# COYOTE BULLETIN

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# **JACKETS & SWEATERS**

As the weather cools and your child(ren) begin to wear outer layers, we encourage you to write their name on the tag. First name and last initial works best!

As it warms in the middle of the day and is often left on the playground, this assists us in returning the item.

#### **LOST & FOUND**

Please be sure to check lost and found for items your student(s) may have lost prior to November 17th.

On November 17th Lost & Found items will be donated!

# **WATER BOTTLES**

We encourage you to send your student to school with a water bottle that is leak proof!

Please be sure to place you the name of your child(ren) on the bottle!

## FROM TRANSPORTATION

It's getting chilly in the morning. Remember to wear a jacket while waiting at the bus stop. - Please put name on jacket in case jacket is forgotten on the bus.

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

- November 1-November 7: Impact Aid Form Survey
- November 9:
  - Wear Red, White and Blue in honor of Veterans Day
  - 4th Grade field trip to Yuma Water Festival 9:30am-11:30am
- November 10: Veterans Day, No School
- November 14: Lunch with loved ones (1st grade, 2nd grade & Kindergarten)
- November 15: Lunch with loved ones (3rd, 4th & 5th grade)
- November 16:
  - AVID Night 5:00pm-6:30pm
  - Class Picture & Picture Retake Day
- November 17: Lockdown Drill
- November 20-24: No School, Thanksgiving Break
- November 27-December 7: APEX Fundraiser (more information to come)

# **LUNCH WITH LOVED ONES**

#### **November 14**

First Grade 11:00am-11:40am Second Grade 11:30am-12:10pm Kindergarten 12:00pm-12:40pm

#### **November 15**

Third Grade 11:00pm-11:40pm Fifth Grade 11:30am-12:10pm Fourth Grade 12:00pm-12:40pm

We invite the loved ones of our students to enjoy lunch together. You may provide lunch for your student or they can go through the cafeteria line. We recommend bringing a blanket or towel to sit on, this will be picnic style in the front lawn of our school. Otondo will not be providing lunch for adults, blankets or towels. Parents are not permitted on school playgrounds.

Lunch is the first 20 minutes of the time listed above, the second 20 minutes are recess. You are welcome to stay with your student for the 20 minute lunch block or for the entire forty minutes.

If you plan to come, we do require an R.S.V.P. so that our cafeteria staff can plan for the amount of student lunches needed.

The loved one that your student will be enjoying lunch with should be on the student's emergency contact list.

Classroom teachers will share a digital survey on Class Dojo for R.S.V.P.

## **LOCKDOWN DRILL**

This month we will host a lockdown drill, we encourage you to speak with your child prior to the drill about the importance of following directions from teachers and staff. Prior to the start of our drill, we will explain to students that this is practice.

We will remind parents/guardians of our drill on Class Dojo before and provide notice of when it has ended. During the drill office phones and doors will not be answered.

Your student(s) may report to you that they saw a police officer, we are working with Yuma Police Department to coordinate this drill.

