

Family and Community Engagement Calendar
John Brown Elementary
2018 – 2019
10-8-18

Mission Statement:

To empower parent involvement by providing parents access to resources and tools to assist with their child's learning and to foster an attitude of "joyfulness" in families towards learning.

August

- Wed. Aug. 22nd, Thurs., Aug. 23rd & Friday Aug. 24th Registration - Save-the Date flyer for Back-to-School Night
- Thursday, August 30th - JBE Back to School Night - 5:00 to 7:00
 - Refreshments in the classroom
 - Title 1 table in the foyer

September

- Tuesday, Sept. 4th - Kindergarten - Meet Your Teacher Day!
- Wednesday, Sept. 5th - Kindergarten Coffee – free book for families who attend
- Friday, Sept. 7th - Volunteer Orientation -8:30 to 9:30 a.m.
- Tuesday, Sept. 11th – Volunteer Orientation – 2:00 to 3:00 p.m
- PTU Meeting/Title 1 Parent Advisory – 2nd Monday of the month – child care provided
- JBE Handbook made available to all students
- Fall IRI report to parents
- Wednesday, Sept. 26th-Extended Reading Program parent meeting
- All year long:
 - Grade level and class weekly newsletters
 - JBE school-wide newsletter and calendar?
 - "Reading Connection" newsletter monthly
 - First Grade Reader Rabbit program sponsored by Rathdrum Trading Post
 - Take-Home Reading Incentive program, "Bunny Baggy Books"
 - 4th Grade "Tuesday Letter", a weekly progress note for all students

October

- Thursday, Oct. 4th - JBE's "Grandparents Day" – ALL GRADES
- Wednesday, Oct.10th - JBE Family Night & Community Fair (sponsored by Title 1)
 - 5:00 – 7:00 p.m.
 - School-wide
 - Free pizza dinner
 - Variety of activities for families to do together
 - Area organizations such United Way, Univ. of Idaho, Headstart & Public Library participate in the Community Fair
- PTU Meeting/Title 1 Parent Advisory – 2nd Monday of the month – child care provided
- October through March – Pizza Hut Book-It Reading Incentive Program
- Thursday, Oct. 18th District Title 1 Parent Advisory meeting – Twin Lakes Elementary, 6:00 p.m.

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November

- Week of November 5th - Scholastic Book Fair - November 1st - 8th
- Parent Teacher Conferences
- 1st Quarter Report Cards given at parent/teacher conferences
- PTU Meeting/Title 1 Parent Advisory – 2nd Monday of the month – child care provided
- Veteran’s Day Reception & Assembly - 9th from 1:30 to 2:15 p.m.
- “Paws for Reading & Math” incentive during Thanksgiving Break

December

- K-2 Winter Concert
- “Paws for Reading & Math” incentive during Winter Break
- December 10th-14th - Penguin Patch

January

- January through March - Silverwood’s “Reading is the Ticket” Reading Incentive program
- PTU Meeting /Title 1 Parent Advisory – 2nd Monday of the month – child care provided

February

- 2nd Quarter Report Cards go home
- PTU Meeting/Title 1 Parent Advisory – 2nd Monday of the month – child care provided

March

- Families Read Together – Friday, March 1st
 - Family Reading Time last hour of school day
 - Free books for every student
- Thursday, March 7th - Student Led Conferences
- PTU Meeting/Title 1 Parent Advisory – 2nd Monday of the month – child care provided
- “Paws for Reading & Math” incentive during Spring Break

April

- 3rd Quarter Report Cards go home
- PTU Meeting/Title 1 Parent Advisory – 2nd Monday of the month – child care provided

May

- PTU Meeting/Title 1 Parent Advisory – 2nd Monday of the month – child care provided
 - Scholastic Book Fair?
- Kindergarten Pre-Registration
 - Free Book - partnership with public library - “Jumpstart”
 - Kindergarten Handbook and Readiness Guide
 - Kindergarten Coloring and Activities Guide
- District Title 1 Parent Advisory Board meeting
- Memorial Day Assembly

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- Spring IRI report to parents

June

- End of Year Awards Assembly
- 4th Quarter Report Cards go home
- ISAT report to parents included in the report card