

Paw Prints



A Message from our Principals...

Well...I think it's officially time for hot chocolate and marshmallows!! How about you? We sure missed our Bears last week, but hope everyone had a wonderful Thanksgiving with family and friends! ☺ As you know, there's never a dull moment here at BES! Be sure to take a close look at the calendar of upcoming events during the month of December. Parents...just a friendly reminder about the **Lost and Found**. We have several sweaters and coats that have been collected throughout the building. Please remind your Bear to check the Lost and Found if they have misplaced something. As the temperatures drop, those sweaters and coats will definitely come in handy. ☺ **Bear Boogie tomorrow at 1:45 p.m.** Bring your dancing shoes!! See you there!

Proud to be a Birmingham Bear! ☺ Mrs. Doolan-Principal & Mrs. Kishindo-Assistant Principal ☺

Counselor's Corner...

Welcome back Birmingham Bears!

I hope everyone had a week of relaxation and time spent with family and friends. I know it was a much needed break for everyone.

The Wylie Way Christmas campaign of giving is well underway and all of our angels have been adopted out. Thank you so much for responding so quickly!

If you have adopted an angel, thanks in advance for your generosity! Please remember to turn in your unwrapped gifts no later than Friday, December 11th with the tag you received placed in the black bag. You can return the 3 items that you chose to my office by noon on December 11th. Items will definitely be accepted early!

Thanks again for all you do! You are all truly awesome!
~Katie Ray

Campus Happenings...

BNN is brought to us this week by the following crew members:

Analya Contreras	Ariana Sanchez
Axel Guerra	Emily Fowler
Kamiah Jacobs	Marcelo Villegas
Yosef Habtwold	

This week's Animoto presentation is by Ryleigh Doolan and Natalie Rollins.

From the Library...

It's December and I'd LOVE to turn the library into a Winter Wonderland! Let's make LOTS of snowflakes cut out of paper to hang on our library windows. Remember how to do that, Moms and Dads? Just fold a piece of white copy paper several times, cut notches out, and open it up! If you don't know how, I'd be happy to show you!

Yellow BINGO cards can be turned in now! We have an awesome yellow smiley face necklace as our prize for this level. We're up to 121 Red cards, and 45 Orange cards that have been turned in. Keep them coming!

Happy Reading! Mrs. West

If your child complains of a stomach ache, there's a good chance it's not something he or she ate. It's more likely to be something your child is feeling, anxiety. Anxiety can express itself in various ways, and abdominal pain is one parents see again and again. You probably have experienced this when you're nervous and get the fluttering feeling of butterflies in your stomach. Your child may be experiencing it when he or she is anxious and the belly is peppered with pain. Even if the nervousness or anxiety is all in your head, it can create a real sensation or pain in your abdominal area. Taking your child's complaint seriously is a must, as both anxiety and medical issues can lead to pain in the abdominal area. Repeated or especially severe complaints should merit a trip to the doctor.

December 2015

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3 <i>Think College Thursday</i> PDQ Spirit Night	4 Bear Boogie – The Wylie Way Core Values 1:45-2:15	5
6	7	8 Panda Express Spirit Night	9 Big Kahuna Party Bus to Lunch Busy Parent Pizza Party	10 Bear Boogie – WEHS Band Concert 8:00 3rd Grade PTA Program	11 Movie Night 6:00-8:00 Santa Shop Preview	12
13 Santa Shop 	14 Chick-fil-A Spirit Night	15	16 8:00-8:45 - WEHS Prestige Christmas Performance	17 <i>Think College Thursday</i>	18 Early Release Day Class Parties Pajama Day Bear Boogie – Campus Sing-Along	19
20 Christmas Break 	21	22	23	24	25	26
27 Christmas Break 	28	29	30	31		



Be caring for everyone and everything.

Everyone show respect.

Attitude... Have one of gratitude.

Reach for "it" with grit.



PTA News...

*Our Santa Shop will be at BES the week of December 14th and a premiere on December 11th during our movie night.

*Our Coke Points contest has begun! Which class will win the Coke Float Party?

*Permission slips for the Big Kahuna Party Bus were sent home. Please make sure they are turned in before December 9th or your child will not be able to participate.

Important PTA Dates:

- 12/8 – Panda Express Spirit Night
- 12/9 – Big Kahuna Party Bus to Lunch AND Busy Parent Pizza Party
- 12/11 – Movie Night, Polar Express
- 12/14 – Chick Fil A Spirit Night
- 12/14 to 12/17 – Santa Shop
- 12/18 – Class Parties



The Wylie Way – Core Values

2nd Nine Weeks – Caring and Giving

October 26-November 10 – Canned Food Drive

December 2 – Relationship Day

