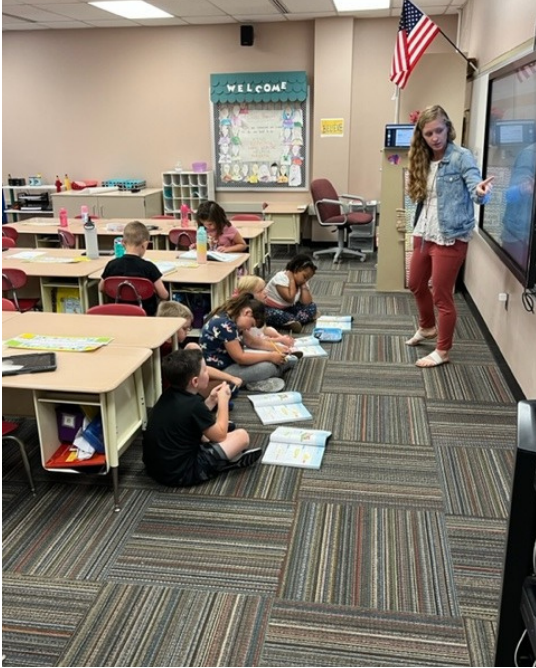


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*Prairie View Elementary School Newsletter*



## IMPORTANT DATES TO KNOW:

9/5 - LABOR DAY - NO SCHOOL

9/8 - BROOKS GIBBS: ANTI-BULLYING PRESENTATION

9/12 - PV FUNDRAISER BEGINS

9/12 - PTO MEETING @ 3:30PM (PV LIBRARY)

9/14 - MOBILE DENTIST

9/20 - VIP DAY

9/21 - ALL PRO DAD'S @ 7:30AM (GYMNASIUM)

9/23 - FLEX DAY/STUDENT E-LEARNING DAY

9/26 - PV FUNDRAISER ENDS

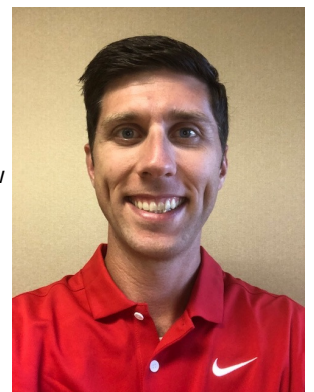
## From the Principal Mr. Heinold

What a fantastic start to the school year! I am so proud of how hard our students are working to show what they know on a daily basis. Their smiles and enthusiasm in the morning is infectious, and I am very grateful to continue serving as principal in such a strong learning community!

Now that we have many of the basic routines and expectations in place, students will really start to explore new learning opportunities this month. I encourage all of our parents and families to keep connecting with their students and asking about what the students are practicing in class. Two prompts that I use with my own two students are: "Tell me about one thing you learned today." or "How did you overcome a challenge today?"

Be sure to keep an eye on the Important Dates to Know as the year goes on to stay up-to-date on more opportunities to join in the Bobcat family fun!

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



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# Information from Around the Prairie

## **Bobcat Club**

Our after school club, Bobcat Club, will begin on September 6th right after school until 5:00pm. Be sure to register for Bobcat Club by using the registration information or by contacting our Bobcat Club coordinator, Kristine Gadacz at: [krgadacz@npusc.k12.in.us](mailto:krgadacz@npusc.k12.in.us)

## **From the PTO (Parent Teacher Organization)**

We have some exciting things beginning to happen around Prairie View! Popcorn sales have been going on for students on Thursdays--thank you to everyone who has already participated!

This month, our Scholastic Book Fair will begin on Monday, September 19th and run through Friday, September 23rd. We also have our VIP event happening on Tuesday, September 20th. This is for grandparents or other Very Important Persons in the students' lives.

You may contact the PTO Board at [PTOPVE@gmail.com](mailto:PTOPVE@gmail.com) for more information.

## **Brooks Gibbs: Anti-Bullying Presentation**

On Thursday, September 8th, we will have a special presentation for all students from Brooks Gibbs to talk about the importance of being kind and respectful to one another.

## **Flex Day**

Students will be participating in e-learning activities on Friday, September 23rd. Teachers will be engaged in professional development during the day, but they will also be available at certain times to respond to questions and concerns.

## **Bobcat BEST**

Be sure to ask your students about our Bobcat BEST trophy that has been awarded to classrooms throughout the month of August! Classes have won the trophy for Being Prepared, Encouraging Others, Showing Respect, and Taking Pride in many different areas of the building. These areas include in the classroom, hallway, lunch, recess, and during dismissal time. We will continue to recognize classes with their BEST behaviors each week through the rest of the year. Keep it up Bobcats!

