

Spring Bluff R-XV Home of the Pirates

2/9/24 Newsletter



UPCOMING EVENTS

- 2/10**– 5G Washington Tournament
- 2/12**– 3rd Quarter Midterm Ends
 - Open Library 3:15–4:15pm (K–5)
 - Chess Club 3:15–4:15pm
 - Brass 3:15–4:15pm
 - The 100th Day of School!
- 2/14**– Valentine class parties @ 1:45pm
 - ESports 3:15–4:15pm
- 2/15**– STEM Club 3:15–4:15pm
 - 7/8 Dodgeball 3:15–4:15pm
 - Board of Education Meeting @ 6:30pm
- 2/16–2/19**– NO SCHOOL!
- 2/20**– 5/6 Dodgeball 3:15–4:15pm
 - 2–4 Book Club 3:15–4:15pm
- 2/21**– Garden Club 3:15–4:15pm
- 2/22**– 5–8 Book Club 3:15–4:15pm
 - STEM Club 3:15–4:15pm
- 2/23–2/24** 4–6 Girls Home Basketball Tournament
- 2/26**– Open Library (6th–8th) 3:15–4:15pm
 - Club 26 3:15–4:30pm
 - Woodwind 3:15–4:15
- 2/27**– 7–8 Dodgeball 3:15–4:15pm
 - Kindergarten Round–Up at 6:00pm

VALENTINES CLASS PARTIES



Valentine class parties will take place on February 14th at 1:45pm. Please refer to your child's classroom newsletter for information regarding their class allergies. As a reminder, each child may invite one parent to their class party and siblings are not allowed to attend.

CANDY GRAMS

Kindergarten ROUND-UP

Any child who will be 5 before August 1, 2024 is eligible to attend kindergarten this fall. We invite parents and incoming kindergarten students to “Kindergarten Roundup” on February 27th at 6 p.m. Parents will have the opportunity to tour the school, meet kindergarten teachers, and learn about what a kindergarten student’s day will look like. In addition, parents will also schedule their child’s kindergarten screening on March 5th or 7th . See you there!

KIDS HEART CHALLENGE



- Raising funds for kids with special hearts
- Meeting child survivors
- Learning about heart and brain health

Our school has kicked off Kids Heart Challenge™

Thank you to all the families that have logged on and completed Finn’s Mission! We have a goal for all our families to complete Finn’s Mission while learning hands-Only CPR. Just click the link below to register and become a lifesaver! Complete Finn’s Mission and earn this Slow-Rise Ball along with a chance to win **2025 Super Bowl Tickets** and our school to win a **\$10,000 PE Equipment Makeover**.

Let’s get 100% of our school families to learn Hands-Only CPR!



CLICK HERE or **SCAN**
the QR Code



Thanks in advance for being a lifesaver by learning Hands-Only CPR and helping kids with special hearts!



Kids Heart Challenge- Spring Bluff
SPIRIT WEEK
February 19- February 23



Monday 2/19
• NO SCHOOL



Tuesday 2/20
Stay away from tobacco/vapes!
• Wear Crazy Socks



Wednesday 2/21
Kindness “ties” us together!
• Wear a tie or bow tie



Thursday 2/22
Dress for success!
• Wear business attire.



Friday 2/23
Be active!
• Wear workout gear

SPRING BLUFF EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION DINNER/AUCTION



The annual Spring Bluff Educational Foundation Dinner, Auction, and Dance will be held Saturday, March 23rd at the Sullivan Eagles Hall. This year's theme will be "Game Night". Please join us for a night of fun while supporting our school. Dinner Auction Tickets are \$50 each until Wednesday, March 15th (tickets purchased after the 15th will be \$60 each) and can be purchased through the office until March 24th. Please make checks payable to the Spring Bluff Educational Foundation (SBEF).

AUCTION CLASS BASKET THEMES



- Kindergarten: Toys and Games
- First Grade: Spa Day
- Second Grade: School Spirit
- Third Grade: Book Lover's Basket
- Fourth Grade: Farm and Home
- Fifth Grade: Chiefs/Taylor Swift
- Middle School: Hometown (Support Local Businesses)



DINNER/AUCTION RAFFLE ITEM



The Educational Foundation will be raffling a Portable Blackstone Pizza Oven. Students who sell \$50 worth of raffle tickets will jump for bucks after the event is held. If you need more raffle tickets, ask your child's teacher or stop by the office. Please have them turned in no later than March 22nd at 3:00pm.

LETS GO CHIEFS!

Be sure to check out our quarterback challenge videos on Facebook!





Hey KIDS and families!

The NED Show is visiting our school! The assembly is filled with storytelling, humor, illusions and amazing yo-yo tricks where our kids learn the hidden message in NED's name:

- N**ever give up
- E**ncourage others
- D**o your best®

Do you want to learn to yo? A yo-yo is both a learning tool and a tangible reminder of NED's message. While learning to yo, children will make mistakes, try again and improve.

Our school yo-yo sale

Our school received this assembly at no-cost because another school paid-it-forward to us. We want to help pay-it-forward too, and you can help by purchasing a NED-messaged yo-yo.

SALE DATES: 2/12/24-2/15/24 **TIME:** morning in the gym

ADDITIONAL DETAILS: _____



Yo-yo designs and colors may vary.
Make checks payable to our school. Prices include tax (where applicable).

STUDENT ORDER FORM:

CLASSIC YOS

Learn the basics of yo-yoing with assorted fixed axle yo-yos.

\$10



SUPER SPINNERS

Great for basic and intermediate tricks. With a strong throw, these auto-return yo-yos 'sleep' at the end of the string & then come back to you automatically.

\$12



SPECIALTY SELECTION

Assorted professional long spin yo-yos for next level tricks!

\$16



REPLACEMENT STRING PACK

Ten assorted strings to change color or replace a worn out yo-yo string.

\$4



YO-YO HOLSTER

Keep track of your yo and have it ready to go. Attach it to your belt loop or backpack (yo-yo not included).

\$8



Name: _____

Teacher: _____

For more yo-yo fun and to learn tricks, check out:
NEDkids.com



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Prices include tax (where applicable).

ITEM	PRICE	QTY.	SUBTOTAL
String Pack	\$4		
Holster	\$8		
Classic Yo	\$10		
Super Spinner	\$12		
Specialty Yo	\$16		
TOTAL DUE			

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NS-US-Send Home

We recently hosted an all school event called **The NED Show**. We trust your student was encouraged by the show which inspires everyone to become Champions at school and in life!

The NED Show yoyos are still available for purchase in the mornings through next Thursday (2/15) to support the free show and message. Additionally, here are a couple of our favorite follow up home resources from The NED Show website. You may want to use these with your child as they are designed to go hand in hand with the program.

The NED Pledge Champion Choices

If you'd like additional resources, they are available [here](#).

And don't forget to ask your student what they learned in the show about Never giving up, Encouraging others and Doing your best!

SCHOLAR BOWL DATES

5th & 6th Grade

SCHOLAR BOWL

The following teams will play Wednesday, Feb. 21, beginning at 3:20

- Game 1 - Chief v. Preppies @ 3:20
- Game 2 - Spicy Cheetos v. Top Gs @ 3:40
- Game 3 - Rombas v. Cheeseballs @ 4:00
- Game 4 - Taco Bell v. Greatest GOATS @ 4:20
- Game 5 - Blue Heat Takis v. McNuggets @ 4:40

Bracket will be updated daily. Please watch for additional posts.

DADDY/DAUGHTER DANCE

JOIN US AT THE

WHEN: APRIL 13, 2024 **COST:** \$25 PER COUPLE
WHERE: SULLIVAN EAGLES BIG HALL \$15 EACH ADDITIONAL DAUGHTER
TIME: 6-9

Sullivan Spring Bluff
Strain Japan
St. Anthony and
all local preschools
are invited.

Pre-K
thru
5th grade

Snacks
and drinks
will be
served.

Limited tickets available!

Daughters' Name

Additional Daughters & Ages

Special Male Guest's Name

Contact Phone Number

School & Teacher

Of Tickets

Amount Paid

CASH CHECK

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PLEASE SEND FORM AND MONEY BACK TO SCHOOL, WITH YOUR CHILD, NO LATER THAN MARCH 8, 2024. (TICKETS COULD SELL OUT PRIOR TO THIS DATE)
 YOU CAN ALSO REGISTER & PAY ONLINE BY SCANNING THE QR CODE OR VISITING
[HTTPS://BIT.LY/308XJK6](https://bit.ly/308XJK6) (CASE SENSITIVE).

TICKETS WILL NOT BE SOLD AT THE DOOR THE NIGHT OF THE EVENT!

WHAT'S UP AT THE BLUFF!

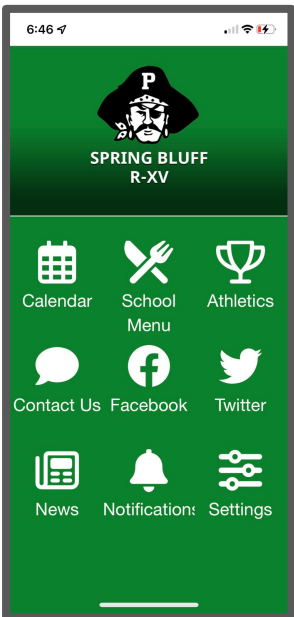


5th grade completed a baking show project this week where they applied the concepts of adding and subtracting mixed numbers and finished the project off by making sprinkle chow and practicing multiplying fractions.

Second grade did a project discovering how nutrients get to all parts of the plant with celery, water, and food dye!



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

