

The Bulldog Blast

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Message from the Principal...

Families, we invite you to destress with your family before the holidays! Join us at Meade Middle on December 5th from 6-8pm for our first Family Literacy and Wellness night. We will have numerous Literacy and Wellness activities set up for the whole family to enjoy! Visit the Family Book Swap (see the side note) to take home some "new to you" books just in time for the winter break. Relieve tension as you learn a few beginner yoga poses or participate in a friendly family basketball game. Enjoy a nice cup of hot cocoa while you check out the information stations featuring home literacy, Avid, tips from Meade's Counseling department, the County's Mobil Crisis Response Team, and more. We hope to see all of you on December 5th!

This past week was National Education Week. Thank you to all the parents and guardians who came and had lunch with their student! It was wonderful seeing families eat together in our cafeteria. We also thank those of you who came and supported our Spelling Bee. Our students did an amazing job. A huge congratulations to Malachi for winning! Malachi will go on to represent Meade Middle and compete in the countywide spelling bee.

Report Cards went home with all students this past Friday, November 22nd. Please review your students report card with them. Congratulate your student for their success! Our students have been working hard! If needed, create a plan for success and encourage your student to stay after Tuesday and/or Thursday for Help Day.

Because of the delay in report card printing, our honor roll assembly will occur after the Thanksgiving Holiday. Please join us on December 5th to celebrate our Honor Roll and Principal Honor Roll Recipients. We will honor each grade at the following times:

8th grade- 8:25-8:55
7th grade- 9:05-9:35
6th grade- 11:45-12:15

We hope you can attend the assembly(ies) and cheer on our students. I hope all of you have a wonderful Holiday. Please enjoy each other not only during this time, but always.

As always, #WeAreBetterTogether,

Karla Steinbach, Principal



November Dates

26-Turkey Trot

27-29-Thanksgiving Holiday —
All Schools & Central Offices Closed

Upcoming December Dates

5-Two Hour Early Dismissal

5-Unity Day

5- Honor Roll Assemblies

5-Family and Literacy Wellness Night

More dates to come next week...

Book Swap: Parents- this is a great opportunity to clean out some of your closets before the holidays and help make our first Family Book Swap a success! Students will receive a book swap coupon for every gently used book they give to their Language Arts teacher between now and December 3rd. If a student donates one book, he/she will receive one coupon. If a student donates 10 books, he/she will receive 10 coupons. Students and their family can use their coupons at the Family Literacy and Wellness Night on December 5th at Meade Middle. Since this is a Family Book Swap, we are accepting donations of young adult novels, children's books, and books that would interest parents/guardians.

