

Spring Bluff R-XV Home of the Pirates

2.18.22 Newsletter



Upcoming Events

- 2/21 No School - Presidents Day
- 2/22 TAG (6th-8th)
3:15-4:30 p.m.
- 2/22 Winter Wonderland Night 5:30-7:00 p.m.
(Birth to 3rd Grade)
- 2/23 Art Club 3:15-4:30 p.m.
- 2/24 Fine Arts Club
3:15-4:30 p.m.

Stay current by checking the event calendar on our website.



Congratulations A-Team Boys for winning Consolation at the Immanuel Lutheran Tournament this past weekend. Way to Go Pirates!

IMPORTANT LETTER ATTACHMENT

PLEASE READ the attached Parent letter regarding district requirements for any parent/guardian wanting to attend class field trips with their students. This has to be completed by Thursday, March 17th if you plan to attend any of the end of year field trips with your child.

Heart Challenge Spirit week, February 21-25.

Monday 2/21 - No School

Tuesday 2/22 - Stay away from tobacco!
-Wear a hat or wear Blue.

Wednesday 2/23 - Be Kind!!
- Wear your favorite Tye-Die or wear Green.

Thursday 2/24 - Drink More Water!
- Wear your favorite Tropical Outfit or wear Red.

Friday 2/25 - Be a Leader!
- Wear Your Pirate Pride Colors!

So far we have raised **\$5,567.68** of our \$10,000 goal. We will continue to collect envelopes & online donations until Tuesday February 22nd with the snow day & holiday. Thank you for all for your generosity & continued support!



100th Day of School Fun

February 15th, 2022



Counselor's Corner

Mrs. Dugger - School Counselor
cdugger@springbluffpirates.com

K-3 participated in a lesson on kindness and how to mend a wrinkled heart.

Grades 4-8 are wrapping up career presentations over the next couple of weeks.

7th & 8th grade presentation from ECC has been rescheduled for March 3.



CALLING ALL FUTURE PIRATES!
KINDERGARTEN ROUND UP WILL BE HELD
TUESDAY, MARCH 1ST AT 6:30 P.M.

STUDENTS MUST BE 5 YEARS OLD BEFORE
AUGUST 1ST TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR
KINDERGARTEN THIS FALL

SPORTS NEWS

- ❑ Sports banquet will be held on Thursday, March 3rd at 6pm.
- ❑ **8th Grade Basketball Recognition** will be held at the Sports Banquet on Thursday, March 3rd.
- ❑ Refreshments and cookies to be served in the cafeteria after the awards ceremony.
- ❑ Uniforms are also due by this date. Once I have an athletes uniform I will return the parents work deposit.

How to Stay Informed

- Weekly district newsletters will be emailed each Friday
- Spring Bluff Facebook @springbluffpirates
- District Website, www.springbluffpirates.com
- Parent Link-check student grades & attendance. Contact Natalie Head nhead@springbluffpirates.com for login information.
- Classroom Newsletters
- School Messenger Call Back #844-875-4925
- Chalkable Café-lunch bills emailed weekly



SPORTING EVENTS



Fri-Sun, February 18th-20th

4B/5B Tournament @ St. Clair TBD

SPRING BLUFF EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

The annual Spring Bluff Educational Foundation Dinner, Auction, and Dance will be held March 26th at the Sullivan Eagles Hall. This year's theme will be "NEW YORK, NEW YORK". Please join us for a night of fun while supporting our school.

Dinner Auction Tickets are \$50 each until Thursday, March 17th (tickets purchased after the 17th will be \$60 each) and can be purchased through the office now through March 25th. Please make checks payable to the

Spring Bluff Educational Foundation.

In order to reserve a table (must be 8-10 people), all tickets must be paid in full at the same time.

The Educational Foundation will be raffling a Blackstone 36" Griddle with hardcover and foldable shelves. Students who sell \$50 worth of raffle tickets will jump for bucks after the event is held. Raffle tickets will be sent home with students today. If you need more raffle tickets, ask your child's teacher or stop by the school office.



CLASS BASKET THEMES

Kindergarten- Vacation / Travel

1st Grade- S'Mores / Fire Pit

2nd Grade- Ask Alexa

3rd Grade- Golf

4th Grade- Chef Essentials

5th Grade- Coffee

Middle School- Baking Basket



American Red Cross Blood Drive in Loving Memory of Kaden Keller



American
Red Cross

There will be a blood drive held at Spring Bluff R-XV
On Friday, March 25th from 2:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.

To schedule an appointment please go to [Redcrossblood.org](https://www.redcrossblood.org)



Our 2022 Team Kaden Shirts are now available for ordering! Deadline for shirt orders is March 10th at 11pm. Shirts will be available by Kaden's 20th Birthday Blood Drive on March 25th at the Spring Bluff School from 2 - 7pm! Annual shirt sales allow us to continue to support families with children in medical need throughout the year. In 2021 Team Kaden donated \$8,500 to six area families with children in medical need. Thank you for helping us help others.

https://www.cognitofrms.com/TeamKadenFoundation1/_2022TeamKadenShirts

Team Kaden is a nonprofit foundation established in memory of Kaden Keller who was diagnosed with Leukemia in 2009. Kaden earned his angel wings on September 9, 2014 at the age of 12. His journey continues! We are honored to pay it forward and help families with children in medical need; raise funds for pediatric cancer research; and give two \$2500 scholarships each year to Sullivan High School Seniors who demonstrate a commitment to community service.

Spring Bluff Parents as Teachers

The Parents as Teachers (PAT) program is a research based early childhood home visiting framework that builds strong communities, thriving families and children who are healthy, safe and ready to learn. PAT helps to establish positive partnerships between home, school, and the community and plays a vital role in supporting families and children from the very beginning toward school readiness. A trained parent educator emphasizes parent-child interaction, development centered parenting and family well-being in their work with families. The PAT program consists of four components: personal visits, group connections, screenings, and resource referrals. Together, these components provide families with children, prenatal to kindergarten entry, a program of support so that children are able to reach their full potential. For more information, please contact our parent educator, Pam Richards at (573) 457-8302 or prichards@springbluffpirates.com



Parents, please remember to send a refillable water bottle with your child every day. Only the refillable water bottle stations are available for students to use. Water fountains are still out of service.

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YOUR RECEIPT

You can clip and send in Box Tops to our school or use the Box Tops app to scan your

store receipt within 14 days of purchase. When you download the app, it will ask for the zip code then choose Spring Bluff. The app will automatically find the products and instantly add Box Tops to our school's earnings online. Thank you for your support.



March 14th & 15th

4:30 - 7:30 p.m.

K-5 teachers are in the process of scheduling their conference times. Please look for correspondence in the next week or so.

Middle School (6-8) & Special Area Teachers will be stationed in the cafeteria to ease parents transitioning between each of the teachers.