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BRONCO OF THE MONTH

Congratulations to the following students who were chosen as Bronco of the Month for September:

Anthony DiStefano, Veronica Wells, Vivien Deep, Jace Delvalle, Lorelei Raley, Benjamin Constantinos, Austyn Caliguire, Amelia Deluzio, Lillian Herbst, Sunny Chang, Kennedy Moss, Kameron Cole, Tristan Jostes, William Benrud, Kira Haywood, Kate LaBarbera, Amelia Helms, Cooper Tiffany, Nina Stefanelli Weiss, Cyrus Lacey, Caleb Stevens, Wadnia Boileau, Levi Coggins, Amelia Tiffany, Isabella Anderson, Ethan Smella, Leilani Bermudez, Sydney Stevens, Aina Edgar, Ryleigh Dukes, Kai Knights, Ella Bucko, Zoe Lewis, Wesley McFadden, Grace LaBarbera, Gabriella Martinez, Keely James, Sofia Young, Rory Andrews, Abigail Hudson, Alexander Shaw, Vinson Casteel, and Harry Casteel

Congratulations!

RAINY DAY DISMISSAL REMINDERS

Please review with your child their rainy day plan. Due to the quickly changing Florida weather, rainy day dismissals are decided upon at 1:40pm Tuesday–Friday and 12:40 on Monday’s. To help with communication at the end of the day, if there is going to be a “Rainy Day Dismissal”, we will text you with our Parent Link System. This will alleviate you having to make a last minute call to the school to remind your child how they will be going home for the day.

-If you would like to make a change to your child’s “Rainy Day Dismissal”, please write a note in your child’s agenda or send a note to their teacher.

-Please do not call the office to change how your child is going home once our “Rainy Day Dismissal” has been implemented. There is not enough time to safely get a message to your student.

Thanks for your help!

PTA ANNUAL PUMPKIN SALE

The Bevis PTA gets a percentage of all pumpkins, gourds, corn stalks, mums and firewood purchased from the Pumpkin Patch on the corner of Lumsden Ave. and Parsons Ave. between October 4th–31st. Come out and support your PTA. Please mention the PTA flyer to show your support.

CONGRATULATIONS ASHLEY DUKES! BEVIS TEACHER OF THE YEAR!

Congratulations to **Mrs. Ashley Dukes**, Bevis 2nd Grade Teacher, for being selected by the Instructional staff as the Bevis Teacher of the Year! Mrs. Dukes was chosen by her peers to represent all of the outstanding teachers at our school. This is her 20th year working at Bevis and 15th year working as a Teacher at our school. Mrs. Dukes started working at Bevis in 2000 for the After School Program, the year Bevis opened. She has two daughters Ryleigh in Mrs. Berrios’s Class and Aubrey in Mrs. Bagley’s Class. Way to go Mrs. Dukes! We are proud of your dedication to Bevis Elementary School and commend your hard work.

PTA FUNDRAISER



Our school Donation Drive Kicks off on Oct 1st! After receiving positive feedback from our parents that have participated in our PTA Donation/Pledge drive in the past, we continue to offer this simple way for parents, relatives and friends to support our school. We are asking Bevis families to make a one-time, tax deductible, donation. Our goal is \$22, 000 - last year we raised almost \$24,000 from the donation drive. Currently we have collected \$2,000. Classes that reach 100% participation will get to watch a special Show on Friday, Oct 30th! (To be eligible for the classroom competition, in addition to 100% participation, the class total must have reached an average of \$10/student) Contest ends Friday, Oct 23rd! Thank you to those that have already donated earlier in the year!!!

Go to www.bevispta.com/onlineorders/donations/.

NEWS FROM THE CLINIC

Please remember that **ALL MEDICATIONS** (prescription or OTC) that are on our campus **MUST** be checked in through the clinic and the proper forms filled out. We have the HCPS Medication Guidelines available in the front office if needed.

With the flu season upon us, please make sure your child stays home if he/she has a sore throat, headache, or stomach ache, these symptoms are indicators of strep throat so please seek medical advice.

Thank you for your help with this!

DATES TO REMEMBER

- 10/5 **12:55—Early Release**
- 10/9 Spirit Shirt Day
- 10/12 **12:55—Early Release**
- 10/14 PTA Reflections Due Online
- 10/16 Tampa Bay Sport Teams Spirit Shirt Day (Lightning, Bucs, or Rays)
- 10/19 **12:55—Early Release**
- 10/20 PTA Restaurant Night—Three Bulls Tavern
- 10/23 Spirit Shirt Day
End of First Grading Period
- 10/26 **12:55—Early Release**
- 10/30 Spirit Shirt Day
- 10/31 Halloween 
- 11/2 **12:55—Early Release**
- 11/3 Election Day 

