# **GRIZZLY BIZZ**

## February 23, 2018

Dear Grizzly Families,

I invite you to save the date for our upcoming PTA General Meeting- **Thursday**, **March 15**th **6:00-7:30pm**. There will be a safety update and a new website rollout. Our guest speakers, Stan Machesky, Director of Elementary Education and Ymisserah Eddington, Supervisor of Facilities and Planning, will be discussing growth in the Portola Springs area. There will be free childcare for Portola Springs students.

We hope you enjoy your weekend and some pizza through our Family Dine Out with Dominos!

Sincerely,

Megan Bricker, Principal

Portola Springs Elementary

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### **UPCOMING DATES**

- Thursday, February 22<sup>nd</sup>- March 1<sup>st</sup>- Family Dine out at Dominos
- Friday, February 23<sup>rd</sup> 8:15am- Grizzly Nation (families are welcome)
- Monday, February 26th- Vision and Hearing screening for TK, K, 2nd, 5th
- Thursday, March 8th 6:00pm- Kinder Round Up (parent only event)
- Friday, March 9th Enrollment for new families opens by appointment only
- **Friday, March 9th-** Jog a thon!
- Friday, March 9th 3:00pm- Report Cards available online via Parent Portal

# **SCHOOL INFORMATION**

## Late Lunch Drop Off

For families that drop off late lunches in the bins by the front office, please note our process is changing effective Monday. All lunches must be dropped off IN the office **BEFORE 11:40**. For safety, we want to prevent adults that are not checked in having access to students. We appreciate your help with this!

# **Playground Balls**

For clarification, students are able to bring balls to school to use during recess times. Handballs, soccer balls, and footballs are permitted. Students must abide by the same school rules, not exclude anyone from playing, and are responsible for the equipment. Tennis balls and bouncy balls are not permitted.

## **Family Lunch Day**

Save the date! Our next Family Lunch Day will be Friday, March 16<sup>th</sup>. The schedule will be as follows:

- 1st/2nd 11:35-12:00 eat, 12:00-12:20 play
- 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> 12:05-12:25 eat, 12:25-12:50 play
- 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> 12:30-12:50 eat, 12:50-1:15 play

# **PTA INFORMATION**

#### Jog-a-thon

Pledge envelopes went home yesterday. For students that return the pledge envelopes, no matter what amount, they receive a prize in class. For students that raise \$50 or more, they will receive Grizzly spirit socks! All students will receive a free t-shirt to wear on Friday, March 9<sup>th</sup>, courtesy of PTA. Come join us and cheer on our runners!

# **IPSF INFORMATION**

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