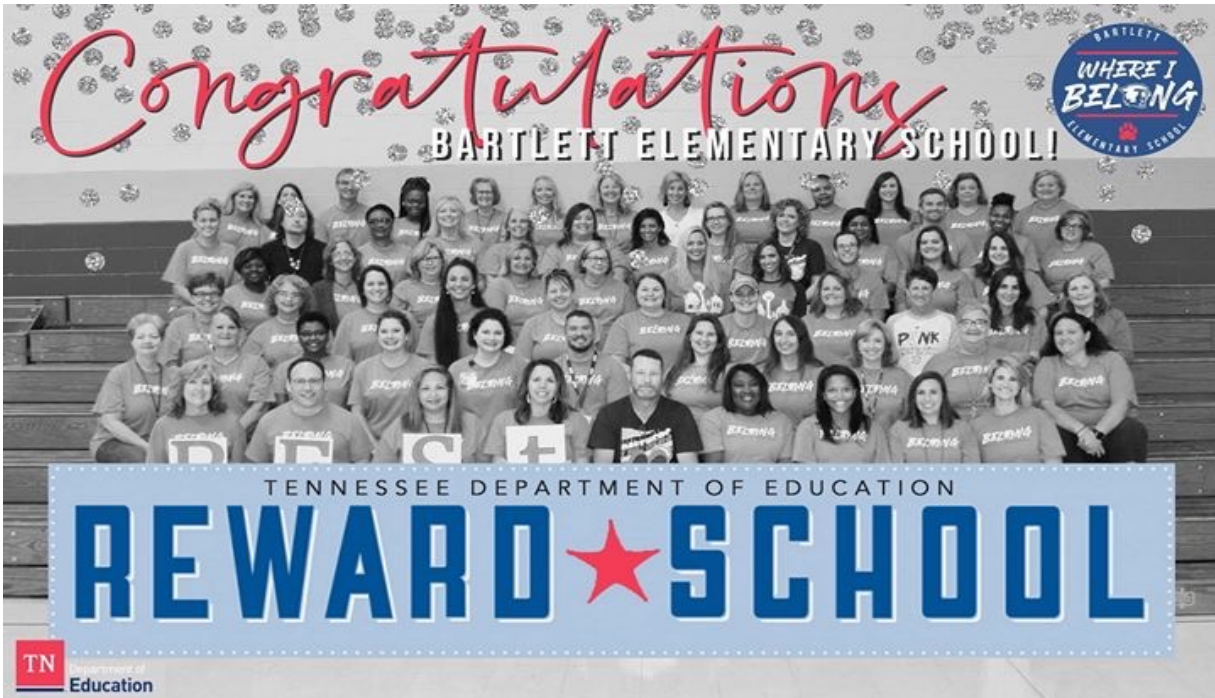




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# September 2019 PTO Newsletter



## PTO Meeting

The first general PTO meeting for the 2019-20 school year will be held on Tuesday, September 17<sup>th</sup> in the cafeteria @ 6:30pm.

BES's 2<sup>nd</sup> graders will perform "A Musical Adventure".

Our Instructional Facilitator, Kate Flowers, will share a Title I parent presentation at 6:15pm.

## Important Dates

**Labor Day: No School**  
Sept. 2<sup>nd</sup>

**Lenny's Spirit Night**  
Sept. 10<sup>th</sup> (4pm – 9pm)  
(corner of  
Brother/Stage)

**Parent/Teacher  
Conferences**  
Sept. 12<sup>th</sup> (3pm – 6pm)  
By appointment only

**QI Progress Reports Go  
Home**  
Sept. 12<sup>th</sup>

**PTO General Meeting**  
Sept. 17<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30pm

**Quintessential Sweets  
Spirit Night**  
Sept. 19<sup>th</sup> (3pm – 10pm)

**Health Screenings**  
Sept. 19<sup>th</sup>

**Go Jim Go Kickoff**  
Sept. 20<sup>th</sup>

**Marco's Pizza Spirit Night**  
Sept. 23<sup>rd</sup> (4pm – 8pm)

# Library News

The Kingdom of Books has had many magical moments thus far. It's been exciting meeting new students and seeing familiar faces again! I'm enjoying hearing about all the books students read over the summer!! Parents, thank you for being your child's first teacher!

**Sign up for Remind. The code for Library News: 4g2fdf**

If you are interested in volunteering your time and talents, please feel free to contact me @ [twhite@bartlettschools.org](mailto:twhite@bartlettschools.org).

A huge thank you goes out to our BEST teachers who already donated books to the library and our wonderful PTO moms who brought in some "really cool stuff" for our AR store! Thank you, Mrs. Oakley and Mrs. Woodruff for also taking the time to put the items on carts in the AR store. YOU ALL ARE APPRECIATED!!

Thank you for your continued support and making our library the BEST!!!!!!

The Story Begins.....in the Library!

**Save the Date: Book Fair-Oct. 8-22**

Tara White  
Library Media Specialist

# Get Ready, Get Set Go Jim Go

Jim Jagers from News Channel 3 will be at Bartlett Elementary on Friday, September 20<sup>th</sup> to help kick off the 14<sup>th</sup> annual fundraiser for LeBonheur Children's Hospital. Wear your bike helmet and attire to show your Panther spirit!! We will collect money during the week of Monday, Sept. 23<sup>rd</sup> – Friday, Sept. 27<sup>th</sup>.

## Prizes:

**Any donation** = Piece of gum

**\$5.00** = Homework Pass

**\$10.00** = Bracelet and name on a bike to hang in the hall

**\$15.00** = Participation in the soaker challenge to spray ALL THREE administrators.

Please send in checks made out to LeBonheur Children's Hospital. Please send in all money in an envelope or baggie labeled:

- Go Jim Go
- Your child's name and classroom teacher
- The amount included in the envelope/baggie.

Thank you for your generous support!

**Carol Rankin, Amy Rodgers, Amy Brandon**  
*Community Involvement Chairs*

# Clinic Corner



The health clinic is in need of disinfecting wipes and paper towel rolls. If you would like to donate either/both of the items, please drop them off in the front office or to Nurse Melinda in the clinic. Thanks for helping us take care of our Little Panthers!

**WANT TO GET INVOLVED?**  
GET VOLUNTEER TEXT UPDATES  
THROUGH REMIND & STAY IN THE KNOW!



# Counselor's Comments

Parent – Teacher conferences will take place this month. Below you will find a list of potential questions you might ask your child's teacher during this time.

## 10 Questions to ask at parent teacher conferences

What can I do to support you and my child so that we have a successful year?

What do you see as my child's strongest and weakest subjects?

Does my child hand in homework on time?

Is my child participating in class discussions and activities?

What do you think are the academic challenges for my child at this time?

What can I do at home to keep academic and behavior expectations on track?

What do you suggest we do if we are at home and my student gets "stuck" on homework?

Does my child get along with other classmates?

What is your preferred method of asking a question about my student: email, phone or a note in the agenda book?

How can I help my child be more organized with homework without completely taking over?

## ***Bartlett Panthers Running Club*** **ITS HARD TO CATCH A PANTHER!**

Calling all 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> grade runners!!

Coach Courtney and Coach Ransom invite you to join the running club.  
We will meet *every Tuesday morning at 7:00 AM, September 3- March 10.*

Permission forms and all the information available in the gym.  
See you there!