

# THE CENTENNIAL RAPTOR RESOURCE

MARCH 2023



## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Families,

Thank you so much to all of you who took time to engage and support Centennial and our school community by:

Taking our family surveys

Taking our district calendar survey

Attending our Qdoba night- We raised \$192 for the PTO fund.

Attending our Chick-Fil-A night - We raised over \$600 to provide a meal for teacher appreciation week in May.

Attending our Skate City Fundraiser - We raised about \$504 for the PTO fund.

We know your time is precious, and each and every act is in service to our school.

The results of our calendar survey have brought to light some concerns from families. Looking at the calendar, there seem to be many more breaks, but did you know that there are the same amount of breaks as this school year? The district has added two more days to the October and February break to make it a whole week versus only a three day break. This is the reason why students will attend school for the four days after Memorial Day in 2024. We know that this still creates a financial burden for families, so we are working on ways to support you during those tough weeks. We are reaching out to our BASE program and Broomfield FISH, and we will provide more information at the beginning of the 2023-24 school year.

Lastly, the results of the family survey have been shared with staff, and we are in the process of analyzing the information, so that we can make some changes that better support all of you. During the April 7, Coffee and Conversations, we will be sharing the data and working with those that attend to problem solve ideas for improvement. We hope that you will attend this important meeting.

We wish you all a very peaceful and safe Spring Break!

Sincerely,

Geneanne Payne

## Important Dates Coming Up:

- **March 20-24- Spring Break**
- **March 22- Mobile Food Pantry**
- **March 27- No School for Students**
- **April 4-6- CMAS Testing**
  - **3rd Grade- Reading/Writing**
  - **5th Grade- Math**

# Raptors Rocking the ABCs

Each month, we ask teachers to nominate a student who is exhibiting our Raptor quality traits of Accountability, Belonging, and Courage. Below are the list of students who were honored by having donuts with the principals Friday, February 24th.

## **Kindergarten- Lovato**

**Andrew Scott**-Belonging- Andrew is a great friend to others and makes sure everyone belongs.

## **Kindergarten- Arnold**

**Natty Moore** - Courage - Natty shows courage in class when she participates and shares her own ideas. She has great ideas and we love listening to her share!

## **1st grade- Troisi**

**Alesa Hernandez** - Belonging - Alesa is a wonderful friend to others and always wants everyone to feel included in our classroom. She shows kindness everyday and she is such a special part of our classroom!

## **1st Grade- Griffin**

**Leah Garcia**-Accountability-Leah has worked very hard to make progress in reading this year.

**Nicolle Hernandez Duenas** has shown so much courage during our first grade show practice! She gets her class excited about practicing and she is dedicated to working on the music at home. I am so proud of her showmanship and I know she will rock at her speaking part!

## **1st Grade- Marriott**

**Maya Gutierrez Loya**--Accountability Maya is always giving her all and trying her best.

## **2nd Grade-Emmitt**

**Jonathan Chavez**- Belonging- Jonathan helps everyone at school learn.

## **2nd- Woods**

**Audrey Brink**--You make sure everyone feels like they belong. You are always so loving and kind to others.

## **2nd-Burandt**

**Charleigh Zaczkowski**- Charleigh has demonstrated all of her Rocking Raptor ABCs. Charleigh has become very accountable for her own learning and has really worked hard on improving her reading skills!!

**Anali Menjivar Castaneda**- Anali is showing courage and accountability because she is starting to take risks in reading. She shows accountability because she brings just right books home to read. Anali is accountable for her own learning. In ELD she is really focusing on her own learning and doing her best.

## **3rd- Walton**

**Logan Bustamante** - she has been in school everyday and being on task. She was chosen by her classmates to be the nominated one this month.

## **3rd- Scanlon**

**Jeremiah Wilson**- accountability, he has done a really nice job of explaining his thinking and extending his answers in both reading whole group and small group. Keep up the good work!

## **3rd- Montgomery**

**Fernando Zamora**- Courage to tackle hard work, as everything has always come to him so naturally. Mrs. Mason is so proud of him for him beginning to learn grit in the classroom.

**Jacob Navas** - Courage - Jacob is showing in courage when he works hard in class and when including others. Keep up the great work!

## **4th- Sisson**

**Rouse Torres Fernandez , Sophia Valverde Casarrubias , and Jairo Gomez Rivera** have shown a lot of courage in trying new and challenging things. (ellos han demostrado mucho coraje al probar cosas nuevas y desafiantes.)

## **4th- Dean**

**Victor Morales**- I nominate Victor for being accountable. We had a tough conversation about his effort and focus after Winter Break. Victor has been holding himself accountable by choosing partners that help him learn and volunteering to help with focus. I'm so proud of your hard work, Victor!

# Raptors Rocking the ABCs continued

## 4th- Abrams

**Angel Lozano**- Accountability-Angel works hard and advocates for himself by asking questions.

## 5th- Cunningham

**Daniel Mejia** shows he is accountable by always getting straight to work. He is always doing what he is supposed to in class.

## 5th-Le

**Leonardo Macareno Garcia** is always accountable and making sure he and his group is getting their work done.

## 5th- Kless

**Preston Bowers** demonstrates perseverance every day. He works hard and his confidence shines through. He always shows kindness to his friends and makes us laugh with his wonderful personality. Keep up the great work!

