



# The Paw

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*"Together we can make a difference."*

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**Vision:** To inspire curiosity and ambition for life-long learning in a supportive environment for all students.

**Mission:** Provide an exemplary education that inspires and prepares all DoDEA students for success in a dynamic, global environment.

**Goal #1** All students will demonstrate a proficiency in writing strategies in the English Language Arts.

**Goal #2** All students will demonstrate a proficiency in communication in Mathematics.

## Student Store

The Student Store Is Back! The Student Council has taken on the Student Store as a special project. The Store is located in the Cafeteria. It will be open on Tuesdays and Thursdays starting Tuesday, December 4th. The Store will be open from 10:45-11:45 for the elementary students and from 12:30-1:00 for the middle school students. We have a wonderful assortment of school supplies, school logo items and fun things to choose from. We would love to have you come by and check us out. We are also looking for volunteers to work the store for the elementary students from 10:45-11:45. If you are interested in volunteering your time please contact Mrs. Mertens at [trudy.mertens@eu.dodea.edu](mailto:trudy.mertens@eu.dodea.edu).

## First Semester Acceleration

A DoDDS student whose sponsor is making a Permanent Change of Duty Station (PCS) may request to accelerate and receive credit for the semester. In order to do so, the sponsor should request permission to accelerate as soon as possible or at least within 30 days of the DoDDS acceleration date. A copy of the sponsor's PCS orders should be provided. The student will be required to complete any additional assignments given by the teachers. A student must attend school through the end of the school day on December 12, 2012. This is the earliest date that a request for acceleration can be granted. A student, who is PCSing, may accelerate at any time after the earliest acceleration date, up to the end of the semester. Students not PCSing will not be allowed to accelerate. Please do not hesitate to contact the school if you have any questions or concerns regarding acceleration.

## Yearbook Ordering

Now is the time to order your copy of the 2012-2013 Boeblingen Elementary Middle School Yearbook. Yearbooks can be purchased now for the low price of \$35.00. You can order your book online at [www.community.pictavo.com](http://www.community.pictavo.com) or you can pay by check, or cash, to Mr. Lloyd in room 413b. When paying by check, make sure you include your student's name and homeroom/advisory teacher's name on your check. Please make checks payable to BEMS SAF.

## Blue Thursday

Help us celebrate our National Blue Ribbon School award by wearing the color blue on Thursday, December 6th. Let's see which class has the most school spirit by wearing the most blue clothing.

## Honor Roll Recipients

Below is a list of Honor Roll students in grades 4 – 8. The honor roll assembly will be held on 6 December from 1:15 – 1:45 for ES, and 2:00 – 2:45 for the MS.

### Honor Roll

Gillian Huggins	Henry Johnston	Joanna Cabalquinto	Gabrielle Watson
Robert Gwinner	Mackenzie Cunningham	Susanna Ortiz	David Lampton
Jose Nunez	Jillian Doss	Hailey Collum	Jillian Guere
Jennifer Rolle	Meaghan Ambelang	Amanda Runnels	Deane Swickard
Bailee Martin	Jay Idell	Sarah Jacobs	Bradley Hodgson
Erin Rhodehamel	Hannah Maza	Jade Spahr	Clare Walls
Anders Bergeson	Cassana Gomez	Danika Torgesen	Elizabeth Connolly
Molly Robbins	Rachel Koch	Michael Godfrey	Sadie Langston
Denzel Acheampong	Zoie Williams	Joshua Lindman	Myca Ingram
Vanessa Fermin	Kiara Perry	Sierra Kostic	Cheyenne Veerkamp
Connor Bender	Noah Butler	Ryan Elizondo	Joseph Dewberry
Jalen Batiste	Caitlin Slater	Elizabeth Lockridge	Jourdin Thompson
Griffin Fletcher	Alyce Mercado	Joshua Croft	Lauren Fresia
Sebastian Diaz	Susannah Cloud	Madison Riley	Joshua Cilley
Nicholas Tipton	Liina Winborn	Jadell Durham	Abigail Kennedy
Victoria Kerr	Wesley Holbeck	Alexander Bernasconi	Raymond White
Erin Cahill	Nikita Ortiz	Ashlan Idell	Kyle Gansewendt
Tyler Mason	Tyson Bombick	Jameson Rivers	Galen Ward
Keegan Swanson	Isaac Price	Shayne Drof	Caleb King
Dylan Morgan	Sara Vaughn	Samantha Swickard	Peyton Jordan
Konstantins Zelcs	Tatiana Dannelley	Nolan Kelley	Hayden Kurckenberg
Trey Battema	Jacob Ratcliff	Edwin Tolosa Gonzales	Juriah Theodore-Hill
Sean Freeman			

### High Honor Roll

Emma Patterson	Jessica Langston	Hilary Adinkrah	Emilie Allen
Zoe Moore	Kiara Croft	Alyssa White	Dominic D'Andrea
Mia Mifsud	Christopher Berg	Madeline Koning	Rose Jones-Scharf
Sydney Smith	Jabari Lewis	Gabriel Weibel	Sophia Paz
Andrew Young	Kathleen Bradford	Emma McLeod	Alina Mueller
Maria Giraldo	Koby Battema	Branham Channell	Jackson Ivey
Kyle Judy	Ian Kendrick	Jacob Martin	Sabina Perez
Lillian Putnam	Abigail Willis	Kaitlyn Gonyer	Michael Buchheit
Peter Buxkemper	Sylvia Godfrey	William McRoberts	Reese Idell
Lily Ivey	Angelina Locke	Lauren Berg	Syrus Vincent
Antonio Yacano	Sydney Arnold	Heather Landry	Shanon Boston
Miranda Cunningham	Isabella Grizales	Alexander Paz	Preston Phelps
Kylie Songer	Macarius Wright	Erin Kendrick	Chase Roberts
Charlottle McGregor	Sheree Alcendor	MeKena Tester	Riley Wharton
Elias Fermin	Sanaja James	Aidan Macpherson	Jacob Trentham
Grace Golden	Devin Jenkins	Katrina Rozeveld	Lea Henderson
Miguel Olivo			

## Principal's Honor Roll

Armani Arellano	Ashley Rivette	McKenzie Gibel	Makalah Braun
Nina Gante	Elisabeth Lee	Christina Sparks	Lucas Sullivan
Reagan Briere	Isabel Navarro	Meghan Jackson	Mark Keller
Kaitlyn Fowler	Sarah Tabet	Marco Distel	Linnea Macpherson
Dean Sherman	Jacob Hasenyager	Max Tortorelli	Kayris Baggett
Anna Bustamante	Gian Arellano	Alisha Kennedy	Sophia Cummings
Christina Liechti Ross	Jasmyn Zynda	Autumn Kearny	Valeria Hodge
Sara Kitchin	Mason Berg	Sarah Brown	Devin Penman
Alison Presby	Celine Liptrot	Ava Moore	Makhenzie Braun
Laila Cooper	Kjersti Strong	Liam Sweney	Jack Crespo
Jacqueline Johnston	Cassandra Soeldner	Emily Webb	Sammy Stacy
Lanie Allen	Scout Lease	Sean Rhodehamel	Connor McLeod
Nissa Dotson	Matthew Cummings	Sofia Ruiz	Christopher Param
Connor Buchheit	Jensen Sullivan	Abigail Gigliotti	Chace Vincent
Ashley Beers	Julia Bustamante	Kierra Thomas	Anna Kim
Lucas Kolva	Julia Cabalquinto	Mindy Shimon	Galen Ward
Jordan Webb	Parker Torgersen	Sean Doolittle	Andrew Hopkins
Kiersten Koning	Lucas Montgomery	Abigail Vaughan	William Young
Georgia Sherman	Madeline Hill		

### Winter Weather

Please ensure that your child is dressed appropriately for the weather with coats, hats, scarves, and gloves. Students will go outside for lunchtime recess everyday possible. Help us keep our student population healthy and warm! Check out the following website for updates on school closures or delays: [http://www.imcom-europe.army.mil/webs/sites/staff\\_org/safety/road\\_conditions/index.asp](http://www.imcom-europe.army.mil/webs/sites/staff_org/safety/road_conditions/index.asp)

### GradeSpeed

GradeSpeed is our on-line grade book program that allows parents to see how their students are performing at school. By accessing GradeSpeed on a regular basis you will be able to see the growth your student is making at school and avoid any "surprises" when it's report card time. GradeSpeed is available for all students in grades 4 – 8, please follow this link for access:

<https://dodea.gradespeed.net/pc/Default.aspx>

### Upcoming Events

30 November – 6 December	Holiday Gift Shop
1 December	Scholastic Book Orders Due
5 December	Reflections Entries Due
6 December	Honor Roll Assembly
7 December	Professional Development Day – No School for Students
12 December	MS Band performs for the Hometown Holidays @ the bowling center
14 December	Middle School Movie Night
24 December	Begin Winter Break

7 January	Instruction Resumes from Winter Break
11 January	Professional Development Day – No School for Students
21 January	Martin Luther King Holiday – No School for Students
24 January	End of Second Quarter
25 January	Record Keeping Day – No School for Students

# PTA News



## Hump Day Lunch

Our next Hump Day Lunch is quickly approaching. This event which helps raise money to our support our PTA enrichment programs is scheduled for 12 December. This month's sponsors will be our 4th and 5th grade classes. If you would like to volunteer or provide a hot dish, soup or salad, please contact our volunteer coordinator, Brenda Sullivan, at [ptavolunteer@live.com](mailto:ptavolunteer@live.com).

## Scholastic Order Deadline

The next Scholastic order deadline is 1 December. We did not receive December flyers to send home with the students, but there are copies of November flyers in the school lobby. To view the current flyers, you can also go to the Scholastic website. Instructions for ordering can be found on our PTA website: [bemspta.org](http://bemspta.org). There will not be a January order. The next order in 2013 will be 1 February.

## Holiday Gift Shop

The Holiday Gift Shop has begun! Students have been assigned days to shop and should have come home with information flyers. Middle school students are invited to shop at lunch time. All students are welcome to come after school until 4 pm on Tuesday, 4 December and Wednesday, 5 December. If you have questions please contact [bemspta@gmail.com](mailto:bemspta@gmail.com). We continue to need donations of tape and gift wrap AND volunteers for this event, please see flyer below.

## Reflections

Has your child completed his/her Reflections entry yet? The deadline to enter is Monday, 5 December. Please put all entries in the box located on the 2nd floor in the teacher work room.

## Spirit Wear

Need a holiday gift idea for your student? How about ordering BEMS spirit wear? Use the attached flyer to browse our selection. Return the completed order form with money or a check made out to BEMS PTA in the PTA mailbox in the lobby. One more gift crossed off your list!

**SAVE THE DATE!**

**DECEMBER 14, BEMS GYM  
MIDDLE SCHOOL MOVIE NIGHT**

**Please help support the**

**BEMS**

# **Holiday Gift Shop by volunteering this week!**

It's time for.....HOLIDAY GIFT SHOP! We are in need of many volunteers to set-up, help students shop, to wrap presents and clean-up. Volunteers make this event possible. It simply doesn't work without them.

Small children can be brought with you while you volunteer. Shifts are set up as three hours, but can be adjusted to fit your schedule. To help with this event, please copy and paste the link to Volunteer Spot and sign up. <http://vols.pt/EUvy5z>.

**If we do not have enough volunteers there may be days that this event is canceled.**

**Where:** BEMS– room 128

**When:** Nov 30th –Dec 6th

**Time:** 8:00 to 2:30 Fri/Mon

8:00 to 4:00 Tues/Weds/Thurs



# Gift Planning Sheet

BEMS PTA



## Holiday Gift Shop

November 30 – December 6, 2012

Dear Parents,

Your child will have an opportunity to buy Holiday Presents for family members during the Holiday Gift Shop. The items will range from \$1.00 – \$12. The majority of our gifts range from \$3.00 to \$7.00. Please take the time to discuss with your child who they will be selecting gifts for. Indicate below the amount your child is to spend on each family member. This really helps us out when helping the children.

Mom \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Dad \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Brother(s) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Sister(s) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Pet \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher/Grandparent/Other \$ \_\_\_\_\_

My child is allowed to buy a gift for themselves. Please initial \_\_\_\_\_ They can spend \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

My child is NOT allowed to buy a gift for themselves. Please initial \_\_\_\_\_

Special Instructions for us to help your child when selecting gifts:

Please have your child bring this flyer and money in an envelope or baggie on the day they will shop.

\*We will stay open late on Tuesday & Wednesday until 4:00 pm for after school shopping.

\*If you send in Euro we use a 1 -1 exchange rate.

\*\*\*Please note we are still looking for volunteers to help with this event. If you could help please look in “the Paw” or go to: <http://vols.pt/EUvy5z> and sign in on volunteer spot.



# Spiritwear!

Nov/Dec



YOUTH SIZES (Please indicate how many)		XS	S	M	L	XL		Total Qty	per item	Total Cost
Youth T-shirt	BLACK								\$13	
Youth T-shirt	RED		sold out	sold out					\$13	
Girl's Fitted T-shirt	BLACK		sold out						\$14	
Girl's Fitted T-shirt	GRAY								\$14	
Youth Long Sleeve T-shirt	BLACK								\$17	
Youth Long Sleeve T-shirt	GRAY								\$17	
Youth Pullover Hoodie	BLACK								\$20	
Youth Pullover Hoodie	RED		sold out						\$20	
Youth Satin Basketball Short	Black w/ White	N/A					N/A		\$17	
Bows - Barrette	Sold out!								\$5	Sold out!!
Bows - Pony Tail Holder									\$5	

ADULT SIZES (Please indicate how many)		S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL	Total Qty	per item	Total Cost
Adult T-shirt	BLACK						sold out		\$16	
Adult T-shirt	RED	sold out	sold out						\$16	
Women's Fitted T-shirt	BLACK						N/A		\$18	
Women's Fitted T-shirt	RED						N/A		\$18	
Adult Long Sleeve T-shirt	BLACK						N/A		\$20	
Adult Long Sleeve T-shirt	RED						N/A		\$20	
Adult Hoodie	BLACK	N/A					N/A		\$22	
Adult Hoodie	RED	N/A					N/A		\$22	
Adult Hoodie	GRAY	N/A					N/A		\$22	
Adult Sweatpants	BLACK			sold out	N/A	N/A	N/A		\$21	
Adult Mesh Basketball Short	BLACK				N/A	N/A	N/A		\$18	

Total Order \$

Please make checks payable to BEMS PTA. Orders will be filled twice a month. Email inquiries to: [president@bemspta.org](mailto:president@bemspta.org)  
 Please place your completed order form with payment in the PTA mailbox located in the BEMS lobby  
 OR you may mail it to: BEMS PTA CMR 445 General Delivery APO AE 09046

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_



Help BEMS PTA earn more Box Tops credits just by shopping online through [www.boxtops4education.com/marketplace](http://www.boxtops4education.com/marketplace)

Over 100 retailers give **eBoxTops** to OUR School when you shop online at the Marketplace. It's simple to register. Please consider using this website when holiday shopping. It doesn't cost you anything and in the end it benefits BEMS!!

#### **What are eBoxTops?**

eBoxTops, like physical Box Tops, are worth 10¢ each for our school. However, instead of clipping these Box Tops and sending them into our school, eBoxTops are awarded electronically to BEMS school earnings at [btfe.com](http://btfe.com) and will be included in our school's next Box Tops check amount.

#### **How can I earn eBoxTops?**

You can earn eBoxTops by shopping through the Box Tops Marketplace or the Box Tops Reading Room. Each participating retailer at the Marketplace and the Reading Room has agreed to donate a certain number of eBoxTops for every qualifying \$10 purchase a Box Tops member makes through [www.btfe.com](http://www.btfe.com).

#### **My school used to earn a percentage donation from each Marketplace store. How are eBoxTops different?**

There is no difference. eBoxTops are a simpler way of explaining how much each retailer will donate to your school. eBoxTops, like physical Box Tops, are worth 10¢ each for your school.

If you have questions, please contact:  
[bulldogpta@gmail.com](mailto:bulldogpta@gmail.com) subject line "Box Tops."



## PATCH YOUTH CENTER

**Friday, December 7th**

**8:30 am - 1:00 pm**

### **German Christmas Market at Stuttgart City Center**

\$16 for breakfast, lunch and the trip.

Middle school and high school students with a valid CYSS pass are eligible.

### **Payment Due at Time of Registration.**

For more information, or to register, contact the HUB at 430-7204.

Pre-registration and a permission slip are required.

The HUB opens at 0730 on December 7th for the Christmas Market Trip and 1300 for drop-in hours.



## Child, Youth and School Services Permission Slip

Child/ Youth Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Allergies or Health Problems: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Rank: \_\_\_\_\_ Unit: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Duty phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Designee Name/Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_ give my child/youth permission to attend

CYS Services field trips to: **Christmas Market in Stuttgart on Friday 07**

**December from 0830-1500. Cost is \$16 for breakfast, lunch & trip. Valid CYSS pass & permission slip is required. Payment due at time of registration. 24 hours cancelation notice required for full refund.**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, (parent/guardian) of \_\_\_\_\_ give consent for an authorized CYS representative to take my child/youth for care, medical, or dental, in an emergency situation where the condition of the youth represents a serious or imminent threat to his/her life, health, or well-being. I understand that a conscientious effort will be made to notify me prior to such action and the expense, if any will be borne by me. Treatment at any Army Medical facility may be provided without any additional consent under the provision of AR 40-3, paragraph 2-24b.

### **DATA REQUIRED BY THE PRIVACY ACT OF 1974**

**AUTHORITY:** Title 10 United States Code, Section 3012.

**PRINCIPAL PURPOSE:** To provide child/youth and family program eligibility and background information; for proper assignment of individuals into activities, programs and classes; to contact participant's home and parents in the event of an accident or illness; sponsor consent for access to emergency medical care.

**ROUTINE USES:** Information is furnished to the attending physician when necessary for a child/youth to be taken to a medical facility by someone other than a parent; to notify the parent in case of an emergency; to mail information of interest to the participant; to contact parents in case of an emergency; to mail information of interest to the participant; to contact parents when sports or recreational equipment has not been returned to CYS facilities; to contact the child/youth's parent relative to the child/youth's participation in programs.

**DISCLOSURE:** Disclosure of requested information is voluntary; however, if information is not provided individuals may not be allowed to participate in CYS programs.

\_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE SPONSOR/SPOUSE/LEGAL GUARDIAN

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE



Rodgers & Hammerstein's  
*Cinderella*

STUTTGART THEATRE CENTER PRESENTS

Performances  
**DECEMBER 7, 8, 14 & 15**  
**JANUARY 4, 5, 11 & 12**  
at 7:30 p.m.  
**DECEMBER 8\*, 9, 15 & 16**  
**JANUARY 6 & 13**  
at 3:00 p.m.

Tickets  
ADULTS  
**\$15**  
STUDENTS  
**\$13**

Euro prices are based on the monthly Family and MWR Exchange Rate

Reservations can be made by phone  
DSN 421 3055 CIV 0711 729 3055,  
at the Kelley Theatre Box Office  
(Tues. - Fri. 12:30 - 5:30 p.m.),  
or online on our website at

\*December 8 is an Invitation Only Performance for the EFMP at 3:00 p.m.



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