Mary Frank ELementary 2023



# One Book One School! <u>Billy Sure</u> <u>-Kid Entrepreneur-</u>

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## **March 1-31**

Do you ever get frustrated when things don't work? Do you have great ideas to invent things that would make the world a better place? Starting March 1st – 31st , we will be getting to know Billy Sure. He is an entrepreneur, inventor, and CEO that turned a simple idea into a business, all at the ripe old age of twelve! Every family and staff member will be receiving a copy of this year's book, *Billy Sure Kid Entrepreneur* by Luke Sharpe. We have been waiting all year, and it's finally here! We will be having a book reveal event, scheduled readings, optional at home projects, discussions, prizes, trivia days and more!

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## More about "One Book One School"

"One book, one school" is an initiative that strives to bring together schools and families through the joy of reading. We want to provide an environment where our imaginations are set free through literature. By choosing one book, that spans various reading levels, both students and staff will come together and share thoughts, ideas, and a passion for reading.

While projects and readings will be done at home, there will also be readings and discussions taking place in the classrooms. We encourage all families to use this opportunity to come together to read and carry on discussions about the story. You can even work together on some of our projects. While the at home activities are voluntary, they offer a way for students to incorporate their creativity into the story.

While Billy and his classmates have some really great ideas, we hope that you are inspired to take action on some of your great ideas! Who knows, at the end of this month, you may be well on your way to guest starring on a TV show to sell one your very own inventions! "I'm Billy Sure. You've probably heard of me. Wait that sounds weird, like 'Who is this kid and why does he think I've heard of him?'"

-Billy Sure, Kid Entrepreneur

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\* The at home activities are completely optional. All templates or papers needed for these projects can be found on our website (https://maryfrank.phmschools.org). If you choose to complete and return them by Tuesday each week, your name will be entered into a drawing for a prize! If you do all 4 at home activities, you will be entered into a special drawing at the end of the month. Classes with the most participation each week will be the keeper of the traveling soccer ball! Those that complete all 4 at home activities will receive a special prize at the end and be entered into a drawing to win the soccer ball at the end of the month!

## **At Home Activities**

The activities listed below are the at home activities that follow along with our book. <u>These</u> <u>activities are completely voluntary</u>, **but should your child complete and return them by the** following Tuesday each week, their name will be entered into a drawing for a prize! If your child completes all four of the activities, they will be entered into a special drawing at the end! All projects are due to your classroom teacher. Please be sure that when you turn in your project, your child's name and teacher's name is on the back of their **project!** Each week, the top class with the most participation in completing the projects will not only have bragging rights, but will be the keeper of the soccer ball for the week! At the end of the month, the students who have completed all 4 projects will be entered into a drawing to win that soccer ball.

#### March 3-5 Coloring Pages

Coloring Pages: Choose an inventor and do your best coloring! <u>Click here</u> to download.

## At Home Activities (Cont.) March 10-12

#### Writing Activity

If I Were an Inventor.... If you had the chance, what would you invent? Draw a picture of your invention, then, write a paragraph describing what your invention would be. What is the name of it? What does it do? Why do people need your invention? What would you use to make it? Tell us all about it! **Click here** for the writing paper.

**PreK & K:** Draw a picture of you and your invention. Don't forget lots of background details so we know what it is! You can just write the name of your invention.

## At Home Activities (Cont.) March 17-19

#### Build a Prototype of an Invention

Use materials you find around the house (no purchasing allowed!) and build a prototype of something you would like to invent. Will your invention be a product for people to buy (like the All Ball) or will it provide a service (like a new way to clean your room)? You will have 2 weeks to work on this project. The due date is March 27th. The reason for this is to give you plenty of time to be creative, but then, for the final weekend project you will shoot a commercial for your invention! We want you to have your prototype to feature in your commercial. Be sure to include a small sign that says the name of your invention and what it does. Once you shoot your commercial (if you are choosing to do so) you can bring the prototype in. **Click Here** for the flyer.

### At Home Activities (Cont.) March 24-26 Film a Commercial

Now is your time to shine like the TV star you are! Last weekend, you made a prototype of your invention. Now you have to sell it! Think about the commercials you see on TV and how they sell their products. Ask an adult to use a cell phone to record a commercial of you selling your invention. Consider including the name of your invention or company, what your invention does, who would like to use your invention, why someone should buy it and a jingle if you have one. THESE COMMERCIALS MUST BE NO LONGER THAN 30 SECONDS! If it is over, we will not use them. Have the adult email your commercial to wmfestudio@phm.kl2.in.us. We will compile all the submissions and the whole school will watch them and vote for their top 3 favorite products they would buy. If you did not do last week's prototype project, you can still do a commercial for something you would like to invent. Consider drawing a picture of it for your customers to see.

After you submit your commercial, you can bring your prototype to school to be registered for a chance to win a prize. <u>Click here</u> for the flyer.

## **Mustangs Give Back Activities**

During the One Book, One School event, our students and staff have established an amazing tradition of giving back to our community. In this year's book, we meet Billy Sure who isn't just any kid. He is a hardworking, imaginative kid ... just like ours here at Mary Frank! This year, to celebrate our students, we would like to give back to our Mary Frank School Community. You will soon find out that he develops a very special product that we know our students would LOVE to have. This year we are asking for playground balls/activities for our students! Here is a list of ideas, but certainly it is not an exhaustive list. We just ask that you keep in mind that these will be used by MANY students of various ages. We also cannot accept bats or rackets.

Soccer ball	Football	Tennis ball	Kick ball	Basketball
Jump ropes	Frisbees	Basketball nets for hoops	Volleyball	Hopper Ball
Cones	Rubber bases	Playground ball	Gaga ball	Gator skin ball (coated foam ball)