



BBE's April Newsletter

PTO & Student Council: Bullfrog Bash

Wow, what a fun evening with family and friends! The 1st Annual Bullfrog Bash was a success. Hundreds of students and parents showed up to take part in BBE's carnival and movie night. Balls were flying at the "teacher" dunk tank, children defied gravity by hovering above the ground on the hover boards, faces and hair were painted, students won cakes, and lots of prizes were handed out. We even had live entertainment! Mrs. Arreola's dance squad kept us entertained with their Zumba moves. All of this fun was topped off with a movie under the stars - Big Hero 6.

Thank you to all of our volunteers: BBE Teachers, staff, custodians, parents, student council, Clements and Travis High school students.

Thank you Bullfrog families for your generosity and enthusiasm, from game donations to over \$5000 in ticket sales.



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Special points of interest:

- Bullfrog Bash Success
- What's Happening in K-5th Grade and Life Skills
- Field Day
- Food Play
- April Appreciation
- Yearbook

Our students are ready for STAAR!

** May 9 - 12 is STAAR Week **

Help your child:

Get a good night's sleep



Have a good breakfast



Arrive to school on time



And remember... no visitors on these days!

What's Happening In Kindergarten?



Kindergarten students had an awesome time at the Houston Zoo for their field trip!

What's Happening In First Grade?



Students from Mrs. Staples classroom are practicing their math problem solving skills in math stations. First graders have become expert problem solvers in all areas of math!

What's Happening In Second Grade?



Second Grade had an amazing time at Fort Bend Museum! The history that we've read about in books and watched in videos was brought to life as we traveled back in time on our field trip . We experienced what school was like for Texans in the mid-1800s. We appreciated all of the help of the parent volunteers and chaperones.

What's Happening In Third Grade?



Third Graders have been hard workers, as usual! In math, we just finished a big measurement unit focusing on measuring area, perimeter, capacity, weight and time. In ELA, we have been identifying the parts of speech in a sentence along with the subject and the predicate. We're wrapping up our Fractured Fairy Tale writing, which you should see in a Friday Folder in the next couple of weeks! Our students are creative thinkers and writers! In reading, we spent time reading and analyzing persuasive text while also continuing our Poetry Friday's, where we read, comprehend and analyze poetry.

What's Happening In Fourth Grade?



Fourth graders love using technology! They have been using Ipads in class to review science objectives with Kahoot, build math skills through Think Through Math, and complete reading and writing lessons through Istation.

What's Happening In Fifth Grade?



Fifth graders are gearing up for great scores on the Science STAAR. They are making an awesome ten-page hands-on study guide book to review all the concepts they have learned in first through fifth grade. The Science STAAR test will be May 11th. Fifth Grade always "Rocks the Science STAAR"!

What's Happening In K-2 Life Skills?



Students were planting seeds and watching them grow. We learned that plants need soil, water, and sunlight to grow big and tall!

What's Happening In 3rd-5th Life Skills?



Lily, Humza, and Darwin exploring the Health Museum on their field trip.

Field Day- May 18th

Field Day is May 18th. It's only a couple of weeks away. We are in need of our wonderful volunteers to make this day fun for our kids. Teachers will be sending an email and a handout home with more details on how you can sign up to help. If you did not purchase a Field Day shirt your child can wear a shirt that matches their grade level color.

Kinder - Jade

1st Grade - Red

2nd Grade - Purple

3rd Grade - Azalea

4th Grade - Electric Green

5th Grade - Lime

The kids at BBE look forward to this event every year, but without parent volunteers the day would not be possible. Please click on the link below to choose which volunteer position you want to sign up for. Please be sure that you have completed the background checked and it has cleared prior to May 18th.

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0a4baeac2fa31-brazos>

Clinic News



The FOOD PLAY Assembly was presented to and enjoyed by all students on Tuesday, April 26th.

Thank you BBE PTO for sponsoring this fun learning event about nutrition!

April Appreciation Month



National Librarian Day April 12th

Thank you Mrs. Talamini for making reading fun and the library a wonderful place to be!



Assistant Principal Week April 11-15

Thank you Ms. Viado for being such an awesome assistant principal. We love the CHAMP Buck store and the nine week celebrations.



Executive Assistance Day April 27

The BBE office team Rocks! Thank you so much for taking care of our campus and providing great service to our customers.

What's Happening at the Bend?

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*At BBE, we have a
Game Plan for a
Winning Season! We
Work Hard & Play Hard!*

What's Happening
at the Bend?

Don't miss out on the 2015-16 BBE Yearbook!
Follow the link below to order your yearbook

Order Online: <http://brazosbend.picaboo.com/>

Have you taken photos this year? Three ways to submit your photos:

Picaboo Website: <http://brazosbend.picaboo.com/6838965/contribute>

Dropbox:
<https://www.dropbox.com/request/qnngkm2uML5cqE1n4JpZ>

Mobile/App Store - Skipple

Only have a couple to share? Email them to yearbook@bbepto.org

Parent of a 5th grader? Send a baby picture for inclusion in this year's book to yearbook@bbepto.org.

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