

BALDWIN NEWSLETTER

NOVEMBER 1, 2025



HEY BOBCATS!

As we step into November, our hearts are full of gratitude for our wonderful Baldwin community. Each day, we are reminded of how lucky we are to learn, grow, and shine together. Thank you for your continued support, partnership, and trust. You truly make our school an incredible place to be!

We have so much to look forward to this month, including one of our favorite traditions: Thanksgiving Lunch with our families! We can't wait to see you and celebrate a season of joy, connection, and thankfulness. Please make sure to look at all the information included below so you do not miss out!

Before we know it, December will be here with even more excitement, but for now, we are savoring this special time together. Wishing each of our families a warm, joyful, and gratitude-filled November!

With appreciation,
Jamie Eubanks and Julie Ozuna
Baldwin Elementary School



IMPORTANT DATES

-  1st Grade Canned Food Drive - 11/3 - 11/14
-  4th Grade Field Trip - 11/3 (Hull & Maldonado) & 11/7 (Cash, Spencer & Kelley)
-  Staff Development Day - no school for students 11/4
-  New to Baldwin Campus tour - 11/5 @ 4:00 pm
-  Picture Day Retakes 11/6
-  Mother Goose Performance PreK - 2nd grade on 11/10
-  Veterans Day Ceremony 11/11
-  Thanksgiving Lunch 11/13 - see page 7 in this newsletter!
-  Family Literacy Night - 11/13 from 6-7 pm
-  PreK Family Fun Day - 11/20 @ 8:15 am
-  1st Grade Field Trip - 11/21
-  Fall Break 11/24 - 11/28



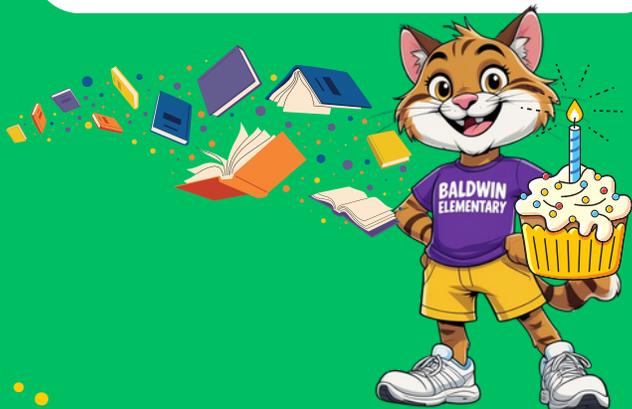


CELEBRATE YOUR CHILD WITH A BIRTHDAY BOOK!

Consider purchasing a library book to celebrate your child's special day. All donations help fund book purchases and author visits. Your donation makes a BIG difference!

After donating, your child will be invited to choose a book from our special birthday bookshelf. We will add a commemorative bookplate inside the cover celebrating your child, and they have the first opportunity to check out their special book! Summer birthdays can be celebrated on their half-birthdays.

Birthday books can be purchased on the library tab at this [link](#).



Get ready for Green Apple Deposit Days!



Baldwin Elementary Deposit Days Schedule

The Green Apple Savings Club encourages students to learn about finances, save regularly, and build healthy money habits.

Fall 2025
August 29
September 26
October 24
November 21
December 19

If you would like to learn more about this program, please contact Amber Rios at amrios@aplusfcu.org.

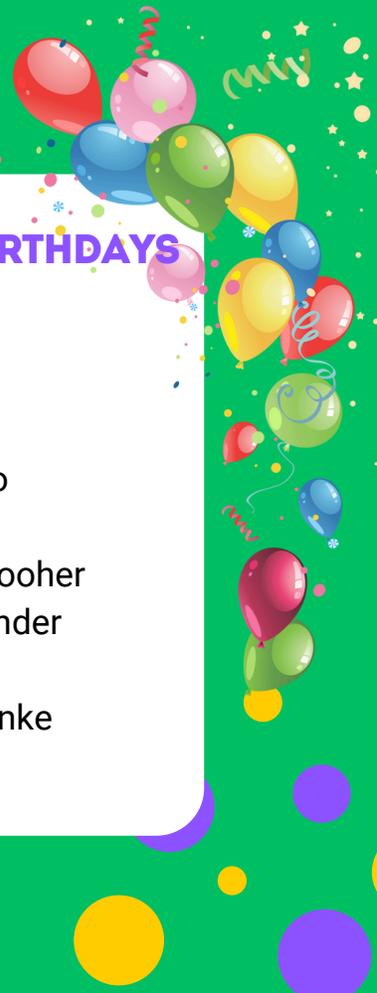
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TEACHER & STAFF BIRTHDAYS

- 11/3 Kelley Hively
- 11/6 Ms. Bee
- 11/7 Kelly Power
- 11/8 Ivonne Moreno
- 11/9 Alicia Cruz
- 11/11 Kambridge Booher
- 11/15 Liliana Alexander
- 11/22 Kaitlyn Pruet
- 11/28 Elizabeth Franke
- 11/29 Ashley Elkins



**LAST YEAR
WE FED
800
PEOPLE!**

Baldwin Elementary

**OUR GOAL
IS 900
PEOPLE**

FOOD DRIVE

**NOVEMBER
3RD- 14TH**



ITEMS NEEDED MOST

PEANUT BUTTER
CANNED CHICKEN BREAST OR TUNA CANNED
LOW SODIUM VEGETABLES
CANNED FRUIT IN ITS OWN JUICE
(NO SUGAR ADDED)
DRY PINTO BEANS
BROWN RICE

DRY PASTA
NON-FAT DRY MILK POWDER
100% WHOLE GRAIN CEREAL
TOMATO SAUCE
CANNED TOMATOES
CANNED ENTREES

For More Information :

<https://www.centraltexasfoodbank.org>



YOU'RE INVITED



HONORING ALL WHO SERVED

NOVEMBER 11TH - 8:00 AM

Baldwin Elementary School will have a special ceremony to honor those who have bravely served our country.

If you are a Veteran and would like to attend please [RSVP here](#).

Students can decorate a [special sheet](#) to honor a Veteran. We will display these sheets in the foyer, photos of your Vet can be included.

Students can submit completed sheets to the front office.

COUNSELING CORNER

Happy November!

During November, I'll be teaching students about Conflict Resolution—how to solve problems and handle disagreements with their peers in positive ways. Through stories, discussions, and role-playing, students will learn how to stay calm, listen to others, and find fair solutions when conflicts arise. We'll also talk about the Circle of Control—helping students understand what things they can control (like their words, actions, and attitude) and what things they can't (like others' choices). This helps them focus their energy on making positive decisions even when situations feel challenging.

Here are a few tips students will practice:

- Stay calm before responding.
- Use kind words and "I feel" statements.
- Listen to the other person's point of view.
- Work together to find a solution that feels fair.
- Ask for help from an adult if needed.



Our goal is to help students build strong relationships and feel confident solving problems respectfully and independently!

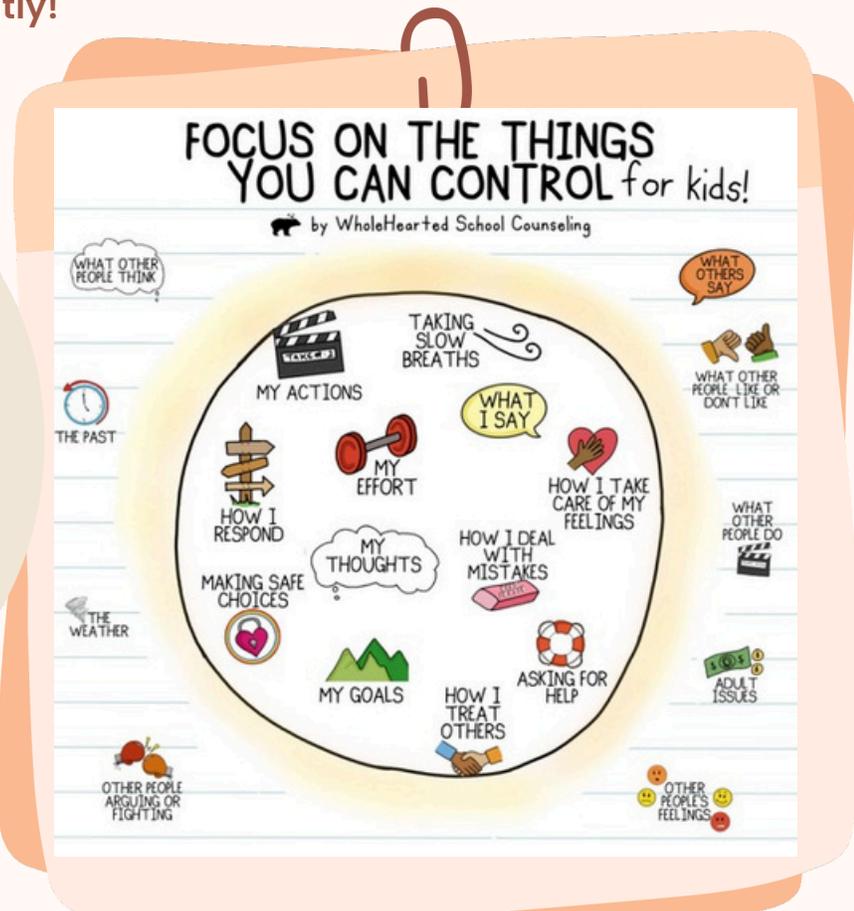


World Kindness Day - November 13th

November 13 is World Kindness Day! This day is all about celebrating and spreading kindness. It reminds us how powerful small acts of kindness can be in making our school, neighborhood, and world a better place. On campus, we'll encourage students to show kindness through random acts for their peers, teachers, and community.

Contact Info:

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[Baldwin Counseling Website](http://BaldwinCounselingWebsite.com)



CURL UP WITH A WARM BOOK



BALDWIN ELEMENTARY BOOK FAIR
DECEMBER 8 - 12

The Winter Book Fair will jingle into Baldwin on December 8. We need your help to make it a winter wonderland of reading fun!

If you would like to help plan our theme and create decorations, please email Kelley.hively@austinisd.org.

To sign up for a volunteer shift during the fair, [*please visit this link!*](#)

Instructions on setting up e-wallets coming soon!

Thank you for supporting reading and our library!



JOIN US FOR

Thanksgiving

LUNCH

November 13

Lunch is \$5.25 each,

must be pre-purchased by Nov. 10th

Students will pay with their student lunch account.

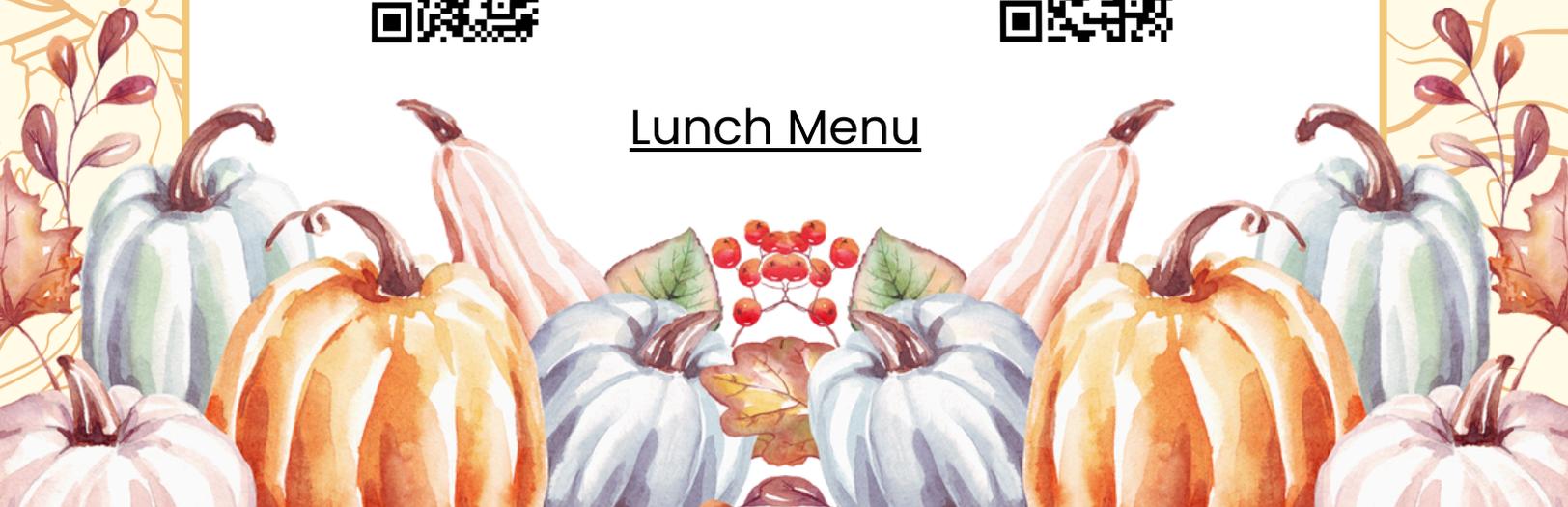
We kindly ask that no outside lunches be brought to this lunch, as we are highlighting our amazing cafeteria.

RSVP

*PURCHASE
ADULT LUNCH*



Lunch Menu



BALDWIN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
INVITES YOU TO



STORYTELLING - CREATING - CHOIR PERFORMANCE -
WRITING - & MORE!

**NOVEMBER
13, 2025**

6:00-7:00PM
IN THE CAFETERIA

COZY UP WITH A GOOD BOOK!

Wear your comfiest PJs and
join Baldwin teachers for a
night of literacy-themed
activities!

FREE EVENT



FOOD ASSISTANCE

for families

IF YOUR FAMILY IS EXPERIENCING FOOD INSECURITY OR NEEDS EXTRA SUPPORT WITH GROCERIES THIS HOLIDAY SEASON, PLEASE CONTACT OUR SCHOOL COUNSELOR, MRS. PRUET, FOR CONFIDENTIAL ASSISTANCE. RESOURCES ARE AVAILABLE FOR FAMILIES WHO MAY HAVE BEEN IMPACTED BY THE LOSS OF SNAP BENEFITS.

contact information:

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Baldwin Elementary School's

CARE & SHARE

2025

DONATE TOYS & CLOTHES TO SUPPORT OUR
BALDWIN FAMILIES THIS UPCOMING HOLIDAY SEASON!

SIGN UP LINK

bit.ly/3WD9I3u



[Care and Share Sign Up Link](https://bit.ly/3WD9I3u)

LOOK WHAT'S COMING!!

Art Fundraiser



YOUR CHILD = THE ARTIST

Students will create their own masterpiece at school.
We'll turn it into custom keepsakes you can wear, use & gift!

WHY YOU'LL LOVE IT

A fun, creative activity for kids
Priceless keepsakes featuring their art
Supports our school's programs & goals
Makes perfect gifts for family & friends



WHAT'S NEXT?

Watch those backpacks! Order info and instructions are headed your way soon.

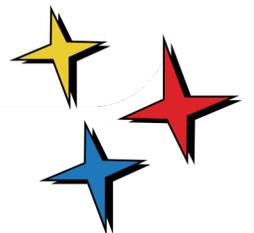


Want a Sneak Peek?

Check out products & details online:
www.originalworks.com/parents



Let's turn imagination into inspiration—
and a little fundraising magic too.
Thanks for supporting creativity in our school!





A huge THANK YOU to
Pedernales Electric
Cooperative for donating
use of their bucket truck
for our annual Book
Character STEM
Challenge Pumpkin Drop!
The Power of Community

Thank
you



Thank you to the
Gilpin Family for
being the October
Golden Spoon
Lunch Sponsor!

VOLUNTEERS

NEEDED

SUBS-R-US!

Help support our teachers by volunteering to substitute
in the classroom.

Read more about the program [here](#).

Sign up to volunteer at this [link](#)!

For more information, contact julie.ozuna@austinisd.org



We appreciate
all that you do