

Vol. 22 Issue 35 website: http://sites.muscogee.k12.ga.us/blackmon May 6, 2022

Mon, May 9 Awards Night @ Cascade Hills Church-6:30 pm Track Finals @ Kinnett Stadium—5:00 pm Wild Wing Café Spirit Night—5:00-9:00 pm Tue, May 10 Wed, May 11 Track Finals @ Kinnett Stadium—5:00 pm Thu, May 12 Science Nine Weeks Exams Social Studies Nine Weeks Exams Fri, May 13 Mon, May 16 **ELA Nine Weeks Exams** 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

Spring Football

Report Cards Released

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.

Awards Night

Monday, May 9th, at 6:30 PM.
Cascade Hills Church
Students should be seated by 6:10 PM.

Summer Reading

Our new 2022-2023 media specialist, Amber Newton, will be here next week on Wednesday along with the Columbus Public Library to push summer reading.

What's For Lunch Next Week?

Mon, 5/9 Salisbury & Country Fried Steak of PB&J
Tue, 5/10 Corndogs or PB&J
Wed, 5/11 Rib A Q sandwiches or PB&J
Thu, 5/12 Cheeseburgers or PB&J

Fri, 5/13 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:

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Library Book Deadlines

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 <u>jostensyearbooks.com</u> Limited supply remaining.

GMAS Testing

Monday, May 9th - Highschool math students test.

Good job to all students who had a great week of GMAS testing!!!

Makeup testing will be ongoing next week.

Important Dates

BRMS Student Awards at BRMS: Wednesday, May 18th

Chromebook and Textbook Collection Dates: Thursday, May 19th

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

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

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.





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)

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:

Sonia Sheehan - Manager of Student Services Sheehan.Sonia.E@muscogee.k12.ga.us (706) 748-2219

Kevin Scott - Director of Student Services Scott.Kevic.C@muscogee.k12.ga.us (706) 748-3217

Art Field Trip

All BRMS ART CLASSES and ART CLUB visited the Columbus Museum of Art this past week. It was a wonderful trip and we look forward to learning more about Art and art history after this great experience.















STUDENTS CAN EARN A TICKET TO ATTEND BY:

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

BLACKMON ROAD MIDDLE SCHOOL

CHEER SQUAD TRYOUTS

Do you have what it takes? Then join our cheer team!

May 16th - 18th from 4:00 - 5:30 PM SCHOOL GYMNASIUM

We are looking for energetic, enthusiastic, and efficient cheerleaders who will help spread the school spirit!

All required paperwork MUST be turned in to Coach Bridges no later than Friday, May 13th at 4:00 pm

Contact Info: Bridges.Christen.Memuscogee.k12.ga.us

Northside Soccer

You will need a physical and an Assumption of Risk form to participate. If you do not have a current physical, Northside is having the Mass Pre-Participation Screening this Saturday at Northside from 9AM-12PM. The physical costs \$10. The physicals are ONLY available for the rising 9th graders.

NHS Girls Soccer Summer Conditioning

We will begin *voluntary* soccer conditioning Monday, June 6th. The days for conditioning will be Monday and Wednesday beginning on June 6, 2022 with the exception of June 27th, June 29th, July 4th, and July 6th.

We will begin at 9:00AM and finish at 10:15AM (EXCEPT FOR THE JUNE 15TH DATE). We will start and finish on time. Coming to soccer conditioning does not guarantee a spot on the roster.

**On June 15th, we will have a soccer experience that we will provide to the students of Double Churches Elementary School. We will meet at Double Churches Elementary School at 12:15PM on that day. **

Soccer conditioning is used to help prepare students for Impact Training in the fall. A majority of our summer conditioning will focus on speed work, agility, and injury prevention exercises.

The dates for conditioning are:

Week 1: June 6th and June 8th

Week 2: June 13th and June 15th Soccer at Double Churches ES 12:30-2:00PM

Week 3: June 20th and June 22nd

Week 4: June 27th and 29th OFF

Week 5: July 4th and July 6th OFF

Week 6: July 18th and July 20th

Week 7: July 25th and July 27th

Week 8: August 1st and August 3rd

The following items are needed in order to participate in conditioning:

- Current Physical
- Athletic clothes
- Running shoes
- A water bottle with water in it

If you have any questions, please email me at branch.karissa.j@muscogee.k12.ga.us

l also update our Instagram page (@northsidewsoc) regularly with updates. You can also join our RemindApp Group NHS W Soccer 2022-2023 for this upcoming year by texting 81010 to @nhswsocce

I look forward to working with you all over the summer.

-Coach Branch