

Spring Bluff R-XV Home of the Pirates

3/31/23 Newsletter



UPCOMING EVENTS

- 4/3**– Club 26 3:15–4:30pm
 - Open Library/Chess Club 3:15–4:15pm
 - STEM Club 3:15–4:15pm
- 4/4**– Election Day
- 4/5**– ART Club 3:15–4:30pm
- 4/7– 4/10**– **NO SCHOOL!** Easter Break
- 4/11**– 4th/5th Book Club 3:15–4:15pm
- 4/12**– Garden Club 3:15–4:30pm
- 4/13**– Academic Fair 6:00pm
- 4/17**– MAP/EOC Testing begins
 - Open Library 3:15–4:15pm
 - STEM Club 3:15–4:15pm
 - BOE Meeting at 6:30
- 4/18**– PAT Group Connections
 - 6th/7th/8th Book Club 3:15–4:15pm
- 4/19**– Club 26 3:15–4:30pm
- 4/24**– STEM Club 3:15–4:15pm
- 4/25**– 2nd/3rd Grade Book Club 3:15–4:15pm

UPCOMING ELECTION

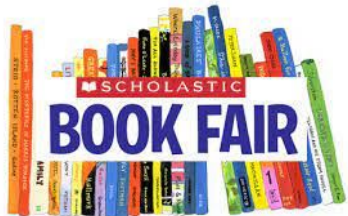
On April 4, 2023 Spring Bluff voters will go to the polls to elect 3 board of education members for 3 year terms each. Incumbents are **Jill Wagner, David Schatz, and Brad Newman**. Typically, an election is not needed if the same number of candidates match the number of open positions. However, a change in statute now requires board member candidates to appear on the ballot if another issue is presented to the voters.

In addition to board of education members, a proposed boundary change between the Sullivan C-2 and Spring Bluff R-XV School Districts will also appear on the ballot. The boundary change is being pursued by a landowner in accordance with [§162.431, RSMo.](#) and board policy, [BBBB: School Board Ballot Issues](#).

A petition was submitted to both districts with the required signatures needed to place the issue on the April ballot in both districts. A simple majority from both districts is needed to approve the boundary change. If the voters in one district approve the change and voters in another do not, an appeal may be made to the State Board of Education within 15 calendar days or the election. The State Board will then appoint a board of arbitration to settle the matter.



It takes many helping hands to get everything accomplished at our annual SBEF Dinner/Auction. The students, staff, & board of education appreciate the time, effort, & support from many to make Spring Bluff R–XV the great school that it is! The results for the 23rd Annual Dinner are in. A total of \$27,750 was raised through dessert, silent, and oral auctions, as well as raffles. The reverse auction raised an additional \$4,750 to support and enhance gymnasium updates!



The Book Fair will be held in the library from Tuesday, April 11th through Friday, April 14th. Students and parents are welcome to visit after school from 3:15–4:00 p.m. The Book Fair will also be open during the Academic Fair Thursday, April 13th from 6:00–7:30 p.m.



Come out and see the creativity of our Kindergarten through 8th grade students during the Academic Fair! This will be held on Thursday, April 13th at 6:00pm. More details to come!

MIDDLE SCHOOL PARENTS

Attention Middle School Parents!

On April 6, middle school students will be participating in a presentation from the A.R.C. Angels Foundation during their weekly Guidance lesson. Created to celebrate the life of Avery Reine Cantor, AAF exists to prevent youth suicide through education and creating awareness. This presentation will include a uniquely personal presentation outlining Avery's Story with emphasis on prevention & education. All types of groups can benefit from this personal and interactive approach. AAF presents to audiences of both middle & high school, touching on topics of suicide, mental health and how to talk to someone in crisis.

Due to the sensitive nature of the information offered in this presentation, we are providing an opportunity to "opt out" for any parent/guardian who does not want their child to participate. If you do NOT want your child to participate in this presentation, please complete the attached [form](#) and return it to your child's teacher. More information about this organization can be found at <https://arcangelsfoundation.org>.

If you have any questions, please call or email Mrs. Crystal Dugger, School Counselor, at 573–457–8302 or cdugger@springbluffpirates.com.



SUMMER SCHOOL REGISTRATION

Thursday, May 25 – Tuesday, June 20
Spring Bluff students that will be entering grades K–8 for the 2023–2024 school year may enroll in summer school. There will be a \$30 field trip fee per student.

[Enroll your student here](#)

Please be advised that each parent or guardian planning on attending a field trip will need to complete the Parent & Guardian Registration (found on our website.) Any questions, contact Pam Schlueter.

LOCAL EVENTS

Missouri S&T (Rolla) camps are all about discovering and exploring what it takes to have a future career in the business, science, communication, math, technology, and engineering fields. Campers have the opportunity to learn about explosives, tour a nuclear reactor, explore diverse engineering careers, create art, serve as environmentalists, travel to the edge of space, and prepare to become future STEM leaders. Registrations now open for [Summer Camps 2023!](#)



PIRATES Summer SCHOOL

Spring Bluff PIRATES

MAY 25-JUNE 20 REGISTER ONLINE

\$30

Fun Trips, Thrilling Presentations, Exciting Activities, and TONS of FUN!
18 Days of Fun & Excitement Await!

For More Information, contact us :
hbinsbacher@springbluffpirates.com

Class sizes are limited
Preference will be given to resident students

EASTER EGG HUNT

1:00 pm sharp

Beaufort Lion's Club
2041 Lutheran Church Rd
Beaufort, MO 63013

APRIL 1

Age Groups:
0-4
5-7
8-10

QUESTIONS: BEAUFORTMOLIONS@GMAIL.COM OR
LION KATIE @ 314-435-2814

MAP TESTING SPIRIT WEEK

MAP Spirit Week 2023		
Tuesday, April 11	Checker/Plaid Day	Be sure to <i>check</i> your answers!
Wednesday, April 12	Over the Rainbow Day	Show support for your classmates by wear your class colors**!
Thursday, April 13	Pajama Day	Get plenty of rest for the test!
Friday, April 14	Neon/Tie Dye & Sunglasses Day	Show us how bright you are on the test!
Monday, April 17	Pirate Pride Day	Do your best for your school. Wear Pirate gear!



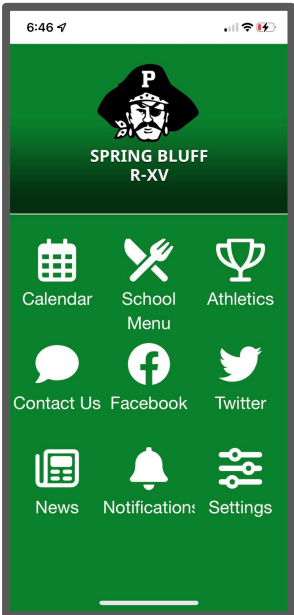
Class Colors	
K–2 & Special Area Teachers	Wear as many colors as you can to show your support for grades 3–8!
3rd Grade	Red
4th Grade	Orange
5th Grade	Yellow
6th Grade	Green
7th Grade	Blue
8th Grade	Purple

SPRING CONCERT

A special thanks to Mrs. A for another successful Spring Concert! Thank you for all you do to prepare our students to shine!



5th GRADE DARE GRADUATION



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

