

# Eagle Friday Flyer

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May 20, 2022

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, 5/23 Chicken Tenders ( Pulled pork sandwiches)  
 Tue, 5/24 Pizza Only

*MENU IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE DAILY DUE TO NATIONWIDE SHORTAGES.*

## Yearbooks

A few extra copies will go on sale Friday morning at 8:00 AM for \$60.00 in the front foyer. Exact change or a check made payable to BRMS will be accepted on Friday morning while supplies last.

## 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	Jayden Long	Mr. Burns
7th	Mikayla Adams	Mr. Downes
8th	Trishala Pilai	Mrs. Fekete

## Reminder!!

Textbooks, T-Mobile Hotspots, Chromebooks cases, and power cords must be turned in. If you have misplaced any of these items, the fee for replacement is below.

- Chromebook - \$447.00
- Power cord/Charger - \$31.00
- Zipper Case - \$13.50
- Hotspot - \$90.00
- Hotspot USB-C Cable \$25.00
- GA Collections 6<sup>th</sup> Grade – \$66.85
- GA Collections 7<sup>th</sup> Grade – \$70.00
- GA Collections 8<sup>th</sup> Grade - \$70.00

## Northside High School Cross-Country Conditioning

Summer workout schedule officially begins June 20<sup>th</sup>

Mondays-Heath Park-7:30 AM  
 Tuesdays-Northside Bus Loop-7:30 AM  
 Thursdays-Heath Park-7:30 AM

If there are any questions, please email [dean.teresa.r@muscogee.k12.ga.us](mailto:dean.teresa.r@muscogee.k12.ga.us)

## Eagle Athletic Booster Club Meeting

Monday, May 23rd at 6:00 PM  
 @ Blackmon Road cafeteria.

We will be voting on Booster Club officers for the 2022-23 school year. If you would like the opportunity to serve on the board, please join us. We will also discuss budget plans for the upcoming year as well as fundraising ideas to help support our athletic program. Look forward to seeing you!

## IMMUNIZATION RULES FOR UPCOMING 7th GRADE STUDENTS

### ALL CHILDREN ENTERING 7TH GRADE ARE REQUIRED TO MEET THE FOLLOWING:

1. Have the required doses of Hepatitis B, Diphtheria, Tetanus and Pertussis, and Polio vaccines.
2. Have two (2) doses of Measles vaccine, two (2) doses of Mumps vaccine, and one (1) dose of Rubella vaccine OR laboratory proof of immunity against Measles, Mumps or Rubella.
3. Have two (2) doses of Varicella (chicken pox) vaccine OR documentation of disease or laboratory proof of immunity.
4. Have one (1) dose of Tdap (tetanus, diphtheria, pertussis) vaccine and one (1) dose of MCV (meningococcal conjugate vaccine) for children born on or after 01/01/2002.
5. Contact your health care provider to receive any needed vaccinations and to obtain the Georgia Certificate of Immunization (Form 3231).

## Congratulations!



BRMS would like to congratulate Zay'Shawn Thomas for receiving the MCSD 180 Award. Zay has grown so much the past 3 years and is such a great role model to his peers. He will be missed next year. We wish him the best as e\he continues his success in high school.



**Muscogee County School District**

**Student Health Services**

**Blackmon Road Middle School**

**7251 Blackmon Road Columbus, Ga. 31909**

**Phone: 706-565-2998 Fax: 706-565-3006**

**Principal: Mrs. P. Gorum**

**Assistant Principal: Mr. K. Wells**

Parent/Guardian:

As your child's school nurse and clinic worker, we want to remind you of the importance of having your son/daughter properly vaccinated **before entering 7<sup>th</sup> grade** at Blackmon Road Middle School this fall. Vaccines are the best way you can protect your child from a number of serious diseases, and are required to enroll in school.

**Effective July 1, 2014 all children born after January 1, 2002 who are entering the 7<sup>th</sup> grade are required to have a Tdap (Tetanus, Diphtheria and Pertussis) vaccination and a Meningococcal Conjugate vaccination before entering school. Vaccinations are documented on the Georgia Immunization Certificate (Form 3231).**

Your child **must** have all required immunizations prior to the start of school, unless he/she has a religious exemption. Your child will not be able to enter 7<sup>th</sup> grade without proper vaccination documentation. The vaccines and the appropriate form are both available at your healthcare provider's office and the Columbus Health Department.

Immunization certificates must meet the following criteria to be acceptable:

- Student name on the immunization certificate must match the name on the birth certificate
- Immunizations must be documented on Georgia Immunization Certificate (form 3231)
- Out of state immunization certificates must be transferred to the Georgia Immunization Certificate
- Immunization certificate must be marked "Complete for 7<sup>th</sup> Grade or Higher"

We encourage you to make sure your son/daughter has received all appropriate vaccinations recommended for them, prior to the start of school. Schedule your child's appointment today to ensure they are up-to-date on the vaccines required.

Please contact us either of us with any questions.

Sincerely,

Heather Scarbrough, RN    Allison West  
MCSD School Nurse        BRMS Clinic Worker

**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.

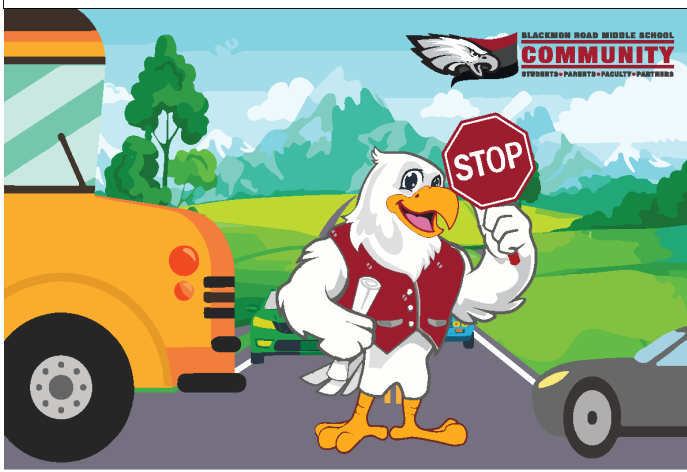
**ACTION REQUIRED BY YOU:**

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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**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 MCSD 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.

**Summer Learning Experience**

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### Interested in Teaching?

Human Resources will be hosting weekly virtual sessions on the 5 Routes to Becoming a "WE" Educator. If you are someone you know is interested in learning about routes to the classroom, please join us via Zoom each Wednesday.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87596432410?pwd=Zmg1bVNEZ0lwUTZoR2xuOW9DNERSUT09>

Meeting ID: 875 9643 2410

Passcode: ucT47k

For more information, contact Human Resources at (706) 748-2015.

# 5 Routes to Becoming an MCSD "WE" Educator



## TRADITIONAL CERTIFICATION

An educator who has completed a teacher certification program and holds a professional certification through a traditional route (i.e. 4 year college/ university or Masters of Art in Teaching (MAT) program).



## PROVISIONAL CERTIFICATION

A **Provisional Certificate** is a 3-year, non-renewable certificate given to teachers completing certification through an alternative pathway while teaching.



## MILITARY SUPPORT INDUCTION PATHWAY

The **Military Support Induction Certificate** allows Veterans interested in becoming an educator, to ease the transition from service member to a teacher. This certificate will allow eligible individuals to teach for up to three years while completing requirements for professional Georgia certification.



## STRATEGIC WAIVER

The **Strategic Waiver Model** allows individuals with degrees in a particular field (i.e. Math, Science, Music, Art, History etc.) to teach that subject area without certification.



## GA DECAL BRIGHT FROM THE START/PRE-K LEAD TEACHER

The **Bright from the Start/GA Decal** program allows MCSD to hire Pre-K Lead Teachers without certification. Eligible candidates must hold a Bachelor's degree or higher from an accredited college or university and meet the Georgia Professional Development System for Early Childhood Educators (GaPDS) early childhood requirements.

## 5 Routes to Becoming an Educator Virtual Sessions:

- Wednesday, May 11, 2022 at 4:00 p.m.
- Wednesday, May 18, 2022 at 6:00 p.m.
- Wednesday, May 25, 2022 at 4:00 p.m.
- Wednesday, June 1, 2022 at 6:00 p.m.

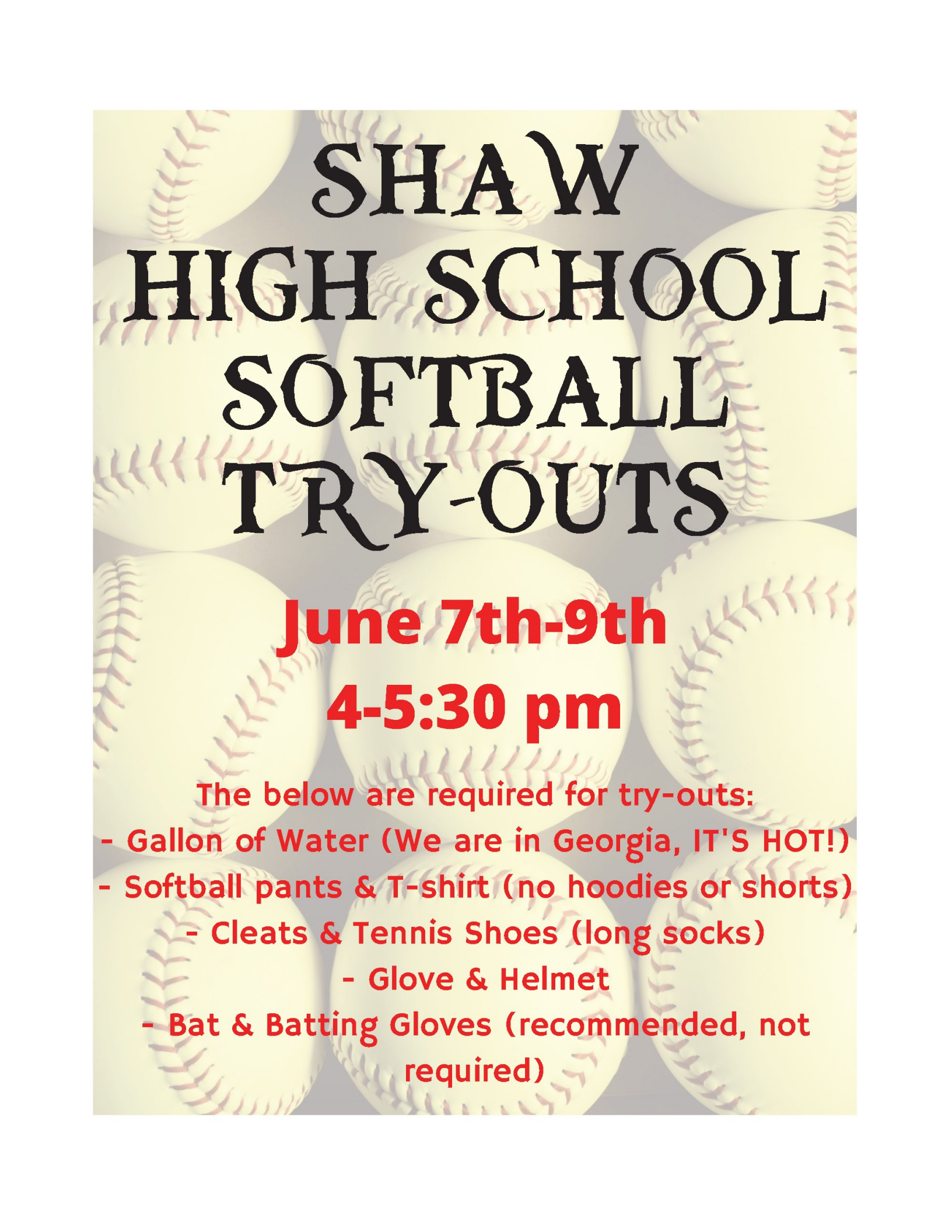
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# SHAW HIGH SCHOOL SOFTBALL TRY-OUTS

**June 7th-9th  
4-5:30 pm**

The below are required for try-outs:

- Gallon of Water (We are in Georgia, IT'S HOT!)
- Softball pants & T-shirt (no hoodies or shorts)
- Cleats & Tennis Shoes (long socks)
- Glove & Helmet
- Bat & Batting Gloves (recommended, not required)



**BRMS WITH CHATTAHOOCHEE  
LIBRARIES**

# **OCEANS OF POSSIBILITIES SUMMER READING CHALLENGE**

Read up to 4 Hours this Summer, May 13-31, to  
attend a party in the Media Center in the fall!

***USING THE BEANSTACK APP, SHOW MRS.  
NEWTON YOUR LOGGED HOURS TO  
ATTEND.***

***\*\*\*FOR EVERY 4 HOURS READ, YOU  
GET AN ENTRY INTO OUR READING  
SWAG BAG!***

Visit your local library or <https://www.cvlga.org/> to  
learn more about the Ocean of Possibilities Summer  
Reading Challenge

## 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 6<sup>th</sup> and June 8<sup>th</sup>

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](mailto:branch.karissa.j@muscogee.k12.ga.us)**

I 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