### Falcon Forecast: February 4, 2018

## Mrs. Teddy's Tidbits

Good afternoon Falcon Families!

I hope you are having a Super Sunday! I know many of you are gearing up for the big game, so I will keep this brief.

This week is National Counselor's Week. Please take the time to honor and thank our amazing counselor, Mrs. Pacheco, with a quick email or hand made card. Her email is pachecol@lisd.net. She works with every child on campus delivering social emotional lessons to each class and to many students individually or in small groups to build social skills and help students solve problems. She is an amazing counselor and I couldn't do this job without her!!

### Thursday is Read Across Indian Creek and hope to see you here!

February is Kindness Month. Tomorrow, your child will be given a Kindness Bingo board with random acts of kindness listed. Ask your child to show you this and talk to them about what each act means and looks like. As they complete each act, they can mark it off with your initials after they tell you about how they carried out the act. This will be a fun way to talk with your children about acts of kindness and support these relationship building acts of kindness. Once they have completed all the acts of kindness, they can turn it in a bin by the office for a chance to win a prize. Make sure they put their name on it. I hope you enjoy this fun activity!

### Friday is PTA Skate Night from 6:30 – 8:30 PM at Inner Skate in Lewisville.

Valentine Parties are just around the corner. Please see below for times for each grade level. Just a reminder to please not bring balloons to the school.

## Cultural Fair - March 21, 2019

Our annual Culture Fair is just around the corner! It will be on March 21st, following our PTA Meeting. I am looking for volunteers to represent various cultures at our fair. If you are willing to host a booth, please sign up here: https://goo.gl/forms/96oOISfRhXRYJp1A3

I am looking forward to another great week at Indian Creek!!

Sincerely,

Amy Teddy

**Proud Principal** 

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### The Word with Mrs. Whitehouse

Howdy Falcon Families! I hope you enjoyed a fun family filled weekend!

I'm so excited that Punxsutawney Phil is predicting an early Spring! I'm ready for sunshine, flowers blooming, and warm temperatures!

ICE Monthly Readers is this THURSDAY, February 7th!! We have MANY open spots! Please consider reading to a class full of Falcon kiddos!

Please sign up to be a Monthly

Reader: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0E4EA5AE23A13-february

Exciting Dates coming up at Indian Creek!!

ICE Monthly Readers- February 7th (see link above--we need YOU!!)

ICE College and Career Day- March 19th!! Have your students wear their favorite college shirt or colors of their favorite college! This is going to be such a fun event!

Please reach out to me at any time for questions, concerns, to share something special about a student, or to brag on a teacher! Thank you for your continued partnership and support!

Meredith (Jones) Whitehouse

Proud Assistant Principal

Indian Creek Elementary

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### Counselor's Corner!

An informational letter for each grade level has been sent home about our next unit for guidance. You may also find a copy on my website at <a href="Child Protection Unit">Child Protection Unit</a>. These are LISD approved and required lessons for our department to teach. You only need to return the form if you do **NOT** wish your child to participate. This is a unit about Child Protection and how to stay safe in different situations. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me. This week is 5th Grade and Kindergarten.

Thank you so much for helping us equip our students with safety skills!

Leah Pacheco, M.S.

School Counselor

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**Indian Creek Counseling Department** 

# **Upcoming Dates**

## **February**

7th - Read Across Indian Creek and 2nd Grade Music Performance

8th - 1st Grade Field Trip - Crayola Experience

8th. - Skate Night - Inner Skate in Lewisville 6:30 - 8:30

14th - Valentine Parties - (Please bring your ID and Please do NOT bring balloons)

PreK A.M. 10-10:45

Full Day and Pre-K P.M. 2:00-2:45

Kinder 2:15-3:00

First 12:15-1:00

Second 1:15-2:00

Third 1:45-2:30

Fourth 10:45-11:30

Fifth 1:30-2:15

18th - Holiday (No School)

19th - Class Picture Day

22nd - 5th Grade Career Day

25th - March 1st - Book Fair (28th Parent Night open until 7:00 PM)

### March

6th - Spanish Club (3:00 PM - 4:00 PM)

8th - Student Early Release

11th - 15th Spring Break

19th - Love and Logic Class (8:30 AM - 8:00 PM)

21st - PTA Meeting - Culture Fair

26th - Love and Logic Class (8:30 AM - 8:00 PM)



#### Hello PTA Parents,

You can find further details on how you can serve Indian Creek in The PTA Post Newsletter and on our Website. We are looking forward to a fun-filled 2019 with our Falcon Families! Please review our calendar for important school dates. We are here to help and support you anyway we can. You may contact us at <a href="iceptapresident@gmail.com">iceptapresident@gmail.com</a>

With Gratitude, ICE PTA

**ICE CALENDAR** 







## **Gift Bags for ICE Guests**

The PTA will be providing Goodie Bags for our campus guests, such as first time volunteers, substitutes, and other supporters from the community. You can <u>Volunteer to help assemble our first round of goodie bags next Thursday, February 7th at 9 a.m.</u> The bags will include an ICE t-shirt, water, snacks, and small gift items.

Also, If you, or someone you know is able to donate smaller gift size items (hand lotions, product samples) for our guests please place in the PTA box or our room at the end of the kinder hallway. Thank You!



Time to clip and send in those Box Tops for Education! Our Box Top Rally Contest will run to February 22nd. Which class will be the Clip Champions in 2019!?!

### **Top Box Top Brands:**

General Mills Annie's Nature Valley Reynolds Ziploc Pillsbury Cascadian Farm Lysol Old El Paso Scott

Betty Crocker Green Giant Hefty Kleenex Go-Gurt Yoplait LARABAR Paper Mate Chex Mix Arm & Hammer

For a full product list click here!









When it comes to Elementary School, there are several opportunities for parents to get involved. From one time to ongoing, at home or on campus, there is something for everyone! Our goal as the schools PTA is to make volunteering easy. Take our parent interest survey, or sign up for any of our current needs.

Don't forget to complete/update your LISD Background check through VOLY if you haven't done so this year.



**SIMPLE SUPPORT** 

INDIAN CREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL and THE CLOTHES BIN ® have partnered to collect and recycle old clothing, shoes and textiles! Please do not throw them away, instead, place the items in the green recycling bin located in our parking lot. Every pound of recycled items supports our school!





