



# The Alaskan Pipeline

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### Save the Date!

8/20	KG/Pre-K/PCCD Parent Orientation 5:30p - 6:30p
8/22	5th Grade Parent Orientation 5:30p - 6:30p
8/26	1st Grade Parent Orientation 5:30p - 6:30p
8/27	2nd Grade Parent Orientation 5:30p - 6:30p
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

### NEWS @ the Tundra

Please note, BHE is no longer using Remind 101 due to a change in the company's membership requirements. Campus eNews messages will be sent to notify parents via email (and text if available) regarding rainy day dismissals, weather alerts between 3:00-3:15pm, same day.

### Core Essentials - August- Wear Green - Big 3 Ideas



Treat Others Right; Make Smart Decisions;  
Maximize Your Potential

[Click here for the 2019-2020 Core Essentials](#)

### 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

<b>Tuesday, August 20</b>	KG/Pre-K/PCCD	5:30p - 6:30pm - Classrooms
<b>Thursday, August 22</b>	5th Grade	5:30p - 6:30pm - Classrooms
<b>Monday, August 26</b>	1st Grade	5:30p - 6:30pm - Classrooms
<b>Tuesday, August 27</b>	2nd Grade	5:30p - 6:30pm - Classrooms
<b>Thursday, August 29</b>	4th Grade	5:30p - 6:30pm - Classrooms
<b>Tuesday, September 3</b>	3rd Grade	5:30p - 6:30pm - Classrooms

### 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



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[Benefits](#)



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.](#)

### 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.

Please check upcoming Pipeline issues for Eureka dates by grade level and for the opportunity to sign up to volunteer.

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

EUREKA would not be possible without our awesome volunteers!

### 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:

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### Volunteer

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### Keep in Touch

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[BHE PTA website](#)



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### Bonnie Holland Elementary

23720 Seven Meadows 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.

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:

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

### Volunteer Orientation

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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 will have fun! You will meet other parents and children who share your interests and have fun together!
2. You will be able to help your child's education. You will be able to help your child's education by attending meetings, conferences, and other events.
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#### PTA DOES THAT...??

**PTA PROVIDES EDUCATIONAL ENRICHMENT FOR OUR KIDS!**

- PTA funds educational programs: On-School Speakers, Assemblies, Visiting Authors, 2. Student and Classroom Library
- PTA celebrates our diversity by hosting the annual All-Grades Cultural Night!
- PTA celebrates and educates about the annual International Day of the Girl!
- PTA supports field trips such as: Art Night, Book Release Week, PE, Scouting, Science, and the 100th Anniversary!
- PTA funds the 5th-grade trip to St. Ignace!
- PTA funds and staffs the Science Science Program!

**PTA SUPPORTS BHE!**

- PTA provides volunteer support for BHE events, including the Library, Career, and Junior Achievement Bank, and Department 2.
- PTA provides staff support for BHE events.
- PTA provides the cost of staff training for teachers throughout our school.

**WITH FUNDS RAISED DURING THE 2018-19 SCHOOL YEAR...**

- PTA purchased new classroom books for our 1st-5th graders!
- PTA purchased new library furniture for the BHE library!
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- PTA purchased new books to replenish the 5th Grade Classroom Library!
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**PTA COMMUNICATES!**

- PTA provides BHE newsletters!
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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](mailto: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!

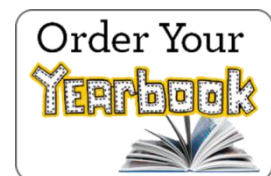
Order online at

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

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### 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 at [BHE Birthday Marquee Sign-Up](#).



### 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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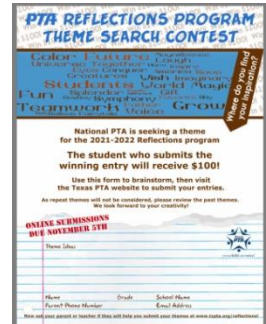
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### 2021-2022 Reflections Theme Search Contest

Students can participate in the annual Theme Search Contest according to State PTA Reflections Program guidelines. Every year, one winning student's theme is selected by a team of National PTA volunteers. The winning student is awarded \$100 and recognized in National PTA's awards celebration program booklet.

[Click here for the Theme Search Entry Form](#)



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