

## 4/25/25

#### **IMPORTANT DATES & UPCOMING EVENTS**

4/26 Beautification Event 4/29 Kindergarten Welcome 4/30 Bike Bus Day 4/30-5/2 7th Grade YMCA Estes Park Trip 5/1 MS PAC Meeting 5/2 Full Day Friday (3:50pm) 5/2 Parent's Night Out Fundraiser for DI 5/5 Online Registration Opens 5/5-5/9 Book Fair 5/5-5/9-Staff Appreciation Week 5/6- Field Day

#### LINKS!

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

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Please Donate to BR and Corporate Matching Contributions Due to the overwhelming success of our auction in October of this year, and the generous donations of many Bill Roberts parents and community members, we are foregoing an official "online giving" day this spring. However, we know there are still families or businesses who would like to contribute to Bill Roberts. If you haven't had the opportunity to donate this year, or would like to donate again(!), see this Donation Link for an easy way to make an online donation. Also, click HERE for instructions on how to provide contributions through a corporate matching program! It never hurts to ask! If you already made a donation at the auction, ask your business to match it! Thank you in advance. The money the PTA raises helps the school in many ways but additional funds are needed for high-level teacher professional development, re-seeding the athletic fields, more security cameras on the playground, just to name a few!

Bill Roberts Day! Today was an amazing event and a reminder of how powerful our community is! The Roberts Family was so incredibly impressed with our students and felt welcomed by everyone they interacted with. We are excited to continue fostering the relationship between the school and the Roberts Family! If you haven't already, check out our former KDGers video All About Bill Roberts and the new plaque located across from the main





office! A BIG thank you to everyone who made this possible.

**Spring Clean Up Day TOMORROW @ 4:30p** Please join the school grounds beautification committee on April 26th at 4:30 pm at the front of the school to help prepare for the grounds for the summer break. We will have several groups that will be weeding, picking up trash and pruning some plants throughout the grounds. Water and snacks will be provided. Any time you and your family have to assist with this important task, will be so greatly appreciated! Bring a picnic dinner and enjoy with other families!

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C4AADA92EA0FC1-56355516-bill

Items to bring: compost bag, gloves, water bottle, pick up or reach tool, if you have one available

Please contact Larissa Pisney- 303495-8176 or Alia Chiappella- 415-680-0934 with any questions.

# **Traffic Safety Updates**

- Part of Bill Roberts being a strong community is having respectful relationships with our neighbors. Please only drive on designated through-streets (Akron Court and Beeler streets) when dropping off/picking up your children, not the residential alleys next to the school, which are not designed to be through-streets or short cuts. Please also refrain from smoking or littering on the property of families whose homes are across the street from our school.
- Now that the weather is improving, we are seeing significantly more bike riders (both students and parents). We ask that, for the safety of all of our students, that everyone walks their bikes once they arrive on campus. We will be providing reminders to bike riders in the coming weeks. Thank you for your support!

**Teacher Appreciation Week!** Bill Roberts is celebrating Teacher & Staff Appreciation all week long, beginning Monday, May 5th through Friday, May 9th! Here is a rundown of each day's theme:

- All Star Awards on 5/5: Post-it note awards will be available at the front office and library throughout the week for your student to fill out and post on staff doors!
- **Restock the Dugout on 5/6:** Room parents will provide a list of school supplies that teachers have requested to help them end the year strong.



- **Power Lunch Hour on 5/7:** Lunch will be a meal fit for champions since Mici's Handcrafted Italian is generously donating lunch for our staff.
- Caffeine for the Win on 5/8: All-stars need to hydrate and snack throughout the day to maintain their energy. Please click here to bring in an item for the caffeine cart.
- Fuel Up for the Weekend on 5/9: The staff will be treated to a coffee cart in the morning. Students can bring hand drawn cards, pictures, or notes to end the week with a victory celebration.

You can also find all the details in this flyer.

## DPS Spirit Night at Urban Air Adventure Park this Sunday, April 27th!

Location: Urban Air Adventure Park (Denver East) 9550 E 40th Ave, Denver, CO 80238

Enjoy exclusive DPS Spirit Night pricing from 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Tickets are available at the front desk on April 27th. Be sure to mention \*DPS Spirit Night\* at time of purchase! 20% of all ticket sales will be donated back to the DPS Foundation! For questions, please reach out via email to <a href="mailto:events@dpsfoundation.org">events@dpsfoundation.org</a>. You can also visit <a href="mailto:https://dpsfoundation.org/offers/">https://dpsfoundation.org/offers/</a> for more information on these discounts and other special offers. Any help you can provide in distributing these opportunities would be greatly appreciated.

**Reminder Carnival Tickets on Sale Now!** Friday, May 9th from 5:30-7:30 pmJoin us for the 13th annual Bill Roberts Family Carnival. There will be bounce houses, a dunk tank featuring some very familiar faces, carnival games and treats, a cake walk, face painting, exciting prizes, and lots more! The Book Fair will also be available and open in the library. We will also have our plant sale again! Here is a map of where you'll find these awesome attractions.

Early Bird tickets are on sale now. Wristbands are required for everyone playing games. Parents and guardians who are not playing games do not need a wristband. Children age 3 and under are free. Wristbands can be purchased for \$15 and include games, carnival treats, and prizes.

Meal Deals are available for \$5 and include a hot dog or veggie dog, chips and a drink. Anyone can purchase a Meal Deal, even if you are not playing games.

Click here to <u>buy Carnival wristbands and Meal Deals</u>. Purchase wristbands before Friday, May 2nd, because the price goes up at the door! Meal deals must be pre-ordered, they will not be available for purchase on the day of the Carnival.



New this year: an exciting new attraction this year is The Urban Farm which will be bringing some of their sweet animals for a small petting zoo! Be sure to stop by to learn more about their amazing farm.

We need many volunteers to make this as spectacular as it has been in years' past. Sign up to volunteer here. If you volunteer, you will receive a Free Wristband for yourself or to give to your child to use.

This is a community-wide event so please invite family, friends and neighbors.