



BURK BOBCAT NEWSLETTER

January 21, 2021



Burk Families,

I would like to thank all of you for your response in getting your Free/Reduced Lunch Applications completed and turned in. Additionally, on this, our 100th day of school...thank you for ensuring that your students were in attendance today. It takes all of us working together to make Burk Amazing!

Students and Staff had a wonderful time celebrating our 100th day. There were amazing activities taking place in our classrooms both yesterday and today! Mr. Jeffers' and Mrs. Carrie's 6th Gr students even put together messages of encouragement, along with a treat, and delivered them to every classroom in our building.

A big THANK YOU to everyone for helping with what was needed and celebrating our successes in our first 100 days of school.

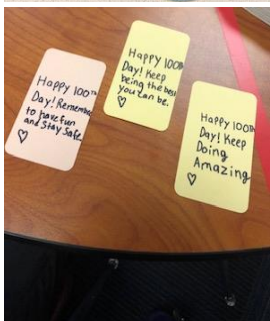
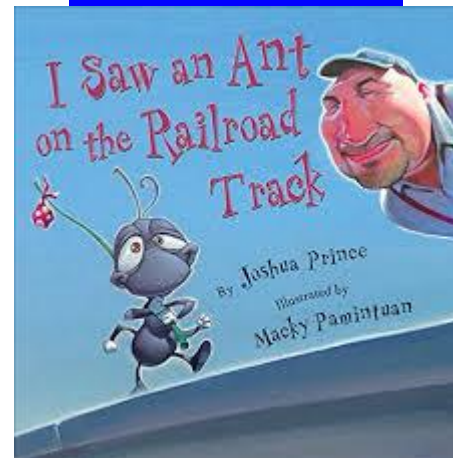
Mr. Paes



Check your email to a link for the book!

Watch your favorite teacher reading their favorite book!

I Saw An Ant On The Railroad Track



Virtual Day Student Attendance Process

It is imperative that you assist your student in logging into Buzz on their home days so that their attendance gets counted. Please see the last page of this newsletter for step-by-step instructions. Thank you!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Mon/Wed/Fri - Students M-Z

Tues/Thurs - Students A-L

Wed Jan 27- College Colors

Early Release @ 1:55 p.m.

Fri Jan 29 - Bobcat Colors



LOST AND FOUND

OUR LOST AND FOUND ITEMS WILL BE DONATED AT THE END OF NEXT WEEK (FRIDAY 1/29/21). PLEASE STOP BY IF YOU ARE MISSING STUDENT ITEMS. THANK YOU!

GILBERT YOUTH ATHLETIC FLAG FOOTBALL STARTING

GYA has pushed back the flag football until (1st-6th graders) until the week of March 22. Games will be on Wednesday/Friday evenings at Mesquite High School.

Sibling, employee discounts and scholarships are available. Please click on the link for more information:

[Updated Flag Football Flyer](#)

SOCIAL WORKER CORNER

We will be celebrated Martin Luther King Jr. Day on Monday, January 18. Please click on the links below to learn more about Martin Luther King Jr:

[Martin Luther King Jr. Bio](#)
["I Have A Dream" Speech](#)

Please click here for the Social Worker Google Site for messages from Ms. Palmerin, family resources and more:

[Ms. Palmerin Burk Social Worker Google Site](#)

Click here for more information regarding some amazing resources: Food Pantry, GPS Family Resource Center, East Valley Career Center and more:

[Title 1 Family Engagement Playlist](#)

School Meals

Effective immediately, the USDA has extended free meals for children through the 2020-21 school year to help ensure that all children have access to nutritious food as the country recovers from the COVID-19 pandemic. Gilbert Public Schools will provide combo meals at no cost to children 18 and younger for breakfast and lunch. A combo meal includes an entree, fruit vegetable and milk. Please click on the links below for more information:

[January Menu](#)

[Free Breakfast/Lunch Curbside Pick Up Hybrid Flyer](#)

PRESCHOOL SUPPLEMENT

Please click on the link below to learn more about qualifying for up to 50% off of tuition for our Amanecer Preschool Program:
[Amanecer Preschool Tuition Supplement Information](#)

We have preschool spots available! Please click on the link below for more information on our Amanecer Preschool:
[Amanecer Preschool General Information](#)



Please continue to ensure that your student brings a water bottle each day to school. Thank you!

Cool Cats of the Week

Wk of 1/11

*Saraphine McConnell
Connor Richardson
Axel Reyes
Caden Marsh
Mia Clark
Miranda Camargo
Tate Thomas
Jaredd Roseborough
Easton Aguirre
Rhett Lewis
Maricela Fowler
Zander Rodriguez
Jasmine Simmons*



SHOUT OUTS!

*Wyatt Adams
Myah-Linn Anderson
Brantlin Asay
Annie Barnes
Dallin Burwell
Nevaeh Gutierrez
Olivia Hicks
Elliot Lewis
Rhett Lewis
Santino Scarzo
Claire Valdez*

READING LAB



*K- Claire Valdez
1- Jason Rojas Marino
2- Michelle Camargo
3- Kylee Cameron
4- Tyson Measell
5- Cristian Delacruz
6- Audrey Jessup*

Thank you for your hard work and attitudes! You are shining starts!



Happy Birthday!

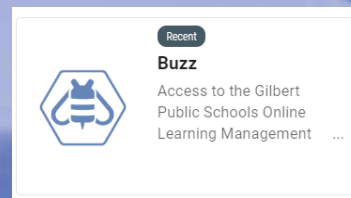


*1/19 Paige Jackson
1/22 Alyssa Ramirez
1/23 Yazmiliania Navarro
1/25 Gionni Lopez
1/28 Serenity Lemon
1/28 Jalexia Villarreal
1/28 Harper Burbey
1/29 Isaiah Rivera
1/29 Marc Hester*

Virtual Day Student Attendance Process

Student will Login to the **GPS Portal**, click the Buzz Tile

Student will then click Login



Please call the office if you need your student's username and password.

Please ensure that your student logs **all the way out of Buzz at the end of their virtual day**. This is important! Please have your student log **all the way back into Buzz on their next virtual day**. If you leave the portal open and do not log in/out completely, attendance will not be taken.

Once your student is logged into Buzz, their attendance is automatically counted for that day. If you receive an email stating that your child has not signed into Buzz, please make sure you log all the way out of Buzz and all the way back into Buzz, this way their attendance will then be counted. This must be completed prior to midnight.

If you have any questions, please contact Blanca Guijarro, Attendance Clerk, 480-926-3916 X1200.

