Hello Bridgeport Families!



Bridgeport Elementary is extremely appreciative of the students and families who have donated to our canned food drive to benefit the Sullivan Food Cupboard in Chittenango, who work to eliminate in surrounding areas. The Sullivan Food Cupboard thanks all for your kindness and compassion! We certainly are a caring school community!

Our Second Step curriculum, which is a social and emotional learning program for each grade level, is in full swing. In the weeks leading up to the holiday break, we learned about empathy and compassion, how feelings can change during a situation, emotion management, and predicting others' feelings. In a building wide activity, students either wrote or illustrated a way they can exhibit kindness in our school for all to see. This will be in a great reminder of all the wonderful things our students do for others in our caring school community. I am very proud of the students' participation and thoughtfulness during this activity!

Enjoy the holiday break and time with your families!

- Ms. Oríolí

Happy New Year From Dollar Dog!



A New Year's resolution is when a person sets a goal to make their life better. In 2020, why not create your own New Year's resolution to include saving more in your Dollar Dog account? This resolution will help teach positive money management skills— and you will have saved a greater amount of money throughout the year!

Not yet a Dollar Dog saver? Contact Carley Forman at 315.728.3559 or cforman@empowerfcu.com to join.

Membership eligibility required. Insured by NCUA.



Bridgeport Beacon



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JANUARY 2021

1/4	Welcome Back		
1/5	Board of Education Meeting		6:00 p.m./CHS
1/12	Empower Dollar Dog Collection		
1/14	PTA Virtual Meeting		6:00 p.m.
1/18	Holiday - No Scho	ol	
1/19	Board of Education Meeting		6:30 p.m./CMS
1/26	Empower Dollar Dog Collection		
1/29	Early Dismissal	11:30 a.m./AM UPK	Attends school
PM UPK does not attend			





PRINCIPAL'S PAD



School Closings- We will continue to use our School Messenger Alert System for any school delays, closings, or important events. You should automatically receive a call, and/or e-mail from this system. Please be sure our offices have your most current and up-to-date information so that you don't miss out on these important alerts.

Daily Schedule Reminder -

One-Hour Delay Schedule

9:45 ~ TPK Students arrive

9:55 ~ K-4 Students arrive

10:15 ~ AM-UPK Students arrive

Breakfast is served

Lunch schedules stay the same

12:45~ PM-UPK Students arrive

Two-Hour Delay Schedule

TPK Canceled

AM-UPK Canceled

10:55 ~ K-4 Students Arrive

No Breakfast

Lunch schedules are on a 15 minute delay

12:45~ PM-UPK Students arrive

Winter Outdoor Recess-

Please remember to send your child to school with hats, mittens, snow boots, snow pants and warm coats. These items are necessary for students to go outside for recess. Our teachers do take students out daily unless the weather is too cold or wet and muddy. Also, please remember to put your child's name on all of their belongings.

<u>Attendance Fact</u> - "The academic impact of missing school is the same whether the absences are excused or unexcused." - attendanceworks.org



Welcome back and Happy New Year. We hope that everyone was able to enjoy the holiday season. Please join us at our next meeting which will be held on **Thursday**, **January 14th from 6 to 7 p.m**. We hope to see you there!

Sincerely,

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