

# **BLUFF ELEMENTARY**

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## RIVER KINGS AND QUEENS

### Upcoming events:

February 9 - 101 Days of School - To celebrate the 101st day of school, we can dress like the 101 Dalmatians - anything spotted

February 9 - BINGO 5:30-6:30 Bluff Commons - \$1 Rootbeer Floats & Bake Sale available

February 14 - Classroom Valentine Parties - More info will follow from teachers.

February 23 - Band Concert at CMS; 5th grade band students will bring home more information.

February 27-March 3 - Read Across America Week - Celebrate Dr. Seuss Birthday with Bluff's Love for Reading - Dress Up Days for the week.



*Monday 2/27: Fox In Socks - Wear Crazy Socks Day*

*Tuesday 2/28: Cat In The Hat - Hat Day*

*Wednesday 3/1: Wacky Wednesday - Mismatched Clothes / Crazy Hair*

*Thursday 3/2: My Many Colored Days - Wear Class Color*

*Friday 3/3: I Am Not Going To Get Up Today - Pajama Day*

### Valentine Parties: No visitors, all treats must be store bought. Teachers will send home more information.

Doors open at **7:15**, if you drop your student(s) off prior to 7:15, they will not have access to the building. We have no supervision until 7:15.

Please make sure your student(s) are dressed appropriately. Cold weather clothing, we continue to have outdoor recess and no longer have the sharing rack.

Every Wednesday is early dismissal at 12:45. Elementary teachers are able to receive staff development training. We believe that the staff development teachers have received over the past several years is directly linked to increases in student achievement at the elementary level. We thank you for your support!

**Please remember that, if a late start is called everything runs exactly 2 hours later. There is no breakfast, no before school program, and doors will open at 7:30.**

PBIS: Bluff is continuing to work on a school-wide program called Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports (PBIS). Our students earn Crown Tickets for following our three main components; being Respectful, Responsible, and Safety. Once our Crown Jar is filled with Crown Tickets, our school celebrates with a special treat. For example, we have had crazy sock day, music at lunch, treats, and extra recess.

Congratulations to those students who are on track for **STRIVE** for **FIVE** on attendance!



**From Nurse Katie:** If your child has been tested for Covid, please call the school nurse. Do not rely on the doctors office to notify us.

Love is in the air...and so are germs!

The health of our students and staff is very important to us. A reminder to please keep your child home from school if:

- They have a fever (100.4 or greater).
- Vomiting/diarrhea within the past 24 hours.
- Sore throat accompanied by fever and/or white spots in the back of throat.
- They have a cough bad enough that it disrupts learning.
- Certain rashes like hand, foot, mouth, disease.
- You suspect your child has pink eye (red, itchy eyes, accompanied by green/yellow drainage).

**When can my child return to school after being sick? After being ill, student may return to school when:**

- They have been fever free for 24 hours, without the use of medication such as Tylenol or Motrin.
- No vomiting or diarrhea for 24 hours.
- For strep throat, they need to be on antibiotics for 24 hours before returning to school.
- For pink eye infection, you need to be on eye drops for 24 hours before returning to school.
- Or by discretion of student's doctor. If you have a doctor's note for your child, please bring it to the office.

**\*\*Any questions regarding illness, student health or when to stay home when sick,**

Feel free to contact Nurse Katie. If your student is on an attendance plan, please contact Nurse Katie if the above conditions occur as well.\*\*



### ***On the Rise to Royalty***

Being respectful, responsible, and safe are the three goals all Bluff students are encouraged to attain. "Crown" tickets are awarded to those students who are recognized for exhibiting these traits. As tickets in our office "Crown Bin" accumulate, all students participating in school-wide rewards.

### ***We are ready for a great year at Bluff!***

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# February 2023



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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<p>Milk, Juice, Assorted Fruit &amp; Vegetables served Daily.</p> <p>CCSD is an equal opportunity employer and provider.</p>		<p>Chicken Drumstick, French Fries, Broccoli w/ Cheese Sauce, Peaches</p> <p>Breakfast _____ Juice, Milk, French Toast Sticks w/ Syrup</p> <p>1</p>	<p>Mac &amp; Cheese, Frosted Sugar Cookie, Steamed Carrots, Mixed Vegetables, Grapes</p> <p>Breakfast _____ Juice, Milk, Sausage &amp; Pancake Stick w/ Syrup</p> <p>2</p>	<p>French Toast Sticks, Sausage Patty, Hashbrown, Fresh Veggies w/ Dip, Juice Cup</p> <p>Breakfast _____ Juice, Milk, Fruited Bagel</p> <p>3</p>
<p>Mini Corn Dogs, Curly Fries, Baked Beans, Strawberry Cup</p> <p>Breakfast _____ Juice, Milk, Muffin</p> <p>6</p>	<p>Nachos, Refried Beans, Tater Tots, Mixed Fruit</p> <p>Breakfast _____ Juice, Milk, Cheese Toast</p> <p>7</p>	<p>Cheeseburger, Natural Crisp Fries, Fresh Carrots w/ Ranch, Apple Slices</p> <p>Breakfast _____ Juice, Milk, Cereal, Toast</p> <p>8</p>	<p>Pork &amp; Gravy over Mashed Potatoes, Dinner Roll, Green Beans, Pears</p> <p>Breakfast _____ Juice, Milk, Cinni-Mini</p> <p>9</p>	<p>Mozzarella Sticks w/ Marinara, Mixed Vegetables, Tossed Salad w/ Ranch, Mandarin Oranges</p> <p>Breakfast _____ Juice, Milk, Cream Cheese Stuffed Bagel</p> <p>10</p>
<p>Chicken Noodle Soup, Uncrustable, Peas &amp; Carrots, Fresh Veggies w/ Dip, Mandarin Oranges</p> <p>Breakfast _____ Juice, Milk, Donut</p> <p>13</p>	<p>Spaghetti w/ Meat Sauce, Tossed Salad w/ Ranch, Steamed Broccoli, Sidekick, Frosted Cookie</p> <p>Breakfast _____ Juice, Milk, Breakfast Pizza</p> <p>14</p>	<p>Breaded Chicken Sandwich, Waffle fries, Corn Peaches</p> <p>Breakfast _____ Juice, Milk, French Toast Sticks w/ Syrup</p> <p>15</p>	<p>Maid Rite, Tri-Tater, Baked Beans, Grapes</p> <p>Breakfast _____ Juice, Milk, Fruited Bagel</p> <p>16</p>	<p>Bosco Sticks w/ Marinara, Green Beans, Carrots, Pineapple</p> <p>Breakfast _____ Juice, Milk, Sausage &amp; Pancake Stick w/ Syrup</p> <p>17</p>
<p>Chicken Tenders, Buttermilk Biscuit, Mashed Potatoes w/ Gravy, Mixed Vegetables, Orange Wedges</p> <p>Breakfast _____ Juice, Milk, Cereal Yogurt Cup</p> <p>20</p>	<p>Walking Taco, Refried Beans, Tater Tots, Mixed Fruit</p> <p>Breakfast _____ Juice, Milk, Cinni-Mini</p> <p>21</p>	<p>BBQ Rib Sandwich, French Fries, Fresh Veggies w/ Dip, Pears</p> <p>Breakfast _____ Juice, Milk, Breakfast Bagel</p> <p>22</p>	<p>Chicken Alfredo, Breadstick, Steamed Broccoli, Winter Mixed Vegetables, Strawberry Cup</p> <p>Breakfast _____ Juice, Milk, Cereal Pop-Tart</p> <p>23</p>	<p>Tony's Pizza Steamed Carrots, Tossed Salad w/ Ranch, Apple</p> <p>Breakfast _____ Juice, Milk, Mini Pancakes w/ Syrup</p> <p>24</p>
<p>Chicken &amp; Noodles, Garlic Bread Peas &amp; Carrots, Corn, Grapes</p> <p>Breakfast _____ Juice, Milk, Muffin</p> <p>27</p>	<p>Hot Dog, Curly Fries, Baked Beans, Mandarin Oranges</p> <p>Breakfast _____ Juice, Milk, Sausage Pancake Stick w/ Syrup</p> <p>28</p>			 <p><b>Menus are subject to change without notice.</b></p>