



# THE RUSTY REPORT

Rustic Oak  
Elementary

## SADDLING UP FOR A GREAT YEAR!

Week of September 3rd

### SCHOOL HOURS

Grades PK-4.....7:55 AM – 3:15 PM  
Front Doors Open.....7:15 AM  
Breakfast Served.....7:15 am – 7:50 AM  
Students Enter Class.....7:45 AM  
Class Begins.....7:55 AM

**\*Students must be inside the building by 7:55 AM. Students entering the building after this time will be tardy. If a student is tardy, parents are required to park and come into the lobby to sign them in. School dismisses at 3:15pm and instructional time is until then. Please try to schedule any and all medical appointments after 3:15pm or as close to dismissal as possible. Teachers work hard daily on their lesson plans to make your student is successful and attendance is a huge factor in success!**

HAPPY  
GRANDPARENTS  
DAY

We love our grandparents and can't wait to celebrate them in October with our Grandparent's Lunch!

### Save the Date

- 9/2 Holiday- No school
- 9/3 Lunch visitors begin
- 9/16-20 Start With Hello Week
- 9/20 Staff Development- No school
- 9/24 PTA Meeting 6:00PM
- 9/25 Progress reports
- 9/26 Picture Day

### Important Links

- [Absence Notes](#)
- [Lunch Menu](#)
- [School Cafe](#)
- [Rustic Oak Student Handbook](#)
- [Pearland ISD Calendar](#)

Reminder

Students can be considered absent if they miss all or part of the school day, including late arrival and early pick-up. This includes all tardies. When a student is absent from school, a note must be provided via the Absence Portal or in writing for it to be considered excused. Students are allowed 5 days each semester to be excused with a parent note.

# PTA News

Sept. 9 @ 9:30- Volunteer orientation

Sept. 12 @ 5:30- Pizza and Watch Dogs  
training/sign up

Sept. 24 @ 6:00 PTA Meeting w/ special guest  
Superintendent Dr. Berger

Sept. 24 @ 6:45 Volunteer orientation  
Help support our students and staff by joining  
our Rustic Oak PTA.

[www.joinPTA.org](http://www.joinPTA.org)

**JOIN NOW**

## BOOSTERTHON

# Splash & Dash Fun Run!

Sept. 9: Kickoff

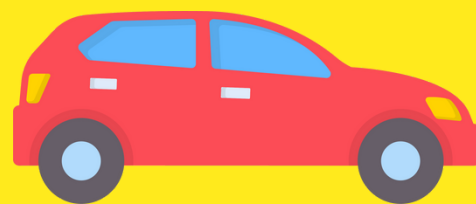
Sept. 17: Splash and  
Dash Run

**Click here**

for the Mental Health Matters  
Fall 2024 Newsletter

*Reminder*

IF DROPPING OFF A LUNCH,  
PLEASE DO SO BEFORE 10:30 A.M.



Please make any  
transportation  
changes by 2:00 P.M.

IF DURING THE SCHOOL DAY,  
PLEASE CALL THE FRONT OFFICE.

# Character Strong

CharacterStrong is the character curriculum program Pearland ISD has adopted to support students socially, emotionally, and academically. During the morning announcements, morning meetings, and counselor guidance lessons, there will be one character trait focus for the month. Each week on our Rusty Report there will be more information about the character trait we are focusing on. Click [here](#) for more information.

## CHARACTER TRAIT FOR SEPTEMBER:

**RESPECT** 

One way to think about Respect is "seeing value in all people and things and treating them with care". Respect falls under the "Be Kind" outcome. Students will be developing skills like perspective-taking, conflict resolution, and leadership.

**BUFFALO**  
**OF THE MONTH**

This is something NEW Rustic Oak is starting. One student from each class who has exemplified the character trait of the month will be honored with a yard sign and celebration! Parents/guardians will be contacted if your child is selected.



# RUSTIC OAK

## LUNCH PROCEDURES

Bring a valid  
ID.

All visitors eat  
in Room 404.

Only eat with  
your child.

After lunch, send your child  
back to their lunch table  
where their teacher will pick  
them up. Check out with the  
front office.

*Always enter and exit through the front doors.*



# Car Rider Reminders

## DROP OFF/PICK UP

When dropping off or picking up our buffalos, please remain in the car.

Buffalos will need to enter/exit from the right side of the car on their own. Please pull all the way up. The bus circle may be used as a drop off in the mornings if buses have cleared. *If your child needs help getting out of the car or to buckle/unbuckle, please park.* **\*To enter the stacking lane for afternoon car rider pick up, you must enter from the RIGHT- you cannot turn left into the car rider line from 2351.**

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
3	4	5	6	7
	<p><b>Whole Grain Glazed Donut</b> ***</p> <p>Chicken Smackers Entrée Salad Mini Pancakes &amp; Turkey Sausage Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks with Marinara Dunk Cup Oven Roasted Potato Wedges Baby Carrots Fresh Apple Slices</p>	<p><b>Beef Chorizo &amp; Cheese Taco Stick</b> ***</p> <p>Orange Chicken over Rice Beef Rib Sandwich Uncrustable PB&amp;J with Cheese Stick</p> <p>Broccoli Jicama Sticks with Tajin Fresh Cantaloupe Chunks</p>	<p><b>Mini Cinnamon French Toast</b> ***</p> <p>Pepperoni (Turkey+Beef) Pizza Cheese Pizza Breaded Chicken Filet Sandwich Ham (Chicken) &amp; Cheese Croissant Roasted Sweet Potatoes Cucumber Slices Applesauce</p>	<p><b>Turkey Sausage &amp; Pancake Stick</b> ***</p> <p>Hummus &amp; Pita Chips Chicken Smackers &amp; Breadstick Fish Filet &amp; Cheese Sandwich</p> <p>Potato Smiles Baby Carrots Diced Pears</p>
9	10	11	12	13
<p>Egg &amp; Cheese Biscuit Yogurt &amp; Trix Cereal Bar ***</p> <p>Hummus &amp; Pita Chips Pack 100% Beef Hot Dog on Bun Breaded Chicken Drumstick with a Breadstick Seasoned Sweet Corn Hydroponic Lettuce Salad Frozen Fruit Cup</p>	<p><b>Donut Holes Cluster</b> ***</p> <p>Chicken Smackers Entrée Salad 100% Beef Hamburger Cheeseburger Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks with Marinara Dunk Cup Oven Roasted Potato Wedges Baby Carrots Fresh Apple Slices</p>	<p><b>Egg &amp; Cheese Breakfast Taco</b> ***</p> <p>Orange Chicken over Rice Grilled Cheese Sandwich Uncrustable PB&amp;J with Cheese Stick</p> <p>Teriyaki Green Beans Cucumbers &amp; Tajin Fresh TX Watermelon</p>	<p><b>French Toast Sticks</b> ***</p> <p>Pepperoni (Turkey+Beef) Pizza Cheese Pizza Pulled Pork BBQ Sandwich Ham(chicken) &amp; Cheese Croissant BBQ Baked Beans Cole Slaw Applesauce</p>	<p><b>Turkey Sausage Breakfast Pizza</b> ***</p> <p>Hummus &amp; Pita Chips Pack Mac &amp; Cheese &amp; Wheat Roll Steak Fingers &amp; Wheat Roll</p> <p>Mashed Potatoes &amp; Gravy Baby Carrots Diced Peaches</p>
16	17	18	19	20
<p>Turkey Sausage Biscuit Yogurt &amp; Cocoa Puffs Bar ***</p> <p>Hummus &amp; Pita Chips Turkey Chili Nachos Cheese Nachos Corndog (chicken) Ranchero Beans (vegetarian) Pico de Gallo Lettuce Salad Frozen Fruit Cup</p>	<p><b>Whole Grain Glazed Donut</b> ***</p> <p>Chicken Smackers Entrée Salad Mini Pancakes &amp; Turkey Sausage Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks with Marinara Dunk Cup Oven Roasted Potato Wedges Baby Carrots Fresh Apple Slices</p>	<p><b>Beef Chorizo &amp; Cheese Taco Stick</b> ***</p> <p>Chicken Tikka Masala &amp; Rice Beef Rib Sandwich Uncrustable PB&amp;J with Cheese Stick</p> <p>Broccoli Jicama Sticks with Tajin Fresh Cantaloupe Chunks</p>	<p><b>Mini Cinnamon French Toast</b> ***</p> <p>Pepperoni (Turkey+Beef) Pizza Cheese Pizza Breaded Chicken Filet Sandwich Ham (Chicken) &amp; Cheese Croissant Roasted Sweet Potatoes Cucumber Slices Applesauce</p>	<p><b>NO SCHOOL</b> for students</p> <p>Staff Training Day</p>
23	24	25	26	27
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30	31	1	2	3
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Menus are subject to change due to supply issues or product changes.

To restrict your student's account, visit [www.schoolcafe.com](http://www.schoolcafe.com). For questions, please contact the Food Service Department at 281-412-1244.

# START WITH Hello WEEK

Buffaloes will participate in week-long activities to promote kindness at Rustic Oak. Students will learn to see someone who might be isolated then reach out and connect with that person by saying "Hello!" and starting a conversation.

Monday, September 16th

Wear green to kick off Start with Hello Week!

Tuesday, September 17th

Aloha is a way to say hello! Wear a Hawaiian shirt or lei and say aloha to a friend!

Wednesday, September 18th

Mix it up! Wear mismatched clothes and invite a buffalo you don't know to play with you at recess.

Thursday, September 19th

Dream of friendship! Wear your pajamas to school while you dream of all the ways you can be more kind to others.

SEE  
SOMEONE  
ALONE

REACH OUT  
+ HELP

START with  
Hello