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BARBARA BUSH ELEMENTARY BOBCATS – APRIL 24, 2019

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MARK YOUR CALENDAR

April 25	7:45 AM in MP Room	General PTO Meeting
April 26		PK, SLL, PSI Field Trip Dewberry Farm
April 30	8:00 AM – 8:45 AM MP Room	Theater Performance (Parents Welcome)
May 1	8:00 AM – 8:45 AM MP Room	Theater Performance (Parents Welcome)
May 3	8:30 AM – 2:30 PM	2nd Grade Field Trip to Museum of Natural Science
May 13-15	7:45 AM – 2:30 PM	STAAR Testing No Visitors

ARE YOU COMING BACK TO BUSH NEXT SCHOOL YEAR?

Re-enrollment forms were due last **Thursday, April 18**. If you did not submit a form for each child, your child is not enrolled at Bush Elementary for the 2019 – 2020 school year. If you missed this deadline, please turn in your child’s form as soon as possible.

Please stop by the office if you need another copy of the intent to re-enroll letter.

CONGRATULATIONS!

Congratulations to Mrs. Rodiek and Mrs. Smith for an outstanding Chorus and Orchestra Spring program. Students performed on tour last week at neighboring retirement communities and for our students and parents this week. We are so proud of the outstanding Chorus and Orchestra members who work so hard! Way to go students!

PRE-PACKAGED SCHOOL SUPPLY PACKS ON SALE NOW!

School Supply Packs are now on sale! You can order them **ONLINE ONLY** at www.bbpto.com by clicking on the School Store tab. Pre-orders save \$5 per package (prices will increase August 17). Ordering now guarantees that your child's supplies will be delivered to the classroom, ready and waiting for your child on the first day of school. Go online now and order at www.bbpto.com!

SPECTACULAR SCIENCE

The Spectacular Science Word for the week of April 24 is **habitat**.

REGISTRATION DATES

Registration dates for **zoned students NEW** to Bush Elementary for the 2019-2020 school year are listed below. Registration packets are available in the office or online through our school website. Please complete all sections of the registration packet and bring the required documents on one of the following dates shown below. If you are registering more than one child, please complete a separate registration packet for each child. *Transfers are not available as Bush Elementary is an over-crowded campus.*

April 25: Kindergarten Roundup and their 1st-5th grade siblings

- 8:30 hand out numbers 1 – 45
- 8:45 start processing applicants #1-45; Continue to hand out numbers 46-90 who will need to return at 8:15 on Friday, April 26

April 26: Kindergarten Roundup and their 1st – 5th grade siblings

- 8:00 hand out remaining numbers 46-90
- 8:15 start processing applicants #46-90

May 9: First – Fifth Grade Students Only

- 8:30 hand out numbers 1 – 45
- 8:45 start processing applicants #1-45; Continue to hand out numbers 46-90 who will need to return at 8:15 on Friday, May 10

May 10: First – Fifth Grade Students Only

- 8:00 hand out remaining numbers 46-90
- 8:15 start processing applicants #46-90

May 21: Kindergarten – 5th Grade Students

- 8:00 hand out numbers 1 – 50
- 8:15 start processing applicants #1 – 45

June 18: Kindergarten – 5th Grade Students

- 7:30 hand out numbers 1 – 50
- 7:45 start processing applicants #1 – 50

All dates and times are subject to change.

PTO NEWS

BBE PTO Spring General Meeting

April 25th, 2019

@ 7:45am

BBE Multipurpose Room

After school drop off on Thursday, April 25th, why not stay at school for a while, and join us at our Spring General PTO meeting? We will be serving coffee and you can learn more about our PTO activities. This is an opportunity to have your say; we welcome your comments, questions and ideas for 2019-2020!

At this meeting, we will be electing new officers to serve our PTO, school and children in 2019-2020! Here is a slate of officers to be presented. Please come and support them!

- President:** Maha Aburas
- Vice President:** Katy Bate
- Secretary:** Miral Mourad
- Treasurer:** Kara Bemis
- Vice Treasurer:** Ayesha Durrani
- Business Partnerships:** Jyoti Singh & Maria Hartley
- Directory:** Horea Owens & Mayrem Vilchez
- VIPs:** Meycy Zapata & Derya Poerschke
- Fundraising:** Kristen Papajohn
- Family Hospitality:** Valerie Shaikh & Michelle Jackson
- Teacher Hospitality:** Beatriz Cunha & Yoon Koo
- Nature Center:** Catalina Solaris
- Publicity:** Roberta Withers
- Safety:** Taisir Sarage & Ana Ramirez
- School Store Coordinator:** Jessica McKay & Snezana Kato
- Art Coordinator:** Shere Lipinski
- Birthday Book Club:** Mayra Gonzalez
- Drama Coordinator:** Horea Owens
- Library Coordinator:** Najwan Nayef
- Music Coordinator:** Katy Bate
- Yearbook Coordinator:** Jessica McKay
- Fifth Grade Coordinator:** Jenny Kim & Kirsty Giles
- Website Coordinator:** Karen Chin and Kara Bemis

Spirit Events

Potbelly Sandwich Week – Enjoy a whole week of sandwiches from Potbelly located at 13410 Briar Forest Drive, Ste. 200 from April 22-26 between 5:00-9:00p.m. 25% of the proceeds are donated to Bush PTO.

Fro Yo Fridays – Chill out on Fridays with a new flavor of frozen yogurt or mix your own flavors and top it with delicious toppings at Menchie’s Frozen Yogurt. Let them know you are from Barbara Bush Elementary and they will give 20% cashback to BBE PTO

SAFE MORNING ARRIVAL

Children have been observed being let out of their cars/minivans while in the moving lane of traffic at the stop sign on Manderly and Parkway Plaza. This is an **EXTREMELY DANGEROUS** practice. **This unsafe behavior must stop IMMEDIATELY.** Your child’s safety is worth getting out of the house a few minutes earlier to use the carpool lane or park and use the crosswalks.

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