

# The Alaskan Pipeline

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## **COMMITMENT (COPPER) IS THE JANUARY CHARACTER TRAIT**

Commitment is...making a plan and putting it into practice.



## **DATES TO REMEMBER**

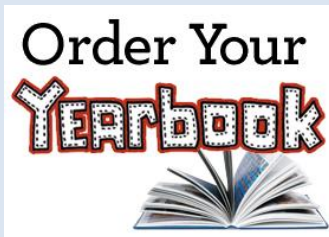
[Click here](#) to visit our campus website! You can find a complete schedule of events by clicking on the Campus tab then choosing Calendar.

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| <b>Tue, Jan 30</b> | - | <b>3:45pm – Read, Deed, Run</b>  |
| <b>Wed, Jan 31</b> | - | <b>Eureka! – 1<sup>st</sup> Grade</b>  |
| <b>Thu, Feb 1</b>  | - | <b>Husky Hustle Begins – Student Event Only</b>  |
| <b>Fri, Feb 2</b>  | - | <b>National Wear Red Day (heart month)</b><br><b>1:00-1:30pm – KG Dogs and Dads</b>                |
| <b>Mon, Feb 5</b>  | - | <b>3:45pm – Robotics</b>   |
| <b>Tue, Feb 6</b>  | - | <b>7:30am – Student Council</b><br><b>8:00am – Bonnie's Book Store</b><br><b>3:45pm – ECO Kids</b> |
| <b>Wed, Feb 7</b>  | - | <b>Eureka! – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade</b>  |



## BHE PTA HAPPENINGS

For more information on the programs and work that the Bonnie Holland Elementary PTA is doing, please visit the BHE PTA [website](#).



## 2017-2018 BHE YEARBOOK

Yearbooks are available for purchase now for \$35. The price will be going up soon.

Order your child's yearbook [online](#) today.

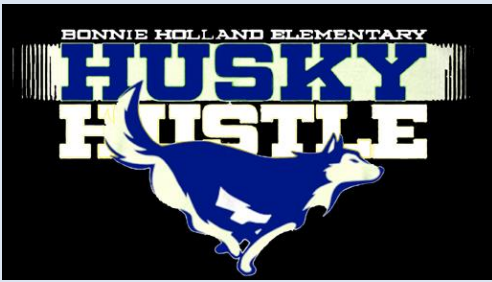
Honor your Husky by purchasing a Yearbook Recognition ad. For details, click [here](#). The deadline to order a recognition ad is Friday, February 16<sup>th</sup>.



## EUREKA!

The next Eureka! session will be TOMORROW, January 31<sup>st</sup> for 1<sup>st</sup> Grade. Click [here](#) to volunteer. To volunteer for future Eureka! sessions or for more information about Eureka!, please visit the Eureka! page on the BHE PTA [website](#).

If you have any questions about Eureka!, please email [eureka.bhepta@gmail.com](mailto:eureka.bhepta@gmail.com).



**HUSKY HUSTLE STARTS THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1<sup>ST</sup>!**

Husky Hustle is an exciting, spirit filled glow run fundraiser for our children that will begin on February 1st with a pep rally and end on February 14th with a glow run.

This is the **ONLY** school-wide fundraiser of the school year!

To learn all about Husky Hustle, please click [here](#).



**JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT NEEDS VOLUNTEERS FOR 5TH GRADE ON MAY 18TH!**

Junior Achievement is the world's largest organization dedicated to teaching children about business, economics and entrepreneurship. The curriculum is interactive and fun. The secret ingredient is **YOU**, an involved parent sharing your life experience.

We are in need of parent volunteers to come in on May 18th from 8:20am-3:10pm to teach Junior Achievement in One Day. All materials, lesson plans and activities are provided. This is a **FUN** day for the kids and a great way to interact with students. If you are able to come in on May 18th, please contact our Junior Achievement coordinator at [ja.bhepta@gmail.com](mailto:ja.bhepta@gmail.com) as soon as possible.

For more information about Junior Achievement, please click on the following link:  
[www.juniorachievement.org](http://www.juniorachievement.org)



## 2018 BHE INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL

The BHE PTA would like to invite our community members to celebrate our Husky Families from around the world at our 2nd International Festival.

You are welcome to sign up to represent a country at <https://qoo.gl/forms/3O4oWd5ONntk6nkb2>.

There will be a General Information night in January. Registration closes Friday, February 28, 2018.



## MILK FOR MANY – VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Hello parents! This is the third year that BHE Student Council has sponsored Milk for Many. This service provides much-needed milk and vegetables to the Katy Christian Ministries food pantry in Katy.

About 20,000 people access this food pantry for food, and many of them are children. Students donate unopened milk cartons and any unopened fruit and vegetable packets at lunch. This way we help eliminate food waste at BHE and the food is made available to families in our community.

Every Tuesday and Thursday, two student volunteers will collect the donated items. Volunteers are needed for the spring semester. Click on the [link](#) for more information and to sign up to volunteer.

Thank you for your support!



## ATTENTION ALL DADS OF BHE STUDENTS!

WATCH D.O.G.S.® is an innovative program being used by schools across America which helps them to be positively impacted by the committed involvement of fathers and father-figures in their student's life. Our goal is to have you spend at least one day this year at the school to be a positive male role model and show your support for our faculty and staff.

Dads, granddads, uncles, and adult brothers – this is your chance to have a huge impact in just a few hours.

Sign up today!!!!

- [Click here to sign up](#)
- Spring sign up is OPEN!
- Signup Guidelines
  - Max of 1 volunteer per grade each day
  - Max of 2 volunteers per day
- Enter your child's name and homeroom teacher

Official WATCH D.O.G.S.® Uniform T-shirts are should be worn on the day you volunteer. You can purchase your T-shirt today in the online store at <http://dogstore2.fathers.com/> The front office will have some loaner shirts available for the day if you forget.

For more information on Watch D.O.G.S., go to [fathers.com/watchdogs](http://fathers.com/watchdogs)

- If you have any questions please email [watchdogs.bhepta@gmail.com](mailto:watchdogs.bhepta@gmail.com)



## LUNCHROOM HELPERS

We are looking for parents to assist students in the lunchroom, as well as control the flow of students in and out of the cafeteria.

Sign up to be a Lunchroom Volunteer by clicking [here](#).

Questions? Please email Grace Cheng at [lunchroom.bhepta@gmail.com](mailto:lunchroom.bhepta@gmail.com)



## PTA OFFICER NOMINATIONS FOR BECKENDORFF JR. HIGH

The BDJH PTA Nominating Committee is conducting a search to find parents who would like to assume a leadership role on our PTA Executive Board and make a difference!

The Nominating Committee is interested in your suggestions for officer candidates to serve for the 2018-2019 school year. This is a great way to make an invaluable contribution to the children at Beckendorff Junior High.

There are many different positions, so please consider serving on the Board! If you, or someone you know, is interested in serving in one of the officer positions listed below, please print and fill out the [form](#) and return it to the BDJH front office by Thursday, February 1, 2018. The committee will contact nominees.

Feel free to make as many nominations as you wish. Be sure to nominate only those who have given their consent to serve if elected. All nominees being considered for office must be PTA members in good standing. Non-members can still join the PTA.

Contact Allison Matney at 281-396-2343 or [allisonematney@katyisd.org](mailto:allisonematney@katyisd.org) with any questions or for a copy of the optional letter.



## TEXT MESSAGE ALERTS FOR DISMISSAL CHANGES

Sign up for Mrs. Griffith's Remind Notifications to know when the campus is having a "Rainy Day Dismissal." This communication has also been used to communicate school delays and closures due to inclement weather (ice days, floods, etc.). All families are encouraged to sign up by texting @bhe to 81010 or you can download the mobile app by going to [rmd.at/bhe](http://rmd.at/bhe) on your web browser on your phone or computer. (Remind messages are a one-way communication; please do not reply to messages as responses are unable to be sent.)



## PLEASE JOIN THE PTA

Please consider joining the Bonnie Holland PTA. With your support, our PTA is able to provide valuable programs and activities in our school community.

Please go online and join today! <http://www.joinpta.org/>.

Or print out the [form](#), fill it out and return it to your child's teacher or the BHE front office.



## BIRTHDAY MARQUEE SPACES AVAILABLE!

On the BHE marquee in the front of the school, we dedicate one side just for the honoring of BHE students birthdays!

Every week we update the birthday side with new student names.  
We have room for 3 students each week.

Sign-ups for available slots are on a first-come, first-serve basis, so jump on-board quick to secure your date at [BHE Birthday Marquee Sign-Up](#).

What if your student's birthday week is already full??? Just pick another week and keep the birthday celebration going on and on!



## BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION

General Mills "Box Tops for Education" can be found everywhere, on a wide variety of items, including Huggies products, Cottonelle products, many Betty Crocker and Pillsbury products, numerous brands of cereal, Yoplait yogurt, Juicy Juice, and many more.

10 TOPS = \$1.00 for our school!! Simply clip the Box Tops cleanly along the dotted lines, being careful not to cut off the expiration date, and turn them in to your child's teacher.

For more information on the program, click [here](#).





## **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!**

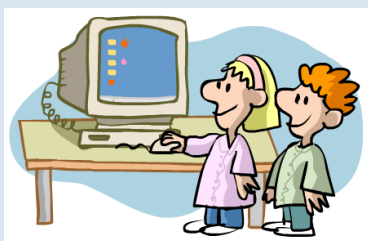
BHE is always in need of volunteers to help keep the school going. There are a variety of volunteer opportunities around the school. Please click on the following link for all of the different areas available for you to help out.

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## **REGISTRATION OPENING THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1<sup>st</sup>**

KISD Virtual School will begin registering students for Summer 2018, Fall 2018 and Spring 2019 on February 1, 2018 at 7am. Click [here](#) for course information and registration details.



## **DIGITAL CITIZENSHIP WEEK**

Parents, Katy ISD will be celebrating Digital Citizenship Week in Katy ISD the week of February 5-9. Helping our kids be productive online and to make good decisions when using technology is important for their success. Below are resources to help you understand more about what digital citizenship means and how you can support your child to not only be safe, but to use technology to excel.

### **Digital Citizenship Resources for the Home (All links go to an external site)**

5 Ways to Make YouTube Safer for Kids - <https://goo.gl/EtSwfu>

How Parents Can Help Kids Navigate the Pressures of their Digital Lives - <https://goo.gl/raD4uX>

5 Ways to Stop Cyberbullies - <https://goo.gl/2vK0lj>

5 Tips to Keep Your Child Safe on the Internet - <https://goo.gl/4WRkci>





**Vote for your Super Bowl 52 Team  
and  
Help Beat Hunger in the Souper Bowl of Caring!**



This year's Super Bowl is right around the corner! The Patriots vs. the Eagles!

That same weekend is the "Souper Bowl of Caring", an effort to help fill food pantries around the nation to help battle hunger.

In the United States, hunger affects one in ten Americans, roughly  
50 million Americans, including nearly 17 million children.

The Cub Scouts of Pack 182 "Scouting for Food" campaign along with Bonnie Holland Elementary would like to encourage the students of Bonnie Holland to help fill our local Katy food pantry and give the students a chance to pick their team in the 2018 Super Bowl.

During the week of Monday, January 22nd, through Thursday, February 1st, we would like to encourage every Bonnie Holland student to bring in at least one non-perishable food donation to school.

The students can then place their food donation on the table of the Super Bowl team that they are cheering for.

On Friday, February 2nd, we will tally up the donations and see which team has "won", and the food will be delivered to the local food pantry at Eternal Food Bank.

**Food Item Ideas:**

Condiments (ketchup, mustard, mayo, salad dressing, etc.)  
Can Chili  
Crackers  
Mac & Cheese  
Whole grain macaroni, linguine or spaghetti  
Canned tomatoes, green vegetables  
Canned beans  
Pudding/Jello  
Canned Fruit in water or light syrup  
Oatmeal  
Cereal  
Pop Tarts  
Ground Coffee  
Canned Meat (SPAM, Vienna, etc.)

**Please DO NOT bring:**

open packages  
homemade food items  
perishable foods  
items with "expired" dates



# Katy ISD Digital Citizenship Week

## **STAND UP! STAND OUT!**

#KatySUSO



### **MONDAY 2/5**

Know your Digital Footprint

**Crazy Sock Day** - Wear your craziest socks!

### **TUESDAY 2/6**

Be a Good Sport Online

**Sports Day** - Wear your favorite team shirt!



### **WEDNESDAY 2/7**

You're Never Hidden Online

**Camouflage Day** - Wear camo!

### **THURSDAY 2/8**

Stand Up to Cyber Bullies

**"CyberHero" Day** - Wear a superhero shirt!



### **FRIDAY 2/9**

Shine Bright & Stand Out Online

**Neon Day** - Wear neon or bright colors!



## Join the 2017-2018 Bonnie Holland Elementary PTA

*The goal of the PTA is to have a member for every student. If you have more than one student, please consider purchasing more than one membership. Help us reach our 100% PTA membership goal! Already a BHE PTA member? No problem, please consider sponsoring a BHE student/staff member. Help us back the future of Every Child with One Voice!*

Member #1 \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Member #2 \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Member #3 \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

**Membership Type:** (\$2.25 goes to National Dues, \$2.25 goes to Texas PTA, and \$3.50 stays at BHE)

\_\_\_ Regular (Parents, Guardians) \$8.00 \_\_\_ Business Member \$8.00 \_\_\_ Faculty (Teachers, Staff) \$8.00

\_\_\_ Texas PTA Life Member \$5.75 (If you have an Honorary Life Membership, please name the school that awarded your Life Membership)

\_\_\_\_\_ (School that awarded Life Membership)

\_\_\_ I would like to sponsor a BHE student/BHE staff member \_\_\_\_\_ # of memberships you would like to sponsor at \$8.00

Total # of Memberships: \_\_\_\_\_ Cash \_\_\_\_\_ Check# \_\_\_\_\_

# BHE PARENTS!!!

## DON'T THROW \$\$ AWAY

Why not help support the PTA without doing much more than your normal shopping!? Do you shop at Amazon or Kroger? Did you know that these companies will donate to our PTA through their existing Community Rewards programs?

All you have to do is take a few minutes to go to your accounts at these places and select our school as the charity you wish to support. The companies do the rest! How much easier can it get???

### Amazon Smile

Instructions:

1. go to <https://smile.amazon.com>
- 1.1 login to your account or sign up
- 1.2 go to the 'Your Account' drop down
- 1.3 select 'Change Your Charity'
- 1.4 search for **PTA Texas Congress 11931 Bonnie Holland Elem PTA** and click on select
- 1.5 finally, when you need to make a purchase from Amazon, go to <https://smile.amazon.com>.

(If you are not shopping at smile.amazon, Amazon will not be rewarding our organization.)

### Kroger

Instructions:

1. go to <https://www.kroger.com/communityrewards>
- 1.1 login to your account or sign up
- 1.2 click Enroll Now
- 1.3 search for **BONNIE HOLLAND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL** and select
- 1.4 click on Enroll
- 1.5 finally, when you make a purchase at Kroger, swipe your Rewards card or enter your ID.
- 1.6 Kroger requires you to select your organization of choice EVERY August 1<sup>st</sup>. So, even if you did this last school year, we ask that you sign in and select us again.



## Welcome to **EUREKA!**

**EUREKA!** is a science enrichment program designed with a lesson and several hands-on experiences and experiments for each student, four times a year. The program is 100% PTA funded and 100% volunteer coordinated. Come volunteer and enjoy the program with your student! As volunteers, you are given instructions and materials to run various rotations during a 45 minute time frame.

Below are the dates according to grade level. Look for the Sign Up Genius link in the Alaskan Pipeline or from your Homeroom Parent. You can sign up for one, two or all four exciting, hands-on **EUREKA!** Wednesdays!

We are also in need of **EUREKA!** Coordinators in 2nd grade and 3rd grade. If you are interested in helping with the behind the scenes prep, please use the email address below to contact us!

Thank you for volunteering your time! Without our awesome parents and volunteers, **EUREKA!** would not be possible.

If you have any questions, please contact JoLynn Meier  
[eureka.bhepta@gmail.com](mailto:eureka.bhepta@gmail.com)

Kindergarten	First Grade	Second Grade
October 18, 2017	September 27, 2017	September 20, 2017
December 13, 2017	November 29, 2017	November 15, 2017
February 21, 2018	January 31, 2018	January 24, 2018
March 28, 2018	April 25, 2018	April 4, 2018

Third Grade	Fourth Grade	Fifth Grade
October 25, 2017	November 1, 2017	October 4, 2017
November 8, 2017	January 17, 2018	December 6, 2017
January 10, 2018	March 7, 2018	February 7, 2018
February 28, 2018	May 2, 2018	April 18, 2018

