



# The Bear Facts

## Sinclear Elementary

September 2018

Shane Hulin, Principal

### Involvement Opportunities

- **School Site Council (SSC)** is an advisory group for our Single Plan for Student Achievement. The group helps to decide how school funds are spent to support the achievement of students.
- **English Learner Advisory Committee (ELAC)** comprised of family members of English learners. The members are active participants in assisting children with attaining English proficiency and achieving at high levels in core academic subjects. ELAC also advises School Site Council and the school about the needs of English Learners.
- **Parent Teacher Club (PTC)** is a gathering of parents, teachers, and administrators committed to creating a welcoming school environment, increasing two-way communication between families and the school, and expanding opportunities for families to become involved on campus. Active participation on this committee is crucial to its success. All parents are invited and encouraged to participate.
- **Superintendent's Advisory Council** provides a forum for Dr. Siegel to share with families information about our District, including plans for the future and other matters of relevance, and to gather feedback, ideas and suggestions. Parents have the opportunity to direct questions to Dr. Siegel and other members of CUSD leadership.

If interested in any of these opportunities please fill out a Parent Interest Form from the front office.

### Picking Up Child Procedures

Our school policy for picking up students from school early is that the adult picking up the student **must be on the emergency contact list and must have valid identification with them**. We will not release students to someone without identification. Please ensure you have all of the individuals you need on the list beforehand by adding them. You may do this by speaking to our school secretaries. Thank you for your cooperation in keeping our students safe!

### Parking Lot Reminders

- When picking up your children, please drive slowly and be vigilant in looking for children in the parking lot.
- If you need to leave your vehicle, please park in the parking lot. Vehicles left parked in the yellow zone "clog" the drop off/pick up area cause traffic/safety problems.
- Please remind your children to cross in the designated crosswalk when coming and leaving school.

### Important Dates

- **9/03:** No School (Labor Day)
- **9/05:** Minimum Day
  - Kinder: 12:15
  - 1st-6th: 12:25
- **9/11:** 1st Day of AIP
- **9/13:** Board Meeting @ DO (7PM)
- **9/27:** Board Meeting @ DO (7PM)
- **10/8 – 10/12:** Parent Teacher Conferences – Minimum Days
- **10/22:** SSC Meeting (1pm @ SNC)
- **10/29:** No School

### Friendly Reminders

- **Free Breakfast** for All Sinclear Students. Cafeteria doors are open at 7:30 for breakfast.
- **Parent Teacher Conferences** will take place from October 8th-12th. Please be on the lookout for notices come during the last week of September.
- **Volunteer Forms (VAP)** must be completed and cleared by the District Office prior to attending field trips or working in a classroom with students. To complete the process you must bring in your TB test results, identification, and must complete the form that we have in the front office. Your volunteer status is good until your TB test expires-which is 4 years.



### Technology Device Insurance

Every student at Sinclear has a Chromebook device checked out to them as their educational materials. Please help us ensure that your student understands this device is fragile, not a toy, and must be used every day at school. Accidents do happen, so it is our recommendation that you purchase our \$10 insurance plan to cover the cost of incidental damage to the Chromebook. This insurance plan can save you up to \$300!

**Replacement Fees:** \$20/Charger



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