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First, I want to express my deepest gratitude towards all of our Bevis Broncos for making me feel extremely appreciated during National School Counseling Week. My heart and home was filled with flowers, cards and treats, so thank you!

February 17 is Random Acts of Kindness Day! A random act of kindness is a simple way to let others know that you appreciate them. Here are some simple ways to be a part of a random act of kindness:

- Do a chore for someone without them knowing
- Pick up litter
- Donate food to the food pantry
- Let someone go ahead in line
- Talk to a new student in class
- Make your own bed
- Clean up toys without being asked
- Share a toy with a friend
- Make a get-well card for someone

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NEWS FROM THE CLINIC

With the flu and cold season upon us, please make sure your child stays home if he/she has a fever or is throwing up. If you have any questions, please call our Nurse, Amy Neptune, at 740-4000, ext 242.

In addition, the clinic is in need of **disinfecting wipes**. Thank you!

VALENTINES DAY GIFTS AND TREATS

To limit disruptions on campus, please **do not** send treats, balloons, flowers, or gifts to your student on Valentines Day. Thank you!



DISMISSAL REMINDERS

Just a reminder that we are back to Monday early release at **12:55 p.m.** Tuesday–Friday dismissal is at **1:55 p.m.** Please try to have your student picked up within 20 minutes of dismissal. Thank you.

Also, the last time you can sign your child out on Monday is **12:15 p.m.** and Tuesday–Friday at **1:15 p.m.**

KINDERGARTEN ROUND UP UPDATE

Please share this information with your neighbors.

Kindergarten Round Up is scheduled for Tuesday, April 4 from 4-6 p.m. This is a great opportunity for all students who will be new to Colleen Bevis Elementary for the 2023-2024 school year to get acquainted with our school. We look forward to meeting many new Broncos! Please bring your child's original birth certificate, social security card, a physical form from a Florida physician indicating a physical has occurred within one year of the first day of school, an up-to-date immunization card, and two proofs of residency (i.e. deed, property tax bill, lease, TECO bill). Even if you do not have all the paperwork by April 4, we still encourage you to come to the Kindergarten Round-Up with the paperwork you do have, and we can add to the child's file when you complete any outstanding items.

EMERGENCY CARDS

If you need to update your student's emergency card, please stop in the office to make those changes. Changes cannot be made over the phone. Any address changes will need two forms of proof of residency. Please note that only the signer of the emergency card can make these changes. Thank you.

ALL PRO DADS BEVIS IDOL TALENT SHOW

The first annual Bevis Idol Talent Show was a success! Thank you to All Pro Dad Chair Jim Gaffney and PTA Board member Jessica Beech for their hard work coordinating the show. Additional thank yous to our judges, Mr. Filipek, Mrs. Montgomery, Mr. Stiles, Steven Bucko, and Lucas McMillan. They had lots of talented students to judge! Congratulations to the following Bevis Idol winners.

1st: **Vivian Knutzen**—Acrobatics

2nd: **Evelyn Torres**—Singing

3rd: **Savannah Shelly and Mahi Shrivastava**—Dance

DATES TO REMEMBER

- 2/13 12:55 Early Release**
7:05–7:35 a.m. Grades 4 & 5
Running Club starts
1:00–2:00 Grades 2 & 3 Chorus
- 2/14 Valentines Day**
Red, White & Pink Spirit
Shirt Day
- 2/15 2:00–3:00 Drff/Drum Practice**
2:00–Grade 5 Chess Club
- 2/16 7:00–7:30 a.m. Suncoast Bevis Mint Deposit Day**
2:00–Grade 4 Chess Club
- 2/17 No School/Non Student Day**
- 2/20 President's Day**
12:55 Early Release
1:00–2:00 Grades 2 & 3 Chorus
- 2/21 6:00–8:00 p.m. PTA Skate Night—Astro Skate**
- 2/22 2:00–3:00 Drff/Drum Practice**
2:00–Grade 5 Chess Club
- 2/23 7:00–7:30 a.m. Suncoast Bevis Mint Deposit Day**
2:00–Grade 4 Chess Club
3:00–7:00—Conference Night
- 2/24 Spirit Shirt Day**
2:00–3:00 Grades 4 & 5 Chorus

ATTENDANCE CALLS