

# November Newsletter

## 14th Annual Blue Ridge Food Drive

Students are invited to participate in the 14th annual Blue Ridge food drive. Collection boxes will be placed in each classroom. All nonperishable food will be donated to the Dickinson County Food and Clothing Bank. **NON EXPIRED** canned goods, granola bars, rice, beans, soups, canned fruit, canned meats, pasta meals, and canned milk are appreciated.

**Please do not send food in glass containers.**

Food items will be collected from Monday, November 29th through Friday, December 10th. Thank you for taking time to celebrate the holiday season through the gift of giving to our community! A flyer, with more information, will be sent home with your child before the Thanksgiving break.

## Weather Guidelines

As the cooler weather approaches, here are a few reminders of our cold weather guidelines.

**\*Please see that your child is dressing appropriately for cooler weather with long sleeve shirts and long pants. This will also include wearing shoes with socks.**

**\*Students need to wear jackets/coats when the outdoor temperature is 50 degrees or lower. A hoodie is not a jacket that will block wind, nor is it a coat.**

**\*If the wind chill temperature is 20 degrees or lower, students will have an indoor recess.**

**Physical activity, fresh air, and playing outside are a part of your child's school day. Hats, gloves, scarves, etc., will help keep them warm.**

**We appreciate your support in helping your child be comfortable while at school.**

## From Your Blue Ridge PTO

2021-2022 Blue Ridge PTO Meeting Dates. Meetings will be on Tuesday evenings at 6:00 PM

- Nov. 16 -CANCELLED
- Jan. 10
- Feb. 15
- March 1
- March 22
- April 26 (last meeting)

**\*ALL MEETINGS ARE VIA ZOOM UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE**

