



## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

I hope you had a beautiful Thanksgiving, enjoyed your time with your family, and were able to reflect upon all that you are grateful for during this special time of year. One of the things at the top of my list, besides my family and friends, is absolutely the gift of being part of the Bella Vista School District and community. I am thankful to be here and grateful to have the opportunity to work alongside such incredible staff, students, and families.

Looking ahead to the month of December, I can see it is going to be a very busy and exciting month! This month there will be Christmas programs and parties, Middle School Boy's basketball tryouts, Middle School Dance, Book Fair, Girls Basketball games and tournament, Family Reading Night, and Christmas is right around the corner. Winter vacation is from December 21<sup>st</sup> through January 8<sup>th</sup>. Our students will be back in class on Tuesday, January 9<sup>th</sup>.

Do you have a little time to spare? Bella Vista School is in need of parents to serve on the School Site Council. This group oversees the School's Site Plan (LCAP). If you would like more information or would be interested in being a member of this Council, please contact me by phone or email. An appointment can also be set-up through the school office by December 8<sup>th</sup>.

I wish you and your family the very best over the holiday season. Thank you for being a part of our Bella Vista Family, it is truly an honor to serve you and your children.



Please do not hesitate to call (549-4415) or email me (barmelino@bveagles.com) if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,  
Ms. Bev Armelino



### OCTOBER EAGLE OF THE MONTH STUDENTS

- Jayden Adams
- Raul Avila
- Caryann Bonville
- Shelby Caro
- Olivia Freeman
- Felissity Gardner
- Peyton Gardner
- Luke Guggenbickler
- Yesinia Jimenez
- Emma Kubin
- Wyatt Litteral
- Willow Lovejoy
- Zoey Mackney
- Connor McCrary
- Juliette Merritt
- Alina Miller
- Henry Minton
- Elise Osborne
- Diego Padilla
- Phoenix Padilla
- Ayden Peterson
- Maggie Phillips
- Jasmine Raffa
- Alex Renteria
- Triton Rowe
- Xander Schmidt
- Tiana Stomps
- Anika Vazquez
- Ryder White
- Lion Wojcik



**"Thank you" for all of your donations towards our November Food Drive!**



**Bella Vista Student Council**

## CHRISTMAS PROGRAMS

Wednesday, December 13<sup>th</sup>  
Preschool – Third Grades

Thursday, December 14<sup>th</sup>  
Fourth – Eighth Grades



Performing Arts Center  
6:30 P.M.



## SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR

Friday, December 1<sup>st</sup> – Friday, December 8<sup>th</sup>  
10:00 A.M. – 3:15 P.M.  
Library

Online orders can be placed  
Friday, December 1<sup>st</sup> - December 8<sup>th</sup>

[http://bookfairs.scholastic.com/homepage/bella\\_vistaelemschool](http://bookfairs.scholastic.com/homepage/bella_vistaelemschool)

## Middle School Winter Masquerade Ball

Friday, December 15<sup>th</sup>  
6:00-9:00 P.M.  
\$5.00



Don't forget  
to wear  
your mask.

## BOYS BASKETBALL TRYOUTS

(6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grades)



Monday, December 4<sup>th</sup>  
Tuesday, December 5<sup>th</sup>  
5:00 – 7:00 P.M.  
Permission slips are  
available in the office.

## Parent Club News

Upcoming Volunteer Opportunities  
include – Christmas Workshop and  
Family Reading Night.

Next Parent Club Meeting  
Thursday, December 14<sup>th</sup>  
2:45 P.M.  
Room 10

## FAMILY CHRISTMAS READING NIGHT

Thursday, December 7<sup>th</sup>  
5:30 – 7:30 P.M.  
BVS Library  
*Come join us for Christmas  
Stories, Santa, Cookies &  
Hot Cider*



## BVS POST SEASON BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

Friday & Saturday, December 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup>  
*Parent Volunteers Needed*  
Contact [mroesner@bveagles.com](mailto:mroesner@bveagles.com)

## WINTER BREAK

December 21<sup>st</sup> –  
January 8<sup>th</sup>

School resumes on  
Tuesday, January 9<sup>th</sup>



## DATES TO REMEMBER

- 12/1 **Book Fair begins, Library, 10:00 A.M. – 3:15 P.M.**  
B-Girls Basketball Tournament @ UPrep
- 12/2 B-Girls Basketball Tournament @ UPrep
- 12/3 Boys Basketball Clinic, BVS, Noon-2:00 P.M.
- 12/4 Early Dismissal, 1:30 P.M.  
Girls Basketball Game @ No. Cow Creek, 4:00 P.M.  
Boys Basketball Tryouts, 5:00-7:00 P.M.
- 12/5 Boys Basketball Tryouts, 5:00-7:00 P.M.
- 12/6 Girls Basketball Game vs. Junction, BVS, 4:00 P.M.
- 12/7 **Family Reading Night, Library, 5:30 – 7:30 P.M.**
- 12/8 Last Day of Book Fair, Library  
**Eagle of the Month Assembly, PAC, 1:30 P.M.**  
Girls Basketball Tournament, BVS
- 12/9 Girls Basketball Tournament, BVS
- 12/11 Eagle of the Month Lunch, Café  
Early Dismissal, 1:30 P.M.
- 12/12 School Board Meeting, Room 10, 7:0 P.M.
- 12/13 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Parent Club Mtg., Room 27, 3:00 P.M.  
**Christmas Program (K-3), PAC, 6:30 P.M.**
- 12/14 Parent Club Meeting, Room 10, 2:45 P.M.  
**Christmas Program (4-8), PAC, 6:30 P.M.**
- 12/15 Middle School Dance, 6:00-9:00 P.M.
- 12/18 Early Dismissal, 1:30 P.M.
- 12/20 Project Share Cancelled
- 12/21 Winter Break begins through 1/8
- 1/9 Students return to school ☺