

Eagle Friday Flyer

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March 4, 2022

Thu, Mar 4	Basketball Finals—TBA
Mon, Mar 7	Social Studies Nine Weeks Exams
Tue, Mar 8	NJHS Meeting—ILT—Cafeteria ELA Nine Weeks Exams Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm
Wed, Mar 9	Science Nine Weeks Exams
Thu, Mar 10	Math Nine Weeks Exams Teacher Cadets—4:00 pm
Mon, Mar 14	End of Third Nine Weeks
Tue, Mar 15	Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm
Fri, Mar 18	Report Cards Go Home
Tue, Mar 22	Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm
Tue, Mar 29	Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm
Tue, Apr 5	Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm
Tue, Apr 12	Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm
Mon, Apr 4— Fri, Apr 8	Spring Break—HOLIDAY
Tue, Apr 19	Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm
Tue, Apr 19	Incoming 6th Grade Open House—6-7:00 pm
Thu, Apr 21	Progress Reports released
Tue, Apr 26	Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm
Tue, May 3	Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm
Mon, May 9	Social Studies Nine Weeks Exam
Tue, May 10	ELA Nine Weeks Exams Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm
Thu, May 11	Science Nine Weeks Exams
Thu, May 12	Math Nine Weeks Exams
Tue, May 17	Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm
Tue, May 24	Last Day of School Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm
Wed, May 25	Teacher Post-planning
Thu, May 26	Teacher Post-planning Report Cards mailed home

What's For Lunch Next Week?

Mon, 3/7	Chicken Chunks or PB&J
Tue, 3/8	Mini Cheese Calzone or PB&J
Wed, 3/9	Hotdogs or PB&J
Thu, 3/10	Chicken Sandwiches or PB&J
Fri, 3/11	Pizza or PB&J

MENU IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE DAILY DUE TO
NATIONWIDE SHORTAGES.

Student Spotlight

Each week we spotlight students who have shown character, good manners, and a positive attitude. Congratulations to the following students who were chosen by their teachers as Students of the Week:

Grade	Student	Teacher
6th	Wyatt Adams	Mr. Ingram
7th	Giovanni Santiago	Mrs. Udy
8th	Devontea Sellers	Mrs. Andrade

Congratulations

Join us in celebrating a hero among us who had a great article appearing in last month's Page Magazine. Today, Joey Kirkland from Page visited BRMS and honored Mrs. Alicia Allen in her contributions to our profession. Below is the link to the article:

https://issuu.com/pagemagazines/docs/page_one_jan_feb_2022_final/22

Top Achieve 3000

6th	Name	# 75 or higher
1st	David Ritchie	37
2nd	Heidi Nguyen	24
3rd	Isaiah White	24
7th	Name	# 75 or higher
1st	Jivesh Nayyar	99
2nd	Utkarsh Anand	52
3rd	Aryan Punjani	35
8th	Name	# 75 or higher
1st	Sun Choi	200
2nd	Nathaniel Suryono	66
3rd	Katie Ellenburg	62

The above 9 winners from the February Achieve 3000 Love to Read Contest will enjoy bringing a friend to the video gaming bus!

Congratulations, students!



GMAS Testing



Monday, May 2nd - ALL students ELA 1 (Writing)
Tuesday, May 3rd - ALL students ELA 2/3 (Reading)
Wednesday, May 4th - ALL students Math
Thursday, May 5th - 8th grade students Science
Friday, May 6th - 8th grade students SS
Monday, May 9th - Highschool math students test



IMPORTANT INFORMATION: Status Updates for 2022-2023 Online Registration

DETAILS:

Important Information Regarding Registration Dates
The 2022-2023 Online Registration will begin on March 1, 2022, for ALL students
Application link: [Student Registration - Online Registration \(muscogee.k12.ga.us\)](https://muscogee.k12.ga.us)

New Students to MCSD:

This option is for families who **DO NOT** have an existing student in MCSD **OR** their child is transferring from another school district, institution, or home school environment **AND** have no other children enrolled in MCSD Schools. Click on "New Students" and complete the questions. Please select registration for the 2022-2023 school year.

New Student with a sibling who is a Current Student at MCSD:

If the new student has a sibling who is a currently enrolled student in MCSD, please direct them to complete the Online Registration application through "Infinite Campus Parent Portal". They may add the new students during the annual update window or at any time during the school year through their Infinite Campus Parent Portal and complete the questions. Please select registration for the 2022-2023 school year.

Current Students at MCSD:

If they have a currently enrolled student in MCSD, please direct them to complete the Online Registration application through "Infinite Campus Parent Portal". They may add new students during the annual update window or at any time during the school year through their Infinite Campus Parent Portal and complete the questions. Please select registration for the 2022-2023 school year.

Parent Portal Access:

It is of utmost importance for parents to have an active Parent Portal. ALL Online Registration Applications and the Parent Packets will be provided to parents through this portal. If the parent does not have access to Parent Portal, please provide assistance to parents with creating an account or resetting their passwords.

ACTION REQUIRED BY YOU:

Promote Online Registration Application for ALL Students
Encourage ALL parents to activate their Parent Portal accounts
Assist with providing access to Parent Portal

QUESTIONS:

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2021-2022 Nine Weeks Exam Policy

All academic content courses are required to have a nine weeks' test. Students meeting the criteria listed below will be eligible to exempt nine weeks' exams in up to four academic core classes: Social Studies, Math, Language Arts and Science. During exam days, daily attendance to school is still required. Exams are given over a four-day period as established by the school's nine weeks' testing schedule. Students will still have academic work in the remaining classes each day. The criteria for exemption is per class, per nine week period, and is as follows:

1. A class average of 88 and perfect attendance prior to the end of the 9 weeks or
2. A class average of 93 for the nine weeks.

*No major discipline issues resulting in ISS/OSS or more than 1 Saturday School for the nine week period to qualify.

Nine Weeks Test Dates

Day 1: Social Studies, Day 2: ELA, Day 3: Science, Day 4: Math

· 3/7/2022 – 3/10/2022

Important Cheer Dates

3/16 Cheer Banquet at Wild Wing Cafe @ 6 pm

4/15 - Friday Nite Flick! outside at BRMS 8:00 - 11:00 pm

Hosted by the Cheer Squad, we will have an inflatable movie screen setup outside. Tickets will be sold at lunch that week for \$10 and concessions, glow sticks, and face paint will be sold that night. Bring your own blanket or chair for comfort viewing! (More information to come)

4/25 - 4/29 Cheerleaders should return uniforms to Coach Bridges in Room 410

5/16 - 5/18 Cheer Tryouts for the 2022 - 2023 season

BRMS gym each day from 4:00 - 5:30 pm

5/16 Parent Meeting for Cheer Candidates in the gym after Day 1 of tryouts from 5:30 - 6:00 pm

Athletic Eligibility

If your child plans to play sports in the fall, make sure he/she has a passing semester average from this nine weeks and 4th nine weeks. Often, students forget how important off seasons are. Do your work now where you can play later!

March Writing Competition

The theme for March's writing competition is "resilience". Email writing of any genre to your ELA teacher to participate and win prizes!

Achieve 3000 Contests

Achieve 3000 has ongoing contests within the program for our students! Make sure to encourage our students to enter these as well!

<https://achieve3000.com/literacy-spring-contest/>

From February 27 through April 2, students using Achieve3000 Literacy can qualify for weekly drawings and a chance to win cool prizes. Students are automatically added to the drawings when they complete two lessons with a first-try activity score of 75% or higher. If they complete four lessons with that score, they'll double their chances to win!

Spring Book Fair



Hey Parents,
Our Spring Book Fair opens Thursday, March 24th and runs through noon on Thursday, March 31st. Online shopping begins on Wednesday, March 23rd and is available through April 5th. Check out our book fair website at the following link:

<https://www.scholastic.com/bf/blackmonroadmiddleschool>

Starting on March 2nd you can create an eWallet for your student to use at the book fair. The last day to create or contribute to an eWallet is March 31st. Using an eWallet eliminates the possibility of losing your money before you get to shop. Any funds in the eWallet that aren't spent by the end of the book fair are converted to an online gift card for the Scholastic Online Store.

If you had unspent funds in an eWallet from the Fall Book Fair, you will find them by logging into the Scholastic Store. They can be transferred back to a new eWallet for the Spring Book Fair.

Set up your eWallet on the Book Fair Website page:

<https://www.scholastic.com/bf/blackmonroadmiddleschool>

Click [here](#) to learn more about eWallets.

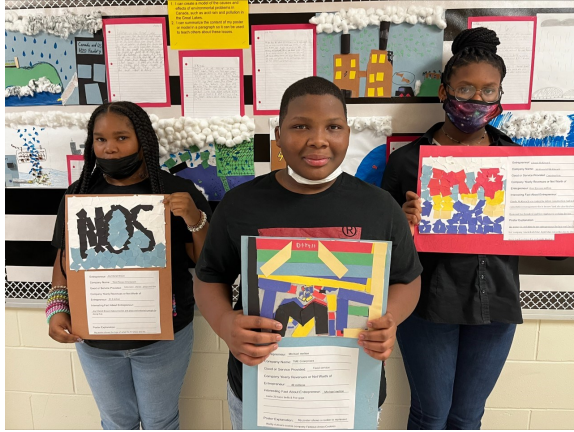
Save the Date

Incoming 6th Grade Open House
Tuesday, April 19th
6:00—7:00 PM

Come out and tour BRMS! Check out what our school has to offer. Course selections will take place at this time. We hope to see you there.

Black History Month Project

Ms. Whiteley's students researched black entrepreneurs, many who live in Georgia. After researching these black-owned companies, students created an art piece of the company's logo or product in a style inspired by Columbus-born artist, Alma Thomas. In this picture, Karmen Osborne, Dontrell Lyda, and Avery Mitchell-Sanders show off their Black History Month projects.



GEMS Donation Drive

Do you want to come to school in your cozy **pajamas**? If so, Girls in Engineering, Math, and Science (GEMS) will be holding a donation drive on March 25th for Damascus Way. Bring in snacks or cleaning supplies to your first period teacher, and in return, you will be able to enjoy a fun school day in your comfy pajamas! Damascus Way is a battered women and kids shelter,

Help GEMS
help the Women and Children in our Community.

Donation Drive for Damascus Way

Needed Items:

Cleaning Supplies:

Laundry Detergent and Surface Cleaners

Snacks-

Any Non Perishable Snacks



Blackmon Road Middle School

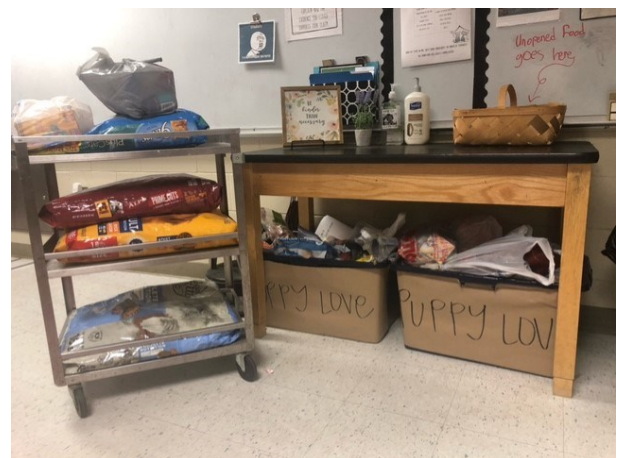
Theatre Dept. Presents...



Performance Dates: March 24th & 25th, 2022 @ 6PM

Puppy Love

Puppy Love was a success! Items will be delivered to Cookies Canine Animal Rescue & Sanctuary this weekend. Thank you to everyone who donated items to help out!



Regional National History Day Competition

Blackmon Road has two students eligible to compete in the Regional National History Day competition at LaGrange College! Kayal Sankar's research paper on the fight for women's rights and Lucile Choudhury's website on the achievements of Gandhi in India both won first place in their categories at our school National History Day competition! We are very proud of these two lady eagles and wish them well at the regional competition!



COLUMBUS HIGH SCHOOL
INVITES YOU TO:

FOOTBALL CHEER TRYOUTS



MARCH 17TH, 18TH
AND 21ST AT 4:30

Must have physical on file



Contact Coach Elder with questions
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