



# Bauder Bulletin

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**Building Success with Quality and Honor**

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## **Message from the principal**

**January 2020**

### **Dates to Remember**

**The Bauder Vision is Building 100% Success with Quality and Honor!**

**Bauder will do this by preparing all children for on or above grade level work in middle school and beyond by collaborating as educators and a community.**

Dear Bauder Families:

Here we are in the month of December! We are coming to the end of second quarter, which means half of the school year is complete! Our students are busy with the task of learning and completing projects and assignments! Holiday decorations have sprout up everywhere as families in our area begin their holiday shopping, vacation plans, and dinner menus. Many of our evenings and weekends have been spent getting ready for holiday celebrations. While visions of sugar plums, reindeer and peppermint mocha may arise at times, our Bauder Seahawks still continue to have math facts, essays, favorite books and science experiments dancing through their heads. Please help us encourage our students to stay as focused as possible and include homework and study time in your holiday plans....at least until December 20th!

Looking for some unique gift ideas, especially ones that don't cost a lot of money? This holiday season give your child and family the gift of time. Visit the local library. Enjoy a meal together as a family. Have a night in with the family and play a favorite board game. Relax at a park or the beach for a day and have a picnic. Take a nature walk at a local county park. The most important things in life are family and friends, so this holiday season make every effort to spend quality time with both. As parents, you are extremely important to your children. This holiday break, make it a goal to spend an evening, day or weekend with them. Remember, bigger is not necessarily better. The time you spend with them does not have to be at a theme park or fancy resort!! It can be reading a book together, playing catch, decorating cookies, or telling stories together. This is the time to provide your child with the memories he/she will never forget. The holiday season is all about giving, and the quality time you spend together can be better than anything wrapped up in a bow under the tree! Please remember that students should continue to read, write and practice their math facts over winter vacation! Reading and writing can be about topics they enjoy and shared with parents and siblings alike. We also encourage all of our students to participate in the Holiday Challenge. They can find the information on their Clever page. Students can also write some resolutions to ring in 2020!

To all of our Bauder families, warmest holiday wishes and here's to a joyous new year for all!

Yours in Education,  
Mrs. Leichman, Principal



- Dec. 23-Jan. 06—Winter Break No School
- Jan. 07 Boosters Meeting (6:00 p.m.)
- Jan. 09 STEM Intermediate (3:00 p.m.-4:55 p.m.)
- Jan. 14 Blood Mobile (8:00 a.m.)
- Jan. 16 K-Kids Meeting (8:00 a.m.)
- Jan. 16 STEM Primary (3:00 p.m.-4:55 p.m.)
- Jan. 16 SAC Meeting (4:00 p.m.)
- Jan. 16 Ready, Set...Kdg. (6:00 p.m.)
- Jan. 17 Class Pictures
- Jan. 20 No School
- Jan. 23 STEM Intermediate (3:00 p.m.-4:55 p.m.)
- Jan. 29 All Pro Dad's (7:45 a.m.-8:30 a.m.)
- Jan. 30 STEM Primary (3:00 p.m.-4:55 p.m.)

### **Make-Up Work during Student Absences:**

When a student has missed three (3) consecutive days, due to illness, a request can be made to the office for make-up work. The office will work with the teacher to obtain the work and have it at the office at 3:00 p.m. for parents to pick up. For those students who miss school due to family trips or vacations, make-up work will be provided upon the student's return to school. Students are afforded the equal number of days of their absence to make-up the work. Parents are strongly encouraged not to schedule vacation during school days in order to avoid disruptions to the educational process.

### **LAST CALL ON LOST & FOUND**

All jackets, sweaters, coats and anything else will be donated to Clothes to Kids on 1/10/20.

### **SAVE THE DATE**

Grandparent's Day  
Friday, February 14, 2020 (9:00 a.m. -11:00 a.m.)  
This day is for Grandparents only!

### **Motivation - Character word for January**

Working in a careful and consistent manner without giving up.

## Bauder's "Ready, Set...Kindergarten" Thursday, January 16, 2020 at 6:00pm.

Kindergarten registration begins on January 13, 2020 for the 2020-2021 school year. If you have a child who will be five years old prior to Sept. 1, 2020, you can register your child at your zoned PCS elementary school.

To register for Kindergarten for the 2020 – 2021 school year:

Be 5 years old by 9/1/20

Birth Certificate and Social Security Card

Be able to show proof of residency (2 recent and different utilities with home address)

Have a Florida Certificate of Immunization for a five year old (shots record)

Have a physical examination certificate, within a year of starting Kindergarten.

January is National  
Mentor Month  
Make an Impact

[www.pcsb.org/impact](http://www.pcsb.org/impact)



### Class Pictures

Each class will have their picture taken on Friday, Jan. 17th. Each 8 x 10 picture is \$12.00, please make checks payable to **Strawbridge Studios, Inc.** Order forms will be sent home.



**Come to our annual Science Expo Night.**

**You can enjoy our many vendors and a family fun night looking at our amazing science projects!**

**WHEN: January 30<sup>th</sup>**

**WHERE: Bauder Elementary School**

**TIME: Food; 5:30 p.m.-7:00 p.m.**

**Bauder Cafeteria**

**Expo; 6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.**

Please support the Seminole Educational Ecosystem Fundraiser being hosted by Rita's Italian Ice of Seminole.

When you purchase a fundraising card for \$5.00, you will be given 10% off of your entire purchase each time you visit. The card will not expire until December 31, 2020!

If you would like to support this fundraiser, please send cash in an envelope marked,

**SEMINOLE EDUCATIONAL ECOSYSTEM,**  
and turn it into your child's teacher. The monies from this fundraiser will be used for Students in Need in the Seminole community.

### Cold and Flu Season Is Here



January and February are peak months for colds and flu. Florida is already experiencing moderate influenza levels, and those numbers will rise as the season moves forward. How do you know if it is the flu? • Body aches and pains • Cough and chest discomfort which may become severe • Early and significant exhaustion • Fatigue and weakness that may last up to 2-3 weeks • Headache • High fever (102-104 degrees F) for 3-4 days • Occasional stuffy nose, sneezing and sore throat

What to do if you get the flu? • Do not share eating utensils and cups • Do not take aspirin products without physician approval • Drink plenty of fluids • Get plenty of rest • Sleep and take it easy • Wash your hands frequently

People who have not yet been vaccinated for this year's flu season should do so as soon as possible. Influenza vaccines are safe and are the best way to protect yourself and your loved ones from influenza and its potentially severe complications. To locate a flu shot near you, contact your physician, your local county health department, or use the Florida Department of Health's flu shot locator: [www.floridahealth.gov/findaflushot](http://www.floridahealth.gov/findaflushot).

Any student sick with flu-like illness must stay home from school for at least 24 hours after the fever is gone. Adults in the school should follow this recommendation as well! If your school begins reporting an increase number of students absent with flu-like symptoms, please call School Health Services at 588-6320.