

# FRIDAY BLAST 9/13/19



## Upcoming events:

- 9/20 – No School for Students
- 9/26 – Vision & hearing testing
- 10/2 – One Day Count (please do everything you can to be at school this day!)
- 10/4 – Picture Retakes
- 10/7 – Spirit Week

## 29th Annual Helping Kids Thrive Parent Conference

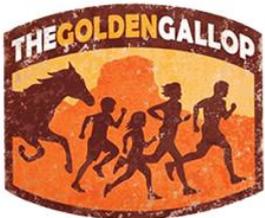
October 3rd from 5:00 - 8:45pm, Bell Middle School is hosting the Helping Kids Thrive Parent Conference sponsored by The Rotary Club of Golden & Jefferson Center. This is a wonderful, free event for our community, and we encourage parents to attend if possible. Please [CLICK HERE](#) or visit their [Facebook page](#) for more information and to register.



Have you or your student always dreamed of seeing the Eiffel Tower? How about the Roman Colosseum? Perhaps the world's largest art museum, the Louvre is #1 on your list. Here is your chance! Join Mrs. Martinez and Mrs. Tietjen this summer to visit some of the most stunning cities in Europe: London, Paris, and Rome. This trip is open to all Bell students and families. For more information please visit the trip site at: <https://www.explorica.com/Tietjen-20> or email Heidi Tietjen at [heidi.tietjen@jeffco.k12.co.us](mailto:heidi.tietjen@jeffco.k12.co.us) for more information. TWO SPOTS REMAINING!

Be sure to reach out ASAP for more information.

**\*CMAS reports will be distributed to students next week via their ELA class. You can expect your student to bring them home by Thursday, September 19<sup>th</sup>.\***



**The Golden Gallop (non-profit 5k/10k/kids' fun run) is still looking for volunteers, and race day is fast approaching!** Race day is September 22nd, but we have volunteering opportunities on the 20th and 21st, also! Since the GG is a community event, we would love to get as many community members involved as possible! You can sign up below--volunteers get a t-shirt, snacks, and we are happy to write letters/sign volunteer hours. Areas in particularly

high demand are: course marshals and race-day registration. However, we even have a bike lead opening and a water station! Here is the signup link:

<https://runsignup.com/Race/Volunteer/CO/Golden/GoldenGallop>

E-mail [volunteersgg@gmail.com](mailto:volunteersgg@gmail.com) with questions!



The SeaCamp San Diego trip is now accepting applications for this school year's trip in March. Students can see Ms. Paricio, Ms. Tietjen, or Ms. Swift for information and an application. Parents can email Ms. Paricio to request information and application as well as ask other questions ([nparicio@jeffco.k12.co.us](mailto:nparicio@jeffco.k12.co.us)) This trip for 7th and 8th graders is an amazing week long hands-on learning experience to explore marine biology, oceanography, and other sciences. Be sure to get the application in as soon as possible (by Thursday 9/19 for first round priority).

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## ALL THINGS RECYCLING: A COMMUNITY CONVERSATION ABOUT WASTE DIVERSION IN GOLDEN

The City of Golden Community Sustainability Advisory Board (CSAB) invites community members to “All Things Recycling: A Community Conversation About Waste Diversion in Golden” from 7 to 9 p.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 17 at the Buffalo Rose, 1119 Washington

Hear the latest information industry experts about where our materials go, recent changes in the industry, and how your family can participate in organic waste collection and other waste diversion programs. In light of recent media reports about shrinking Chinese markets and contamination issues, this event will answer your questions and show how Golden’s local materials are getting to market. During this free event, attendees will have the opportunity to sign up for tours of the local recycling facility and the City’s Organics Collection Program (compost!). For more information visit <https://www.cityofgolden.net/live/sustainability-initiative/whats-new/>



Interested in learning about grant writing? Consider this intensive two-day Grant Proposal Workshop which is geared towards those who wish to strengthen their grant writing skills, as well as beginners who wish to acquire and master the techniques of preparing and writing winning proposals to various funding agencies. The focus will be on how to effectively write proposals in times of keen competition and limited resources.

Visit [THIS WEBSITE](#) for more information.



We are excited to bring back our **Bobcats of the Week!** Teachers and staff members will nominate 2 students weekly from each grade. Students will be nominated based on consistent or exceptional R.O.A.R. (Respectful, Optimistic, Accountable, Responsible) behavior. The following students have been chosen for this week:

### GRADE 6

Kelly Maldonado for being Respectful  
Hunter Winkler for being Optimistic

### GRADE 7

Lauren Erickson for being Responsible  
Ruby Jarock for being Optimistic

### GRADE 8

Makyla Magid for being Responsible  
Liam Zimmerman for being Responsible

**CONGRATULATIONS Bobcats! Keep up the good work!**



**Just a reminder that Bell students have no school on Friday, September 20th for a teacher work day. Have a wonderful three-day weekend!**