

The Barnett Barker

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February 2018

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Calendar:

- February 3:** 6th grade Fear Factor Activity
February 6: PTA Meeting @ 9:30am
February 9: Leadership Day
February 13: SCC Meeting @ 3:30
February 14: Valentine's Day
February 19: President's Day- NO SCHOOL
February 28: Kindergarten Field Trip to Thanksgiving Point
6th grade field trip to Junior High Registration
Bulldog Pride Assembly @ 2:40pm
March 2: 4th grade Rendezvous
March 20: Kindergarten Registration for 2018-19 school year



Principal's Corner

Happy February to everyone! We finished out another great month at Barnett with our second SEP of the year. It is always good to synergize together as parents, teachers, and students to set goals and celebrate the achievements the students are making. We have been keeping track of how many reading levels our students are improving with our school wide WIG (Wildly Important Goal). We want to improve 1,025 reading levels as a school by May and we are well on our way to meeting our goal. We have a bulletin board in the center hall that shows how many levels we have met for each term and we invite you to stop by and take a look next time you visit our school. In that same hall is our school wide attendance goal where we keep track of our school attendance each week. Our goal is to have 90% of our student body on time and here at school every day. Thank you for investing your time and efforts both by volunteering at our school or helping your children at home. It is making a difference!

Our Barnett leaders are excited to invite our community and parents to the Barnett Leadership Day on Friday, February 9th. This special day gives our students an opportunity to showcase the leadership skills they have been learning all year through the Leader in Me program. Our community will visit in the morning from 9:30-11:00 and then our parents are invited to come participate in Leadership Day in the afternoon from 12:30-2:30 on February 9th. There will be a program followed by a tour of our school all put on by our student leaders. It will be a great day that we hope all can attend. We will also show the program on Facebook live for those that cannot attend. Make sure you follow the Barnett Facebook page to be able to see the program live.

Thank you for allowing us to work with your children every day. We really do have great kids that come to Barnett. We appreciate the time and support that you consistently give us. Please keep reading and working with your children on their math facts. Together we can get these students ready for the next level. Have a great month!!

Mrs. Stoddard
Barnett Elementary Principal



BARNETT HOMEWORK LAB

**Tuesdays through Fridays from 8:30-8:55am in
our Downstairs Computer Lab**

**Students can complete unfinished homework, get
help with their homework, work on the computer,
or read quietly while they wait for school to
start. Have you had your child use the
homework lab yet?**

Paws to LEAD- Bulldog Pride

We held our monthly Bulldog Pride Assembly the last day of school before Christmas Break to celebrate all the great leaders at our school the past month.

We want to congratulate our Alpha Dogs (Teachers) of the Month: Mrs. Spencer, a 6th grade teacher, and Mr. Talbot, a Title I Technician. Congratulations to the Red Pack for earning the most pack points this month and Miss Nash's class had the best On Time Attendance for the month of December.

**And a big congratulations to all our Top Dogs of the Month and our
Leaders of the Month!**

These students were exemplary in showing the qualities of LEAD!
(Lead with Responsibility, Engage in Learning, Always Respectful, and Demonstrate Safety)

Barnett Yearbooks for Sale



Yearbooks are \$10 and you
can order one in the office.

**Last day to purchase a
yearbook is February 24th!**

YOU'RE INVITED TO OUR LEADERSHIP DAY!

When: Friday, February 9 from 12:30-2:30

The
LeaderinMe

Where: It will start in the lunchroom with a program put on by our student leaders and then we will be going in classrooms to visit our leaders in each class.

Why: To show our leadership skills we have been learning about with our families and our community. We hope you all can come and share in the student's successes and see the great leaders they have become.

Please have your child wear their best dress on that day.

Also, we will be showing the program part on Facebook twice that day.

Barnett Elementary's Facebook page at 9:30 am.

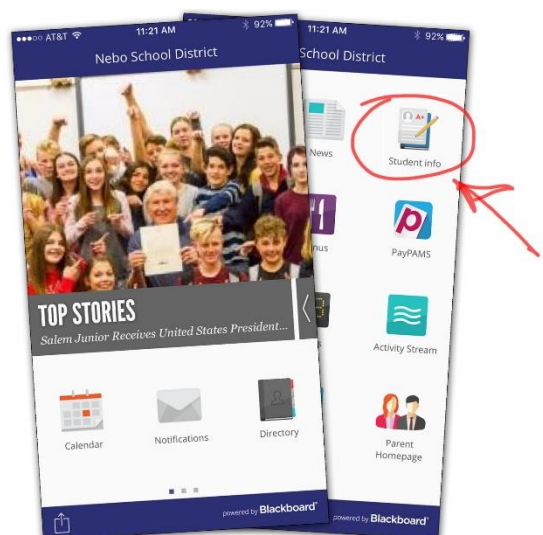
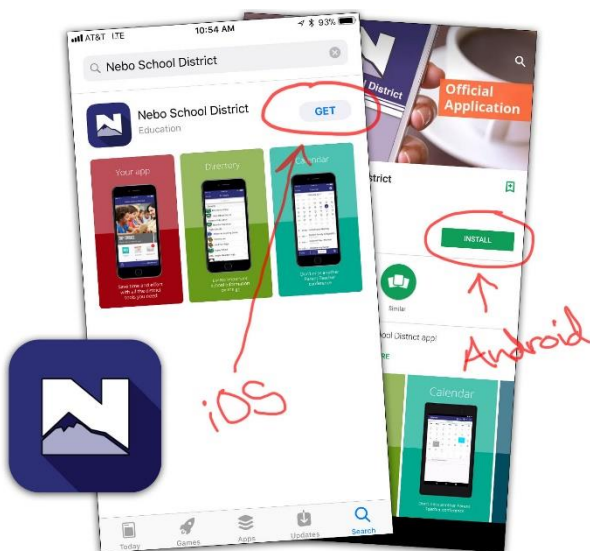
Barnett Elementary's Facebook page at 12:30 pm.

Nebo School District App



Nebo School District is excited to launch our new mobile app. It will give you easy access to *view* student information (schedules, grades, attendance, etc.) and school information (news, calendars, menus, etc.), which is retrieved from various sources.

The **Nebo School District** mobile app is available for iOS and Android devices. As with any new endeavor there may be complications; please bear with us. You were sent an email in January that gave you your Login ID and Password to get the app set up. Please see our [mobile app webpage](http://www.nebo.edu/bb-mobile-app) for full instructions. (<http://www.nebo.edu/bb-mobile-app>). If you need help you can call the office.



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BOX TOPS

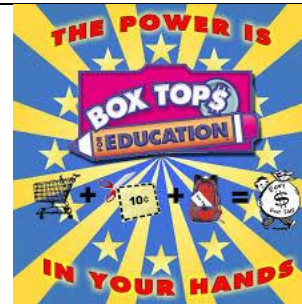
GOAL 2017-2018
15,000
We HAVE:
8,862

- Easy to turn in: Tape or glue to a collection sheet (provided) or a zip lock baggie
- **KEEP** Box tops and Juice Pouches **SEPARATE!**

Collection Date:
Friday, February 2nd

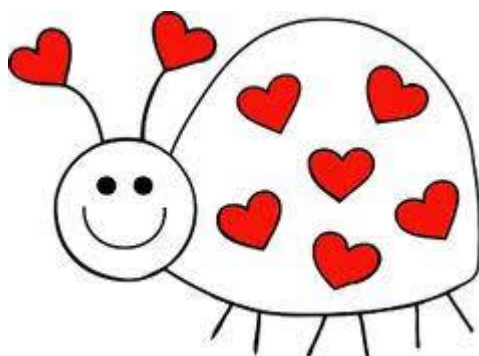


Top 3 Classes
 win Cupcakes



Watch our earnings grow...
 See how your class is doing....

Watch EXPIRATION DATES
 Nothing before **2018**



February

We Collect:

Box tops
Capri Sun Pouches
Tyson Chicken Labels
Soda/Pop Tabs

Habits at Home

Each month we will present a “Habits at Home Challenge. It’s a simple way for us to practice the seven habits at home. Practicing the seven habits as a family will reinforce what our students are learning at school. It’s fun and easy!

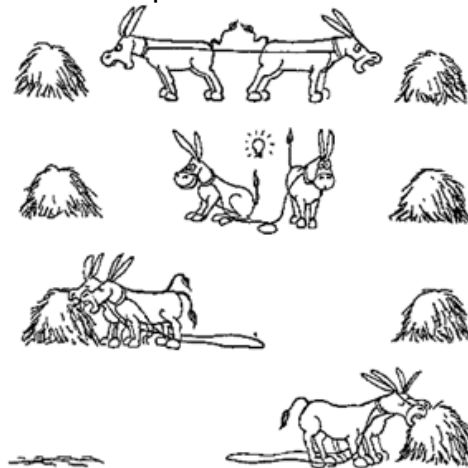
When you complete a challenge, we’d love to hear about it! Send us a message or picture--or both. Send it to ansonfam98@gmail.com or angela.stoddard@nebo.edu. You can also write down what you did and drop it off in the office. Each family that reports back will be entered into a drawing to win a prize!

This month’s prize is a \$20 gift certificate to our March Scholastic Book Fair.

Please complete and turn in the challenge by February 28th.

Challenge #5: Think Win-Win

Habit 4 is “Think win-win.” It’s the habit of mutual benefit. Stephen Covey taught, “In the long run, if it isn’t a win for both of us, we both lose. That’s why win-win in relationships is the only realistic alternative.” This habit helps us to balance having the courage to make our own wants and needs known while also being considerate of others wants and needs. This habit helps us to find a solution that works for everyone. It teaches us to cooperate rather than compete.



This month your challenge is to play a game together as a family. Play a game that has a definite winner. Explain how competition is okay when you play a game, but it is not okay in relationships. Discuss how tense it would be in your home if every situation had to have a winner. A better way to think is win-win. This means we think of solutions that we can all feel good about when there is a problem. Practice good sportsmanship and understand that as long as everyone has fun it is a win-win.