

# THIS WEEK IN

Week of September 16, 2024

# FIFTH GRADE

## Look What We're Learning:

**Reading:** Readers use what they know about the structure of fiction to analyze text. Student will use a Story Plot to analyze setting, problem, solution, climax, rising action, falling action.

**Social Studies:** Students will learn about and explain when, where, and why groups of people (European explorers) explored, colonized, and settled in the United States, including the search for religious freedom and economic gain through a project.

**Writing:** Students will write personal narratives. Writers will draft their personal narratives.

**Science:** Students will investigate and explain how equal and unequal forces affect objects and transfer energy.

**MAP Testing: Sept. 18**

### **Math:**

Students will add and subtract fractions using a variety of strategies.

## Important Reminders:

- **GT Newsletter:**  
<https://secure.smores.com/n/szdqf>
- **PTA website:** [www.sbeptaofficial.org](http://www.sbeptaofficial.org)
- Club Sign-up is happening—Make sure to meet the deadlines.

## Upcoming Dates:

**September 14th-** STEAM CAMP

**September 16 -** Fall School Picture Day

**September 19-** Students vote for Student Council

**September 21st-** STEAM CAMP

**September 25-** Major Grade Adding and subtracting Fractions

**September 26 -** Early Release 12:10 pm

**September 26:** Parent, Teacher Conferences (In-Person, Virtual, Phone) the link was sent out from your child's teacher in class Dojo.

**September 27 -** Professional Learning Day/No Students

## A Note From the Teacher:

### Birthday Celebrations

You may bring store-bought cupcakes or cookies for your child's birthday. Check with your teacher to see how many students are in the class. Please bring to the front office with the nutritional information. We will enjoy the birthday treats with our classmates before the end of the day! Please do not bring goodie bags or balloons.

### Dismissal Information

Be sure to go over dismissal plans with your child so that they are clear on how they are getting home! If you need to change your child's dismissal, please email before 2:00pm, to [allyna.bardney@fortbendisd.gov](mailto:allyna.bardney@fortbendisd.gov). Teachers are not allowed to change your child's dismissal. You must go through the front office.

Thank you in advance for your support this year!  
SBE 5th Grade Teachers

# SBE START WITH HELLO WEEK

September 16-20, 2024

## MONDAY

**Wear:** Your favorite outfit to show off your smile for picture day

**Act of Kindness:** Start by saying, "Hello!" to meet and greet others today.

**Icebreaker:** What is your favorite hobby?



## TUESDAY

**Wear:** Superhero shirt to show that kindness is a super power

**Act of Kindness:** Compliment others- give one, get one!

**Icebreaker:** What super power do you wish you had and why?



## WEDNESDAY

**Wear:** College shirt to show that kindness builds a strong future

**Act of Kindness:** Write a kind note to someone that needs it.

**Icebreaker:** What is your favorite book or genre?



## THURSDAY

**Wear:** Mismatched socks to mix it up at recess today

**Act of Kindness:** Ask new people to join you to play at recess today.

**Icebreaker:** What is your favorite recess activity?



## FRIDAY

**Wear:** Orange or an SBE shirt to show ROYAL Bengals lead with kindness.

**Act of Kindness:** Perform an act of kindness for a classmate, staff member, or our school.

**Icebreaker:** What do you like most about being at SBE?



Let's empower our Bengal Trailblazers with skills that build a culture of inclusion and connectivity at our school!



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SCHOOL PRESENTS...

Ladies

Last Day to  
Sign up is Tuesday!!!

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GENTS

Club

Club Start Date

Sept. 18 th

Time

3:45- 4:45

Meeting Days

Thursday

Meeting Location

5th Grade Pod



A SBE  
Social Club for  
Student  
Leaders that  
want to make  
a difference  
in their  
Community!!

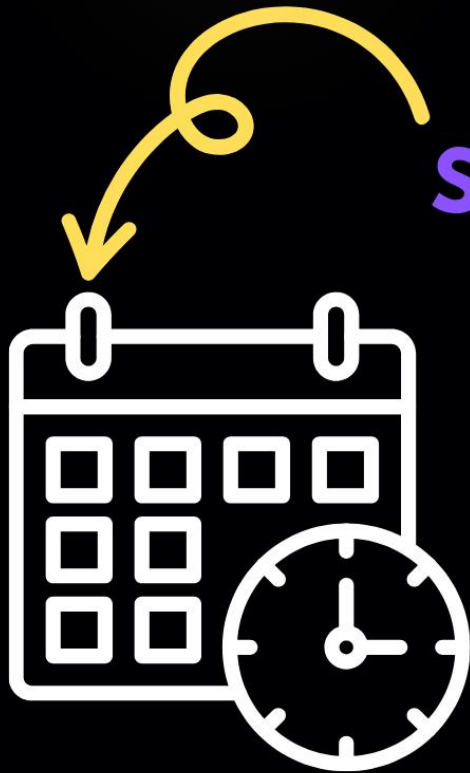
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# Ladies & GENTS Club

## September's Calendar



### Meet and Greet

Sept. 19th

### Community Service Project Planning

Sept. 26th

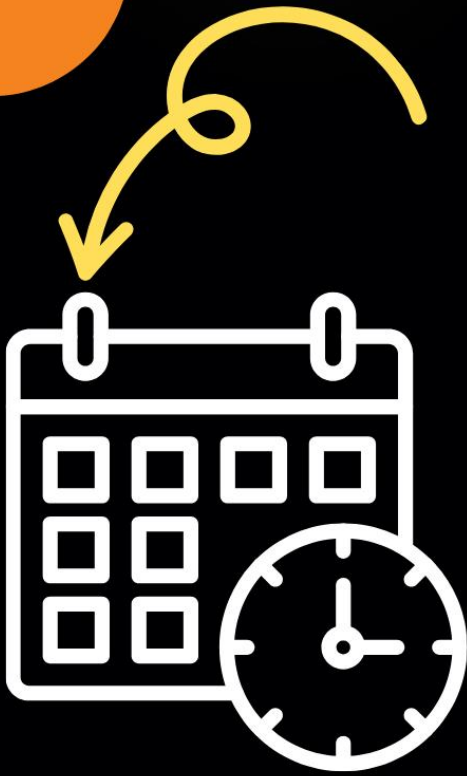
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**BHUCAR  
Bengals**



- Social Skills
- Professional Skills
- Domestic Skills
- Community Service
- Advocacy

# Ladies & GENTS Club



## October's Calendar

### Student Portfolio Setup

Oct . 3rd

### The Importance of Hygiene

Oct. 17th

### How to Wash Clothes

Oct. 24th

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# Ladies & GENTS Club

## Club Requirements

- Teacher Recommendation form completely filled out
- A one-paged essay responding to the following prompt: What does community service/helping the community mean to you?
- Signed permission slip from parents



**Due By Tuesday**  
**9/17/24**



**SAVE THE DATE!**

**SEPTEMBER 16TH, 2024**

**FALL SCHOOL  
PICTURE DAY**



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**Bhuchar**  
ELEMENTARY



**PLEASE COME DRESSED IN YOUR  
BEST ROYAL ATTIRE**

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# FIFTH GRADE

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**Contact your teacher**  
**through ClassDojo**



**SBE PTA:**

We need  
you!!!  
Join PTA  
Today !!!



**SBE Vision:** Loyal to being ROYAL and  
creating an academic legacy for all  
trailblazers

**SBE Mission:**

Sonal Bhuchar Elementary...

**SUPERIOR** in Status

**BOLD** Trailblazers

**EPIC** Educational Experiences

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