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Save the Date!

8/27	2nd Grade Parent Orientation 5:30p - 6:30p
8/28	Legacy Parent Academy - Mental Health Awareness & Services
8/29	4th Grade Parent Orientation 5:30p - 6:30p
9/2	Holiday - Labor Day
9/3	3rd Grade Parent Orientation 5:30p - 6:30p
9/4	Core Essentials - Trust Wear Blue
9/6	4th Grade Eureka

NEWS @ the Tundra

Please remember - Labor Day is Monday, September 2 and there will be no school.



Parent Orientations

Parent Orientations are parent-only meetings where the teachers will be sharing important information with parents about what to expect for the upcoming school year and sharing how parents can partner with the teachers to support students throughout the year.

Parent Orientation Schedule

Tuesday, August 27	2nd Grade	5:30p - 6:30pm - Classrooms
Thursday, August 29	4th Grade	5:30p - 6:30pm - Classrooms
Tuesday, September 3	3rd Grade	5:30p - 6:30pm - Classrooms

WATCH D.O.G.S.

SIGN-UP NOW TO RESERVE YOUR DATE!

Dates available starting September 9th through the end of the school year for Fathers, Grandfathers, and Father-Figures. [To sign up, click here.](#)

- Volunteer and visit your child's classroom
- Be a positive role model
- Give back to the school by completing volunteer tasks
- Gain appreciation for everything it takes to educate our children
- Get to know your child's teachers and admin staff

A Watch D.O.G.S. kick off meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 10 from 6:30p-7:00p in the LGI.

QUESTIONS? Please contact Nate Anderson – watchdogs.bhepta@gmail.com
For more information on Watch D.O.G.S., [click here.](#)



Big 3 Ideas - Treat Others Right; Make Smart Decisions; Maximize Your Potential



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[To sign up, click here.](#)



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Volunteer

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Eureka

EUREKA is a science enrichment program designed with a lesson and hands-on experiences and experiments for each student. The program is 100% PTA funded and volunteer coordinated.



Would you like to share in this program with your child? Come volunteer with us! Don't worry, no science experience is necessary.

Kinder	First Grade	Second Grade
October 4	September 20	September 13
November 15	November 8	November 1
February 21	February 7	January 17
March 20	April 24	March 5 (Thursday)

Third Grade	Fourth Grade	Fifth Grade
September 27	September 6	October 11
December 6	October 25	December 12 (Thursday)
January 31	January 24	February 28
March 27	May 8	May 1

Volunteer Sign Up links for the 2019-2020 school year. Click away!

[Kindergarten Eureka Sign Up](#)

[First Grade Eureka Sign Up](#)

[Second Grade Eureka Sign Up](#)

[Third Grade Eureka Sign Up](#)

[Fourth Grade Eureka Sign Up](#)

[Fifth Grade Eureka Sign-Up](#)

We are in need of **EUREKA Grade Level Coordinators**. If you are interested in helping with the behind the scenes prep, please contact Karen Chen-Manning or Jennifer Avalos at eureka.bhepta@gmail.com.

EUREKA would not be possible without our awesome volunteers!

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Bonnie Holland Elementary

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Parkway,
Katy, TX 77494
Ph: 281.234.0500
Fax: 281.644.1695

Principal: **Linnea Griffith**
School Hours:
8:20 a.m. - 3:40 p.m.

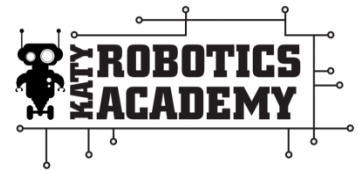
Gifted and Talented Screening

If you are interested in having your child screened for the Katy ISD GT program, please visit our website for information, forms needed and deadline.

Make sure you visit the appropriate tab for your child's grade level and deadlines and forms vary. Click here to visit the [BHE GT Screening Website](#).

After School Katy Robotics Academy Coming to BHE for 2019-2020

We are excited to announce that our 1st-5th graders will have a wonderful opportunity to learn computer programming with LEGO robotics this year!



Students will learn computer science and robotics concepts through hands-on experience with LEGO EV3 and WeDo robots. Registration is first come, first served, and space is limited. To register or find out more information about this amazing program coming to BHE, visit www.katyroboticsacademy.com/

Box Tops For Education

It's time to start collecting and turning in Box Tops to your child's classroom. Simply collect the Box Tops, place them in a sealed plastic bag and have your Husky drop them in a collection box at school OR

Scan your Box Tops, Skip the Scissors - Use the Mobile App Instead!



It's the easiest way to earn for your school: just use the Box Tops mobile app to scan your store receipt. It automatically finds participating products and instantly adds Box Tops to your school's earnings online. No clipping required! [Sign up here](#).

[Click here for Box Tops for Education Instructions.](#)

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Legacy Parent Academy



Legacy Parent Academy will continue in the 2019-2020 school year with sessions focusing on prevalent social- emotional topics. This year's sessions are as follows:

Wednesday, August 28, 2019	6:00p-8:00p	Mental Health Awareness and Services
Wednesday, September 25, 2019	6:00p-8:00p	Cyberbullying
Wednesday, October 16, 2019	6:00p-8:00p	Vaping
Wednesday, November 13, 2019	6:00p-8:00p	Transitioning from Elementary to Junior High School
Wednesday, November 13, 2019	7:15pm-8:15pm	Understanding High School Credits, Academic, Pre-AP/AP, and Dual Credit Courses
Wednesday, January 15, 2020	6:00p-8:00p	This force they call "Social Media"
Wednesday, February 19, 2020	6:00p-8:00p	Internet Safety
Wednesday, March 25, 2020	6:00p-8:00p	Drug & Alcohol Awareness
Wednesday, April 22, 2020	7:00pm-8:30pm	Human Trafficking
Wednesday, April 29, 2020	6:00p-8:00p	Post-Secondary Opportunities at Technical Schools and Workforce Readiness Programs

The academy is intended to provide parents with information on current topics that impact students and schools district-wide. Academy sessions are supplemental to campus-based programs and initiatives.

The Legacy Parent Academy webpage, which includes session descriptions and a link to register for the sessions, is accessible at:

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<http://www.katyisd.org/parents/Pages/Legacy-Parent-Academy.aspx>.

Volunteer Orientation

Save the date for the [BHE Volunteer Orientation](#) Thursday, September 12th from 8:30 am-9:15 am in the LGI. Everyone is welcome!

Get Involved!

There are plenty of ways to get involved! PTA Membership is a good start! There are MANY ways you can *be the change you want to see* in the Tundra. You can make contributions like:

- ✓ Donating your time as a volunteer such as [Watch D.O.G.S.](#), Eureka, [Lunchroom helper](#), School Store, Red Ribbon Week, or many other [volunteer opportunities](#) you can find on the PTA website.
- ✓ Donating items for the school auction or monetary contributions to the Fall Husky Hustle Fundraiser.

Become a Member!



The school calendar is full of wonderful activities and events. The BHE PTA is always looking for new volunteers to make it all happen at the Tundra. It does take a village!

So please do consider joining the BHE PTA. Become a [member](#) by completing and returning [the form](#) or signing up online at [JoinPTA.org](#).

Membership fees pay for our much loved programs at BHE like Junior Achievement, EUREKA, Father Daughter Dance, Watch DOGS and many more.

Plus there are many [benefits](#) from becoming a member!

10 Reasons You Should Join Us

- 1. You get to meet the people you work with.** You get to meet the people you work with. You get to meet the people you work with.
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PTA DOES THAT...??

- PTA PROVIDES EDUCATIONAL ENRICHMENT FOR OUR HUSKIES!**
 - PTA funds educational programs: Jr-School Squads, Academics, Writing, Art, & Student and Classroom Library programs.
 - PTA celebrates our diversity by hosting the annual All-Cultural Festival.
 - PTA celebrates Arts in Education & hosts the annual All-Cultural Festival.
 - PTA helps fund school events such as Art Night, Book Release Week, Jr. Squaring Events, and the Fall Spring Field Day.
 - PTA funds the 5th grade trip to St. Ignace.
 - PTA funds supports the Science Science Program.
- PTA SUPPORTS BHE!**
 - PTA provides financial support for uniforms, volunteer for the Library, Cafeteria, Lunchroom, Junior Achievement, and Art Department and in the general music, city grade, and more.
 - PTA hosts in-kind appreciation events throughout the year.
 - PTA helps make the cost of staff training for teachers throughout the school.
- PTA COMMUNICATES!**
 - Working closely with the BHE PTA Facebook page.
 - Participating in the school newsletter.
 - PTA sponsors and organizes the annual book fair.
 - PTA provides an annual distribution and provides it to all PTA members.
- WITH FUNDS RAISED DURING THE 2018-19 SCHOOL YEAR...**
 - PTA purchased new science books and lab equipment for the 6th grade science class.
 - PTA purchased new uniforms for the 5th grade.
 - PTA purchased new learning materials for the 5th grade.
 - PTA purchased 1000 new items to support the 5th grade.
 - PTA purchased the 5th grade classroom library.
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 - PTA purchased new materials which will be used for the events throughout the year.





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Volunteer!

There are many ways you can contribute! Family and student events, staff support, fundraising, and much more!

Questions can be emailed to Sarah Ponville, VIPS Chair, at BHEVIPS@gmail.com.

Sign up via [online](#) or scan the QR CODE or print the [Volunteer Interest form](#) and turn into the front office or send to school in your child's take home folder.

Sign up under the **Volunteer/Signup** tab on the [BHE PTA Website](#).

[Click here](#) for more information about how to get involved and a Volunteer Opportunities Calendar.



Spirit Wear

Don't forget to order your BHE Spirit Wear!

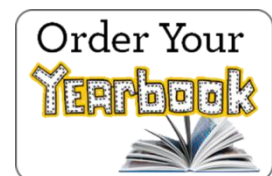
Order online at

<https://www.myschoolstore.net>.



Order Your 2019-2020 BHE Yearbook

Order a yearbook for your student and capture the best of the school year. The power of a yearbook: it keeps the memories alive forever. Order a yearbook for your student today and it'll be treasured for years to come. [Click here](#) to get started.



Communication

Stay in the loop! There are many tools to help you find all the info you need related to school activities, calendars and events. The Alaskan Pipeline is a weekly issue, but you can also find info on the [BHE PTA website](#), the [BHE](#)

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[Facebook](#) page and the [BHE website!](#)

New App and Resources for Parents

Katy ISD has launched two new resources for parents and students this school year!

Edulog Lite is a school bus tracking mobile app that monitors the location of a student's bus. Parents of eligible riders will be emailed a campus code to use in their app by the first week of school.

[A+ Pay N' Go](#), an online web store, provides a quick and convenient way to pay student course fees, meal payments and other activity fees, all FREE of charge!

Get a jump start on the school year and check out the [Pay N' Go website](#) and download the Edulog Lite app ([Apple App Store](#) or [Google Play Store](#)) today!

Birthday Marquee

On the BHE marquee in the front of the school, we dedicate one side just for the honoring of BHE students birthdays!



Every week the PTA updates the birthday side with new student names. We have room for 3 students each week.

Sign-ups for available slots are on a first-come, first-serve basis, so jump on-board quick to secure your date. Slots cost \$50 payable by check to BHE PTA or by Paypal using bhepta.treasurer@gmail.com. Click here to print the [Birthday Marquee Form](#).

2019-2020 Reflections

Look Within will be the next Reflections theme and you can start on your projects now! Happy creating!

- [Reflections Overview](#)
- [Eligibility & Participation](#)

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2021-2022 Reflections Theme Search Contest





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