



## Dolores Elementary School Newsletter- "The Galloping Goose"

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Dear Dolores Families,

Last week at the board meeting, the Dolores School Board voted to make a change to this year's calendar that I wanted you to be aware of so that you could prepare accordingly. Originally, we had April 13th off, that day is being moved to May 15th due to High School Graduation being moved to Thursday, May 14th. We will be having school April 13th. I am sorry for any inconvenience this may cause for your family.

You should be receiving an invitation soon, if you haven't already, for Parent-Teacher Conferences Feb. 10-13th. This time is valuable for teachers and parents to work together to support students and their learning. We look forward to seeing you during conferences.

Next week, we will begin our new mindset-Everything is Possible. This mindset teaches us that we are all capable of living extraordinary lives. Students learn that everything which exists today was once just an idea until someone believed it was possible and took the actions to make it into reality. This is true with our lives as well - they become, in many ways, whatever we expect them to be. Throughout the lessons for this mindset, we work with students to help them understand the incredible promise of their lives, and to envision extraordinary happiness, meaning and success on their own terms. We seek to instill the belief that their goals are possible, and to foster the courage, discipline and persistence to act on achieving

their dreams. Providing students with a good education so that they have the tools they need to pursue their passions is something we take seriously as educators, every child deserves a chance to chase their dreams! Please take a few moments to talk to your student about things in their lives that they might have once believed were impossible but now they can do and what dreams do they wish to chase.

If you are interested in serving on the calendar committee to assist in the 2020-21 school calendar, please call the district office and give your contact information to Laurie Arnett. There will be a lottery drawing of those interested. District Office (970)882-7255

[larnett@dolores.k12.co.us](mailto:larnett@dolores.k12.co.us)

Have a wonderful week,  
Mrs. Howerton

## Upcoming EVENTS

Jan. 24- Character Day: Live to Give @ 1:00

Spirit Sticks

Feb. 4- Donuts with Dudes in the Elementary Library @ 7:30

Feb. 7- No School

Feb. 10- DAC (District Accountability Committee) Meeting at 5:00 @ District Office

Feb. 10-13- Parent-Teacher Conferences

Feb. 13- Class Valentines' Day Parties



Spirit Sticks is TOMORROW!! \$1 each, limited to 3 per student.

Box Top Drive is under way. Every clip counts. Please bring box tops by February 21st! Look below for flyer.



**GT with Mrs. Coppenhaver**

**[Week of Jan 21 GT Newsletter](#)**

**Click to access links**



## P.E. with Mrs. Elder

On February 28, our Dolores Elementary School 2nd grade students will be performing a cardio dance at our character assembly. I'll keep you posted on how our practice is going, which will determine which assembly we'll be ready for. To help our dancers, I have posted a video of our dance on YouTube. Please encourage your 2nd graders to pull it up to practice when they need a movement break! The link is below. Thank you!

Mrs. Elder

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=R5KNJbVru9M>

Attachments area

Preview YouTube video Dolores Elementary School-2nd grade Call Me Maybe



**Attention All 'DUDES' of**  
***Dolores Elementary***

**Students!!!**



Join us for our

**WATCH D.O.G.S.<sup>®</sup>**

**'Donuts with  
Dudes' Event**

***Tuesday, February 4,***

***2020***

**7:30-8:00 am**  
**in the School Library**

# BOX TOPS DRIVE

**It's February! Show Your L♥ve...**



*by earning cash for our school with Box Tops!*

**Every clip counts**



**BRING  
TOPS BY  
FEB 21ST!**

Classes that collect the most valid box tops will receive a prize, K-2nd grade and 3rd-6th.

# BINGO

This Tuesday, January 28, Operation Graduation is hosting BINGO NIGHT at the Dolores Community Center starting at 5:30 p.m. All ages and families are welcome for this fun event. Soups, chilies, breads, drinks, and desserts will be served as a fundraiser towards our annual drug and alcohol free celebration for our Dolores High School graduates. We will also hold a silent auction for some noteworthy items! Bring your family, take a night off of cooking dinner, and have a blast with your family at the Rotary Bingo Night! Hope to see you there.

