

# Bauder Bugle

## March 2025 Newsletter



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### Principal's Message

Hello Bauder families,

This past month we went through our staffing/compensation plan process here at Bauder to prepare for the next school year. In this process, our Shared Leadership Team gathers input from all the staff and considers the needs here at Bauder to put together a staffing plan for next year that aligns with our school's goals. Once our staff put together this plan, we shared it with our School Accountability and Advisory Committee to receive their feedback. The final step is that we present our plan to the district for approval. Much like the rest of the district, we are expecting some declining enrollment numbers here at Bauder. However, I am excited to report that we are able to maintain two full-time counselors, a GT coordinator, interventionists, and teacher aides.

With our overall staffing plan completed and approved, we are ready to focus back on finishing out this school year in a strong and positive fashion. We have a couple of different Spirit Weeks coming up, state testing in April, and then a plethora of exciting activities and field trips after that. Make sure you stay up to date by checking your students' Thursday folder, reading our weekly Bauder Updates, and keeping an eye on our school calendar.

Thank you!

Stephen Boese  
Principal  
Bauder Elementary School



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## Dates to Remember:

### Mar.

Monday	03/03	No School – Teacher Workday
Tuesday	03/04	Read Across America Spirit Day-PJ Day PTO 6:30-7:30 pm
Wednesday	03/05	Read Across America Spirit Day-Crazy Sock Day
Thursday	03/06	Read Across America Spirit Day-Dress like your favorite book Character
Friday	03/07	Read Across America Spirit Day-Crazy Stripes Day  Battle of the Books Competition <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 5<sup>th</sup> Grade 9:20-10:05 am</li> <li>• 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade 1:10-1:55 pm</li> <li>• 4<sup>th</sup> Grade 2:50-3:35 pm</li> </ul>
Mon-Fri	03/17-3/21	No School-Spring Break
Monday	03/24	4 <sup>th</sup> & 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Music Enrichment Program 7-8pm
Tuesday	03/25	Class Pictures
Wednesday	03/26	Mod Pizza All Day Fundraiser 10:30am - 9:00pm

### Apr.

Tuesday	04/01	PTO 6:30pm -7:30pm
Friday	04/11	Donuts with Dear Ones 8:25-8:45am
Thursday	04/17	Family Night PTO & Staff 5:00-7:00pm



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## Bauder PTO

Bauder PTO is a volunteer group of parents, family members and teachers whose goal is to support and enhance student experience at Bauder. We organize activities to help build our school community, connecting students, families, teachers and staff. We also raise funds to support the student experience and our community school. All are welcome to participate in any way that is comfortable and manageable for you!

<https://bauderpto.membershiptoolkit.com/>

Join us for our monthly meeting at 6:30pm on the first Tuesday of each month in the Bauder Media Center. Questions? Ideas? Email us at [bauderpto@gmail.com](mailto:bauderpto@gmail.com).



## Battle of the Books Competition

### Bauder Battle of the Books

Join us for our 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Bauder Battle of the Books Competition! Help us cheer on our teams as they work hard to make it to the district level competition on April 1<sup>st</sup> from 6:00-7:00pm.

Friday, March 7<sup>th</sup>

Bauder Gym

9:20 - 10:05am, 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Battle

1:10 – 1:55pm, 3rd Grade Battle

2:50 – 3:35pm, 4th Grade Battle

*Battle of the Books is a fun reading club where students meet weekly to read and discuss 6 pre-selected books. It culminates in a competition where the teams answer trivia questions about the books with the winning team advancing to the next level of the competition. Battle of the Books (BOB) is a nationwide program created to encourage the enjoyment of reading and strengthen literacy skills.*

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## Quarter Music Enrichment Program

We are planning the Quarter 3 Music Enrichment concert to be held on Monday, March 24th, at 7:00 pm in the FLEX room. This concert will be featuring all students in the choir portion of the concert, focusing on singing two parts at once. The second portion will be focused on students who have volunteered to perform in their own small ensembles. They will be performing songs they have either written or arranged. More details to come, so if your child is in Music Enrichment this quarter, be on the lookout for an email!



## Kindergarten Registration for 25-26 School Year



It is time to register your student for Kindergarten for the 25-26 school year. All registrations are done online. at <https://www.psdschools.org/schools/school-registration>. Please feel free to call if you have any questions or need assistance.

## CMAS

### CMAS Testing Information

Bauder Families,

Colorado Measures of Academic Success (CMAS) tests will be held during the month of April. Students will test with their grade levels on the following days:

GRADE	Assessment and Date	Assessment and Date	Assessment and Date	Assessment and Date
Third	English Language Arts 4/1, 4/2, 4/3	Math – 4/4, 4/8, 4/9		Make Ups – 4/10 - 4/23
Fourth	English Language Arts 4/1, 4/2, 4/3	Math – 4/4, 4/8, 4/9	Social Studies – 4/10	Make Ups – 4/11 - 4/23
Fifth	English Language Arts 4/1, 4/2, 4/3	Math – 4/4, 4/8, 4/9	Science – 4/10, 4/11	Make Ups – 4/12 - 4/23

We will make minor adjustments to our daily schedule to make sure everyone still visits Encore classes and has a smooth day. The CMAS assessments align to the content taught in the classroom every day and are designed to measure real world skills.

These tests are only one measure of a child's achievement. For the most complete information on a student's progress, contact your student's teacher. The entire body of evidence—class assignments, formative and summative assessments, and projects—paints a clearer picture of student progress. If you wish to opt your student out of testing, please contact Emily White for this information. If you want more information regarding CMAS testing, please visit the Colorado Department of Education's website at <https://www.cde.state.co.us/assessment>.

Our students do their best when they are in their regular environment with their teacher and peers, so we appreciate your support in bringing students to school on time during testing days and making sure they are well rested. If you have any questions regarding Bauder's testing, please contact Emily White at [ewhite@psdschools.org](mailto:ewhite@psdschools.org). Go Bucks!

### **Last Call for Bauder Yearbooks**

This is the last call to purchase your Bauder yearbook. We are excited to once again have the front cover and the back cover of the yearbook designed by our very own Bauder students. Yearbooks for our 5<sup>th</sup> grade students are free (they are a gift from our wonderful PTO). The yearbooks are \$20.00 and may be purchased online or with exact cash in the office. You can order at [ybpay.com](http://ybpay.com) please use the yearbook code: 14474325. We will not have any extra copies so make sure to get your order early. The yearbooks will be delivered in May.



**The deadline to order is March 28, 2025.**

## PSD's Elementary Attendance Success Criteria

Common success criteria are needed for all elementary schools to ensure that the school district is accounting for young students' safety.



### General Considerations:

- Parents and Guardians reporting an excused absence via phone, app or email, is evidence of student safety and no follow up is needed.
- If there is no communication from Parents and Guardians, the school must meet the success criteria.
- For the office attendance protocols to be successful, attendance must be completed by classroom teachers within the first 30 minutes of class.
- Student safety is the school's top priority, and this attendance work must take precedence over tasks.
  - ◊ The sooner a parent or guardian hears from us or vice versa, the better for student safety.

Bauder will be utilizing the School Messenger system for any absences without a reason. For students' safety we will continue to call parents, guardians and/or emergency contacts until we hear the child is safely with their families.

What can you do to help? You can report your student's absence before 9:30am. Our attendance line is available 24 hours a day, you can call and leave the reason for the absence at 970-488-4151. You can also use your ParentVue account to enter the absence. Absences can only be excused within 5 days of the date of absence. Thank you in advance for your help in keeping our students safe.

## If Winter Weather Hits Hard: 2 Hour Delay Start Schedule



When PSD calls a 2 hour delay due to weather our school's daily schedule changes. You will receive a phone call, email and/or text message informing of a delayed start. We do not serve breakfast on delayed start days. District busing will be a 2-hour delay from the scheduled morning pick-up time. Please note students cannot be on the school grounds until 10:45am, as there is no staff supervision before that time. School starts at 11:05am. The end of the day dismissal time is 3:43pm like a regular school day.

## February Bauder Excellent Behavior Awards



<b>Kindergarten-Brock</b> Liam L. Henry M. Hunter L. Virginia T.	<b>Kindergarten-Devalk</b> Trice E. Emmerich D.	<b>Kindergarten-Moon</b> Melad A.
<b>1<sup>st</sup> Grade-Lynn</b> X'aydria C. Jace F. Jero R.	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Grade – Vigil</b> Jack K. October H. Eleanor F.	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Grade- Warner</b> Ophelia T. Pepper K. TJ M. Cameron K.
	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Grade -Mitchell</b> Olivia H.	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Grade – Raymond</b> Jackson P. Telaya M.
		<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Grade – Richen</b> Logan G. Saryiah M. Audrey C.
	<b>4<sup>th</sup> Grade – King</b> Perry C.	<b>4<sup>th</sup> Grade – Marshall</b> Tyler S. Calla T. Hazel C.
<b>5<sup>th</sup> Grade – Hendrickson</b> Junior S. Mia G. Yusuf A. Savannah H.	<b>5<sup>th</sup> Grade – Provencio</b> Ainsley M. Henry L. Jackson B.	

## Lost and Found

Our lost and found is bursting at the seams with coats, hats, gloves, shirts, scarves and water bottles. We will donate all unclaimed items in our lost and found at the end of the winter season. Please feel free to come in and claim your students' lost items.





## Read Across America Spirit Days March 3rd – 7th

