

Big Hollow Elementary School

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March 19, 2010

Important Dates

Monday, March 22

School Board Meeting

7:00 p.m. Middle School

Friday, March 26

Report Card Day

Character Education Day—
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Monday, March 29

Spring Break begins

Tuesday, April 6

School Resumes

Monday, April 12

PTO Meeting

3:45 p.m. Primary Building

Friday, April 16

PTO Clothing Resale

4p.m.-8p.m.

Primary Building

Saturday, April 17

PTO Clothing Resale

8 a.m.- noon

Primary Building



Yearbook Orders

This will be the last opportunity to preorder the Big Hollow Primary/Elementary School yearbook. Please return your payment in an envelope labeled with your child's name, grade and teacher and check for \$18.00 by Thursday, March 25. Yearbooks will be distributed in May.

Social Work Corner:

Parents, it is very important that you are aware of the content in your children's video games. Many video games are safe; however many can be extremely violent and inappropriate for younger children. Please take a moment to examine the list below when shopping for video games.

The Entertainment Software Rating Board (ESRB) ratings are designed to provide information about video and computer game content so parents can make informed purchasing decisions. ESRB ratings have two parts: rating symbols suggest age appropriateness for the game (front of the game box) and content descriptors indicate elements in a game that may have triggered a particular rating or concern (back of the game box). For more information, please visit <http://www.pbs.org/kcts/videogamerevolution/impact/esrb.html>



EC = Early Childhood

Titles rated EC - Early Childhood have content that may be suitable for persons ages three and older. Titles in this category contain no material that parents would find inappropriate.



E = Everyone

Titles rated E - Everyone have content that may be suitable for persons ages six and older. Titles in this category may contain minimal violence, some comic mischief and/or mild language.



T = Teen

Titles rated T - Teen have content that may be suitable for persons ages 13 and older. Titles in this category may contain violent content, mild or strong language and/or suggestive themes.



M = Mature

Titles rated M - Mature have content that may be suitable for persons ages 17 and older. Titles in this category may contain mature sexual themes, more intense violence and/or strong language.



AO = Adults Only

Titles rated AO - Adults Only have content suitable only for adults. Titles in this category may include graphic depictions of sex and/or violence. Adults Only products are not intended for people under the age of 18.



RP = Rating Pending

Titles listed as RP - Rating Pending have been submitted to the ESRB and are awaiting final rating.