



# Bobcat News

## PTA Funds:

Assemblies  
Parent Ed Workshops  
Project Cornerstone  
TK/Kinder Welcome  
Running Club  
Bobcat Be's Program  
Teacher/STEAM Supplies  
Disaster Preparedness

## BHEF Funds:

STEAM/Tech Support  
Art & Music Teachers  
Librarian  
Instructional Aids  
School-wide Family Events

## Trunk or Treat

Trick or Treating in the Blue Hills Parking Lot! Safe, fun and exclusive to our Blue Hills Families.

[Sign Up to Host a Trunk!](#)

## Join PTA

Help ensure our students can enjoy all the PTA sponsored programs by donating. Participation waiver required for each student.

[Join/Donate Now](#)

[PTA Waiver Form](#)

Blue Hills Elementary

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## Support BHEF

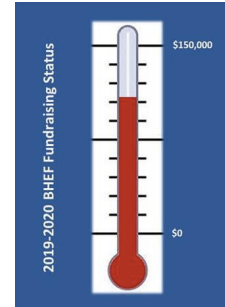


Support Blue Hills STEAM Program  
Blue Hills Educational Fund



PayPal

<https://bit.ly/2VHC6ua>



## Amazon Smile

Support Blue Hills BHEF while shopping on Amazon. [Click Here](#)

## Dine Out

Mention 'Blue Hills' and 20% of your check (breakfast - dinner) goes to the school all day!

[Oct 29- Corner Bakery](#)

## Traffic Safety

**November 11-22**, we will need **ALL parents** to sign up for traffic duty.

There was a snafu in the sign up schedule and to fix it, any parent can sign up during those 2 weeks to help out.

We only need 3 - 4 parents each afternoon these dates. Let's work together and make this work!

## School Calendar

### October 29

Dine Out - Corner Bakery

### October 31

Halloween Parade (8:00am)

### November 1

No School

### November 7

Dine Out - BJ's Restaurant

### November 11

No School

### November 19-22

Outdoor School - 5th grade

### November 25-29

Thanksgiving Break

## BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION

The Box Tops Program is changing the way we can earn cash for our school! They are transitioning from clipping to earning digitally by scanning your receipt. It's an easy way for our school to earn money. Read the attached flier for more information!

## CRAYON INITIATIVE

Donate unwanted/used crayons and markers to kids in need and help reduce plastic trash!

Collection boxes in classrooms, GLC, Learning Lab.

## RUNNING CLUB

Running Club is back this year! Every Wednesday at lunch, weather permitting. Looking forward to helping our kids log some miles on the track!





## *Thank you, Fall Festival sponsors!*

### Platinum Level:



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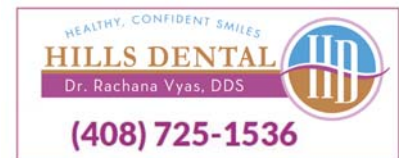


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### Gold Level:





Volunteer to host a car at the  
Blue Hills Trunk-or-Treat!



Thursday, October 31, 2019

# TRUNK *or* treat

Sign up online at: <https://bit.ly/2OxCICK>

Blue Hills Elementary Parking Lot

Primary grades @ 2:10; Upper grades @ 2:40

# Purchase your Yearbook now at **\$25** Prices go up November 30th!

Yearbook must be  
pre-ordered, and all orders  
must be placed online:

<https://www.balfour.com/california/saratoga/blue-hills-elementary-school>



When ordering, enter the student name (and teacher when prompted); also when placing your order, enter your billing address in the "Shipping Address" section.

All yearbooks will be shipped to school and distributed at the end of the year. If you have questions about ordering process,

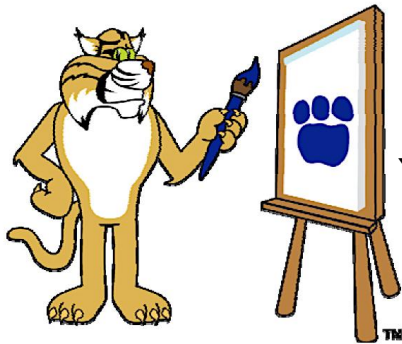
let us know: [bluehillseyearbook@gmail.com](mailto:bluehillseyearbook@gmail.com)

Please note that Ads options are for 5th graders only.



# BLUE HILLS YEARBOOK ART SHOWCASE

Submit your artwork  
October 14 – November 22, 2019



Calling all artists – It's time for this year  
very special Art Show Case  
on Blue Hills Yearbook cover!  
Your artwork will appear on the 2019-2020  
Blue Hills yearbook cover.  
All artwork may also be used as clip art  
inside the yearbook!

**To participate please submit your entries by November 22, 2019**

Please submit your artwork to your teacher or the front office

by 2:30 pm on Friday,  
November 22, 2019.

**No late entries will be accepted.**

## Blue Hills Yearbook Art Showcase Rules:

1. Submit original student artwork only
2. **NO COPYRIGHT ARTWORK WILL BE ACCEPTED**
3. **Submit only one entry per student**
4. Use 8 1/2" x 11" white paper
5. Use the vertical orientation (portrait) of the paper
6. Leave a 1/2" border around the edge of your artwork (a.k.a. bleed border). No text should be within 1/2" of the edges of the page, or it will be cropped out
7. The entire page should be filled with color, even the bleed border

### Artwork must include:

1. School's name: Blue Hills
2. Mascot: Bobcats
3. Your name

Questions? Email [bluehillsyearbook@gmail.com](mailto:bluehillsyearbook@gmail.com)

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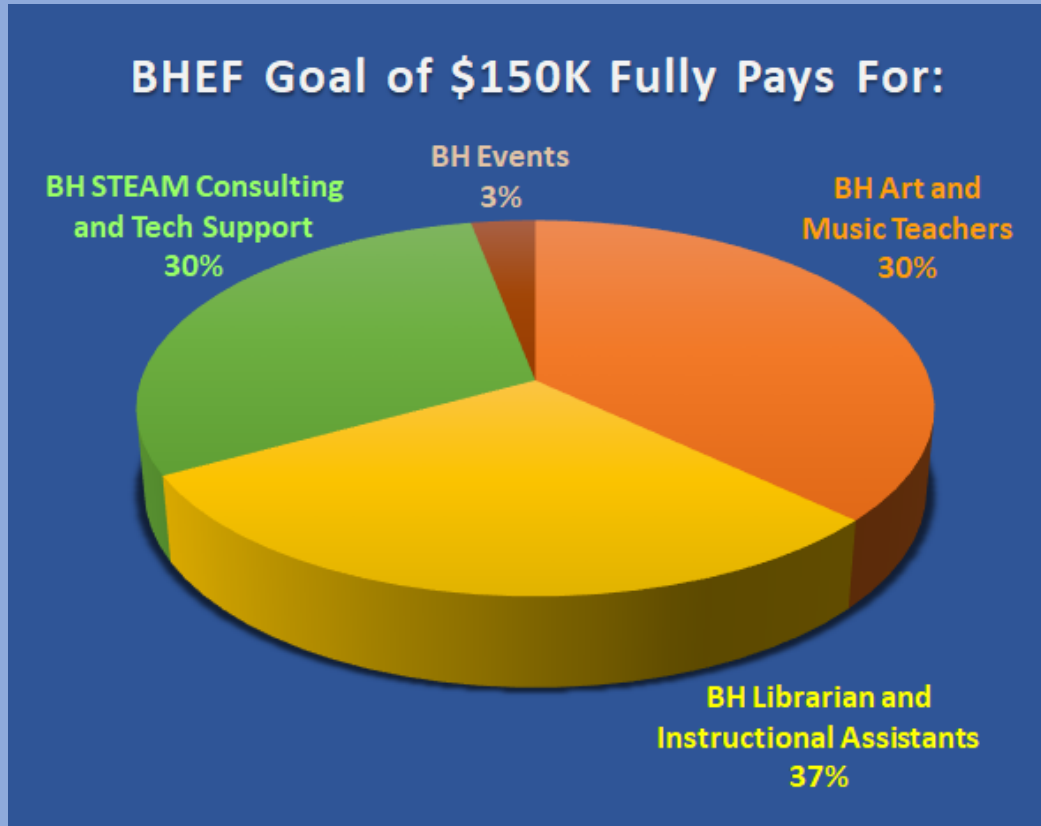


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# BHEF FAQs

## Where will my donation to BHEF go?

All BHEF donations received go directly to enhancing the educational experience of Blue Hills students. Below is a breakout of how the BHEF funds are used throughout the school year.



## What will happen if BHEF does not reach its \$150K goal?

The students of Blue Hills will not be able to participate in year-long art classes, music classes, and STEAM focused projects. Students will lose access to the school library and classrooms will not have the benefit of a professional STEAM consultant, a technical support expert, or instructional assistants.

## What is the suggested annual donation to BHEF?

The suggested donation is \$550 per student attending Blue Hills.

## BHEF Corner

### BHEF UPDATES

#### BUY-A-BRICK CAMPAIGN



The **Blue Hills Breezeway** will have all the commemorative bricks laid out around a beautifully engraved school logo (image above) and will include tables and benches to sit on while you wait for your student to finish school.

Order online or use the form attached if you prefer to pay by check.

<http://www.brickmarkersusa.com/donors/bhef.html>



#### Bobcat families,

Welcome to the 2019-2020 school year! Thank you to those who have already contributed to our fundraising goal of \$150,000 for this year! Your donations will continue to sponsor several STEAM enrichment programs for your children at Blue Hills.

Stay tune for upcoming BHEF event:  
Boo Bingo in October!

### WAYS TO DONATE

#### Direct Donation

Use the BHEF PayPal QR Code:



Support Blue Hills STEAM Program  
Blue Hills Educational Fund



<https://bit.ly/2VHC6ua>



#### Amazon Smile:

Support BHEF while you shop!

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#### Questions:

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# Blue Hills Educational Fund (BHEF)

**Buy-A-Brick Campaign**  
*Building Memories For Future*

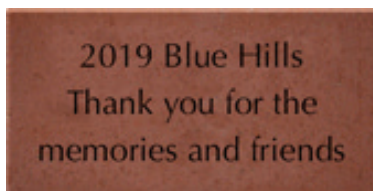
**Pave a path through the past while building a breezeway to the future. Brick by Brick!**  
**The Blue Hills Breezeway!**

Buy a commemorative brick to forever memorialize your time at Blue Hills Elementary, or your favorite teacher, or your most memorable moment...a place you can return to year after year from now to fondly remember your Blue Hills Bobcat family!

Every brick you purchase will help us make the "Blue Hills Breezeway", new paved waiting area for parents, grandparents, and guardians... Extra Special!

The Blue Hills Breezeway will have all the commemorative brick laid out around a beautifully engraved school logo and will include a cool, shaded oasis with tables and benches to sit on while you wait for your student to finish school.

**\$100 - 4x8 Brick**




*3 lines of text, 20 characters per line (including spaces and punctuation)*

## **Your Information**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

## **Mail form and payment to:**

BHEF  
12300 De Sanka Avenue  
Saratoga, CA 95070

## **Please make checks payable to:**

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