

Bobcat Bulletin



Parents,

In our efforts to improve safety and communication, Bluff Dale ISD is transitioning to a new communication program from **Blackboard**. This will allow us to make phone calls to all parents in emergency situations such as school closures or late starts. We will also use **Blackboard** to email and text information and move away from the Remind program. Teachers, coaches, and sponsors will use this program to email or text their parents to keep them informed about class and team information.

For this program to be effective, we need to be sure that we have your current email and cell phone numbers on file. If you have changed phone numbers or emails please keep the school updated.

Please keep in mind that if you block the school text messages from **Blackboard**, you will not receive the information we send on a weekly basis such as the Bobcat Bulletin or other reminders about school activities from the office or your child's teacher. This transition will continue for a couple of weeks to give parents a chance to get phone numbers and emails updated if necessary. Once the transition is complete, we will send a final "Remind" to let everyone know we have made the switch.

John Taylor Bluff Dale ISD Superintendent 254.728.3277 jtaylor@bdisd.net Bluff Dale ISD THE place to BE