

Bishop Primary School/

October 13, 2009

Dear Parents,

The first six weeks has come and gone. I am very pleased with how the school year is moving along. The students at Bishop Primary are adjusting well and are learning all they can. The staff and Bishop Primary are all working together and doing an awesome job. Thank you to all my parents who have been nothing but supportive and helpful. We hope to see more of you throughout the school year. Remember the importance of your child being at school daily and when needing to be out please turn in all excuses to your child's teacher. We have had our share of sick children but know all of our staff at Bishop Primary are doing their part to keep areas clean and sanitized to help prevent the spread of any illnesses. If your child is sick the Health Dept. is recommending not sending your child to school in order to prevent the spread of any illnesses. Bishop Primary policy also states that any child who has had a temperature of 99.5 needs to be fever free for 24 hours in order to return to school. If you have any questions or concerns please contact Bishop Primary at (361) 584-2434. Again thank you for having your child be apart of Bishop CISD and lets make it a GREAT YEAR!!!!

Respectfully,

Debbie Gonzalez

Bishop Primary Principal

A big **Thank You** to all the parents that have been helping

on Fun Fridays!! We really appreciate it!

Don't forget: DONUTS FOR DADS October 23, 2009

Community News

In May, 2010 and September, 2010 the City of Bishop and Bishop Schools, respectively, will be celebrating their 100 year birthdays. A Centennial Committee is planning centennial celebration events for the City of Bishop on May 14-16, 2010.

There are committees, activities and other relevant items posted, or soon will be posted, at the Bishop Centennial website for your information. The website is: <http://bishoptx100.org>

Perfect Attendance



<u>S Hernandez</u>	Brandon Gonzalez, Caitlyn Pena
<u>Prukop</u>	Joy Flores, Amethyst Hicks, Alyssa McDaniel, Ava Meza-Briones, Marlene Sanchez, Isaiah Santana
<u>Gant</u>	Mateo Cervantes, Brandon Zamora, Madelyn Rendon, Emily Tamez, Luisa O'Sullivan, Isaiah Bazan, Soledad Hernandez, Jeremiah Carmona
<u>Johnsey</u>	Jesika Garcia, Kaitlynn Lawrence, Aaron Molina, Jesus Palomo, RJ Reyes, Madalyn Ruiz, Mia Garza
<u>Gonzalez</u>	Adriel Carmona, Edgar Huerta, Alyssa Moreno, Ashton Pearson, Rebbekkah Vela, Kadence Gaither
<u>Ruiz</u>	Jasmine Eulenfeld, Emily Garcia, Bryan Gonzalez, Isaish Gonzalez, Hannah Griffith, Liana Hinojosa, Jose Huerta, Diego Reyna, Marinna Rivera
<u>Garza</u>	Aniesa Contreras, Deray Davis, Sai Garcia, Matthew Perez, Amber Pittman, Delmiro Reyna, Daniella Torres
<u>Vaughn</u>	Sebastian Avalos, Madison Emig, Devyn Garcia, Ryan Reynolds, Miranda Schmalzried, Kelly Seiders,
<u>M Hernandez</u>	Seth Bazan, Jaela Flores, Mikaela Garcia, Christian Moreno, Ashley Paschal, Jacob Sandoval, Jasmine Zamora, Nathan Zapata
<u>Richey</u>	Jace Frederickson, Adam Gonzalez, Jakobie Harris, Emma Lee, Isaiah Nunez, Andrew Pena, Madison Reyes, Jasmine Carmona, Brianna Schmalzried, Rien Solis, Anissa Zuniga
<u>V Hinojosa</u>	Abraham Gonzalez, Seymour Hyden, Noah Lerma, Darren Ruiz, Matthew Sanchez
<u>Villarreal</u>	Mireya Balboa, Noah Cervantes, William Garcia, Alex Martinez, Damian Reyes
<u>Berry</u>	Freddy Arredondo, Morgan Bobbitt, Michael Elizondo, Faith Escobar, Aleczandra Garza
<u>C Hinojosa</u>	Jannelle Galvan, Frankie Cruz, Nathaniel Juarez, Roman Gutierrez, Seth Moctezuma, Mallory Reynolds, Raena Segovia
<u>Smith</u>	Elizabeth Freeman, John Gonzalez, Angel Mechell, Hector Meza-Briones, Val Najera, Ashley Rivera, Alexis Ruiz, Madeline Salinas, Sidneigh Shira, Roen Solis, Leila Villalobos
<u>Vasquez</u>	David Garcia, Victoria Gonzales, Javier Rojas
<u>Salinas</u>	Krystal Cobos, Gracie Rojas, Tanner Smith

KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK!



School News

Pre-Kindergarten

Pre-K has started the 2009-2010 school year learning, learning, learning! We have been learning about our school and the school workers. We have learned the colors, 2 dimensional shapes and 3 dimensional shapes. We have begun learning our alphabet letters...learning to recognize the written letters Aa-Ee and the sounds those letters make. We would like to thank all of the parents who came to our Parent training, Muffins for Moms, and our Parent-Teacher Conferences. It really helps to have your support here at Bishop Primary.

Kindergarten

Wow! These first six weeks have flown by. We have started the school year off "busy as bees"! We have been reviewing colors, shapes, and letters. Please read with your child every night. We are checking out orange dot color books to read. Parents, did you know that you can check out books at the library for your child? Just stop by and visit with Mrs. Pineda. We have completed several graphs in Math and we are talking about our families and ourselves in Social Studies. We are practicing good behavior, responsibility, and respect towards ourselves and our classmates. We are writing sentences in our daily journals and already reading CVC (consonant-vowel-consonant) pattern words. Folders go home every day, please be sure to check for any important information from us and the office staff. We have begun the BOOK IT! Reading program. You may read any book from school or home for this program. As soon as your child has met the goal, have them bring the form in for a free Personal Pan Pizza coupon.

We would like to thank all the parents that attended the parent training meeting. With your help at home, we can have a successful year and reach our goals for every student. We are currently conducting parent conferences; if you haven't scheduled one please contact your child's teacher.

Please feel free to contact us by e-mail at, sruiz@bishopcisd.esc2.net, bgant@bishopcisd.esc2.net, sgonzalez@bishopcisd.esc2.net, mjohnsey@bishopcisd.esc2.net, should you have any questions or concerns. Our conference period is from 8:00am-8:45am, Monday –Friday.

First Grade

First grade is off to a wonderful start. We are all excited and ready to soar on this 2009-2010 school year. We would like to thank all of our parents that attended the first grade Parent Meeting on September 25, 2009.

In Reading, we are reviewing letters and sounds, vowels, and word families. Students are excited about the new words they have learned. Most of them have begun to AR test. Please continue working with your child daily on the Dolch sight word lists that were sent home. In Language Arts and Spelling, the students have been doing a great job learning to spell their spelling words and they have learned to write a complete sentence using the correct punctuation.

Math has been fun and very busy! Your first grader has learned how to create and extend a pattern, reviewed writing numbers 1-20, writing numbers to words, order numbers, and comparing numbers. We recently moved onto addition. Please make sure your child completes their math homework every evening.

In Science, the students have been busy learning about animals and how they live and grow. We spent time learning about our five senses and the fall season. In Social Studies, they learned about families and how families live. The students enjoyed learning about the adventures of Johnny Appleseed.

Second Grade

Second grade has started off running. We have been learning many new things. In reading, we read poems about autumn and made a project to express our poems. Second grade came up with some very unique and creative projects. In math, our challenge has been place value, but we get it. In language arts, we have been learning punctuations and how to write a good sentence. For science this next six weeks, we are going to learn some cool facts and SPIDERS! Ooooooh, I can't wait.

Third Grade

The 3rd graders have really been busy since the start of school. We've been working very hard reading new stories, memorizing poems, and learning new math strategies.

Parents, please remember to look for the Weekly Folder. This is sent home every Friday. Please review the papers, then sign and return the folder by Monday.

The 3rd grade teachers would like to thank all the parents that attended the 3rd grade Parent Meeting on Wednesday, September 2, 2009. Thank you for your wonderful support.

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Our first six weeks was a blast. We all got a chance to get to know one another, meet new friends, and say Hi to our old friends. We began reviewing our months of the year, days of the week, colors, shapes and numbers. Our students are very eager to learn and are happy to be here. We wish everyone an awesome year.

District News

There will be a school board meeting on Monday, October 19, at 6:30pm in the Badger Den. "Develop 2009-2010 District Goals"

Congratulations to the student members of Bishop FFA. They placed in Greenhand and Chapter Farmer at the Coastal Bend Wintergarden Invitational Land/Plant ID/Range Career Development Event. All teams advanced to the area competition..

The Chapter Farmer Land 1st place team has qualified for state at Tartleton State University in Stephenville, Texas.

Also, congratulations to the choir. Twelve students advanced to the second round of auditions at the District Choir Auditions held at Calallen High School.

The Badger Band competed in the Bay Area Showcase and placed third. Their next competition will be the Region 14 Marching Contest.

Parents this is a reminder. Please do not send your children to school if they are not feeling well. If your child is complaining about not feeling well and has a fever, it would be a good idea to have your child seen by their pediatrician or doctor at the onset of symptoms. If your child has had fever please do not send them to school until they are fever free for 24 hours without medication as per BCISD school policy. Please continue to talk to your child about hand washing and how important it is in staying healthy. Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated. In the table provided you will find tips on the differences between the Cold, Flu and the H1N1 Flu. If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to call the school any time at 584-2434.

Thank you, N. Ramirez, LVN Bishop CISD School Nurse

First Six Weeks Honor Roll



First Grade All "A": All "A/B":

Wally Canales	Daniella Alvarez
Sydney Coffman	Dominic Espinoza
Aniesa Contreras	Bridget Perez
Deray Davis	Delmiro Reyna
Sai Garcia	Kassandra Torres
Brooklyn Gonzalez	Brandi Ortega
Haylie Jimenez	Sebastian Avalos
Matthew Perez	Mason Baker
Amber Pittman	Devyn Garcia
Trey Salinas	Hunter Howe
Daniella Torres	Lauren Hughes
	Elisa Meza-Briones
Jade Arevalo	Cecilia Ruiz
Christian Barrera	Miranda Schmalzried
Madison Emig	Jaela Flores
MacKenzie Fick	Amber Garcia
Breanna Hammond	Maranda Lopez
Emma Maldonado	Christian Moreno
Ryan Reynolds	Caleb Shaw
Alyssa Saldivar	Emily Taylor
	Jasmine Zamora
Franchesca DeLaRosa	Joshua Balboa
Matilda Garcia	LeeAnn Black
Mikaela Garcia	Jasmine Carmona
Elexis Morado	Gabriella Chavez
Ashley Paschal	Joslynn Cowger
Franchesca Retault	Jace Frederickson
Jacob Sandoval	Bryan Gutierrez
Nathan Zapata	Jakobie Harris
Adam Gonzalez	Brooke Perez
Emma Lee	Brianna Schmalzried
Isaiah Nunez	Madison Reyes
Andrew Pena	
Rien Solis	
Sierra Villesca	
Anissa Zuniga	

Second Grade All "A":

Caitlyn Berry
 Leann Hinojosa
 Noe Pena
 Darren Ruiz
 Ana Taylor
 Victoria Pimentel
 Michael Barreto
 Morgan Bobbitt
 Aleczandra Garza
 Arianna Neri
 Hailey Steen
 Haiden Wilson
 Jonah Barrera
 Roman Gutierrez
 Seth Moctezuma
 Amy Montoya
 Mallory Reynolds
 Raena Segovia

All "A/B":

Jared Alvarado
 David Colecio
 Estevan Flores
 Kaitlyn Munoz
 Evelyn Posada
 Matthew Sanchez
 Xavier Trevino
 Mireya Balboa
 Noah Cervantes
 Damian Reyes
 Dominick Wabaunsee
 Michael Elizondo
 Faith Escobar
 Easton Martinez
 Joshua Pawlik
 Jason Sendejo
 Trent Svadlenak
 Frankie Cruz
 Jannelle Galvan
 Nathaniel Juarez
 Kaleb Speckman

Third Grade All "A":

Breann Alvarez
 Jared Arevalo
 Elizabeth Freeman
 Nicolas Hernandez
 Victoria Hinojosa
 Ashley Rivera
 Alexis Ruiz
 Madeline Salinas
 Sidneigh Shira
 Roen Solis
 Leila Villalobos
 Diego Alvarez
 Isaiah Coffman
 Sunni Hewitt
 Mia Johnson
 Makayla Johnson
 Megan Loving
 Colton Winters
 Krystal Cobos
 Dylan Garcia
 Mikaela Grimes
 Haley Kress
 Juan Carlos Mendoza
 David O'Sullivan
 Madelyn Peel

All "A/B":

Megan Patton
 Kennedy Brown
 David Garcia
 Hunter Lawrence
 Bryanna Longoria
 Andrea Nunez
 AB Perez
 Deandra Riojas
 Alec Cavazos
 Samantha Crisman
 Noel Lopez
 Gabriela Reyna
 Allieca Sanchez
 Tanner Smith
 Jade Contreras
 Marcelina Linares
 Alyssa Maldonado



Halloween Parade
 October 30, 2009



9:00am