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Eldorado PK-8

October 21, 2022



The Feather



Eagle

OUR PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE



Spirit Week!

October 24 through October 28

Please participate by dressing up each day! (Sponsored by E-360!!!)

Coordinate with your friends!

Have fun!!!

Mr. Mo will randomly award the **BEST costume each day** with a candy prize!

Halloween Parade

We are encouraging our students to wear their costumes to school on Monday, October 31st. **Our Halloween Parade will be at 3pm!**

Our elementary students will first head upstairs where they will be greeted by our ML students, then they will come downstairs and out the front doors. At that point, parents, you can line yourselves up from the front door around the school on the sidewalk toward the gym doors on the south side of Eldorado.

Students will follow the sidewalk to the gym doors, and then back into the school. We appreciate your flexibility and willingness to help make this parade a success! ML will not participate in the parade, they are just watching!

Elementary teachers will communicate with you

about their individual classroom parties and needs around Halloween.

Costume Expectations

- No gore
- No Fake **Blood**
- No Weapons
- No Masks
- Cannot be offensive to others
- School appropriate

INFORMATIONAL LINKS:

[Destination Imagination!](#)

[Pumpkin Tower STEM Challenge-DI](#)

[Halloween STEM Challenge- Candy Corn!](#)

LIBRARY UPDATES

Eagle TV - Our student-produced weekly news show is back! Episodes will be posted to the [Eldorado Library website](#) each Monday at 8am -- the first episode airs October 24th. I can't wait to see how the episodes evolve and the students' skills continue to develop over time.

Upcoming Author Visits - We have a couple of great opportunities coming up for students to visit with local authors! [Click here to see](#)

November 10 - Dr. Jeff Bennett:

Local author and astronomer Dr. Jeff Bennett will be visiting with all of our Elementary students!

Perhaps best known for his "[Max Goes to the...](#)" series, his books have helped promote literacy and STEM education worldwide, and have even been read [from space!](#) He also has a new eclipse-themed book called Totality! which he will be discussing with our students. If you would like to order a personally inscribed and autographed copy of one of Dr. Bennett's books, please submit this form.

December 2 - Tricia Copeland:

We are lucky to have another fantastic local author visit with our Middle Level students in November! [Tricia Copeland](#) and illustrator Matt Maes will be offering a lunchtime session to discuss their recent book "[Azreya, Aztec Princess](#)". This optional session will focus on the writing/illustrating process and will offer ample opportunities for students to ask questions.

Signups coming soon - space will be limited!

BVSD BOND INFORMATION

[Website link](#)

[Youtube link](#)

ELDORADO SPELLING BEE 22-23 INFORMATION & INTEREST SIGN-UP

The Bee's purpose is to help students improve their spelling, increase their vocabulary, learn concepts and develop correct English usage that will help them all their lives 3rd through 8th graders compete at preliminary School Bees, sending their champions to the Boulder Valley Regional Event sponsored by BVSD. The winner of the Regional Event advances on to the 2023 Scripps National Spelling Bee in May, 2022.

Please [click here for more information on the Eldorado Webpage](#)

HEALTH ROOM UPDATES

A Friendly Reminder About Medications from the Health Room

Dear Parents,

Please do not send any medications with your children to take during the school day.

On Wednesday, one of our students accidentally dropped and left a loose pill on the library floor. Fortunately, a teacher found the pill and turned it in to the health room.

The pill was an over-the-counter antihistamine. Our concern is for the health and safety of all students, and especially our younger students who may find a loose pill, think it is candy, eat it, and get medication poisoning.

PTO UPDATES

- **Next PTO Meeting**

Wednesday November 2nd, 6:30-8pm in the Eldorado Library - Please come and share your ideas on how we can help our school and our community!

- PTO is super excited to help, we are purchasing Balls for each classroom! 2 red balls, 2 basketballs and 1 football

- Keep up to date with current events! Make sure you are a member of our Facebook Page and PTO website

Please register at our PTO website <https://eldoradopk8pto.membershiptoolkit.com>

and

PTO Facebook Page <https://www.facebook.com/groups/eldoradok8pto>

- **Stock the Fridge for your Teachers and Staff...October sign ups! You can still drop off items, we still have 1 more week left in the month of October!**

4th grade

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/805084AAAA72DA0FA7-stock3>

Rada and Moberg Soar Classes

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/805084AAAA72DA0FA7-stock2>

Next month will be 3rd grade and Ganse and Hagan **Soar classes!**

Yearbook

- **The final date for “Yearbook Cover” submissions is only 10 days away!**

We have sold just over half of our contracted books, but we would love to sell them all by December.

Thank you to those who have purchased the yearbook already. This helps us know how many pages we can include, and the more books we sell, the more photos of your children we can include!

- **Purchase your books (and ‘additional options’) through [YBPay](#)- School Code- 14822723**

Spirit Wear

Check out our Online Store! <https://eldoradopk8pto.membershiptoolkit.com/eaglespiritstore2>

New Purple T-shirts have arrived! All online orders will be delivered to the students. Please note we will no longer be selling items in person the first wednesday of every month. (In person sales will be held only at school events).

Make sure your student is ready for **FRIDAY SPIRIT** days!!

Volunteers

Still in need of Crossing Guards!!! Wednesday and Friday mornings and Tuesday and Thursday afternoons....please contact Lia Hoover eldoradotopresident@gmail.com

Eldorado Sponsorship Drive

We have officially kicked off the **Eldorado Sponsorship Drive - DARE TO SOAR!** Do you own or know a business that would want to partner with us to raise money for the school? A business that would like to be advertised on our Facebook page, PTO website, or the Feather? We have sponSOARship levels from \$250 to \$1000! Your sponSOARship dollars help pay for additional educators, classroom supplies, playground equipment, teacher appreciation week and more! please contact eldosponsorship@gmail.com

Fundraising, Don't forget 3 easy ways you can help out your school!

- **Amazon Smile**

A simple way for you to support your school, every time you shop, and it's no cost to you! Just sign up and link to your Amazon account. Please note that we are under "**Soaring Eagles Alliance**"

- **Box Tops**

Download the App and start earning for your school!

- **Milk Caps for Moolaa**

This is a program sponsored by Longmont Dairy that helps students earn money for their school. All you have to do is save your caps and drop them off at school in the Longmont Dairy box, set up in the school lobby. If you don;t receive delivery from Longmont Dairy, you are welcome to learn more about this family-owned and operated business.

Kindergarten Class Notes

Halloween Parade & Party! [Kindergarten Class Notes](#)

1st Grade Class Notes

Math iReady! 1st Grade Class Notes

2nd Grade Class Notes

Eco-cycle Fieldtrip! [2nd Grade Class Notes](#)

3rd Grade Class Notes

Book recommendations! [3rd Grade Class Notes](#)

4th Grade Class Notes

Multiplication & Division! [4th Grade Class Notes](#)

5th Grade Class Notes

Book Publishing Party! [5th Grade Class Notes](#)

Elementary Counselor Corner

Updates from Ms. Gonzales [here](#)

ELD Notes

'To turn into a pumpkin!' [Walker Friday Letter](#)

Middle Level

Dear Families and Guardians,

7th grade science is beginning a mini microbiology unit where students will be learning about bacteria, viruses, and fungi. The unit will include a lab looking at bacteria under a microscope and a research project to learn about different types of pathogens. The unit will conclude with a lesson on how vaccines provide instructions for our immune system to recognize different pathogens. This lesson will be presented on October 27th and 28th. Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Ms. Caroline Gaker, M.S.Ed (She/Her/Hers)

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