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# January 2019 Newsletter

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## Irving Elementary

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Happy New Year and welcome back Bull Pups! We hope your break was wonderful. We have many exciting things going on this year, so let's get ready for it.

Please call the office immediately if you have a new phone number or address for your student. If you need to add a new person to your child's enrollment card, you must come in person.

Please try to get your parent portal access this year. Irving is wanting 100% participation with our parents. Please call the office to get information about parent portal or if you have any questions. It is easy and allows you access to your student's records.

Our new drop off and pick up loop has improved greatly. Thank you for being patient with this. We are trying to make this as easy and safe for our staff and students as possible.

Please bring all outgrown uniforms to the office, so we can help other students in need. If your student needs uniforms, please contact the office.

If you're picking up your student early for an appointment, please allow yourself enough time, as it takes a few minutes for the office to call your student down. If someone is picking up your student, they need to have an ID with them.

We are trying to curtail our tardies. The school bell rings at 7:45 a.m. and students can be on the school grounds as early as 7:35 a.m. If your student is late, you will need to come into the office and sign them in. Please call off your student as soon as you know they are not attending that day; we have a message machine 24 hours.

Please schedule appointments for Fridays. When this is not possible, please ask your provider for a school note so your child can be excused.

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### TESTING

Students will be taking tests in math and English/language arts during the week of January 14<sup>th</sup>. Please make sure your child is rested, here on time, and encourage them to do their best.

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## Upcoming Events

### January 10

Popcorn/Pickle Sale

### January 17

PTSO Meeting 4 PM in cafeteria  
Report cards sent home

### January 24

Awards Assembly – 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter

K-2 8:15

3-5 9:45

### January 26

All State Choir Performance at  
Broadmoor-Colorado Springs-4:30

### Cancelled 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Concert

The 4<sup>th</sup> grade concert that was scheduled this month has been cancelled.

### Care and Share Food Available

We have instant oatmeal packets available for families to take.

Please write a note in your child's planner if you would like some, and the teacher can send your child to grab a bag full of them.

### Box Top Winners

The winner of the box top contest wins the "Beast" pizza party.

1<sup>st</sup> place – Gradisar

2<sup>nd</sup> place – Gallegos

3<sup>rd</sup> place - Flowers

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