



BILL ROBERTS K-8 Bobcat Bulletin: The Weekly Roar!

1/9/2026

IMPORTANT DATES & UPCOMING EVENTS

| DATE | EVENT | DATE | EVENT |
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| 1/13 | Kindergarten Field Trip | 1/16 | K-8 Assessment Day - NO SCHOOL for Students |
| 1/14 | PTA Meeting | 1/19 | MLK Jr. Holiday - NO SCHOOL |
| 1/15 | School Tour (PM) | 1/23 | (Middle School) Food Truck Friday |

LINKS!

[PTA DEI Committee Parent Resource Bank](#)

[2025-26 School Year Calendar](#)

[Purchase 2025/2026 Yearbook](#)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Inclement Weather ❄️ As the temperature drops (and Denver finally remembers it's winter!), we want to share a quick reminder of our inclement weather protocol. To keep our students safe and comfortable, we move to an indoor start or indoor recess whenever the "feels like" temperature is 23 degrees or below, or in the event of heavy rain or snow. However, our goal is always to get the students outside for fresh air whenever possible. Please continue to send your children with warm coats, hats, and gloves, as we will head outdoors any time the weather remains above that 23-degree threshold.

Parking Lot & Accessibility As our community continues to grow, we want to ensure that our campus remains safe and accessible for all families. We have a limited number of designated handicap spots available. These are strictly reserved for those with valid permits. Drop-off and pick-up are busy times. Thank you for your continued patience and for looking out for the safety of all our students and families.

Early Spring Student Registration Now Open (B&G Basketball) The student registration for Boys & Girls Basketball for our Early Spring DPS Prep League season is now open. [HERE](#) is link to our Early Spring registration page to send out to your families. The deadline to register is set for January 30 at 5:00 p.m. We plan for the first week of games to be



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February 23. Reminder that DPS will have a 6th grade only season starting after this regular season of basketball.

Lunchtime Composting We Need Volunteers! Our new composting initiative is continuing this semester. Here is the new [Composting Sign Up Sheet](#). There are three shifts available each day and we'd love it if there were one or two volunteers at each shift. If you have any questions about our composting program, please email Kristen at kristen.lommele@gmail.com.

Kids and Screens Parent Discussion Series Hosted by the Safety Committee

Please join us for the first meeting of our monthly parent discussion series! Come together with other Bill Roberts' parents to continue the conversation and build community parenting in a screen-based culture. This month we will be discussing Screen Time Rules & Limits using Jean Twenge's 10 Rules for Raising Kids in a High Tech World as a guide. All the details are below and childcare will be provided.

Thursday, January 22nd
6-7:30 pm
Bill Roberts Library
Childcare provided
[RSVP here](#)

Reminder January 16th Assessment Day (no school for students) This is a non-student contact day but some students, mainly lower elementary, may be asked to come in to complete diagnostic assessments. This is a critical day for our staff to analyze student data in order to make important instructional decisions for the second semester. Discovery Link WILL offer programming this day. The camp will run from 7 AM to 5:30 PM. Here are the instructions on how to [register for non-school day care](#). And here is a [FAQ resource](#) that may be helpful as well.

Reminder Expanding Monday Morning Enrichments! Beginning in mid-late January, we are working to expand our enrichment offerings on Late Start Mondays (sessions will start at 8:50a). Our goal is to prioritize families for whom cost/transportation is prohibitive. After we have determined how many slots would be available, we will either fill the slots with other students or develop a lottery system- depending on the need. Also, we will begin with offerings for elementary students only and will then re-assess our ability to offer middle school students this opportunity. PLEASE COMPLETE [ONE FORM](#) FOR EACH CHILD by Friday January 2nd. More information to follow.



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Reminder Support Curious Theatre/Ms. Jada Dixon (Bill Roberts' Daughter) The Curious Theatre would like to invite Bill Roberts parents, teachers, and staff to attend our upcoming production!. We're excited to extend a special offer to your community. See [this flyer](#) for more information!

We've created two discount opportunities exclusively for the Bill Roberts community:

- **BRobertsEd** - \$15 tix for Educators
- **ParentsBRob** - 10% off tix for 1/17 @ 2 pm, 1/24 @ 2 pm

We ask that these codes be shared internally only—with your staff, teachers, and parents.

About the Play — Bad Books:

A worried mother comes to the library for what she believes will be a reasonable, polite discussion about which books are appropriate for her teenage son. But her confrontation with the town librarian—a woman deeply committed to her job and her community—sets off a chain reaction of consequences no one could have predicted. Equal parts heartbreakingly poignant and absurdly funny, *Bad Books* invites audiences to consider what it truly means to care for our children. It's a raucous and brash debate set against the quietest place in America... the library.

Ms. Jada has the pleasure of being part of the cast of this production! The play runs January 10 – February 1, 2026, and we would be thrilled to welcome your community to the theatre.

Reminder E-Bike Safety As a reminder, we work hard to maintain a safe campus and encourage E-Bike Safety at all times. Officer Jackson is aware of our E-Bike Riders and has provided safety reminders for them- including wearing helmets and not “doubling-up” on the bikes. Please see [this article](#), from the NY Times, about the rise in E-Bike incidents. Be safe and aware out there!