

# Eagle Friday Flyer

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April 29, 2022

Tue, May 3 Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm  
 Thu, May 5 Track Weather Make-up day @ Kinnett Stadium—5:00 pm  
 Mon, May 9 Track Finals @ Kinnett Stadium—5:00 pm  
 Tue, May 10 Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm  
 Wed, May 11 Track Finals @ Kinnett Stadium—5:00 pm  
 Thu, May 12 Science Nine Weeks Exams  
 Fri, May 13 Social Studies Nine Weeks Exams  
 Mon, May 16 ELA Nine Weeks Exams  
 Tue, May 17 Math Nine Weeks Exams  
 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 Released**

## What's For Lunch Next Week?

Mon, 5/2 Chicken chunks of PB&J  
 Tue, 5/3 ALL PB&J 's (for testing)  
 Wed, 5/4 Hot dogs w/ chili or PB&J  
 Thu, 5/5 Chicken Sandwiches or PB&J  
 Fri, 5/6 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   | Aruma Shoab    | Mrs. Vanderhorst |
| 7th   | Lucy Dobbins   | Mr. Dobbins      |
| 8th   | Khushboo Ogden | Mr. Downes       |

## Spring Football

6th and 7th Grade Spring Football Weightlifting  
 April 18th – May 11th  
 Monday-Thursday 4:00-5:00PM

6th and 7th Grade Spring Football Workouts  
 May 12th, Thursday 4:00-5:30 PM  
 May 16th, Monday 4:00-5:30 PM  
 May 17th, Tuesday 4:00-5:30 PM  
 May 18th, Wednesday 4:00-5:30 PM  
 May 19th, Thursday 4:00-5:30 PM

- \*Must have completed Assumption of Risk and Physical on file.
- \*Athletic attire is recommended.
- \*Parents must be here to pick up their student on time in order to participate.

## Library Book Deadlines

The last day for students to check out library books is  
**Thursday, May 5th.**

All library books are due to be returned to the Media Center on  
**Wednesday, May 11th.**

## Important Cheer Dates

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

## Yearbooks

Yearbooks can still be purchased at [jostensyearbooks.com](http://jostensyearbooks.com)  
 Limited supply remaining

## Dr. Shanta McClurkin Patrick Creative Writing Contest

Congratulations, Anna Shockley for placing 3rd in the sixth annual Dr. Shanta McClurkin Patrick Creative Writing Contest. Dr. McClurkin had over 100 entries from MCDSD students!

EVERY student was celebrated with cheers, music and fun. The winners' prize packages included cash, tablets, writing and drawing materials, books, journals, WXTX Fox-54 merch and more!

## GMAS Testing



- Monday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> - **6th, 7th, and 8th grade students — ELA 1 (Writing)**
- Tuesday, May 3<sup>rd</sup> - **6th, 7th, and 8th grade students — ELA 2/3 (Reading)**
- Wednesday, May 4<sup>th</sup> - **6th, 7th, and 8th grade students — Math**
- Thursday, May 5<sup>th</sup> - **8<sup>th</sup> grade students — Science**
- Friday, May 6<sup>th</sup> - **8<sup>th</sup> grade students — SS**
- Monday, May 9<sup>th</sup> - **Highschool Math Students will take Middle School**



**GMAS**

# GMAS

## FUN DAY

FRIDAY, MAY 20, 2022

### STUDENTS CAN EARN A TICKET TO ATTEND BY:

1. TAKING EACH REQUIRED GMAS.
2. BRING CHROMEBOOK CHARGED DAILY WITH CHARGER.
3. TAKE YOUR TIME ON THE TEST AND DO YOUR BEST.
4. HAVE NO BEHAVIOR PROBLEMS IN ANY CLASS.



### *Some of the fun Planned:*

1. Bring your dancing shoes to the gym
2. Enjoy a Movie in the Cafeteria
3. Get ready for the afternoon BRMS Spring Football Game 7 on 7
4. Corn Hole, Volleyball, and Other Games throughout the day
5. Enjoy Concessions

## 9 Weeks Testing

All academic content courses are required to have a nine weeks' test. These cumulative tests developed by our academic departments serve as a measurement of content mastery covered in each academic core area at the end of the grading period. 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.

Exam exemption means a student may NOT be required to take the exam for a qualifying class, and/or the exam grade will not count against the student as they are exempt or will count to replace a low grade. 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:

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

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

### Nine Weeks' Test Dates

Thursday, May 12th- Science  
Friday, May 13th- Social Studies  
Monday, May 16th ELA  
Tuesday, May 17th Math

## Important Dates

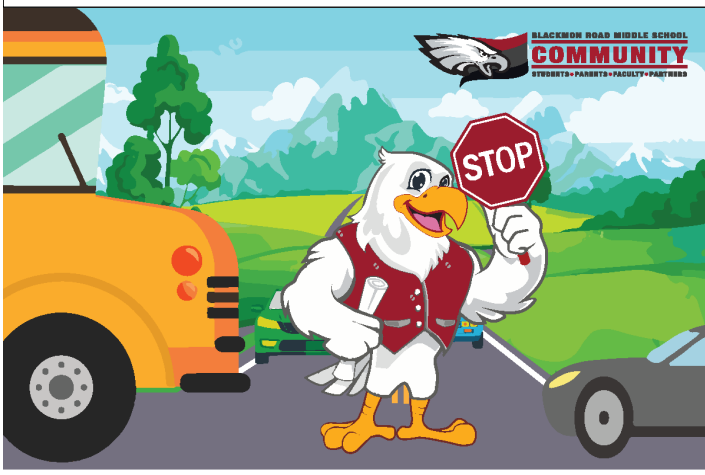
BRMS Student Awards at BRMS: Wednesday, May 18th

Chromebook and Textbook Collection Dates: Thursday, May 19th

GMAS Fun Day: Friday, May 20th (There will be an incentive for students who qualify by being in attendance for all GMAS tests and bringing Chromebook and charger for testing daily.)

## Summer Learning Experience

BRMS wants to remind all families that if your child is failing 2 or more subjects, he/she may be retained. Please be sure to sign up for the Summer Learning Experience. You can register through the Parent Portal and the online Registration process. If you have any questions, please call the front office at 706-565-2998.



Blackmon Road Middle School  
7251 Blackmon Road  
Columbus, GA 31909



## STOP!

BRMS wants to remind all families that if your child is failing 2 or more subjects, he/she may be retained. Please be sure to register your child today for the MCS Summer Learning Experience.

You can register your child through your Parent Portal and the online registration process. If you have already completed OLR, please feel free to call BRMS to register your child. OLR must be completed prior to students signing up.



## BLACKMON ROAD 8<sup>th</sup> GRADE FORMAL

# “A NIGHT UNDER THE STARS”

Where: BRMS Cafeteria

When: Saturday, April 30<sup>th</sup>

Time: 6pm – 9pm

Notes: DJ, Finger Food, Drinks, Party Keepsake, TONS OF FUN!!

Price: \$15.00 per Student

**\*\*ONLY 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE STUDENTS FROM BLACKMON ROAD MIDDLE SCHOOL ARE ALLOWED TO ATTEND AND NO OUTSIDE DATES OR STUDENTS PERMITTED\*\***



Scan QR code for a payment link or visit <https://square.link/u/6MPtkSCm>

**\*\*TICKETS MUST BE PURCHASED IN ADVANCE AND WILL NOT BE SOLD AT THE DOOR\*\***

**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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