

Bryant Bulletin

A joint PTA/Campus Newsletter

October 18, 2017

Dr. Rhodes' Weekly Message

It is hard to believe that it is already the 2nd Nine Weeks of the school year. Thanks to everyone, especially our volunteers who helped make the 1st Nine Weeks of our school awesome!! The school and PTA have great things planned for the remainder of the school year. Stay informed by reading our weekly newsletter. We hope you are having a great week!!

Event Calendar

Monday, October 2-Tuesday, October 31

Bully Prevention Month

Monday October 23

Report Cards Go Home

Library Pumpkin Extravaganza begins

Monday October 23- Friday October 27

Red Ribbon Week

Book Fair

Friday October 27

PTA Trunk or Treat- 5-7pm in the side parking lot.

Monday November 6

Legacy Tile Night for those who purchased legacy tiles at the beginning of the year. ([Click here](#) for full details)

Wednesday November 8

Boosterthon Fun Run Fundraiser begins

Thursday November 9

3rd Grade Veterans Day Program, 6pm in the gym

Office and Other Information

- Click [HERE](#) for the Bryant Website
- Click [HERE](#) for Katy ISD Home Access Center (HAC). Register to gain access to grades, e-news, etc.

Follow us via social media:

Facebook= [Bryant Elementary](#)

Twitter= [@BryantElem](#) [#bengalpride](#)

Website= <http://www.katyisd.org/campus/bes/Pages/default.aspx>

Drug Take Back Program

Turn in your unused or expired medication for safe disposal on Saturday Oct 28th, 2017 from 10am-2pm at the Katy ISD Law Enforcement Center located at 20370 Franz Rd, Katy, Texas, 77449. For more information, contact Officer James Grima, Safe Schools Program Manager at 281-237-4024

From the Counselor

Red Ribbon Week is quickly approaching! Red Ribbon Week will be celebrated October 23-27th. What is Red Ribbon Week? It is a week used to encourage kids to be drug free.

Bryant Elementary wants to kick off Red Ribbon Week with some fun attire. Please see below for the week's activities:

Monday, October 23

- "Rally in Red Against Drugs" – wear red

Tuesday, October 24

- "Slip into a Drug Free Life" – wear slippers (make sure you have the proper shoes for PE and recess)

Wednesday, October 25

- "Put a Cap on Drugs"- wear a hat

Thursday, October 26

- "Team Up Against Drugs"- wear your favorite team jersey

Friday, October 27

- "From Head to Toe, I'm Drug Free" – wear crazy hair and crazy socks

Thank you for your participation in this event. If you have any questions, please contact the school counselor at 281-234-4331 or penelopeflores@katyisd.org

From the Librarian

Bryant Elem's FIRST Pumpkin Extravaganza will be October 23-27, 2017. Families are invited to decorate a pumpkin (real or a craft pumpkin) as a book character! Bring your character pumpkin to the library on Monday, Oct. 23. They will be displayed in the library all week. Thank you for participating in this event. If you have any questions please contact Nidia Casillas (librarian) at 281-234-4328 or nidiafcasillas@katyisd.org A copy of the flyer that went home can be found [here](#).

Home to School Connection

After-school recap

“What did you do in school today?” If your youngster usually answers, “Nothing,” you’re not alone. Try these alternatives to get insight into what he’s learning:

- Let your child pretend he’s a newscaster reporting on the day’s events. He could decorate a paper towel tube as a “microphone” for delivering his newscast. (“Alex’s class had a guest speaker this morning! She talked about her job as a computer programmer.”)
- Before dinner, have each family member write something he learned that day on a slip of paper and put it in a shoebox labeled “Guess what I learned today?” *Example:* “Jupiter has 63 moons.” Pass the box around as you eat, and take turns pulling out a slip and reading it. The person who wrote it can answer everyone’s questions. ♥



Information from the PTA

Legacy Tile Night

If you purchased a Legacy Tile, the night to complete tiles will be the evening of Monday, November 6th. [CLICK HERE](#) for all the details!!

PTA Sponsorships

The Bryant Elementary PTA is excited to extend an invitation to individuals and businesses to partner with us as we “make every child’s potential a reality by engaging and empowering families and communities to advocate for all children.” Building partnerships with local businesses and individuals will enrich our

children’s learning experience as well as build a legacy of excellence for Bryant Elementary and the surrounding community. It will also help our PTA focus on our mission without having to do a lot of fundraising this first year.

The Bryant PTA is excited to offer several incentives to individuals and business who will be partnering with us to build this amazing legacy. Sponsorship levels and recognition awards are as follows:

Bronze - \$100 minimum	Company recognition on the Bryant Elementary Facebook Page, plus a certificate of appreciation
Silver - \$250	Bronze level incentives PLUS – Company recognition on the Bryant PTA Facebook Page, and in the PTA newsletter
Gold - \$500	Silver incentives PLUS – Company recognition in official PTA display case at the school
Platinum - \$1000	Gold incentives PLUS – Your business advertisement displayed on our school’s large and digital marquee
Legacy - \$1000+	Platinum incentives PLUS –your business logo and information forever memorialized on a tile on our school’s Legacy Wall

The Bryant Elementary PTA is a 501(c)3 and all donations are tax deductible.

Your donations are greatly appreciated, especially during this exciting time. Being able to support our school, no doubt, displays your strong commitment to our school, our community and to each child attending.

If you are interested in partnering with us, please write a check to “Bryant Elementary PTA” and send it to the address below by **November 1st** if you would like to be included on our Legacy Wall (Legacy Level). Please do not hesitate to contact our PTA President, Tabitha Garcia at 832-338-5040 and via email at bryantptapresident@gmail.com with any questions and thank you in advance for your consideration.