



What's New at BEW

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How is your school year going?

We are off to a great start and hope you and your family have adjusted to the start of the school year!

We would like to thank everyone for their time and patience as we implemented our new online registration program, InfoSnap. While it might have taken some extra time this year, the goal is to lessen the amount of paperwork and ease the process in the upcoming years. Updating the paperwork each year (and for each sibling) should be easier! If you have not already completed your student's registration, please do so as soon as possible. This is very important information schools must have on file.

Just a few reminders as we finish out the

first month of school...

Our doors open for breakfast in the morning for our walkers and car riders at 8:10am. Students should be at school for breakfast before 8:30am. The first bell rings at 8:30am when students may then go to their classrooms. Students are expected in their classrooms by the tardy bell at 8:45am. It is very important for students to be in attendance for the full instructional day, which ends at 3:10pm.

Reading is such an important part of a child's education! With the Third Grade Reading Guarantee, the stakes are high!! Parents and students cannot wait until 3rd grade to prepare for the state mandated test. Students should be reading eve-

ry night for at least 20 minutes. Read with them and ask them questions. Ask them questions about they watch on TV! Getting them to think about what they read, see and hear will make them more well-rounded learners.

Just a few more reminders for the start the school year...

Please put your student's name on their book bag, lunch box, coats and other personal belongings.

Be sure your student knows their lunch number—practice it with them!

Check their purple folder every night. Important information is sent home through these folders.

Monthly Newsletter

October

Dates to Remember

- PTA Meeting—Oct. 5 at 9:45am
- PTA Country Dance—Oct. 6 from 5:00pm-7:00pm
- Marco's Pizza Day/Box Night for K & 1— Oct. 6
- 1st Grade Field Trip to Ramsyer Farms—Oct.13
- NEOEA Day No School—Oct. 14
- Book Fair—Oct. 17-21
- Report Cards go home—Oct. 26
- Fall Parties—Oct. 28



SUMMER BOX-TOPS



Congratulations to Mrs. Luke zic's class!! They turned in 657 box tops over the summer!

Congratulations to **Evan Greathouse!** He turned in over 500 box tops this summer!!

Please continue to turn in your Box Tops this school year. Everyone earns money for our school's PTA.

Thank you for your continued support!!

DAILY ATTENDANCE

It is very important to a student's education to have good attendance. When a student is absent from school, they will miss out on the learning that takes place. While some work can be made up, nothing takes the place of being in the classroom. The hands-on learning and experiences that take place daily cannot be made up.

Please encourage your student to attend school daily! If they ask to stay home "just because," remind them of what they miss when they do not go. It is their "job" right now to be in school.

We continue to recognize students monthly for PURR-fect Attendance!! We hope your student will be one of them!

SWIMMING AT THE Y MARCO'S PIZZA DAY

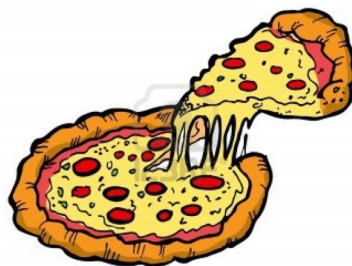


Our third grade students are fortunate enough to receive swim lessons at the Lake Anna YMCA. For six weeks, students will travel down to the Y and take lessons from their instructors.

This opportunity was made possible thanks to funding from the **Barberton Community Foundation.**

OUR NEXT MARCO'S PIZZA DAY IS THURSDAY, OCT. 6TH. KINDERGARTEN AND FIRST GRADE STUDENTS WILL HAVE THEIR PIZZAS DELIVERED IN BOXES THEY DESIGN!

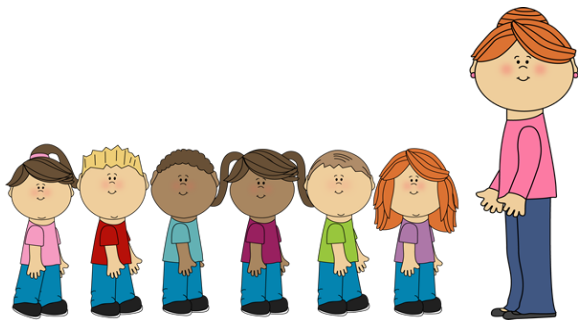
ORDER A PIZZA FOR AFTER THE DANCE!!!



COMING SOON!!

Grandparent's Day is coming to BEW the week of October 17th!

Look for information to come home soon!



The BEW Way!!!

1. Be Responsible

2. Be Respectful

3. Be Ready to Learn

Dismissal Procedures



Please be sure that any changes to a student's dismissal is in writing to the homeroom teacher by 8:45am. The office is unable to take any phone calls to change a student's dismissal procedure after 1:00pm unless it is an emergency. The student's instructional day ends at 3:00pm so we ask that students do not leave school early unless absolutely necessary. Doctor's notes may be required the following day when signing a student out early.

Our new dismissal procedures are working out very well! Please continue to follow appropriate procedures. Thank you again for your patience as we dismiss over 700 students **safely** in a 15 minute time period!



Friendly Reminders!

Check your student's purple folder every night. Important information is sent home through their folders.

Doors do not open for breakfast until 8:05am.

Students not going to breakfast should not be dropped off until 8:15am—there is no adult on duty until that time!!

Students should be in class by 8:45am or they will be considered tardy.

Read with your student every night for at least 20 minutes. Your student will be a better reader.

Practice letters, sounds, sight words, numbers and math facts at night!