

Spring Bluff R-XV Home of the Pirates

12/15/23 Newsletter



UPCOMING EVENTS

12/16– 4B/5B Pacific Tournament begins

12/18– Cocoa and Cookies at 5–7 p.m.
– ALL HOME GAMES AND PRACTICES
ARE CANCELED
– 6B/7B/8B Away vs Borgia @ 5:30pm

12/19– Holiday Parties at 9:00am
– EARLY DISMISSAL at 12:30pm

12/20–1/ 3 – **Holiday Break! NO SCHOOL!**

12/21– Board of Education Meeting @ 6:30pm

1/3– Teacher Work Day

1/4– **WELCOME BACK!**

1/4–1/6– Boys Bball Home Tournament

1/ 6– 5G St. James Tournament

HOME BASKETBALL TOURNAMENTS



In just a few weeks we will be hosting our 4th–6th boys tournament on January 4th–6th and 4th–6th girls tournament on January 11th–13th.

We encourage all parents, family, and friends to come out and show their support for all teams during our home tournaments. 4th grade teams will play at St. Anthony's on Saturday only during each tournament. 5th & 6th grade teams will play games on Thursday–Saturday at Spring Bluff. All consolation games will be played at St. Anthony's. Brackets and sign ups will be sent to parents next week.

Let's go Pirates!

HOLIDAY PARTIES



All classroom parties will take place on Tuesday, December 19th at 9:00am. Please find alternative childcare for younger siblings. Also, make sure to bring your driver's license to scan in at the office upon arrival. Students **WILL** be counted absent if leaving directly after their parties.

HAPPY
Holidays

BOARD CANDIDATE FILING

SCHOOL BOARD ELECTIONS (Public Notice of Filing)



The Spring Bluff R–XV School District encourages qualified persons interested in running for a position on the school board to file to be a candidate in the April 2, 2024, election. Interested persons may file at the central office located at 9374 Hwy. 185, Sullivan, MO 63080. For more information, contact Pam Schlueter, School Board Secretary at 573–457–8302.

Filing will begin on December 5, 2023, at 8:00 a.m. and will continue during the district's regular business hours, which are Monday through Friday from 7:15a.m. to 4:00p.m. Except for the first and last day of filing, filing will not occur on days that the school district's central office is closed due to inclement weather. Filing will also not occur on the following holidays and breaks when the school district's central office is closed: Friday, December 22, 2023 and Monday, December 25, 2023. Filing will end on December 26, 2023, at 5:00 p.m.

There are 2 positions available with three–year terms. Ballot placement order of filing will be on a first–come basis.

HELP WANTED



The Spring Bluff R–XV School District is now accepting applications for BUS DRIVERS, starting pay \$17.76/hour to \$24.67/hour, years of experience will be considered. Full time positions include fully paid health insurance. Bus driver training is available. Applications may be obtained on the school website, www.springbluffpirates.com. For more information please contact Jeannie Jenkins, Superintendent at 573–457–8302.

Applicants must be able to pass all background check procedures.

INCLEMENT WEATHER INFORMATION



Anytime school is cancelled or dismissed early, parents will be notified through our School Messenger system. Please be sure to contact the school office to update your contact information if your number(s) change anytime throughout the school year. The School Messenger number, 844–875–4925, will appear on your phone and can be called back to replay the message.

School closing information will also be posted on Facebook @springbluffpirates, district's website/app, channels 2,4, & 5 as well as KTUI radio. Announcements will be made as early as possible, generally before 6 a.m.

THANK YOU!

A special thanks to People's Bank, First State Community Bank, the Dace and Roehrs families, and the Lindemeyer family for treating our teachers and staff to some holiday goodies!



CONGRATS!

DECEMBER 9TH BASKETBALL UPDATE

1ST PLACE
Bourbon 5th Grade
Tournament

1ST PLACE
Cuba 6th Grade
Tournament

Holiday Schedule For Sports

DECEMBER 20	5-7PM 3B (BIG GYM) CHEER (SMALL GYM)
DECEMBER 21	5-7PM 7B (BIG GYM) 3B (SMALL GYM) 7-8:30PM 6B (BIG GYM)
DECEMBER 26	1-3PM CHEER (BIG GYM) 5-7PM 5B (BIG GYM)
DECEMBER 27	5-7PM 3B (BIG GYM)
DECEMBER 28	1-3PM CHEER (BIG GYM) 3G (SMALL GYM) 3-5PM 8G (BIG GYM) 5-7PM 3B/4B (BIG GYM) 7-8:30PM 6B (BIG GYM) 7B (SMALL GYM)
DECEMBER 29	5-7PM 6G (BIG GYM)
JANUARY 2	1-3PM 5G (BIG GYM) 3-5PM 8G (BIG GYM) 5-7PM 4B (BIG GYM) 5B (SMALL GYM) 7-8:30PM 8B (BIG GYM)



12 School Days Before CHRISTMAS BREAK

DECEMBER 4-8

Monday:

Spirit of the Season

Wear Red & Green

Tuesday:

Jingle Toes

Wear Holiday Socks or Slippers

Wednesday:

Christmas Character Day

Dress like a character from a Christmas Movie or Book

(School Appropriate Attire)

Thursday:

Tree Topper Day

Wear Reindeer Antlers, Santa Hats, Bows, Etc.

Friday:

Dream A Little Dream

School Appropriate Pajamas

DECEMBER 11-15

Monday:

Neck Gear Day

Wear your favorite holiday tie, scarf or necklace

Tuesday:

Dashing Through The Snow

Wear White or A Snowman Shirt

Wednesday:

Pirate Christmas

Wear Pirate Gear with Holiday Flair

Thursday:

How the Grinch Stole Christmas

Wear A Grinch Shirt, Green or dress as your favorite Who

Friday:

Ugly Sweater Day

Wear your ugliest sweater

DECEMBER 18-19

Monday:


Santa's Workshop

Dress as an Elf, Reindeer, Toy, Santa or Mrs. Claus

Tuesday:

Mad about Plaid

Wear your favorite plaid or flannel shirt



**PARENTS AS TEACHERS, TITLE 1,
AND SPRING BLUFF EDUCATIONAL
FOUNDATION INVITE ALL FAMILIES
WITH CHILDREN FROM BIRTH TO 3RD GRADE**



**To Join Us for Our
Santa, Cookies & Cocoa Night**



MONDAY, DECEMBER 18TH

**COME ANYTIME BETWEEN
5:00-7:00 PM**



Santa will be located in the Library

**Enjoy Craft Making, Cookies,
Cocoa, and Picking out a New
Book in the Cafeteria**

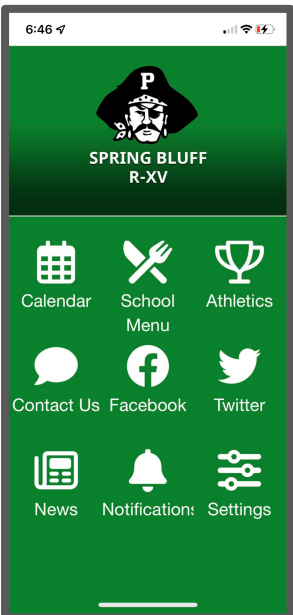
**You Are Welcome to Wear
Your Christmas Pajamas!!**



WHAT'S UP AT THE BLUFF



HOW TO STAY INFORMED



- ➔ Weekly district newsletters will be emailed each Friday.
- ➔ Spring Bluff Facebook @springbluffpirates
- ➔ Spring Bluff App—Spring Bluff R–XV
- ➔ District Website: www.springbluffpirates.com
- ➔ Classroom newsletters and folders
- ➔ School Messenger: Call Back #844–875–4925
- ➔ Chalkable Café—lunch bills emailed weekly
- ➔ Parent portal



HOLIDAY

CHEER!

