



# Puma Press

Linking Learning to Life



## Principal's Message

Puma Families,

I am so proud of the tremendous school/family connection we have developed here at Tres Ríos. This month we have another opportunity to strengthen that bond during our parent/teacher conferences. We are looking forward to welcoming all of our families on campus to celebrate our students' successes and prepare for an amazing fourth quarter!

Respectfully,

*Steve Rickert*

## Important Information

**Safety Tip:** When picking children up from school, please park in a designated parking space. For safety reasons we cannot allow cars to park by the building, dumpster or alongside of other cars. Drive slowly - 5 MPH in the parking lot.

**MYD TIP:** We are looking at the two E's this month Earn and Expectations. Check out some of the bulletin boards and classroom signage reminding us about the 2 E's. Students will be refocusing on the 2 E's.

**Technology Tip:** QR Codes are 2 dimensional barcodes that are easily scanned using any modern mobile phone. This code will then be converted (called "dequarified") into a piece of (interactive) text and/or link. For instance, you walk around in the city and notice a poster for an event that seems interesting. You take out your mobile phone, scan the QR Code and will instantly get more information and a link to a website where you can book your tickets. You don't have to type or remember anything and because QR Codes can be very small, this saves a lot of space on the product as well.

**School Wellness:** Breakfast is one of the most important meals. Just like a vehicle, our bodies cannot operate without food. It serves as the fuel our bodies need to function. Especially after a good night's rest, our bodies need food to replenish the body. Whether you are at home or at school, start the day with a with a healthy breakfast. Carbohydrates are the key to a successful start to the day. Here are some suggestions for breakfast to begin your day: try toast, cereal with milk, yogurt, or perhaps some fruit. Stay healthy!

**Kids at Hope:** 2 great movies that capture the Kids At Hope Message Antwoine Fisher and McFarland USA check them out for a dose of HOPE!

You have **BRAINS** in your **HEAD**  
You have **FEET** in your **SHOES**.  
You can **STEER** yourself in any **DIRECTION** you **CHOOSE**.  
~Dr. Seuss

## Our School Focus

Second grade is currently collecting hygienic products for the local shelters. These products will be sorted and packaged before they are donated. Eighth grade has begun putting their learning and passion into their service learning projects. Students will be planting trees, creating blankets, etc.

## Dates to Remember

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 3/2-3/6- Read Across America Spirit Week | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 3/6- AIMS Science 4th grade                |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 3/4- AIMS Science 8th Grade              | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 3/17- Governing Board Meeting District 6pm |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 3/5-3/6- Parent Teacher Conferences      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 3/25- Dollar Dress Down                    |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 3/6- Kids @ Hope Assembly café 8:30      | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 3/31 AZM 2 Writing 3-8 grades              |

### Stay Connected

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We practice and believe the Kids @ Hope Philosophy... All Children are capable of success.  
**NO EXCEPTIONS!!!**