

Dear Families,

**Thank you** – Thank you for joining us for conferences this week and thank you to the many of you who sent in meal items for our teachers to enjoy! Special thanks to Mrs. Beeson and Mrs. Nickel for organizing these delicious meals!

**Spring Break** – Friday, March 15 is no school for a conference compensation day. March 18-22 is Spring Break. We'll see you again on Monday, March 25.

**Character Survey** – We value your opinions about our school. Please share your thoughts about the character education program at Blevins by completing the survey found at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/rsdclimate19parent>

**Cardinal's Game** – Please join us at the Cardinal's game on April 19 and support our Special Chorus who will be singing Take Me Out to the Ballgame! There is a **ticket order form** in the oldest Bobcat's backpack.

**Spring Picture Day** – Pictures will be taken on Wednesday, March 27. All students will have their picture taken and proofs will be sent home later. Parents can choose from the prints to decide what they'd like to order. (No money needed on picture day.)

**Orchestra Information for Next Year** - Fourth and Fifth graders choose between Orchestra and Technology. Parents are responsible for the instrument rental/purchase. Visit these links to register for the class you want your child to take. Each link leads you to more details, but if you have additional questions, contact Mrs. Leighton at [leightonmarianne@rsdmo.org](mailto:leightonmarianne@rsdmo.org) or Dr. Jackson.

**Next year's Fourth Grade** - <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSedaW-scnbU4XX9S3daMuUaQtBSbDwOVWh20xM6vTL5fdJlBQ/viewform>

**Next year's Fifth Grade** - <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdvUNW50SrHzN3FUXxRG5zD03dmoSorsp73FQd5QK3xyccf8g/viewform>

#### **PTO Information:**

**Spirit Wear** – The oldest Blevins child has a Spirit Wear order form in today's backpack. Orders will be accepted through March 29. You can fill out the **spirit wear order form** and return it with a check, or you can create an account and order online:

<https://www.myschoolanywhere.com/cart-new.a5w?cart=BlevinsElementary155822>

#### **Calendar Items:**

Friday, March 15 – No School, conference compensation day

March 18 – 22 – No School, Spring Break

Monday, March 25 – School resumes

Wednesday, March 27 – Spring Picture Day

#### **Community Information:**

**Giving Box** – New at the Eureka Police Department is a **Giving Box** set up by a local student.