Baldwin Street Middle School

How will you SOAR?

e-Banner Newsletter
8 November 2019

From the Principals...

If you missed the email this week regarding scheduling parent teacher-conferences, please see the information below. Please call the main office if you have any questions or need help signing yourself up for times. We look forward to seeing you at conferences later this month!

Conference Days and Times

Monday, November 18, from 5:00 pm to 9:00 pm and Wednesday, November 20, from 3:15 pm to 7:15 pm

Parent-Teacher Conference Sign-Ups

Please go to www.schoolbookings.net to sign up for parent teacher-conferences. Without a sign-up, we cannot guarantee that walk-in times will be available with your child's teachers.

Directions

1. To view a parent short training video (Click Here). Please use this year's code*
2. Our school code for 2019 fall conferences is **wfz37** and should be entered at www.schoolbookings.net.
3. You will need your child(ren)'s schedules from PowerSchool.
4. If you do not have an email address, please contact the office for assistance with booking (an email address is required for parents to book online).
5. Special education teachers have 15-minute blocks to meet with families. Please plan your subsequent meetings accordingly.
6. Staff members we share with the high school and Riley Street Middle School may not be available at every conference time.

Classwork Connection...

If you are looking for information about what the homework is for math, when the next test is in science, how to study for social studies, or what your student is doing in each class every day, check out the Classwork Connection. Each week, all teachers will update this for your planning and information. Students and parents should check it out! Once you have visited, bookmark this page for easy reference, anytime.

(For easy access, click the link above or visit Classwork Connection)

Lunch Menu...

Monday, 11/11	**Mac & Meat, Garlic Toast, Chicken Smackers, Green Beans**
Tuesday, 11/12	**Scrambled Eggs, Apple Cinn. TX Toast, Seasoned Potatoes**
Wednesday, 11/13	**Deli Bar, Baked Beans, Chili Crispito, Homemade Pizza**
Thursday, 11/14	**Asian Chicken, Rice, Breakfast Sandwich, Hash Browns**
Friday, 11/15	**EARLY RELEASE - Sack Lunch Available**

We look forward to seeing you at the performance of our hardworking musical performers and crew.

Link to order your tickets:

Once Upon A Mattress.

Choir Notes…

Thank you to all of the families who participated in our Century Resources Fundraiser. The items will be delivered to BMS some time during the week of November 18. You will receive an e-mail once the exact pick up date for orders is confirmed.

Our Winter Concert is quickly approaching on
Monday, December 9 at 6:30 p.m.

Baldwin Street Middle School will be hosting their annual fall Scholastic Book Fair Monday, Nov. 15- Friday Nov. 22. The book fair will be open Mon.-Thurs. 8 am - 2:45 pm; and Friday from 8am -12:45pm. The book Fair will also be open both Monday and Wednesday during conferences. eWallet is available in the link below!

We will also be having a friendly little competition involving the Michigan Wolverines, the Michigan State Spartans, and Other Teams (GVSU, Central Michigan, Notre Dame etc.) with all proceeds benefiting the ALL FOR BOOKS program that Scholastic supports. Please stop in to the office to add your 2¢ worth to the jar representing your favorite team!

Come and browse some of the most popular books as well as many new titles! For more information or to shop online please visit our homepage at:

https://www.scholastic.com/bf/baldwinstreetmiddleschool2

Eagle Renaissance Business of the Month—November

Eagle Renaissance
GOLD MEMBERS ONLY
NOVEMBER
Business of the Month

HUDSONVILLE Lanes
WHERE THE FUN TIMES ROLL

Head to Hudsonville Lanes
5775 Balsam Ave

Free Game of Bowling
No Purchase Necessary

BRING YOUR BOM CARD & ID

BMS Renaissance Dates:

Wednesday, November 13
Wednesday, December 4
Wednesday, December 18

All meetings will be from 2:45-3:30 and will take place in the GLC (room #115)

SKI AND SNOWBOARD CLUB

If you are interested, pick up information in the Main Office!

Upcoming Events

Fri., Sat. & Sun. November 8, 9, 10	Musical “Once Upon a Mattress” tickets available for purchase on Hudsonville website
Monday, November 11	Veterans Day - Thanks to all who have and do serve
Friday, November 15	Early Release - Students dismissed at 11:15am
Monday, November 18	Parent/Teacher Conferences 5-9pm (details on how to schedule will be sent soon)
Wednesday, November 20	Parent/Teacher Conferences 3:15-7:15pm (details on how to schedule will be sent soon)
Wednesday, November 27-December 1	Thanksgiving Break
Thursday, December 5	BSMS Bands Holiday Concert @ 6:30pm in the Hudsonville Fine Arts Center
Monday, December 9	BSMS/RSMS Choirs Holiday Concert @ 6:30pm in the Hudsonville Fine Arts Center
Friday, December 13	Early Release - Students dismissed at 11:15am
December 23 - January 5	Holiday Break
January 6	School Resumes

Holiday Parade

Hudsonville is celebrating its 26th annual Holiday Parade on November 23rd at 10 am. The parade, sponsored by Sunset Retirement Communities, takes off from Pinnacle Center Drive and will travel north on 32nd Ave, ending on school street off of Central Blvd. Immediately following the parade, there will be a Christmas celebration held at Terra Square filled with Santa and Mrs. Claus, kid's activities, cookies, and hot chocolate. This is an excellent opportunity to welcome in the holidays with your family and neighbors! Look for floats, horses, snow dogs, trucks, bands, and more in the Hudsonville Holiday Parade on Saturday, November 23.

Hudsonville Youth Girls Lacrosse Stick Skills Clinic ~ Join Us!

Monday Nights - Nov. 4 - Dec 16
*** 3-6 grades 6-7 PM
*** 7-8 grades 7-8 PM

Location: Jamestown Upper Elementary School, 3291 Lincoln St.

Cost: $25.00 for all sessions

Please E-mail us at HudsonGirlsYouthLax@gmail.com to sign up or if you have questions.

Follow our Facebook page to get information about upcoming events. Search for **Hudsonville Girls Lacrosse**

An informational meeting for the spring season will be held at Jamestown Upper Elementary on **December 16, from 8 - 8:30 p.m.**

From the Superintendent's Desk...

On behalf of the entire district, THANK YOU for all of your efforts to make yesterday's bond proposal successful. I have always known that Hudsonville is a special place, and the support of our community is what separates us from others.

As you know from my presentations, the work is just beginning as we put our plan into motion. We will still be seeking input regarding our new structures, updating existing facilities, and expanding learning environments. As we continue to grow, I'm thankful for the partnership our district has with our community.

Thank you once again for your support!

Dr. Doug VanderJagt
Superintendent
Hudsonville Public Schools

Donation Opportunities...

EXTRA, EXTRA!
We need Newspapers!
Mrs. Scott's art class is collecting newspapers for their projects. Please drop them off in the office!

Parents,

It would really be nice to support our teachers during conferences, if you would like to help, please contact me if you willing to donate time and or money ($1-$5) to provide a meals for our staff during Parent Teacher conferences, please email nhoogew@hpseagles.net

#FireUpGoEagles

Follow Our Instagram: @BMSeagles49426

NOVEMBER

American Heart Association.

Learn about the Salty Six - surprising foods that contribute the most sodium to our diets. Let's look at these foods in more detail. How did they get on this list, and how can you keep them from packing excess sodium into your diet?

1. PIZZA
2. BURRITOS & TACOS*
3. SANDWICHES**
4. BREADS & ROLLS
5. COLD CUTS & CURED MEATS
6. SOUPS

LEARN MORE AT HEART.ORG/ SODIUM

Baked Sweet Potatoes and Apples

INGREDIENTS

Serves 8 (Serving Size 1/2 cup)

- Cooking spray
- 1/4 cup sugar
- 1/2 tsp ground cinnamon
- 3 medium sweet potatoes (peeled, cut crosswise into 1/4 inch slices)
- 2 medium sweet apples (such as Rome Beauty or Gala) peeled, each sliced into 10 wedges
- 3 Tbsp light tub margarine

DIRECTIONS

1. Preheat the oven to 350°F. Lightly spray a 1 1/2-quart glass casserole dish with cooking spray.
2. In a small bowl, stir together the sugar and cinnamon.
3. In the casserole dish, layer in order half each of the sweet potatoes, apples, and cinnamon-sugar. Dot with about half the margarine. Repeat.
4. Bake, covered, for 1 hour to 1 hour 15 minutes, or until the sweet potatoes and apples are soft.

Nutritional Facts

Calories	101	Cholesterol	0 mg
Total Fat	2.0 g	Sodium	61 mg
Saturated Fat	0.0 g	Total Carbohydrate	21 g
Trans Fat	0.0 g	Dietary Fiber	3 g
Polyunsaturated Fat	0.5 g	Sugars	14 g
Monounsaturated Fat	1.0 g	Protein	1 g

Dietary Exchanges: 1/2 fruit, 1 starch

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