

Bautista Creek Elementary School



November 2009

Upcoming Events

November

11/5

Make-Up Picture Day



11/7

Saturday School



11/11

Veteran's Day –No
School



11/18—11/20

5th Graders to
Pathfinders



11/20

Report Cards sent home



11/23—11/27

Thanksgiving Break

No School

Saturday School

This is an opportunity for your child to make up an absence..

Saturday school is from 8:00

a.m. to 12:00 p.m. A sack lunch

is served at 11:45. Regular

school lunch procedures and

prices apply. Our next Saturday

session is being offered on Satur-

day, November 7th. This will be

the only date offered in Novem-

ber so plan to have your child

attend, if he or she has missed at

least one day of school.

Fall Festivities

Happy Fall! With Fall comes many fun and exciting activities at Bautista. Here is what is coming up:

Pathfinders

Every year our 5th grade students attend Pathfinders, an outdoor science camp in Garner Valley. The students leave Wednesday, 11/18 and will return on Friday, 11/20. This camp provides students an opportunity to experience hands-on science activities. Mr. Baggett is organizing this along with the 5th grade teachers.

Attendance and H1N1

As the cold weather and flu season approach, we know many of you have concerns about seasonal and H1N1 influenza. The CDC recommends that people with influenza-like illness remain at home until at least 24 hours after they are free of fever (100°F /37. 8°C) or signs of fever without the use of fever-reducing medications. We are also encouraging all staff and students to wash

hands frequently with soap and water when possible. The districts night cleaning crews have committed to routinely cleaning surfaces that staff and students touch often. We are hoping with these precautions we will reduce the number of staff and students affected by the flu this year.

Fire/Disaster Drills

Every month we are required to conduct a Fire/Disaster Drill. Last month we participated in Riverside County's "Great Shake Out". During this drill we will practiced what to do during an earthquake.

PTA

We would like to take a moment to thank Chandra Heath our PTA president and our PTA executive board for their assistance in organizing our Fall Family Festival. We had a huge turnout and a lot of fun. Our teachers and PTA put countless hours into organizing and running the fantastic evening filled with family fun! Thank you for all who attended.

Principal's Message:

I would like to thank everyone who came out and supported our Fall Family Festival. We had a great turn out! We really enjoy doing these community events for our families.

I would also like to thank PTA for helping to organize our Red Ribbon week. We had a magic show assembly and daily activities that reminded us of our goal for living a drug-free life. The finale to our week was the Character Parade which is always a great deal of fun.

We are soon coming to the end of our first trimester. Students will soon be taking a benchmark assessment that will inform us of how well they are grasping their grade level standards. The results of these benchmarks will be used, in part, to determine their final grade for the semester which ends on Friday, November 13. Report will be sent home on Friday, November 20.

Happy Thanksgiving!

Mr. Howland