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BRONCO OF THE MONTH

Each month a student from each classroom will be selected Bronco of the Month. The criteria to be Bronco of the Month is to demonstrate good character traits a majority of the time. Not every student that shows good character traits will be chosen as a Bronco of the Month each year. However, teachers let the students know each day either within the classroom, or at our quarterly awards programs with our citizenship award, that they are making good choices, and how proud they are of them.

Congratulations to the following students who were selected Bronco of the month of August for the character trait of RESPONSIBILITY: Isahaak Matthew, Leo Wai, Sidvik Nelakurthi, Theo Brye, Bryleigh Joiner, Gwen Pelini, Angelina Vakhula, Emma Loveridge, Sahan Pradhan, Aria Kolwalkar, Emilie Krentz - Gavric, Trey Horton, Maikl Salanzhyi, Charlotte Carl, Hadley Todisco, Alex Hartley, Rosalina Yost, Liam Mabey, Henry Whelen, Sammie Sarver, Reeve Waldman, Ellie Pope, Emma Deterding, Braden Bosshard, Myla Kapustiak, Claire Constantinos, Mayci Bartlett, Isaac Inman, Avery Mabey, Steven Ahonen, Micah Chapel, Hudson Cafferty, Hunter Tapley, Dean Meredith, Graham Morris, Nia Gupta, Maisy Spanier, Jacqueline Hartley, Lorenzo Errico, Ezra Fronteras.

MILITARY FAMILY CORNER

Hello Bevis Military Connected Families. Mrs. Hilbrands is the Military and Family Life Counselor (MFLC) here at Bevis. Our MFLC is available to connect with our active duty, reserves, National Guard, and recently retired (within the last 6 months) Military Families. She is happy to provide non-medical counseling for students and our parents to address the day-to-day stressors of military life. MFLC's are licensed mental health professionals. MFLC's do not keep records. Issues addressed may include but

are not limited to the following topics: relationships and building connections at school and or home, stress management, adjustment difficulties due to transitions, grief and loss. The services provided are free of charge and confidential. Limits of confidentiality include duty to warn to prevent harm to self and others. MFLC's offer flexible hours between 7am-7pm. If you would like more information or to speak with our MFLC, please call the school office or dial (813) 310-6765 to reach her directly.

FALL PICTURES

Fall Pictures Day is Friday, September 5th. Students may wear picture attire for these pictures. Shoes must still have a back on them and strapless or skinny straps must be covered with a sweater. Strawbridge recommends that students avoid wearing the color green. Picture order forms will be sent home next week. Please fill these out and return them by Picture Day September 5th.



BEVIS PTA REFLECTIONS

The PTA Reflections 2025-2026 theme is "I Belong". If interested in participating, please fill out the form that was sent home by Friday, September 12th. This form can also be found online at <http://www.bevispta.com/pta-programs/reflections>. Complete projects will be submitted October by 23, 2025 before school from 7:00-7:30am in the Bevis cafeteria.



DATES TO REMEMBER

- 9/1 **Labor Day-No School**
- 9/3 KG & 1 gr. Hearing Screening
- 9/4 KG & 1 gr. Hearing Screening
- 9/5 Picture Day Attire Spirit Day
Military Kids Club Media
Fall Picture Day-Picture Attire
- 9/7 4:30-6:30 PTA Top Golf
- 9/8 **12:55 Early Release**
- 9/12 Spirit Shirt Day
- 9/15 - 9/19 Start With Hello Week
- 9/15 **12:55 Early Release**
1:15 Gr.4 & 5 ORFF tryout Music room
- 9/17 2:15 Gr.4 & 5 Drumline Tryouts—Music Room
- 9/19 Neon Spirit Shirt Day
5:30-7:30 PTA Neon Dance Party -MPR

