

In the Loop
March 11-15, 2024

This Week

Tues 3/12 BPE Day of Service Packing for NETHKC
Wed 3/13 Late Start 10am
Thurs 3/14 Spring/Class Pictures
Fri 3/15 Last Car Wash Ticket Collection 8:45-9:30am
Best Recess Ever
Family Reading Night 5-7pm

Next Week

Mon-Fri 3/18-22 Scholastic Book Fair
Thurs 3/21 Popcorn Thursday
Menchies Fundraiser
Thurs & Fri 3/21-22 Conferences Early Release 12:15pm

Upcoming

Mon-Fri 4/1-5 No School Spring Break

Best Recess Ever

Join us Friday, March 15th as our Belugas embark on a detective themed adventure filled with fun and excitement! We are still looking for volunteers, especially for grades 2-5! Feel free to sign-up for multiple recesses and join in the fun more than once! [Best Recess Ever Volunteer Sign Up](#)

Book Fair

The Book Fair is coming March 15-22nd! Volunteer at the Book Fair! Help get Browns Point Elementary excited about reading and visiting the Book Fair! Opportunities include assisting students while classes visit the Book Fair Preview and helping answer questions during Book Fair sales. As a thank you for your time, volunteers will get \$10 Scholastic Dollars to spend at the Book Fair. Please use the link to sign up for a time and shift that works for you. [Book Fair Volunteer Sign Up](#)

If you haven't used eWallet before, please consider taking a look at it. It allows you and others, such as grandparents, to load funds on an account for your student. It makes it very easy for students to shop at the Book Fair! More information on eWallet and the Book Fair in general is available here: [Book Fair eWallet](#)

Browns Point Reads Family Night

Browns Point Reads Family Reading Night is this Friday, March 15th from 5:00 to 7:00pm! Come join us for an evening of special guest readers, including Ms. Wright and our very own 5th graders, fun activities hosted by Browns Point teachers, raffle prizes, and even a pre-sale for our Scholastic Book Fair. We will also be selling signed copies of Kelly Yang's new book, *Finally Heard*, for only \$20! We need volunteers to make this event a great night, please sign up to help if you can. [Browns Point Reads Family Night Volunteers](#)

And don't miss the opportunity to support our 5th graders' fundraiser for camp as they serve up yummy pizza! You can pre-purchase your meals with a donation at: [SHOP | brownspointpta](#). All meals pre-purchased by Thursday at midnight will be entered into a drawing for one of five \$10 gift certificates to the book fair! If buying the day of the event cash and check only will be accepted. We would love to have some 5th grade parents volunteer for serving pizza since all proceeds are going directly back to our 5th graders.

5th Grade Car Wash Tickets

This is the last week to sell and buy Brown Bear Car Wash tickets! This great fundraiser helps lower the cost of Camp Seymour for our 5th graders. We have some great prizes in store for the 5th grade students who sell the most tickets as well as some raffles for 5th grade students who sell any tickets this week! Car wash ticket order forms will be collected in the cafeteria on Friday morning 3/15 from 8:45-9:30. If you need an order form you may get one from the office or email brownspointpta@gmail.com to have one emailed to you directly.

NETHKC (Northeast Tacoma Healthy Kids Coalition)

NE Tacoma Healthy Kids Coalition is looking for a few volunteers this month. The first is on March 12th when the students at Browns Point will be participating in a day of service supporting NETHKC. They are in need of parent volunteers to help out with packing, tying bags, and filling the food bins. If you are interested in helping out, please sign up here: [BPE Day of Service Volunteer Sign Up](#). NETHKC also needs March Volunteers for their monthly packing! Please sign up here if you are able to help: [NETHKC Packing Volunteer Sign Up](#)

Gratitude

Thank you to all our 5th grade popcorn and car wash fundraiser volunteers: Anna Schneider, Christina Schuck, Heather Mason, Jennifer Le, Kasey Correia, Kerri Kinnee, Natasha Groesse, Sharon Crosby, and Tammy Chung.