**PARENT UNIVERSITY**

Our Parent University covered the differences between conflict, bullying, and cyber-bullying. Conflict is described as accidental, occasional, the person is remorseful, wants to make amends, and is a part of relationship building. On the other side of the spectrum is bullying. Bullying is intentional, repeated often, an imbalance of power between the individuals, the person is not remorseful, and an adult needs to intervene. Bullying can also be characterized by rude and mean behaviors.

Cyber-bullying is another aspect of bullying. The largest difference between bullying and cyber-bullying is that cyber-bullying can happen 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. It can also be anonymous. Parent involvement in their child's online activities can help prevent cyber-bullying from happening.

Two resources are commonsensemedia.org or www.connectsafely.org/wp-content/uploads/mobile_english.pdf.

**AzMERIT**

The 2015-16 Arizona State assessment will be given in March and April 2016. The dates for the 3rd – 6th graders will be March 31 and April 4 and 5. Additionally, the 4th graders will be taking AIMS Science on March 30th. Please mark your calendar so that you can reserve the dates.

**PARENT INPUT SURVEYS**

We will be seeking your input on Parent Surveys following this timeline:

- Parent survey of classroom teacher – During Q3 Cottage Fair
- Parent Survey of other EDUPRIZE staff – the week of February 22
- Parent Survey of specialists – During Q3 Cottage Fair

**TRAFFIC REMINDER**

Please adhere to the following:

- No speeding - please obey the traffic signs.
- Do not block entrances into the streets surrounding the school.
- Use common courtesy - kindness goes a long way.
Calling all blood heroes!
Please join us for our annual blood drive on 2/29/16. Visit www.bloodhero.com Code: prize for an appointment. We have 12 remaining appointments.

Daddy/Daughter Dance
Don’t delay on purchasing your tickets. Tickets for the dance are on sale until March 1st. Please visit the link below to purchase, using password: eagles

Boosterthon is coming!
Join us on March 1st for our pep rally in Building 2 gym!
8:15-9  Grades 4, 5, 6
9:30-10:15 Grades 1,2,3
11:35-12:20 AM TOPS
12:30-1:15 PM TOPS
The Fun Run will be held March 10th and 11th. Run schedule will be posted closer to date.

The Live Learning Lab needs your help! Please send in any clean 2L Coke brand (Coke, Sprite, Fanta, Root Beer, etc.) bottles for a sixth grade project. Also needed are clean baby food jars. Please send items to the front desk of building one Attn: LLL

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Join us on March 4th at 9:45 AM for our Monthly PTN meeting. We will meet at the lunch tables outside of Building Two.

Have Box Tops, Labels for Education or Coke Rewards to send in? Simply detach this form. Place a minimum of 25 Box Tops or Labels for Education in a Ziploc bag and send them in with your student to earn a prize!

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Student: __________________________  Building: ________  Teacher: __________________________