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# Colleen Bevis Elementary School THE TRAIL BLAZER

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**A Hillsborough County Public School** 

#### **GUIDANCE CORNER**

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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#### KINDERGARTEN ROUND-UP

Please share this information with your neighbors.

Kindergarten Round Up is scheduled for Thursday, February 24, from 4-6 p.m.. This is a great opportunity for all students who will be new to Colleen Bevis Elementary for the 2022-2023 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 February 24, 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.

#### **CLINIC NEWS**

Our Bevis Clinic offers a uniform closet for students to use in the case of spills or accidents and periodically we need help with supplies. Currently, we are in need of **new or gently used shoes—all sizes** and **boys size** 6—8 **uniform pants and shorts.** If you are able to donate any of these items, please send them in your child's backpack or drop them off at the office. Thank you for your help!

## IMPORTANT DATES MARK YOUR CALENDARS

April 5 -FSA Writing-Grade 4 and 5 (PBT)

April 5-6-FSA Reading-Grade 3 (PBT)

May 4-5-FSA ELA-Grade 4 and 5 (PBT)

May 10-11—FSA Math—Grades 3-5 (PBT)

May 17-18-SSA Science-Grade 5 (PBT)

May 17-18—End of year Science Test—Grades 3 and 4

#### **BEVIS RODEO**

The 22nd Annual Bevis Rodeo will be held Friday, April 22 and we need your help! The Spring Rodeo is one of our big fundraisers of the year. The money raised from this wonderful event goes directly back into the classroom! Now is the time to start collecting donations for the silent auction. We are looking for items or service/gift certificates to be placed in one of our many auction baskets. We are also looking for businesses to sponsor booths with a monetary donation.

If you are able to make a donation, please send it to school with your child. For more information, contact Ms. Boudreau, Assistant Principal, at (813) 740-4000. We truly appreciate our Bevis family and all the support we receive to help make the rodeo a huge success for our school!

#### LOST AND FOUND

Is your student missing a water bottle, sweatshirt, or lunchbox? If the item is labeled, the PTA works hard to return the item to the student. All other items are placed in a Lost and Found Bin located in the Cafeteria. Your student can check the bin to find any lost items.

#### **ATTENDANCE**

When your child is sick or will not be in school, please call the attendance line at 813-740-4000 and select 1 for attendance. The attendance line is checked throughout the day. Please know that you will still receive an automated call and email regarding your child's absence.





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#### **Colleen Bevis Elementary**

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### DATES TO REMEMBER

2/14	12:55—Early Release
2/14	Happy Valentine's Day
2/14-15	Kids Heart Challenge—PE Classes
2/17	3:00-7:00—Conference Night
2/17	Random Acts of Kindness Day
2/18	No school—Fair Day
2/21	No school—Presidents Day
2/24	Kindergarten Round-Up- 4:00-6:00
2/24	PTA Restaurant Night— 4:00—8:00 Beef O'Brady's Fishhawk
2/25	Spirit Shirt Day
2/28	12:55—Early Release
3/3-11	Book Fair—Media Center
3/4	Hawaiian Spirit Shirt Day
3/4	Military Kids Club Meeting 7-7:30
3/7	No school—Strawberry Festival—Teacher work day
3/14-18	No school—Spring Break
3/21	No school—Teacher work day