

Raven Reporter

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Principal's Message

Welcome Back!

It has been a great start to the school year. It was a very smooth first week, and I want to thank the students, teachers, staff, and parents for getting us off to an excellent start. We are excited for the rest of the year.

Introductions

We have many part-time staff working with students whom I want to introduce.

Monica Everson, GIS

Jenn Anhorn, Psychologist

Jaymee McCall, Teacher on Special Assignment Math

Kelli Brown, Teacher on Special Assignment Reading

Vikki Swain, Teacher on Special Assignment Technology

Katie Pedrosa, Teacher on Special Assignment Art

The Teachers on Special Assignment will be teaching lessons throughout the year.

Need BR Spiritwear?

Visit [Sprit in Print](#) and orders will be delivered to Bud Rank.

Parent Teacher Club

Make sure to join our PTC. They are the greatest support to students, teachers, coaches, and advisors on campus. It is easy to join, has excellent benefits, and is tax deductible. Join today at: www.ptcbudrank.com/store.

ParentSquare

If you haven't downloaded the free ParentSquare, please do so. We will be using it as our primary source of communication, both from the school and classrooms. All CUSD schools will be using the app, making it much easier for families to get all their information in one place. Just search ParentSquare in your app store.



We are working through the issues on the ParentSquare and BR Website calendars, where events are appearing on the wrong day and time. We hope to have it all resolved next week. In the meantime, the ParentSquare posts and the Raven Reporter days and times are correct.

-Ryan Gettman

Visit us:



Office Hours

Monday-Friday
7:15 am-4:15 pm

[Bell Schedule](#)

[Bus Schedule](#)

[Student Calendar](#)

Lunch Menu

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Breakfast: Mini Cinnis or Cereal	Breakfast: Mini French Toast or Cereal	Breakfast: Egg, Ham & Cheese Breakfast Bar Or Cereal	Breakfast: Oatmeal Chocolate Chip Benefit Bar or Cereal	Breakfast: Honey Wheat Bar or Cereal
Lunch: Turkey Sausage Breakfast Pizza or French Toast Sticks	Lunch: Orange Chicken Rice Bowl or Cheesy Pull Apart Bread	Lunch: Chicken Patty Sandwich or Hot 'n Spicy Chicken Patty Sandwich	Lunch: Crispy Chicken Salad w/roll or Grilled Cheese Sandwich	Lunch: Nashville Hot Chicken Nuggets or Creamy Mac-n-Cheese

[Link to view menu & pictures of meals](#)



26th – Student Council Permission Slips & Posters Due
Drama Auditions, 4pm, Rm 29

28th – Drama Auditions, 1:15, Rm. 29
Student Council Speeches Filmed, 1:15, Rm. 24

29th – 4th-6th Robotics Parent Meeting, 5pm, MPR



2nd – Labor Day/No School

6th – Sunrise with Sons
Cross Country Meet & Broncomania, 10am, CN



Bud Rank PTC Membership Levels

\$30 General Membership

- Includes PTC voting rights

\$50 Bronze Membership

- Includes PTC voting rights
- Choice of Movie or Skate Night for up to 2 BR students (\$40 value)

\$100 Silver Membership

- Includes PTC voting rights
- Choice of Movie or Skate Night for up to 2 BR students (\$40 value)
- 1 Raffle** entry for a Carnival wristband for up to 2 BR students (\$80 value)

\$250 Gold Membership

- Includes PTC voting rights
- 1 Carnival wristband for 1 BR student (\$40 value)
- Birthday Marquee for each BR student (\$50+ value)
- Choice of Movie or Skate Night for up to 2 BR students (\$40 value)
- 1 Raffle** entry for 1 All Access Pass (see below for Pass details)

\$500 Raven Membership

- Includes PTC voting rights
- All Access Pass valued at up to \$440!!!
- Carnival wristband for each BR student
- Dance tickets for each BR student
- Movie Night tickets for each BR student
- Skate Night tickets for each BR student
- Birthday Marquee for each BR student



BR PTC store

DON'T MISS OUT!
** Deadline for Raffle
9/27 at 5:00pm



**24-25 Athletic
Schedule Click
HERE**



BLUE FRIDAYS ARE BACK!

Wear your BR spirit wear or any blue shirt! There will be a winning class in primary and upper grades every week!

Picking up your student early from school??

- Bring your smartphone.
- Scan the QR code on the counter in the office.
- Fill out the form.
- We'll call your student and you will be on your way to your appointment.

***Students will NOT be released to anyone who is not listed in Parent Connect as an emergency & release contact. CHECK YOUR LIST.

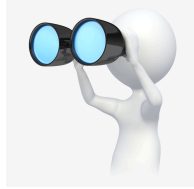
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REPORT AN ABSENCE

It is important to let us know when your student(s) are absent. Please choose one of the following ways to report an absence:



- Through our [Parent Connect](#) Just click “Report an Absence” at the top left.
- [Instructions](#)

*Absences must be cleared through the front office within 5 days or they will remain, “uncleared”

Parent Teacher Club President' Message

Hello everyone! It is so exciting to be back for our new 2024-2025 school year! I hope everyone had a great summer and enjoyed some family time. As we begin our new school year and the journeys of our students entering into their next grade level, we are reminded of just how quickly our children grow up and move on in their lives. Almost every single parent I have spoken to over the years all say "my kids are growing up so fast that before I know it they will be graduating from high school"! And you know what, it does go fast. But let's all try and slow it down this year. Your involvement, your time, your conversations, your questions, your support-these are all invaluable to your child's education and growth. Let's take more time out of our daily routines and spend more time with our children, assisting them not just with school but everything. Let's have more dinners at home with our families instead of going out. Let's have more conversations over our dinners and meals and during our downtime at home instead of watching TV and our shows and movies. Let's focus more on our children's day-to-day activities. Let's ask our children more questions about their day at school, what did they learn, what was their favorite topic, and who did they play with on that day. Let's talk to our children more about what is their favorite subject at school, and what is

not. Ask them what activities/sports they like the most? These types of changes may help slow down our time with our children so we don't have to feel like it is going fast and what happens to the year. Let's do some different types of activities this school year with our children. In addition, let's try to be at all of their performing arts shows, attend all of their sporting events, and be more involved in their classrooms by being chaperones and going on their field trips. And what better way to be on top of those activities, sporting events, different performing arts programs, as well as all the special events happening at school, is to join PTC and be informed about everything!

PTC is not only being part of our team through your memberships, but it is also one of the best ways to be informed about what we are doing at school all throughout the year and all of the events and activities that we do to support our awesome teachers which supports our children (students) in the end result. PTC, with your support, has helped raise more than 25K to help fund many items here at Bud Rank that support our teachers and our children. Your membership and involvement in PTC is not just a contribution; it's a source of pride. In addition as a member you will have the opportunity to speak and listen to Mr Gettman at all of our meetings throughout the school year. What better way to be informed about our school in the current environment and changes happening that affect our children. So come join our team at PTC and have fun while supporting all of our teachers and students!

Thank you to our great teachers and administrators for a soon-to-be excellent school year, and thank you to Mr. Gettman, our principal, who leads us in helping our children en route to their future endeavors!

Michael Brescione
PTC President