

Fall is Here!

Upcoming BSE Library Events

- Bluebonnet Program
- Six Flags Reading Program
 - Book It Pizza Program
- Winter Reading Fun
 - Family History Week

The Southwest Book Fair is Coming!

The semi-annual BSE Book Fair is coming to BSE the week of October 19th. Remember the book fair directly benefits the students in two ways: they have the pleasure of owning and reading their own books, and all the profits go directly back to the library. Now would be a good time to start talking about what type of books your Bobcat should buy at the book fair.



BOOK CARE

- Clean hands keep books clean.
- Never write, scribble, glue or cut the pages of a book.
- Mark your place in a book with a bookmark, not by folding the corner down.
- Turn the page by using the top corner.
- Always carry your books in some type of book bag.
- Return your library books on time.

Library Rules: *Respect Others. *Care About Dewey. *Be Safe. *Be Responsible. *Be Trustworthy. *Read, Read, Read!

Tribes Agreements: *Mutual Respect. *Attentive Listening. *Appreciations/No Put-Downs. *Participation/Right to Pass.

I hope all of you are having a great fall. This is a wonderful time of year. I love to watch football and read a good book when the weather turns chilly. School is off to an exciting start. I am continuing to sharing my love of books and the library with all the Bobcats. I am excited about the reading promotions coming from the library this year. Please be on the lookout for further information about these upcoming programs.

BSE Bluebonnet Reading Program

At BSE, all students in third through sixth grade can read five or more books on the Texas Bluebonnet list and get invited to a voting party. This is where we talk about the Legend of the Bluebonnet and vote for our favorite Bluebonnet book that we have read. All students who qualify to attend will receive a gift bag with treats. They can start reading the Bluebonnets at any time. There are copies at the public libraries as well as here in the BSE Library. The voting party is in January. The following is a list of titles on this year's Bluebonnet list.



- Birdsall, Jeanne. 2008. *The Penderwicks on Gardam Street*. New York: Alfred A. Knopf.
- Birney, Betty G. 2008. *Surprises According to Humphrey*. New York: G. P. Putnam's Sons.
- Bishop, Nic. 2008. *Nic Bishop Frogs*. New York: Scholastic Nonfiction. .
- Deedy, Carmen Agra. 2007. *Martina the Beautiful Cockroach: A Cuban Folktale*. Illustrated by Michael Austin. Atlanta: Peachtree Publishers. .
- Feldman, Jody. 2008. *The Gollywhopper Games*. New York: Greenwillow Books.
- Flaherty, A.W. 2007. *The Luck of the Loch Ness Monster: A Tale of Picky Eating*. Illustrated by Scott Magoon. Boston: Houghton Mifflin Company.
- Holt, Kimberly Willis. 2007. *Piper Reed: Navy Brat*. New York: Henry Holt and Company.
- Kerley, Barbara. 2008. *What To Do About Alice?: How Alice Roosevelt Broke the Rules, Charmed the World, and Drove Her Father Teddy Crazy!* Illustrated by Edwin Fotheringham. New York: Scholastic Press.
- Law, Ingrid. 2008. *Savvy*. New York: Dial Books for Young Readers.
- Look, Lenore. 2008. *Alvin Ho: Allergic to Girls, School, and Other Scary Things*. New York: Swartz & Wade Books.
- Lupica, Mike. 2007. *Two-Minute Drill*. New York: Philomel Books.
- Mora, Pat. 2007. *¡Yum! ¡MmMm! ¡Qué Rico!: America's Sproutings*. Illustrated by Rafael López. New York: Lee & Low Books Inc.
- Neff, Henry H. 2007. *The Hound of Rowan*. New York: Random House Books.
- Nelson, Kadir. 2008. *We Are the Ship: The Story of Negro League Baseball*. New York: Jump At the Sun, Hyperion.
- Rappaport, Doreen. 2008. *Lady Liberty: A Biography*. Illustrated by Matt Tavares. Cambridge, Massachusetts: Candlewick Press.
- Schulman, Janet. 2008. *Pale Male: Citizen Hawk of New York City*. Illustrated by Meilo So. New York: Alfred A. Knopf
- Speck, Katie. 2007. *Maybelle in the Soup*. New York: Henry Holt and Company.
- Spinelli, Eileen. 2007. *Where I Live*. Illustrated by Matt Phelan. New York: Dial Books for Young Readers.
- Stevens, Janet and Susan Stevens Crummel. 2008. *Help Me, Mr. Mutt!* New York: Harcourt, Inc.
- Wolf, Joan M. 2007. *Someone Named Eva*. New York: Clarion. Hardcover.

LIBRARY CONTACT INFORMATION

Rebecca Sivard, Librarian

Phone Number: 469-593-8066

Email: rebecca.sivard@risd.org

If you would like to volunteer in the library or if you have a question regarding the library and library procedures please contact me.