



Blazing Trails Newsletter

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***Dates to Remember:
November 10th - BT Closed
November 1st, 8th, 15th, 29th - 75 Min
Early Release
November 20th-22nd - School Closed,
BT Open
November 23rd and 24th - School and
BT Closed
December 8th - Pathfinder Craft Fair***

***November Birthdays
4th - Diego S.
6th - Elijah Y.
8th - Greta C.
13th - Finnegan H.***

Welcome to November everyone! We hope you had a fun, safe Halloween (if you celebrated) and we look forward to what the rest of the year will bring.

As the nights start to get darker earlier, there may be times when the street lights outside of the school won't be on. If you have a flashlight in your car or on your key ring, we recommend that you use it to help illuminate your path. =)

Conference Days

For those that may not have had these days on their radar, Seattle elementary schools will close for 3 days (November 20th-2nd) for parent-teacher conferences. Blazing Trails will be open from 6:30-6:00 these 3 days. If you haven't already signed up and need care for those days, there are still spaces available. Call or come in to let us know either way. Seattle Public Schools and Blazing Trails will be closed November 23rd and 24th for the Thanksgiving holiday.

We staff according to enrollment, so if you don't sign your child up and end up needing care, we may not be able to guarantee drop in space if we've staffed for a certain number of kids.

Lost and Found

If your child is missing something, please peruse our display rack by the BT entrance. Anything not claimed by Friday December 8th may be donated.

You may also check Pathfinder's lost and found, located in the lunchroom.

14th - Canyon M.
19th - Mirabel S.
20th - Hannah G.
25th - Lilli A.C.
28th - Charles F.
28th - Sammie F.

Winter Break

Blazing Trails will only be open for 4 days during Winter Break in December: Monday December 18th- Thursday December 21st. **We will be closed Friday December 22nd - Monday January 1st.**

Sign up for these days will be posted by the Family Information table by November 15th.

After School Activities

If your child has an after school activity, please remind them that they need to check in with Blazing Trails before (so that we know they are not absent, sick or picked up from school) and after their class. If a student does not check in with us, we have to send a staff member to look for them to ensure that they are where they are supposed to be. This takes a staff member out of our general mix, which affects many aspects of our afternoon, such as recess, other kid searches and taking care of injured or sick children. Thank you in advance for reminding your child to check in with us!

Dates to Remember

Friday November 10th - Closed for Veteran's Day

Seattle Public Schools and Blazing Trails will be closed in observance of Veteran's Day.

Monday November 20th-Wednesday November 22nd - Conference Week

Elementary schools will be closed for conferences. Blazing Trails will be open all day from 6:30 to 6:00 these 3 days. **If your child is coming to us these days they must have a lunch!!!**

Thursday November 23rd and Friday November 24th - Thanksgiving Holiday

Seattle Public Schools and Blazing Trails will be closed for the Thanksgiving holiday.

Upcoming Events

Pathfinder's Annual Craft Fair- Friday December 8th

For several years now, Pathfinder has hosted a children's craft fair. Children are encouraged to make an array of items to be sold during the school day and, should they choose, at an evening event. Students, staff and other members of the Pathfinder community come together to sell and buy various homemade crafts.

Pathfinder and Community adults are also welcome to participate in the evening event (handmade items only).

Although the participants of the craft fair are Pathfinder students, everyone is welcome to come and shop at the evening event.

If you have a child or children participating in the craft fair this year, they are more than welcome to bring their materials to Blazing Trails and work on their craft while in our care. **Any items made from Blazing Trails' materials *may not* be sold at the craft fair.**