# ON THE PRAIRIE

### Prairie View Elementary School Newsletter





#### IMPORTANT DATES TO KNOW:

11/5 - VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT @ NPMS

11/6 - DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS

11/7 - LIL FISH PROGRAM

11/11 - VETERAN'S DAY PROGRAM

11/14 - PTO MEETING @ 3:30PM (PV LIBRARY)

11/14 - SPELL BOWL COMPETITION

11/16 - ALL PRO DAD'S @ 7:30AM (GYMNASIUM)

11/23-11/27 - THANKSGIVING BREAK - NO SCHOOL

### From the Principal

Mr. Heinold

It was great being able to connect with so many families this past month with Parent Teacher Conferences. I appreciate each of you for partnering with us to enhance your students' education. Now, here we are heading into the cooler weather of Fall as we see Halloween pass and other holidays still to come. Please remember to check the weather before sending your students to school, as we want them to be safe and warm when playing outside during recess.

We are continuing to spotlight classrooms for being their Bobcat B.E.S.T. each week! After receiving the trophy, classes have been able to pick their choice of reward, with many enjoying a guest reader during a picnic lunch or an extra recess time. Prairie View students simply are the best! Ask your students about being their B.E.S.T. and what that looks like in all aspects of their day!



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If you have any questions, do not hesitate to reach out. Go Bobcats!

## Information from Around the Prairie

### **Veteran's Day Program**

Prairie View will be hosting a program for invited veteran's on Friday, November 11th. Information has been sent out by Mr. Flanagan. We are excited to honor all of those who serve our country--past, present, and future. Any questions regarding this event should be directed to Mr. Flanagan at timothyflanagan@npusc.k12.in.us.

### From the PTO (Parent Teacher Organization)

This past month we got to celebrate the Halloween season with families during our Family Pumpkin Decorating Night. It was such an exciting evening with costumes, pumpkins, and treats! Thank you to everyone who made this a great event.

Our Rise n' Roll fundraiser will be coming in on November 10th. We appreciate all of our families and friends who have supported us this year so that we can continue to provide awesome experiences for our students.

There is still plenty of time to join your Prairie View PTO this year. Come join us at our next meeting! You may also contact the PTO Board at PTOPVE@gmail.com for more information.



### **Holiday Donations**

During the next couple of months, you will be receiving some additional information regarding opportunities to participate in supporting our Prairie View families during this upcoming holiday season. Typically, this support comes in the form of food/can donations and/or money donations. We will be partnering with local businesses to join us in ensuring that our families have their needs met, so be sure to check out flyers that come home and any updates that may be on our PTO Facebook page.

Please consider donating to help support families in our very own community this holiday season. Thank you!

#### **Athletics**

Our Prairie View athletic teams are off to a great start this year! Volleyball will be wrapping up their season this month, and boys basketball is just beginning. More athletic opportunities through the school will be available in the Spring with girls basketball and wrestling. For questions, contact Mr. Reffo at danielreffo@npusc.k12.in.us.

