

8/15/25

IMPORTANT DATES & UPCOMING EVENTS

DATE	EVENT	DATE	EVENT
8/18	First Day of School! (9:50a start)	9/10	PTA Meeting
8/25	K-2 Assessment Day (no school K-2 Only)	9/12	K-2 Meet and Greet @ Urban Air
9/1	Labor Day (no school)	9/26	Book it Bobcats Celebration
9/2	K-8 Assessment Day (no school)	10/25	HOLD: School Auction!

LINKS!

PTA DEI Committee Parent Resource Bank 2025-26 School Year Calendar

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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- 4:30-4:45 Elementary Admin/PTA Welcome in Gym
- 4:45- 5:15 Round 1
- 5:15-5:30 Elementary Admin/PTA Welcome in Gym
- 5:30-6:00 Round 2
- 6:00-6:15 MS Admin/PTA/Athletics Welcome in Gym
- 6:15-7:30 MS Classrooms

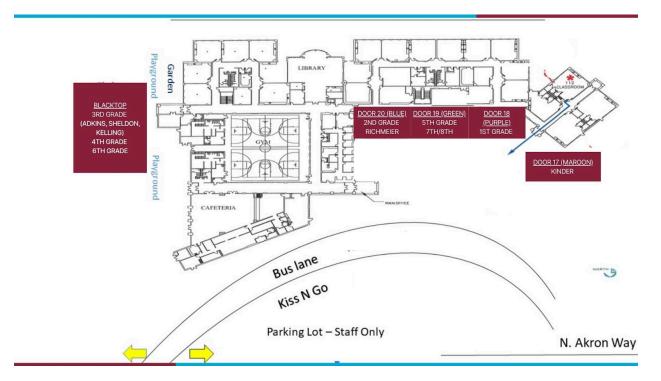
Meet Our New Staff We are excited to welcome several new staff members to our Bobcat Family! Get to know a little bit about them <u>HERE</u> and please show them how welcoming and supportive this Roberts Community truly is!!!

Arrival Procedures Arrivals are welcome 10 minutes prior to the start of the school day (unless they are attending Discovery Link, at breakfast or in a club with prior consent provided). Outdoor supervision does not occur prior to 10 minutes before the start of school.



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

- KDG, 1, 2, and 5 grades will meet in front of the school until the bell rings. At that time, they will line up at their class' designated spot and their teacher will walk them inside to start their day. KDG "soft start" begins 10 minutes prior to the start of the school day.
- Grades 3, 4, and 6 meet on the main playground until the bell rings. At that time, they will line up at their class' designated spot on the playground and their teacher will walk them inside to start their day.
- Grades 7 and 8 meet in the front of the school and will be let into the building prior to elementary grades.



Parking Lot Procedures

- All vehicles must enter the parking lot at the entrance located across from the Police Training Facility on N. Akron Way
- Drivers should adhere to one way directions at all times (see below)
- There is a Kiss-n-Go lane for quick drop-offs. Drivers should not exit vehicle or park their car in the Kiss-n-Go Lane.
- Bus Lane/Fire Lane are no parking areas at all times. Vehicles should not enter this lane unless directed by school personnel.



Pedestrian, Bike, Skateboard, Scooter Policies

- Pedestrians have the right of way in all circumstances. Cars and bikes are expected to yield to pedestrians.
- o Students and families are asked to dismount bikes, etc. upon entering campus.
- o Caregivers and students should cross at designated crosswalks at all times.
- o Crosswalks are located on E 22nd and N. Akron Way.
- o Additional crosswalks are for students exiting the kiss and go lane.
- o Staff crosses students on E 22nd where bus and car traffic exit.



Daily Breakfast Availability The cafeteria will be open at the following times for breakfast. Students should enter through the cafeteria doors and remain in the cafeteria while eating.

- Mondays 9:30-9:50
- Tuesdays-Fridays 8:30-8:50
- KDG and 1st Graders will be escorted to their classrooms from the cafeteria at the beginning of the school day.



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Room Parent Email Lists Our wonderful PTA facilitates our Room Parent Program at Bill Roberts. At the elementary level, there is a room parent for each classroom/teacher. At the middle level, there is a Room Parent for each grade level. The most efficient way for a Room Parent to communicate grade level or teacher-specific information is through email. Our teachers are able to provide a distribution list to the Room Parent. *If you DO NOT want to be included on that distribution list, please let your child's homeroom teacher know via email.*

Fall Enrichment Spots Still Available! Kids need to get moving and that is what we do at Movement Madness. Our classes are geared towards kids entering kindergarten up through 5th grade. We provide a fun, exciting way for kids to stay fit and have fun in a non-competitive, encouraging environment. Our amazing instructors provide your child with encouragement to build self- esteem, movement to get and keep them healthy, fun games that teach sports skills, sportsmanship. Movement Madness is fun, filled with exercise and laughter with new and old friends. We run, jump, throw balls, kick balls, hit balls, catch balls and much more during an hour class! Games and activities change weekly and we provide an hour of non stop motion! You can check out offerings HERE and you can click HERE to register for Fall Enrichments that will occur in the morning on late start Mondays!

Discovery Link Contrary to what some people are saying, Discover Link has assured us that there are still spots available, even on Late Start Mondays. For more info on Discovery Link please visit their homepage.

Transportation/ID Update Transportation is dedicated to ensuring that the parent app has a smooth introduction. We recently discovered a data issue that has to be corrected before



release. Corrections are being made by our vendor. Because of this delay, we have a new timeline for students to receive their QR code. On the week of **Aug. 18**, we will send an email to parents and students to obtain their QR code to store on their cell phones. The physical IDs will be delayed until printing can be completed by ACP. Parents can still download the My Ride app and link their students. The only feature that will not work immediately is the scan-on/off information. Thank you for your leadership and patience. If you have questions, email transportation@dpsk12.org or call 720-423-4600.