



# Rollan Melton Elementary

## Principal's Note

Greeting Melton Families,

I really enjoy the autumn season with its cool weather, striking colors, fun-filled holidays, and, of course, football. We just completed another successful Halloween day with fun activities that were enjoyed by all. Thank you for supporting students by volunteering at the school and making it a better place.

Parent-Teacher conferences were great. Thank you for making time to meet with teachers about your student(s). It is a joint effort to support students as they make successful steps in their education.

November also brings colder weather. Please make sure to have students dress appropriately for the weather. The school doors are open to students beginning at 9:15. If students are not dressed appropriately, the colder temperatures can make being outside for 15 minutes an unpleasant experience.

The school calendar is posted on the website; <https://www.washoeschools.net/Page/1574#calendar2720/20191022/month>. Make it a habit to check the calendar weekly. It will help keep you informed about upcoming events.

The school is trying to streamline the Connect Ed messages to go out once every other week. These Connect Ed messages are phone called/emailed and/or texted to you. They are helpful reminders of events happening at the school and reminders of school schedules. Periodically, it is necessary to send more than one Connect Ed Message. Please note that we are only trying to keep you as informed as possible.



Be kind to everyone you meet. No one ever regrets being kind.

Respectfully,

Jeff Batavia  
Principal



## NOVEMBER 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 Roar Store	2
3 Daylight savings	4	5	6 Early Release @2:45	7	8	9
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17	18	19 Wellness Exemption	20 Early Release @2:45	21 3rd Grade Music Program at 10:00	22 3rd Grade Music Program at 10:00	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30 Thanksgiving Break

### CONNECT

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## WASHOE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT ASBESTOS HAZARD EMERGENCY RESPONSE ACT MANAGEMENT PLAN NOTIFICATION

On October 22, 1986, the President of the United States, signed into law the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA) to CFR 763. AHERA requires all school districts throughout the United States, including Washoe County School District, to inspect their schools for asbestos and to develop a Management Plan which identified the location of all asbestos in each school.

A requirement of AHERA is that Washoe County School District is to notify the public annually that these Management Plans are available for review in each school's main office.

The AHERA Management Plans are available by contacting the school's administrative office. If additional information is requested, please contact the Washoe County School District, Capital Projects Department, Regulated Systems and Assessment at 775-325--8491.



### Melton students and staff are thankful for.....

Medical Help

"A JOB where I want to come to work EVERY day!"

Educational Help

Friends

"To have a family who loves and supports

"RESILIENCY"

FAMILY

"For the BEST students, families  
And STAFF in the entire UNIVERSE!"

"Family and Brother"

HEALTH

"The SUNRISE every single morning!"

Entire World and my Grandma!

MY DOG!

"So THANKFUL for my healthy and HAPPY kids!"

"Thankful for what I have and what I don't"



Fall has arrived, Mountain Lion Tribe!

What is the best thing to put into an apple pie?? YOUR TEETH! I hope that you've been able to snag yourself some delicious autumnal treats, and maybe even share a couple of bites with your kids...maybe. The Parent Faculty Association (PFA) has been working hard to crank out successful fundraisers and school-wide events thus far this year, and we are already planning events for the Spring! SAVE THE DATE for the Holiday Breakfast on Saturday, 12/7/19 starting at 9:00am (more information will be coming your way soon)!! Thank you to all of the Melton families and extended families for all your support. On behalf of our students, we truly appreciate all that you do to support not only their academics, but additionally being involved in the school culture and community. Thank you for sharing your children with us. We hope to see you at the next PFA meeting on November 5<sup>th</sup> in the Library at 3:45pm!

We're all in this together,

Janelle Stathes  
PFA President



## Holiday Food Baskets

Every year Rolan Melton PFA organizes HOLIDAY dinners to help support our families at Melton who need assistance during the holiday season. (Thanksgiving and Christmas) We are asking each student to help by bringing in items to make up our baskets.

\*Melton PFA will take care of all the other turkey dinner fixings.

Please drop off items no later than Monday, Nov. 25<sup>th</sup>!

- Kindergarten: 1 can of veggies PLUS \$2 to help purchase turkeys
- First grade: Dinner rolls or sliced bread PLUS \$2 to help purchase turkeys
- Second grade: 1 jar/mix of gravy PLUS stuffing or potatoes. (potatoes can be boxed or bagged.)
- Third grade: 1 jar of peanut butter AND 1 jar of jelly
- Fourth grade: 1 bottle of juice and \$1 to help purchase pies
- Fifth grade: Pasta with jar of sauce AND 1 can of cranberry sauce.

Please contact our counselor, Lauren Sabatino or call the office if your family needs assistance with a meal this Holiday season. (All information is confidential.)

[lauren.sabatino@washoeschools.net](mailto:lauren.sabatino@washoeschools.net)

If you would like to adopt an entire family, please contact Jan at 746-7440 for more information. We gladly accept donations of turkeys or money.

Thank you for your support.  
Together, we can all make a difference!



PFA meeting  
Nov. 5th at  
3:45 in  
Library



### 2019-2020 PFA Board Members

President: Jenelle Stathes  
1st Vice President: Erin Bozeat  
2nd Vice President: Dena Baumgardner  
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### Reminder: NO SCHOOL

November 11th—Veteran's Day Observed

November 27th thru Nov. 29th—

Thanksgiving Break



This month we are learning about Frida Kahlo. She was a famous Mexican artist who was born in 1907. She is well known for her self-portraits and still life paintings. We are learning that she was sick as a child and was in an accident when she was 18 years old that caused her to live with terrible pain for the rest of her life. We are noticing her use of bright colors and textures.



Ask your child about her famous eyebrows and the leaves and animals she painted into the background of her self-portraits.

- Amanda Grotting

Happy November Melton Families,



This month I will continue working in every classroom discussing Social Emotional Learning (SEL) topics focusing on self-management skills. Being able to manage our emotions effectively helps our overall success to feel ready to learn in school, to make and keep healthy relationships, and maintain stability as adults.

I am also in the process of collecting names of families that could use some extra help around the holidays. If you are in a position to donate to our food baskets, information will be sent home shortly. If you would like a basket of food items for Thanksgiving or Christmas, please contact me. All information is kept confidential and we have a great program of support for you, so please reach out if I haven't already reached out to you! Or if you need information about any other community resources, feel free to contact me and I will be happy to send referrals or look into programs for you!

As always, don't hesitate to reach out.

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