# Bolivar Road School "The Address for Success"

November 2018

## **Principal's Monthly Message**

Happy Fall, Everyone!

We hope you enjoyed our Read to Them's One School, One Book®, *The World According to Humphrey*. Our scholars and staff had so much fun reading the book! We want to thank all our families who attended the Sullivan Free Library Nights, the OSOB Breakfast at Darlene's Kitchen, and stopped by Top's market. Did your child(ren) tell you about a visit from Humphrey's cousin, Hubert? Hubert is a hamster that visited different classrooms during the month of September and October.

Thank you to all our families who participated in Screen Free Week! Please continue to read with your child(ren) each and every night.

Each month we will be celebrating a harvest of the month. Our scholars and staff had such a great time learning about apples during the month of October. The kitchen staff even made items that our scholars could try that contained apples. November's Harvest of the Month is cauliflower.

Your child(ren) received a tee-shirt compliments of the PTA on October 26. We thank the PTA for this generous gift. We are truly grateful that all our scholars received a tee-shirt!

Please remember to encourage your child(ren) to wash their hands often. We are embarking on another cold and flu season and want to ensure that Bolivar Road Elementary remains healthy throughout this difficult time.

In closing, I hope everyone has a wonderful Thanksgiving holiday. Take the time to enjoy your family and friends. It's also a great time to reflect on what we are grateful for.

Ms. Burgess

## Bolivar B.E.A.R.S.

The character trait for November and December is:

### KINDNESS

The character trait for all year is:

## CITIZENSHIP

(Please go to the Bolivar Webpage to find out more information.)

# Is Your Son or Daughter A Dollar Dog Saver?

Bolivar Road Elementary School students are saving their money and taking advantage of our in-school banking program with Empower Federal Credit Union.

Every other Tuesday as students arrive for school, an Empower Federal Credit Union representative accepts students' monetary deposits. Our Empower representative verifies all deposits and students receive special Dollar Dog surprises to reward their positive saving habits.

Saving is important! If you would like your son or daughter to be a Dollar Dog saver, please contact Brian Emling at 315.728.5052 or bemling@empowerfcu.com.

Membership eligibility required. Insured by NCUA.

#### Hello Families!



We are excited to announce that we will be doing another Book Swap this year! As you begin to clean out for the holiday season, you can drop off any gently used books that you may be getting rid of to Bolivar Road. These books will be placed out for scholars to choose "new" books at the end of the year to read while on summer vacation. More information will follow as we get closer to the event! Thank you for your continued support!

# November 2018

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1	2	3
					First Marking Period Ends	
				5	6	
4	5	6	6 p.m. PTA Meeting in Library	8	9 Report Cards Sent Home	10
	1	2	3	4	5	
11	No School Veterans Day Observance	No School Parent/Teacher Conferences	14 Individual Picture Retake Day	15	16	17
P VI	o b ser vance	Conterences	6	1	2	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
		2:55 p.m. Go Home Early Drill	Tha	nksgiving Rece	ss .	
	3	4				
25	26	27	28	29	30	
	5	6	1	2	3	



We don't make the school run; we help make it fun!

#### Dear Family & Friends of Bolivar Road,

We want to thank our volunteers for helping during **Picture Day** and our **Yankee Candle Fundraiser!** 

Parents and guardians can pick up their **Yankee Candle** orders during their Parent/Teacher conferences on Tuesday, November 13. If you are unable to come that day, please make other arrangements with the office.

On November 14 we will be hosting our **Transportation Breakfast** at the bus garage with Bridgeport Elementary and Chittenango Middle School. This year we are in charge of beverages and paper products. Sign up to provide an item at <a href="http://signup.com/go/DYxmxZS">http://signup.com/go/DYxmxZS</a> or email BolivarPTA@gmail.com.

November 14 is Picture Retake Day. Retake Day information will be inside your student's photo envelope.

Our next PTA meeting will be Wednesday, November 7 in the BRE library from 6-7 pm.

Yearbook committee is looking for volunteers to help take photos and organize our yearbook. Email us if you can help!

**Text @bolivarrd to 81010** for school event and activity reminders!



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