

# The Pony Express

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## Upcoming Events

- Registration new students zoned to West U  
Monday, February 24  
8:00 a.m., Registrar's Office
- Go Texan Day  
Friday, February 28
- Spring Picture Day  
Tuesday, March 10
- Spring Break  
March 16 – March 20

## Principal's Corner

[Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo](#) season is here with [pre-rodeo events](#) already underway. Join in the excitement by celebrating "Go Texan Day" and dressing up in your best Western gear. All students, staff, and parents are encouraged to wear jeans, cowboy boots, and cowboy hats this Friday to get in the rodeo spirit and acknowledge the support the HLSR gives to HISD through scholarships and educational enrichment.

Have a wild west week!

Scott C. Disch, Principal

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## Name That Book

A big congratulations goes to the K-2 Name That Book team! The students took first place at their competition on February 20th. Team members include Sam Atha, Emeka Ndefo, Isabella Chen, Gorav Sai, Ethan Duguid, Varnika Mehta, and Ryan Atha. Great job boys and girls!



Lauren Simmons  
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# Welcome to the Birthday Book Club



**“It is better to know how to learn than to know.” – Dr. Seuss**

In this week’s Pony Express, we are honoring our **February 24th – March 1st** birthdays. Happy Birthday to you!

February 24th - March 1st Birthdays			
Dominic Anguay	February 24	Juliet Ilianna Kuban	February 27
Sterling Frank	February 24	Donovan Breaux	March 1
Jacob Darbyshire	February 24		

Your child will soon be receiving an invitation from their teacher to choose a special birthday book during library ancillary or after school library hours. A personalized book plate will be placed in the front of their selected book. After they are done reading, your child will return their book to our library for others to enjoy and check out in the future. Students, siblings, and friends will enjoy seeing their name in these books for years to come!

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## West University Little League Carnival

The West University Little League begins its 2020 Season with an Opening Day Ceremony, Carnival and Bazaar on Saturday, February 29th.

The event is open to the public and wristbands to participate in all games and inflatables are \$10 sold at the entry.

Opening Ceremonies and the Carnival will be held from 11 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. in front of West University Elementary School.

The “Go Green” Carnival features giant inflatables, a rock wall, dozens of games, confetti eggs and more. Pizza and Chick-Fil-A will be served for those who pre-purchased meal tickets. A limited amount of food can be purchased at the event. For more information, visit the [WULL website](#).

