

October, 2017

The Bobcat Bulletin

*Perseverance is not
giving up and just keep
trying!*

~Eli L.. - 4th grade

October 2 is our October count day. Attendance on this particularly day impacts our funding as a school. We really appreciate you making every effort to have your child in school that day. We are planning some fun incentives for day. Students and staff are encouraged to wear clothing with a number on it (jersey, Thing 1, Thing 2 etc... We will also be drawing names throughout the day to come to the office for a prize, and our PTO will be handing out treats for those that walk to school. Thank you for your support in our efforts to maximize our school's funding.

Important Dates:

October 2 –Count Day

October 9 – 20 – Fall Break

October 23 – Students return

October 25 – PTO/SAC meeting 6:00-7:30 P.M.

October 27 – Pride Assemblies

November 1 – Picture Retakes

November 10 – 5th grade musical

November 13 – Skate City 6:00 P.M.

November 17 – Popcorn Frenzy

November 20 – 24 – Thanksgiving Break

Principal's Post

Perseverance – Continued effort to do or achieve something despite difficulties. Perseverance is a learner characteristic that is extremely important. At Springs Ranch, we have been having a lot of conversations about being in a “learning pit” when you don’t understand something and how good it feels to get “out of the pit” when you learn something new. One key to getting out of the pit is perseverance. When our kids put forth effort and keep at it, their learning increases. Being in “the pit” is not a bad thing. It may be hard, but it is not bad and it is an opportunity to persevere and grow. Please help us in encouraging our students to always put forth their best effort and persevere in school, family, and life.



Students and families read together at reading night.

Arrival

Our new arrival procedures are going well. Having buses coming around back and opening up more parking has been a benefit. Please remember to be patient as over 500 students arrive each morning. We have crossing guards located on the corners of Peterson and Cold Springs as well as Cold Springs and Centerville. Please pay attention to stop signs whether permanent fixtures or being help by a staff member. We want everyone to be safe. If we all practice patience and courteousness, students and adults can experience a safe entry.

*Perseverance is
when you push
yourself to keep
going.*

*~ Senia L. –
5th grade*

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Did You Know?

Here are a few things for you to know.

- Did you know that four of our Landshark runners at a recent meet finished their race and then helped another student finish her race? Way to go, Landsharks!
- Did you know that District 49 and Peak Vista Community Health Centers offer Flu shots? For more information of where and when call 491-3441.
- Did you know that Kid's Corner offers before school and after school care? For information and cost call 495-1182.
- Did you know that several of our teachers have been trained in Project lead the Way (PLTW)? PLTW provides students lessons in the area of Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM).
- Did you know that we love Volunteers? There are many ways you can get involved. To volunteer you need to be fingerprinted at the District Office on East Woodmen Road
- Did you know that students have Thursday Folders? Thursday Folders contain a lot of information. Please be sure to check your child's back pack every day, but particularly on Thursday!

From the PTO

Hello Bobcat Families!

Thank you all for coming to our recent PTO meetings. Your participation is much appreciated. We always welcome your involvement. Many volunteers make work needing done easier. If you are interested in learning more about our PTO please email us. Our next PTO meeting will be on Wednesday, October 25th. We hope to see you there.

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“I love Springs Ranch Elementary. The teachers are amazing. Whenever I have a question, the staff at SRES are quick to help. The front office staff are always helpful. I know my kids are well taken care of here.”

~ Xiomara Andrade, parent of 3 students at SRES
