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Valkenaar's View

March has brought us some of the coldest weather of the year, but our students are on fire right now! With spring break approaching, we look forward to the time with our families, but also encourage our students to reach for their goals by reading over the break. Our students have been busy over the past few weeks, and I am excited to see what they accomplish between March and May. Goals around campus are being crushed! This is happening because we have students who are constantly desiring to reach new levels and move up on the various charts in our classrooms. Our students have experienced continued successes, which are now building and turning into larger gains! With confidence comes growth! We are proud of each and every Jackrabbit. Remember... INSPIRE, ENCOURAGE, MOTIVATE, AND CELEBRATE with your kiddos every day.

Spring Dates

The spring is always a fun and exciting time of the year. We will have a calendar of events coming out soon with all the end of the year festivities included. For right now, I wanted to let everyone know Kinder Graduation will be on May 14th in the BJH Auditorium at 6pm. Our End of the Year Award Ceremony will be May 22nd at BES.

3rd Grade Mock STAAR

The 3rd grade took the Reading and Math Mock STAAR exam this past week. Our students did a wonderful job and have put forth tremendous efforts. We are excited to dig into the data and generate plans to help our students fill in any gaps identified from the mock. Be on the lookout for more information regarding STAAR from your 3rd grade students.

BES PTO

The next PTO meeting is April 1st at 3:45pm in the BES Cafeteria. Discussion will be about basket auction fundraiser and dance. The Spring Dance and Basket Auction is scheduled for April 18th at the BJH Gym.

School Supply Kits

BES is offering a prepackaged school supply list to be purchased online. If you want to order one for the next school year, all you will have to do is go online, complete a form, and submit payment. The kits will ship directly to the school and you will not have to do anything else! No more searching and hunting for the right supplies ☺ Forms should be coming home soon after spring break with more information.

Coffee with the Principal

This is an opportunity for you to share feedback and hear about upcoming events at BES! Coffee and light refreshments will be served. Our next meeting is March 21st at 8:30am at BES.

Progress Reports & Report Cards

The 5th six weeks progress reports will go out on March 26th. The 5th six weeks report cards will be sent home on Thursday, April 18th. The 6th six weeks begins on April 11th!

Kinder Art

Our kinder students have been busy in art class with Mrs. Charmie Sanders! They learned that February is national wild bird month. They discussed what birds do to survive the winter and made the neat bird feeders! How fun!!

Parents, Popcorn, and Progress

It is a true joy to have the opportunity to showcase our students' gains from the beginning of the year. This event is not designed to be a conference time, but rather an opportunity to see the progress made by your kiddo! The event will start at 1pm and will run until 2pm, so we have time to wrap up our day. You may sign out your student with the teacher when you have completed your visit.

Upcoming Events

3/8 Parents, Popcorn, & Progress 1pm
3/11-15 SPRING BREAK
3/20 HS/PreK Parent Meeting
3/21 Coffee with the Principal at 8:30am
3/29 No School Bad Weather Day
4/16 HRS Level 2 Certification Visit!
4/19 School Holiday No School
4/22 No School Bad Weather Day