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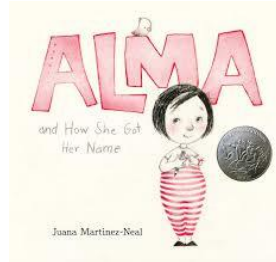
CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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**Friday, February 26th
Report Cards Sent
Home**

A Word From Our Principal CCSD Reads Week 2021

**Monday, March 1st
through Thursday,
March 4th
CONFERENCE WEEK**



**Thursday, March 4th
and Friday, March 5th
NO SCHOOL FOR
STUDENTS**

Dear Buffalo Trail Families,

We are getting ready for Cherry Creek Reads week 2021! This is a districtwide celebration of reading, coming up March 8-12th.

**Monday, March 15th
through Friday,
March 19th
SPRING BREAK**

The theme for the week is "Read Together, Share Our Stories Together!" and is based on the inspirational book *Alma and How She Got Her Name* by Juana Martinez-Neal. It's a heartfelt story about a little girl who deepens her understanding of her own identity and her own story by learning about the power behind her name.

**Wednesday, March
24th 6pm
PTCO General
Meeting**

Just like Alma in the book, students, parents and families are encouraged to have fun dinner table discussions about the books each family member is reading, think about their own name stories and ask questions like:

- What does your name mean?
- What does your name stand for?
- What do you want to be known for?

Buffalo Trail students, parents, teachers, staff, friends and family members are encouraged to read for 67 minutes or more. That's one minute of reading for every CCSD school. Students may also participate in a variety of special activities, from student-created podcasts, videos or posters telling their own name stories, messaging a favorite author or illustrator or school wide "Drop Everything and Read" time across our school building. Be on the lookout for more information from your child's teacher soon!

We hope you will grab a book and join us for Cherry Creek Reads 2021!

Fondly,
Tamara Speidel
Principal

There's an App for That!

Did You Know That Buffalo Trail has an App?

- **You can Report a Child's Absence**
- **View Lunch Schedules and Menus**
- **Email or Call a Teacher from our Staff Directory**
- **Be "In the Know" with School Events and PTCO Fundraisers**
- **Have Quick Access to Supply Lists and Nurse Related Documents**

Use the QR Code below or visit your App Store and simply type in Buffalo Trail Elementary





Buffalo Trail PTCO

<http://www.btptco.org/>

Before & After School Programs

<https://www.cherrycreekschools.org/Page/2640>



Did you know that Cherry Creek School district has an exceptional Preschool program for 3yr & 4yr old students?

We have 80 different classrooms at 24 different Cherry Creek locations. We have three different preschool programs. Tuition, Colorado Preschool Program (CPP) and Special Education (Child Find). Find enrollment information at our web page.

<https://www.cherrycreekschools.org/earlychildhood>

Locations Include:

Altitude, Arrowhead, Aspen Crossing, Black Forest Hills, Creekside, Dry Creek, Eastridge, Fox Hollow, Indian Ridge, Meadow Point, Mission Viejo, Peakview, Polton, Pine Ridge, Red Hawk Ridge, Sagebrush, Summit, Sunrise, The Cottage Preschool, The Journey Preschool, The Outback Preschool, Timberline, Trails West, and Walnut Hills.

General Preschool Information:

- o Preschool is a 4 day a week program.
- o Classes are Monday-Thursday with no school on Fridays
- o Morning: 8:00 am-10:55 am with a 15 minute flexible drop off starting at 8:00 am.
- o Afternoon: 11:50 am-2:45 pm with a 15 minute flexible pick up starting at 2:30 pm.
- o Classrooms are balanced with students from the different programs.
- o Spanish Enrichment at The Journey Preschool. We teach 2 days in English and 2 days in Spanish for kids who want experience in two languages
- o ½ day preschool paired with ½ day extended care at The Journey Preschool and The Cottage Preschool

Tuition:

- o Tuition is 9 equally divided payments of \$376 due on the first of every month
- o There is a \$100 nonrefundable annual enrollment fee due at registration

Colorado Preschool Program(CPP):

State funded program for students whose families have identified risk factors. Qualifying criteria can be found at <https://www.cherrycreekschools.org/Page/8595>

Special Education (Child Find):

- o This is for children who have been identified as having individual needs. If you have concerns regarding your child's developmental progress please contact our Child Find Office at **720-554-4001**.