

BENNETT NEWS

September 8, 2011

- *Parents! Are you interested in volunteering?*

Bennett is proud to offer a literacy volunteer training night September 13th, 5:00-7:00. The training will prepare parent volunteers to assist Bennett students with literacy. We will examine the IB learner profile, five elements of literacy, literacy interventions, and guidelines for volunteering at Bennett. Parents interested in volunteering to help with literacy can sign up for the training in the main office with Mrs. Kietzmann.

- *Anyone interested in adding to the weekly newsletter, the deadline will be noon on Tuesdays. If you are interested in putting something in the September monthly newsletter, the deadline will be noon on September 16th.*

- *Bennett Student Directory – If you want your student(s) to be included in the Bennett Student Directory, please visit www.tinyurl.com/bennettdirectory and complete the brief form by Friday, September 16. Paper forms will be available in the front office for those who are unable to access the form online. Participation is completely optional. If we don't receive your information by September 16, we will assume that you would not like your student(s) to be listed in the directory.*

If you would like your business to be included in the business care section, please e-mail a digital copy (PDF, JPEG or TIFF file please) of your card to bennettdirectory@gmail.com OR put a hard copy in a

sealed envelope labeled "Bennett Directory" and bring it to the front office.

The Bennett Student Directory will be distributed to participating families in October via e-mail and/or Thursday folders.

Thanks you! Lulu Tupper, BCO Directory Coordinator

- *Gold C/Entertainment Books – northern Colorado Entertainment books are available for sale! The cost is \$25.00. These books are generated by the company who previously made Gold C books. Sadly, there is no longer a Gold C book published for Northern Colorado. Although the book looks a bit different, it contains items very similar to the former Gold C book (including ski coupons.) This year, books are available for interested families to purchase by either stopping by the Bennett library, or sending a check made out to BCO for \$25.00 in your child's Thursday folder. Books will then be sent home in your child's backpack. Books are available to look at in the mail office or in the library.*
- *Mark your calendar – School pictures will be taken Wednesday, September 21st. More information will come home next Thursday, September 15th.*
- *Beginning French Club starts next week! Join us Tuesday afternoons, beginning September 13, from 3:30-4:00, as we begin to learn about the French language and culture! Taught by CSU students, this club is free, and is open to all 2nd-5th grade students. There are a few spots remaining! See Mrs. Gibbs in room 22 for a permission slip!*
- *An update from Spanish! There is now a website available to keep you up-to-date with what the students are learning in Spanish. The site is called "Mi Clase es Su Clase", which means My Class is Your Class. Go to www.miclase.info to check it out!*

