

# The Bobcat Bulletin

Buck Lake Elementary School  
February 2022

## Principal's Message

Dear Bobcat families,

Thank you to everyone who came out to our Bobcat Bash this weekend. It was great to see so many families and so many returning students. I would like to especially thank all of our volunteers and, in particular, our PTO Board members who worked so hard to make the event successful and fun! I can't wait to do it again next year.

As we move into the spring, please make note of the FSA testing dates for students in 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> grades. We are just a couple of months away from our annual assessments.

I also want to point you to another fun opportunity from the PTO. Our annual 5K & One Mile Fun Run returns to the Alford Greenway on March 26<sup>th</sup>. We hope that many of you will be able to join us again this year.

Sincerely,

William Millard  
Principal

## Upcoming Dates

2/1-PTO Board Meeting @ 5:30 p.m.  
2/5-Bobcat Bash  
2/9-Progress Alerts posted in Focus at noon  
2/17-Spread Kindness Like Confetti  
2/21-President's Day-No School

**We'd like to highlight a few different partners each month, this month's Proud Partners are:**



Lucky Goat Coffee



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## 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Buck Lake Elementary Bobcat Trail Run!

Mark your calendars for Saturday, March 26<sup>th</sup>! Registration is now open for our FUN RUN!

[https://www.eventbrite.com/e/5th-annual-buck-lake-elementary-bobcat-trail-run-tickets-205444940347?fbclid=IwAR2lpY9v-cQp0\\_rGtynV8W8Q-v1wyhgMy8g0x1knr36m0V0GqTgVXrswww](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/5th-annual-buck-lake-elementary-bobcat-trail-run-tickets-205444940347?fbclid=IwAR2lpY9v-cQp0_rGtynV8W8Q-v1wyhgMy8g0x1knr36m0V0GqTgVXrswww)



**February is Black History Month!**



In the spirit of honoring African American pioneers and landmark events in black history, engage your children in activities that capture their senses. Whether reading books, listening to music or making soulful meals, there are plenty of fun ways for kids to learn about the African American experience. And remember, your children can enjoy these activities long after February is over!



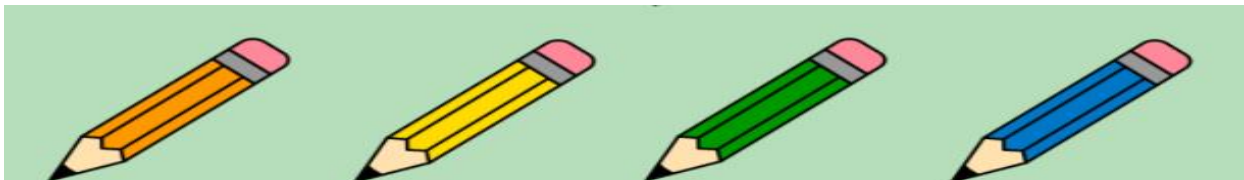
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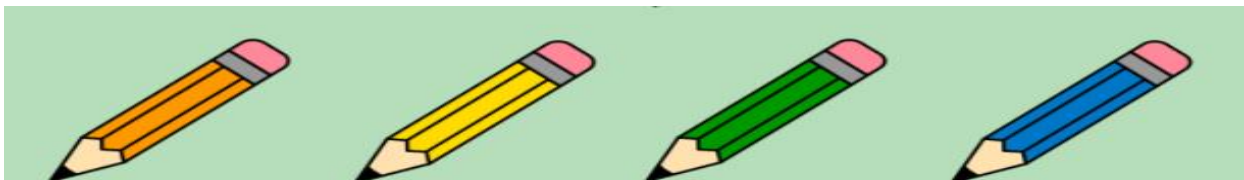
Spring deadline: 3/11/22



**2022 Testing Dates**

Tuesday, April 5 <sup>th</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade FSA ELA Day 1
Wednesday, April 6 <sup>th</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade FSA ELA Day 2
Thursday, April 7 <sup>th</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup> Grade & 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade FSA Writing
Tuesday, May 3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup> Grade & 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade FSA ELA Day 1
Wednesday, May 4 <sup>th</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup> Grade & 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade FSA ELA Day 2
Tuesday, May 10 <sup>th</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade, 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade, 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade FSA Math Day 1
Wednesday, May 11 <sup>th</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade, 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade, 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade FSA Math Day 2
Tuesday, May 17 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Science Day 1
Wednesday, May 18 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Science Day 2

Please contact Angela Quiggins if you have any questions.



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