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# Keota Elementary Newsletter

FAST Math assessments have been completed this week. Students and staff did a great job of adjusting the routines to make sure these assessments got completed. In the next couple of weeks our focus will be with FAST reading/literacy. These first assessments early in the year give us a great idea of where we are and helps us target where we need to support and help the students be as successful as possible. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Mr. Klopfenstein.

## SOARR Awards!



This Tuesday we drew for our first weekly SOARR winners. For those of you who aren't familiar with this, each staff member in the school has SOARR slips with our school expectations on them. The acronym SOARR represents those core expectations (Safe,



Organized, Achievement, Respectful, Responsible). Students receive these slips when seen by an adult aligning to these expectations. Each week, we collect the student slips and draw winners for a variety of prizes. Some of those prizes are physical gadgets like pens, pencils, posters, squishy toys, etc. and some are social like fancy lunch, take Mr. K's chair for a day, 5 minutes of extra recess...etc. While nearly every student has received a SOARR slip, the following students were drawn as the weekly winners this week. Please congratulate them on a job well done!

Kindergarten: Emerson Lyle

1<sup>st</sup> Grade: Landon Beinhart

2<sup>nd</sup> Grade: Maya Dalton

3<sup>rd</sup> Grade: 3K- Tyson Osweiler, 3M-Levin Sheetz

4<sup>th</sup> Grade: Paytan Baughman

5<sup>th</sup> Grade: 5L- Olivia Lyle, 5W- Evan Hoag

6<sup>th</sup> Grade: Kimberly Clarahan

Total SOARR Slips as of 9/11/18: **553**

Please encourage these behaviors at home as well as in the community and show positive support for our students in all that they do. Great job to our students so far!

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## Upcoming Events

### September 18

FAST aReading testing

### September 19

FAST aReading testing

### September 20

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### September 21

Kindergarten Grandparents Day

## Elementary YouTube

I will be adding videos to YouTube to highlight all of the awesome things that happen at Keota Elementary. Use the link below to reach the YouTube channel and give it a follow to get notifications!

Link: [Elementary YouTube](#)

#keotaeagles