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# THE BEAR FACTS

## Riverside Elementary Bears PTA

### MISSION STATEMENT

"Every Child's Learning Comes First At Riverside"  
Students and Staff United in Purposeful Engagement at Riverside  
Be here Excel A+ attitude Respectful Safe

NOVEMBER 2018

## Principal Points

The first nine weeks of the 2018-2019 school year have come and gone quickly. As we begin the second nine weeks of school, I ask you stay diligent in ensuring your child's academic success stays a priority. Reach out to your child's teacher when you have questions but also when you see your child having success. We want to celebrate the success of our students and teachers alike!

I hope you are accessing JPams to view your child's grades and allowing them to use Typing Agent and other programs to build their academic skills. The technology we use every day helps us to accomplish great things but please continue monitoring your family technology plan to ensure there is a balance of family time where conversation is a priority.

As always, feel free to call or visit Riverside if you have any questions.

Patti Holden  
Principal

## November Calendar

- November 6 – Election Day – NO SCHOOL
- November 9 – Fifth grade in house field trip
- November 12 – PFE activity/Veteran's Day Program – 6:00
- November 13 – Interims can be checked on JPams
- November 16 – Third Grade field trip
- November 17 – Girls on the Run 5K in Baton Rouge
- November 19 – 23 – Thanksgiving Holidays
- November 26 – 30<sup>th</sup> – Holiday Shop will be open
- November 28 – Citizen of the Month celebration
- November 29 – McDonald's Night – Brownsitch Road – 5 till 7

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### Riverside Hoodies

The next hoodie order will be placed November 5<sup>th</sup>. Please turn in your orders and money before then. Pullover hoodies are \$20 and zippered hoodies are \$25.

### Membership Drive

ALL CLASSES that reach 100% PTA Membership participation will receive an ice cream party! So far we only have one class at 100%. Please consider joining.

### PTA Thank You's

Thank you to all of our awesome volunteers who helped during the Book Fair! Thank you to everyone who participated in our Fall Fundraiser. Also, thank you to all who came out to TCBY. We had a great turnout!

### Holiday Pictures

On November 15<sup>th</sup>, we will be having holiday pictures here at Riverside. Pictures can be taken with or without Santa & Mrs. Claus! Order Forms will be sent home soon, these are pre-pay only. Students getting pictures taken will be allowed to wear their holiday outfits.

### Holiday Shop

We will be having a Holiday Shop from November 26<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup>. The students will be able to bring money and shop for their family and friends. All gifts will be sent home wrapped and ready to go under the tree. We will need lots of volunteers to help the children shop and wrap their gifts. Please email us if you would like to volunteer!

### Contact Information

[RiversidebearsPTA@gmail.com](mailto:RiversidebearsPTA@gmail.com)

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## Cafeteria Comments

Beginning in November the school cafeteria will be offering snacks for sale on Mondays only. November snacks will be chips. The cost will be 50c.

If you need any help or have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the Cafeteria Manager: Robert Carswell at (985) 863-2017.