

# The Lion's Roar



Leon Valley Elementary School  
April 2010

## From Mrs. Nalbach...

Spring is upon us and April is a busy month for Leon Valley students. As the year winds down, I urge you to encourage your children to be at school every day and to do their best. During the next month you will hear a lot about the proposed school bond issue for \$535 million. This bond issue is needed for our District to address the need for new schools based on continuing growth and to meet the need to improve our existing schools. Leon Valley Elementary will benefit specifically from the proposed bond issue in the following ways: lighting improvements in the gym and school building, playground equipment upgrades to include safe fall zones and ADA upgrades. Our campus will also receive a campus security system, as well as computer replacements. Plan to come to the Bond Presentation on Tuesday, April 13th to hear about the entire bond issue and its impact on our District. Early voting begins April 26th and election day is May 8th.



Enjoy the beautiful spring weather!

## Dates to Remember

April 2	Holiday
April 6	5th Grade TAKS Math Test
April 7	5th Grade TAKS Rdg. Test
April 8	Kinder & 2nd Gr. Field Trips
April 9	Early Release
April 12-16	Kinder Registration, 8am-12pm
April 14, 15	Kinder Round-up Presentation, 8:30-10:30 am
April 15	Cafecito with the Counselors, 7:45-8:30 am- Teacher's Lounge
April 20	Kinder Fiesta Float Parade, 2 pm
April 22	Classroom Fiesta Parties, 1:30-2:30 pm
April 23	Holiday
April 26	Grade 3 & 4 LAT Math Test
April 27	Grade 3 & 4 TAKS Math Test and Grade 3 & 4 LAT Reading Test
April 28	Grade 4 TAKS Reading Test and Grades 3 & 5 Reading Retest
April 29	Grade 5 TAKS Science Test
April 30	Grade 5 LAT Science Test

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### SCHOOL BOND 2010

Learn about the proposed bond issue at Leon Valley Elementary!

**TUESDAY, APRIL 13**

**Spanish Presentation 5:00 PM**

**English Presentation 5:30 PM**

*Presented by Brian Woods, Deputy Superintendent for Administration and former LVE Principal, Ray Galindo, Assistant Superintendent for Elementary Administration.*

## From Mrs. Perez...

We ended the 3rd nine weeks with a fun-filled attendance celebration. Members of the N.B.A. (Never Been Absent) and the N.F.L. (Never Found Late) enjoyed shooting baskets and throwing a football to try and win prizes. Please encourage your children to strive for perfect attendance and no tardies the 4th nine weeks so that they can be a part of the Atten "dance" Celebration in June.