count Leaders as of 09/24/15 for Gerald Adams Elementary!

<u>Student</u>	<u>Words</u>
David Crespo	760,032
Christ Jolis	300,568
Zandre Font	214,166
Savanna Delph	124,194



GAE is being recognized by Terracycle for our "milestone" in collecting and upcycling juice pouches. To date, we have sent in more than 10,000 pouches! Everyone has helped - from the semester award ceremonies, to classroom celebrations, lunchroom and after school student participation.



In recognition, they sent us some reminder signs to collect pouches. We will mail a few photos of kids with them so so our school can be digitally recognized. The photos will be posted on their webpage. Mrs. Madok will also send out periodically updates on the collecting we do and the weekly bin totals.

### WAY TO GO GREEN TEAM!!

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**SCHOOL PICTURES:** ALL STUDENTS WILL TAKE SCHOOL PICTURES ON OCTOBER 7TH. THERE IS AN OPTION FOR PARENTS TO BUY THESE PHOTOS! SEE FLYER IN TODAY'S TUESDAY ENVELOPES. THEY MAKE A GREAT HOLIDAY GIFT FOR FAMILY.

**EARLY RELEASE DAYS FOR KW SCHOOLS:** The following days have been approved as early release days for all Key West Schools:

October 21st

December 18th

January 22nd

February 10th

March 16th