



Tell me something good!

- Crockett Elementary collected 2,550 items for the Salvation Army during this year's canned food drive. Mrs. Welch's class collected the most in 4th-grade with 536 items. Mrs. Jones' class collected the most in 3rd-grade with 385 items.
- Ms. Segovia's 4th-grade class won the Happy State Kid's Bank account challenge. Prizes were donated by Farmers Insurance and Happy State Bank.
- BIS had a month long December to Remember. Every day staff were treated with either an edible theme treat or activity. One activity was a popcorn bar provided by principals Teresa Bodey and Sydney Hertel. Misty Valdez did the design and set-up and made it look amazing!! Another day they treated BIS Staff to a Holly Jolly Trolley Cart filled with sweet and salty snacks and cold drinks. Classrooms also made wreaths for their doors, had an ugly sweater contest, staff had a Great Cookie Exchange, and everyone wore plaid one day. What a great way to close out 2020!
- During November, NJHS Members donated items to the Rainbow Room for their annual Christmas project. Students donated over 150 items in toiletries, baby items, toys, shoes, and clothes. Alongside the items donated, BMS was able to give a monetary donation of \$500 to the Rainbow Room! NJHS officers put together a contest to raise the money. The grade level that raised the most money in popcorn sales won a donut party! Eighth-grade students raised \$300 and seventh-grade students raised \$200. We are so proud of our BMS students for coming together to help a good cause. Later NJHS members went to the Rainbow Room and helped wrap the gifts.
- Crockett Elementary had a week of fun Christmas activities. They included everyone wearing plaid one day, Christmas sock day, wearing bright shiny sparkly clothes, Polar Express Day (PJ Day), and Tacky Sweater Day.
- BHS Administrators would like to brag on a group of students who volunteered to shovel snow last week. They cleared off the sidewalks before all their classmates arrived for school!
- Crockett Elementary adopted a child from the Rainbow Room to give presents to for Christmas.
- Congratulations to Mr. Sanchez, Gateway Elementary bilingual math teacher, for being recognized as ST Math's Teacher of the Month for December! ST Math is a supplemental math program that our elementary students use. This great resource is provided by Phillips 66!
- Kindergarten students at Paul Belton Elementary gathered items to thank healthcare workers at the hospital & nursing homes. They collected snacks, lotion, lip balm etc.
- Borger Intermediate School had a wreath decorating contest in 8th hour. Winners received a pizza and popcorn party. Winners were: 5th grade- 1st- Mrs. Phillip's class, 2nd- Mrs. Brown's class. 6th grade- 1st- Mrs. Sandoval's class, 2nd- Mrs. Cardenas class.

- Congratulations to these 8th-graders that made All-Region Band! We are proud of you!!
 Nadia Porras 1st chair Flute Symphonic Band
 Ansley Fike 4th chair Clarinet Concert Band
 Jasmine Morado 2nd chair Alto Saxophone Symphonic Band
 Jayston Porterfield 2nd chair Trumpet Symphonic Band
 Kaden Yarbrough 3rd chair French Horn Symphonic Band
 Arianna Barraza 8th chair French Horn Symphonic Band
 Lincoln Buchanan 1st chair French Horn Concert Band
 Natalie Summitt 1st Alternate French Horn
 Josh Drake 1st chair Baritone Symphonic Band
 Monica Valenzuela 2nd chair Baritone Symphonic Band
 Emma Gutierrez 1st chair Baritone Concert Band
 Mason Rowland 2nd chair Tuba Concert Band
 Carlos Cardenas 9th chair Percussion Symphonic Band
 Royce Bradley 3rd chair Percussion Concert Band
 Kinlee Breedlove 2nd Alternate Percussion
- On Saturday, December 5, 2020, three Borger High School Choir Students competed in the second round of the All-State Choir Auditions. Bailey Chisum, soprano, received 17th chair. Isabella Escobar, alto, received 14th chair. Anese Akins, alto, received 8th chair and now has the opportunity to move to the third round, Area, on January 16, 2021.
- Borger High School staff would like to thank Principal's Secretary, Lisa Rodriguez, and the Truancy Clerk, Rubi Haines, for providing a Christmas snack bar for the BHS teachers and staff to show appreciation for all their hard work and to wish them a Merry Christmas!
- The Crockett Elementary staff would like to thank Mr. Hatfield for providing a Christmas treat of breakfast burritos for the entire staff.
- BHS said, "Thank you!" to Officer Webster for his 11 years of service to the district with a going away party before Christmas Break. He will take on a new position as Hutchinson County Precinct 1 Constable. Borger
- Borger Intermediate & Middle Schools had another successful Fuzzy Sock/Puzzle Drive! Thank you to our students and community for making the drive amazing! They collected a total of 300 pairs of socks and 230 puzzle books!! These will be delivered to the nursing homes and other organizations in need on Thursday morning. The winners for the pizza lunch are below. The winner will get to have a pizza party in the library with two of their friends on Friday, January 8th. Winners: 5th Grade: Zayne Ledet, 6th Grade: Mikayla Lewis-Diaz, 7th Grade: Skye Sessions, and 8th Grade: Trevor Jenkins.
- Congratulations to the BIS Ugly Sweater Contest Winners!
 BIS teachers 1st- Mrs. Cardenas, 2nd- Mrs. Bouldin, 3rd- Mrs. Hipolito
 5th grade- 1st- Javarious Broom, 2nd- Saydi Loya, 3rd- Aliyah Fernandez
 6th grade- 1st- Tiana Hawkins, 2nd- Elizabeth Villa, 3rd- Olivia Munoz
- The Crockett Elementary Spelling Bee was held in December. Kinley Rangel was the runner up and Reyna Rodriguez was the winner. Both girls are 4th graders. All 25 Spellers did a wonderful job!
- Seven Borger High School Scholars make the Football All-State Academic Team! Congratulations to Coach Toliver and these seven student-athletes! Cash Conaway – 1st Team, Allan Cardenas – 2nd Team, Camden Hernandez – 2nd Team, Hunter Wilkinson – 2nd Team, Alex Clements – Honorable Mention, Garrett Hannon – Honorable Mention, Irving Perez – Honorable Mention.



Mrs. Welch and Mrs. Jones' classes



Popcorn bar at BIS



NJHS Members donated items to the Rainbow Room



Fifth-graders are decorating the Christmas tree.

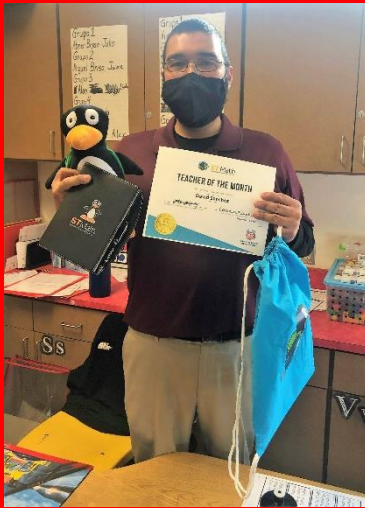


Cooper Shelton brought Ms. Downs and Mrs. Buttermore warm hot chocolate on a cold morning at Crockett Elementary!



Crockett students with some Rainbow Room donations

Students after shoveling snow on the BHS sidewalks



Mr. Sanchez



Kindergartners expressed their appreciation to local healthcare workers.



Mrs. Johnson and the National Honor Society students decorated BHS for the holiday. They made the last two weeks in December at BHS festive and fun. Their "Elf" activity helped many children in our community to have a wonderful Christmas!



BHS had a special visitor in December.



Thank you to Mrs. Washer and STUCO for decorating the Christmas trees at BHS for students to enjoy. Thank you to Mrs. Wakefield for always spreading joy at BHS!



Singing Bulldog Anese Akins



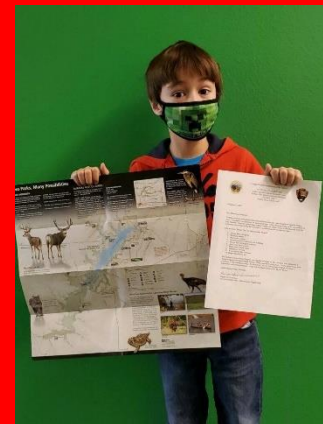
BHS says, "Good-bye" to Officer Webster.



Breakfast Burritos at Crockett



Christmas Snack Bar at BHS



First grader, Benjamin Munoz, wrote a letter to Lake Meredith National Park requesting information to learn more about the park. They sent a personalized letter back to him and included a lot of great information about the park.



Principal Bodey and Assistant Principal Hertel and Secretary Misty Valdez treated the BIS staff to the Holly Jolly Trolley Cart full of sweet and salty snacks and cold drinks as part of the month long celebration of December to Remember!!



8th-graders that made All-Region Band!



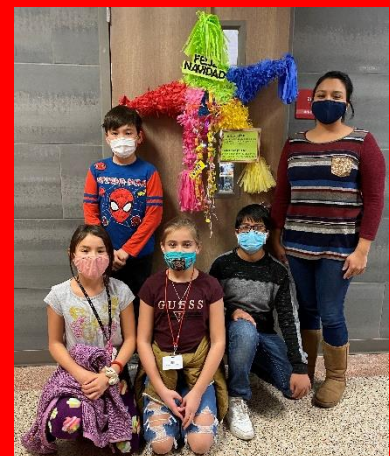
Solvay Donated \$5,000.00 to Borger High School for Dual Credit Scholarships
 (Front l to r) Solvay HR Manager, Dave Madden, and BHS Associate Principal, DeDe Conaway
 (Back l to r) Solvay Quality Manager, Mike Lopez, BHS Principal, Matt Ammerman and Solvay Production Manager, Freddy Stokes



The varsity boys soccer team is doing a virtual reading buddy program with some Gateway second-graders.



BIS Wreath Contest Winners





Ms. Segovia's class



Crockett Elementary Spelling Bee winners, Kinley Rangel (left) was the runner up and Reyna Rodriguez (right) was the winner



5th-grade



6th-grade
BIS Ugly Sweater Contest Winners



Teachers



Mrs. Poe's 3rd-graders took a few minutes to enjoy the snow.