

# Billy Mitchell Elementary

OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER



## STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES Room 26

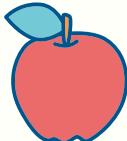
- Crisis intervention
- Counseling services (individual and/or group)
- Parenting education & support groups
- Case management for students & families requiring multiple resources.
- Programs & activities to increase school attendance
- ...& more!

### In this Newsletter:

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"The greatest discovery of my generation is that human beings can alter their lives by altering their attitudes of mind."

—William James

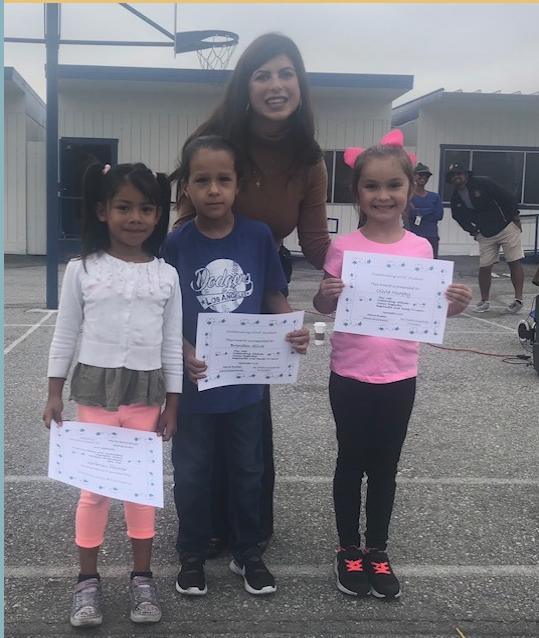




# S.O.A.R. Assembly Recap!



**The S.O.A.R.  
Assembly was  
held on  
September 26th,  
2018 recognizing  
students K-5th  
grade who have  
demonstrated  
S.O.A.R. behavior!**



**Bottom right:  
Students &  
staff  
participate in  
instant recess!**



**Interim Principal, Nadia Guajardo proudly  
distributed certificates to students identified as  
outstanding S.O.A.R. students!**





# Attendance Winners



Classrooms with trophies are those who have received more than 98% attendance rates!

Keep up the great work Aviators!



Top right: BME's dedicated Autism Team: Erica Tang, Erin Lennon, Belle Paulino, Kent Yasmura and their students give a huge smile to the camera!

Middle: Mrs. Madera's class strikes a pose with Mrs. Guajardo



Bottom right: Mrs. Young's class flashes their trophy!





# What's to Come at BME!



October 8th 2018

**BME's Social Work Interns, Victoria Martinez & Casandra Phillips will facilitate Boo-To-Bullying, an 8 session bullying prevention group.**

**Stay Tuned!**

**BILLY MITCHELL  
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**  
STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES



NEW STUDENT GROUP:  
**BOO-TO-BULLYING**

WHEN: MONDAYS/WEDNESDAYS  
STARTING OCT 8TH  
LUNCH 4/5TH GRADE

WHERE: THE CAFETERIA STAGE

\*\*STUDENTS WILL GET A FRONT-OF-THE-LINE PASS FOR LUNCH\*\*

TO REFER A STUDENT, EMAIL:  
MS. CASANDRA - CIPHILLI@USC.EDU  
MS. VICTORIA - VICTORAM@USC.EDU





# What's to Come at BME!



October 24th 2018

**Community Liaison, Paola Galvez and BME's Social Work Intern, Victoria Martinez will facilitate a Bullying Prevention Parent Workshop, sharing conflict resolution tips to BME families! Stop by & say hello :**



**BULLY  
PREVENTION  
PARENT  
WORKSHOP**

October is National Bully Awareness Month.  
Join us and learn about Bullying and  
Peer conflict resolution.

**BILLY MITCHELL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**  
Lawndale Elementary School District  
**OCTOBER 24, 2018**  
**8:45 AM**  
**ROOM 26**

**FAMILY  
UNIVERSITY**

**Billy Mitchell  
Elementary School**





# What's to Come at BME!



**BME Social Work Intern, Kaitlyn Peck & BME School Psychologist, Nick Tellier are teaming up for the Peace Maker's Club where student's will have the opportunity to become Empathy Ambassador's, working alongside the School Psychologist to run activities and lead community circle discussions on empathy building and making BME an inclusive campus!**

DO YOU WANT TO JOIN BILLY MITCHELL'S

# PEACEMAKER CLUB?

AS A PEACEMAKER YOU CAN BECOME AN  
EMPATHY AMBASSADOR!

**WHAT IS A PEACEMAKER?**  
A peer mediator is someone who works with another student to come up with helpful solutions.

**WHO CAN BE A PEACEMAKER?**  
3rd, 4th, and 5th grade students can apply to be part of the Peacemaker Club.

**HOW DO I APPLY TO BE A PEACEMAKER?**  
To apply to be in the Peacemaker Club, fill out the attached application and consent form and return both papers to the front office or Room 26 by October 17, 2018.





# What's to Come at BME!



October 29th 2018

**Second Step is coming to the classroom. BME Social Work Interns will facilitate a 25 minute lesson every week on socio-emotional learning!**

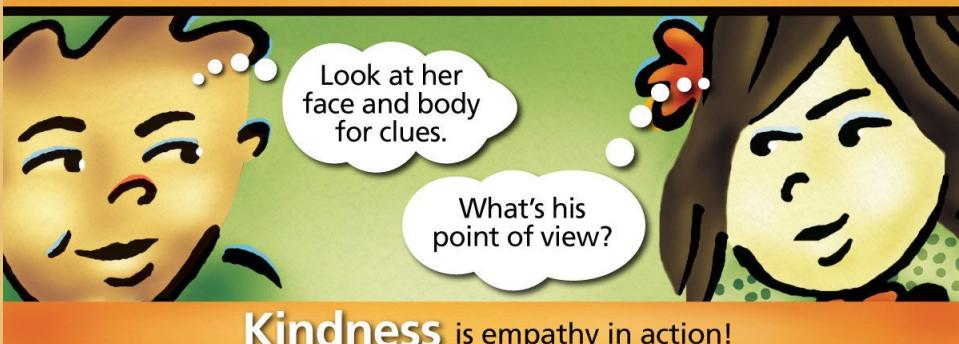


**HOW CAN I FOCUS  
WHEN EMOTIONS TAKE OVER?**  
BREATHE AND COUNT TO THREE.

secondSTEP

## Empathy

is feeling or understanding what someone else is feeling.



# SOCIAL WORK INTERN SCHEDULE

MON

Ms. Jeny  
8am-4:30pm



Ms. Alexandra  
8am-4:30pm



Ms. Kaitlyn  
7:45am-4:15pm



Ms. Casandra  
7:45am-4:15pm



Ms. Victoria  
7:45am-4:15pm



TUE

Ms. Elizabeth  
8am-4:30pm



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