## PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

This month started out with some uncertainty with the hurricane, but October is now well under way! We have many changes to our calendar that need to be highlighted:

Today, 10/10— regular school day with early dismissal

Monday, 10/17-Now a school day with dismissal at 1:50

Monday, 10/24-regular school day with early dismissal

Monday, 10/31—regular school day with early dismissal

Mondays in November and December will all be dismissed at 1:50.

We will send reminders on Mondays through Parent Link as well.

Mrs. Suarez

### Gallop to Greatness!!

Our annual fundraiser, Gallop to Greatness, will kick off this Friday, October 14th! Students will attend a pep rally and information will be coming home both physical copies and digitally. Our actual G2G event will take place on Friday, October 28th. We can't wait to have some fun and fundraise for our amazing school!

We'd like to say THANK YOU to Leslie Harms and Christy Jaster who have worked so hard with the organization of this event and securing of amazing prizes for our Broncos!

#### **Book Character Parade:**

We have decided this year to have the Book Character Parade for ALL Broncos, PK-5! We will be enjoying a read-aloud from an author on the covered court beginning at 8:30 on 10/31. Following this event, students will be dismissed by grade level to walk around the track displaying their book and costume associated. Please remember that this is not a Halloween costume, and must be associated with a book character. We can't wait to see everyone and their creativity! Parents are invited to watch the parade on the track for this event. Classroom teachers will have more information for you soon!

### **Impact of Tardies:**

Being tardy to school has a significant impact on student learning. We encourage students to arrive to school as close to 7:10 as possible to ensure instruction can begin at 7:40 when the bell rings. When students arrive late, student learning is interrupted as students need to be escorted to class and then make up whatever they missed. This often gets others off track as well. We greatly appreciate your efforts for on time arrival to school.



#### **October Important Dates**

10/12 End of Quarter 1

10/17-10/21-Book Fair

10/19 Conference Night

10/20 SAC Meeting 3pm virtually

10/24 Start of Red Ribbon Week

10/26 KG Bedtime Stories, 6PM, Media Ctr.

10/28 Gallop to Greatness!

10/31 Book Character Parade for ALL

students



Dear Parents, Some important reminders:

Please make sure you have your child arrive to school on time every morning. Each tardy student disrupts the workflow of both classroom and front office staff. We appreciate your consideration. Students can arrive as early as 7:10 so they are prepared for our 7:40 start of instruction.

Dismissal has been running exceptionally well! Please arrive
earlier than 2:10 as that is when
car line has been ending to avoid
calls from the office and late
pick-ups.

Thank you!

# **Report Cards**

Our first quarter ends on Wednesday, October 12th. Report Cards will be available on November 4th and will be viewable online only. Watch for an email from the district for access.

Galloping to Greatness ... As Leaders!

