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Message from the principal

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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:

Happy 2019 and welcome back families! I hope everyone had a wonderful holiday break and has had a good start to the New Year! Thank you parents and volunteers for assisting with class holiday parties. The parties were a huge hit and students really enjoyed themselves. Thank you for your time and generosity, it is truly appreciated.

The start of the new year is a new beginning and an opportunity at Bauder Elementary to renew our commitment that together, we will educate every student, every day! We are excited to have our students back, and they are quickly getting back into the swing of things. Our teachers are engaged in Data Chats this month where we are analyzing the progress and achievement of each of our students. This will allow us to make plans to adjust instruction, continue to provide interventions aligned to our students' needs and to ensure that every child reaches their full potential. We are excited to see our mid-year MAP results and to make adjustments to ensure we are providing the right kind of support to our students.

Lastly, I would like to extend a very special thank you to Mrs. Lisa Pier, one of our 5th Grade Teachers. Lisa was selected as the new Assistant Principal at Skycrest Elementary. We are certainly sad to see her leave, but are extending our support and congratulations as she begins this next chapter in her educational career. Lisa was a vital and often unsung hero at Bauder. The many committees and activities she was involved with are numerous and it will be tough to fill the void. Please join me in wishing her all the best in her future endeavors.

It was exciting to see all of our students return, eager to share their experiences and all of the fun activities they had. This month will fly by as we are already into our second week!

Your Partner in Education,

Mrs. Jodi Leichman, Principal

Dates to Remember

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Jan. 17 Class Pictures

Jan. 17 Ready, Set...Kdg (6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.)

Jan. 21 No School for Students

Jan. 22 STEM Intermediate (2:45 p.m.-4:45 p.m.)

Jan. 23 All Pro Dad's (7:45 a.m.-8:30 a.m.)

Jan. 23 Spirit Night Chick-fil-A (5:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.)

Jan. 25 Science Expo Dinner (5:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m.)

Jan. 25 Science Expo (6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.)

Jan. 29 STEM Primary (2:45 p.m.-4:45 p.m.)

Jan. 31 SAC Meeting Richard Jacobson Tech HS (6:00 p.m.)

Feb. 01 Student Council Meeting (8:10 a.m.-8:40 a.m.)

Feb.05 STEM Intermediate (2:45 p.m.-4:45 p.m.)

Feb.05 Booster Meeting (6:00 p.m.)

Feb.08 Grandparent's Day (9:00 a.m.)

Feb.12 STEM Primary (2:45 p.m.-4:45 p.m.)

Feb.13 SAC Meeting (6:00 p.m.)

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Households which are impacted by the partial government shutdown, that is a loss of income, may apply for school meal benefits using their current income situation.

The new information will be used to determine eligibility for free or reduced-price school meals. That eligibility will be good for the remainder of the 18/19 school year, plus the first 30 days of the 19/20 school year.

Apply online at www.myschoolapps.com or request a paper application from your cafeteria manager.

SAVE THE DATE

Grandparent's Day

Friday, February 8, 2019 (9:00 a.m. -11:00 a.m.)

Motivation - Character word for January

Working in a careful and consistent manner without giving up.

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CLINIC NEWS

FLU

Peak FLU season is December-March

<u>Prevention:</u> 1-Get the flu shot 2-Wash your hands often for at least 20 seconds with soap and warm water 3-Sanitize common work and household surfaces 4-Stay home if you are sick

Flu Fighting Tips:

Drink plenty of liquids, stay home and rest, cover coughs and sneezes with a tissue, wash your hands often, call your doctor if you have difficulty breathing, pain in your chest or stomach, dizziness and confusion

Symptoms: can begin quickly and are more severe than the common cold.

Ex: Fever/Headache, Fatigue, Runny/Stuffy Nose, Sore Throat/Cough, Body Aches and Chills

January is National Mentor Month Make an Impact

www.pcsb.org/impact



Class Pictures

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



Are you ready for some science?

Mark your calendar for Bauder's

17th Annual Science Fair Expo

Friday, January 25, 2019

from

5:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

5th Grade Support

Do you own a business or know of someone who does and would like to advertise? Well 5th Grade needs your help. We are looking for businesses to place an ad in the 5th grade end of year yearbook which is provided to every 5th grader free of charge.

A business ad is on \$30. If you are interested contact Kim Koehler, at koehlerki@pcsb.org for an order form.

Thank you for your help!

Booster Update:

*Bauder shirts and memberships are still available. Boosters would love for you to join Boosters by donating either \$6 for one child or \$10 for a family. If you need a form, please check with your child's teacher. The class who earns the most memberships, wins a pizza party.

*Thank you so much for your support during the Book Fair. Bauder Boosters made about \$17,200 overall in sales and \$8,000 comes back to Bauder. Our Scholastic coordinator, Perri Dodaro, has already ordered books for classroom libraries and area rugs for class gatherings.

*Please continue to send in Box Tops – every coupon helps earn funds for Bauder.

*The Donut Experience Spirit Day earned \$77 in profit for Boosters – thank you for coming and supporting our school. The next spirit night is at Chick-Fil-a from 5-8pm.

*Boosters will be hosting the 17th Annual Science Fair Expo on Friday, January 25 starting at 5:30pm with food, snacks, sweets, Bauder shirts and lots of fun. We hope to see everyone come out and support our Bauder students.

*Next time you are in the Bauder mall area – take a peek at the Booster bulletin board near Mrs. Gaston's desk – you will see pictures of all the things Boosters has granted to our students.

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