



PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Families,

The staff at Bella Vista Elementary School is committed to excellence in education. One way Bella Vista Elementary stands out among other elementary schools is our effective use of technology that is evident in every classroom. From our youngest transitional kindergarteners to our middle school students, technology is utilized to engage learners (LCAP Goal #2) and personalize instruction.

Since 2011, iPads have been available for each student in grades 2-8. In 2016 the purchase of additional iPads made it possible to include kindergarten through second grade with 1:1 devices. In addition to iPads, during the fall of 2017 we added 60 Chromebooks to our middle school and in January 2019 we purchased Chromebooks for all 3rd, 4th, and 5th grades. The focus on technology remains a vital part of Bella Vista's learning environment.

As we prepare students to be successful in a college preparatory curriculum in high school (LCAP Goal #1) and eventually for a successful career, we are mindful of the role technology plays in higher education and the work force. Our students leave Bella Vista not only with a better education due to improved learning opportunities, but also with experience on how to use technology to complete tasks and projects. This comfort with technology will be a strong asset in their future endeavors.

In closing, I'd like to thank you for your continued support of our students, teachers, and school as we collectively strive to provide optimal opportunities for learning each and every day. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call (549-4415) or email me at barmelino@bveagles.com.

Sincerely, Bev Armelino



Nurse News...

Monthly Health Information for your Family



Part of the job of a school nurse is to conduct hearing, vision, and dental screenings on students in K, 2nd, 5th, and 8th grades. I started screenings before the holiday break and I am hoping to wrap them up in the next week or two. If your student comes home with a referral letter, please be sure to follow up with your practitioner for further evaluation. If you do not have a doctor, please contact me and I will help you make an appointment. If you are unable to cover the cost of a dental exam, vision exam, glasses, or hearing exam, please contact me and I will supply you with vouchers. It is crucial that students can adequately see and hear what their teacher is doing in class to optimize their chance of success.

Thank you for taking such good care of your student!

Kelly Pagan, Credentialed School Nurse
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Click the link below to access
Bella Vista School's
Wellness Policy

http://bveagles.com/images/pdfs/district/wellness_policy_5-23-2013.pdf

Health Council Meeting
Monday February 4th @ 3:00PM
In Room 10

2018-19 YEARBOOKS

Order forms are available
in the office.

Early Bird Discount of \$29.00
until March 29th

After March 29th cost is \$35.00.
Quantity is limited.

PROGRAM AND ACTIVITY UPDATES

WOW!

That's Engineering!

Attention 4th – 6th Grade GIRLS:
Be part of the 10th Annual Wow! That's Engineering®

Experience the creativity and innovation of engineering and technology. Meet members of the Society of Women Engineers and hear first-hand about their exciting careers. Participate in 3 hands-on workshops where girls can learn about the scientific process and engineering!



Event Details:

Location: UPrep High School
Date: Saturday, March 9, 2019
Time: 8:30 am – 1:30 pm
Cost: \$40 Fee – Scholarships Available, please inquire
Parents are invited to an awards ceremony beginning at 1pm
Snacks, lunch, t-shirts and goodie bags will be provided!



Due to limited space, pre-registration is required by **March 1st**
Register at: <http://www.wowevents.com>
Questions? swe.shastacascade@gmail.com
Or Ashley Kellogg - (530) 949-2608

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SCHOOL ACTIVITIES & EVENTS



Father/Daughter Dance

Kindergarten – Eighth Grade
Friday, March 8th



Dinner: 5:30 – 7:00 pm in the Cafe
Dancing: 5:30 – 8:00 pm in the gymnasium

\$20 per couple (\$5 each additional daughter)

Tickets available in the office.

Tickets must be purchased by Monday, March 4th.

Basketball

4th/ 5th Basketball Tryouts



Wed., Feb. 13th (Girls)

2:45 – 4:15 pm

Thurs. Feb. 14th (Boys)

2:45 – 4:00 pm

**Permission Slips available
in the office.**

Family Skate Night

Come join our Parent Club
at **Viking Skate Country**
on **February 21st** for our
annual Family Skate Night!
4:30pm – 6:30pm

\$4 – Presale Tickets
\$5 – at the Door



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Post Season Boys Basketball Tournament

Friday, Feb. 15th and Saturday, Feb. 16th at Bella Vista School
Parent Volunteers Needed - Please contact Ms. Roesner if you are
able to help at mroesner@bveagles.com.

Child Find

Bella Vista Elementary School District provides a free and appropriate public education for all children with disabilities in a variety of specially designed programs.

Special Education and related services are available for persons, ages 3-21 inclusive, who have disabilities in the following areas: autism, deaf-blindness, auditory impairment, intellectual disabilities, multiple disabilities, orthopedic impairment, other health impairment, emotional disability, specific learning disability, speech or language impairment, traumatic brain injury, and visual impairment. Services for students with an auditory or visual impairment may begin at birth. Programs for preschool-aged children with disabilities are also available.

If you are aware of a child who may be eligible for services and is not receiving them, contact the principal of our school or Brooke Maguire, Coordinator of Special Education, Bella Vista Elementary School District, 22661 Old Alturas Road, Bella Vista, CA 96008. Phone: 530-549-4415

DATES TO REMEMBER

- 2/1 **Jr. High Masquerade Ball, cafeteria**
- 2/2 Boys Basketball Tournament, Anderson HS
- 2/4 **Early Release Day, 1:30 pm**
Boys Basketball Game vs. Black Butte, BVS
Family Skate Night ticket sales begin
- 2/5 FHS Counselors on campus to meet with 8th grade parents, 8:30am – 11:30 am
- 2/6 Boys Basketball Game vs. Juniper, BVS
- 2/7 4th Grade to Shasta District Fairgrounds
Parent Club Meeting, 2:45 pm, library
- 2/8 **Eagle of the Month Assembly, 1:30 pm**
- 2/11 **Early Release Day, 1:30 pm**
Eagle Lunch, cafeteria
Boys Basketball Game vs. Junction, Junction
- 2/12 School Board Meeting, 7:00 pm, Rm. 10
- 2/13 Boys Basketball Game vs. NCC, NCC
4th/ 5th Grade Basketball Tryouts (Girls), 2:45 – 4:15pm, gym
- 2/14 **Happy Valentine's Day!**
4th/ 5th Grade Basketball Tryouts (Boys), 2:45 – 4:00pm, gym
- 2/15 **Early Release Day, 1:30 pm**
Boys Basketball League Tournament, 2/15 -2/16, BVS
- 2/18 – 2/22 No School – President's Birthdays**
- 2/21 **Family Skate Night, 4:30 – 6:30pm, Viking Skate Country**
- 2/25 **Early Release Day, 1:30 pm**
- 2/26 Box Tops Due in classrooms
- 2/27 **School Talent Show, 6:00pm**

