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# ROADRUNNER REVIEW

## News and Highlights - Week of 11/14/2016



Dear Roadrunner Families –

Nelson Elementary is a busy place this time of year! Currently, we have Robotics, Oral Interpretation, Science Fair and GATE all practicing during lunch periods. Our computer lab assistants are working once or twice a week, and basketball and wrestling are practicing hard for upcoming league competition. Choir, Band and Orchestra are practicing some beautiful music for the Winter Program, and Parent Club is organizing the Santa Store for December.

Student Council is spearheading our annual food drive, and we are very thankful for the contributions that have been made to date. Let's keep it going! The Giving Tree ornaments are available for adoption beginning next week. If you would like to sponsor a Roadrunner for the holidays with the gift of a toy and something warm to wear, please stop in the office to adopt an "ornament." See BJ or Yolanda to sign up! We have the BEST families and school community, and it really shows this time of year. Thank you for your generosity and caring hearts.

It is also the time of year for colds and flu. Please remind your students to wash their hands frequently, keep their hands away from their faces, and to cover the mouths when they cough or sneeze. Every day counts at school, and learning is the most important thing we do at Nelson Elementary. Stay healthy and enjoy the coming holidays!

Beep Beep - Dig Deep, Roadrunners!

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### Clovis West Tennis Camp

Mondays and Wednesdays, Coach Castro holds a free Tennis clinic from 5:00-6:00 PM. There is no age restriction and sign up are not needed. Just arrive at 5:00 PM and enjoy learning the game of Tennis.

### Clovis West Softball

Free Skills Clinic - November 16 & 30, 3pm-5pm  
CW Varsity Diamond - reserve your spot by emailing  
peggyrigby@cusd.com - forms in the office

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### SOS Information

Monday, November 14th All SOS paperwork is due

Friday, November 18th Student money is due  
(\$200 - Cash or Cashier's checks only)

Trip Date - Monday-Wednesday, December 5th-7th  
Bus departs at 7:00 Am on Monday, December 5th.

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Nelson Annual Elementary Thanksgiving Food Drive  
November 1st—17th

\*Non-perishable food items...collection box in each classroom.

\*If a student donates a frozen turkey, it will count as 25 items toward that classroom collection count! (Turkeys desperately needed.)

\*The upper grade and primary classroom with the most donations will earn a pizza party!

\*Benefitting Local Neighborhood Families

Thank you in advance for giving and caring for our Roadrunner Families.

\*Suggested items: stuffing, corn, potatoes, yams, canned pumpkin, canned soup, canned green beans, marshmallows, apples, oranges.

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### PTC NEWS

Harvest Grams on sale through November 16th - \$1.00 in the Office.

Our next meeting is Tuesday, December 6th at 6:00 PM.

*Research shows if you join a club that makes you show up at least once a month that it has the same impact on your happiness as doubling your income!!*

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### Upcoming Holidays & No School Days

Monday-Friday, November 21-25 - Thanksgiving Break  
Monday, December 26th through Monday, January 9th  
Winter Break

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### Upper Grade Lunch Schedule - Tuesdays/Thursdays

The lunch hour for Upper Grade students on Tuesdays and Thursdays will be from 12:10-1:00 PM. Students will eat at 12:10 and have recess after. Please do not take your students to lunch early on these days.

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### Clovis Kickers Soccer

Boy's and Girl's ~ 3 yrs. - 6 yrs.

Cost: \$ 90.00 (after Nov. 2, 2016 he cost is \$110.00)

When: Practice/Games Saturday, November 5, 2016

Where: Clovis Community Day School

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### 7 on 7 Flag Football

Boys & Girls 1st thru 8th Grade

Where: Garfield or Alta Sierra

Cost: \$90.00 (\$110 after January 4, 2017)

When: Sundays between 12:00 pm - 4:00 PM

Register: 8am-5pm Monday-Friday at Sports & Recreation  
Dept. or download registration forms from website  
Questions: Call 327-9225 or visit our website at

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### Notes from Nurse for SOS Trip

Our 6th grade students are getting ready for their Sonora Trip in September. All medications for the trip must be turned into the nurses office by Wednesday, November 30, 2016. A medication form signed by the doctor and parent needs to be provided for each medication whether over-the-counter or prescription. All over the counter medications such as Tylenol, Dramamine, allergy medications, etc. must have a doctor's note to be administered to a student while in Sonora. Medications need to be sent in a prescription container or in the original container/packaging. No medication in baggies, etc. will be accepted. We are excited to help make this a healthy, happy time!

Please contact Mrs. Moreno with any questions at 327-7600.