



HILLCLIMBER HEADLINES

URBANA JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

August 30, 2019

SAT. AUG 31

XCountry @ Miamisburg Invitational - 8:30 am

MON. SEPT 2

No School - Labor Day

TUES. SEPT 3

8th GR Football vs Tecumseh - 5:30 pm

WEDS. SEPT 4

Volleyball @ North Union - 5:30 pm

THURS. SEPT 5

7th GR Football @ Northeastern - 5:00 pm

SAT. SEPT 7

XCountry @ Brookville - 9:00 am

MON. SEPT 9

Volleyball @ Shawnee - 5:30 pm

TUES. SEPT 10

7th GR Football @ Kenton Ridge - 5:30 pm

8th GR Football @ Kenton Ridge - 6:30 pm

XCountry @ Indian Lake Invitational - 4:30 pm

WEDS. SEPT 11

Volleyball vs Jonathan Alder - 5:30 pm

SAT. SEPT 14

XCountry @ Graham Invitational - 10:00 am

Volleyball vs Southeastern - 10:00 am

MON. SEPT 16

Volleyball @ Graham - 5:30 pm

TUES. SEPT 17

7th GR Football @ Shawnee - 5:30 pm

8th GR Football vs Shawnee - 5:30 pm

WEDS. SEPT 18

Volleyball vs Indian Lake - 5:30 pm

SAT. SEPT 21

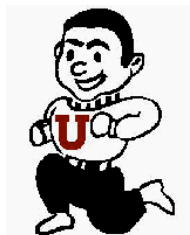
XCountry @ Sidney Invitational - 9:00 am

MON. SEPT 23

Volleyball vs Ben Logan - 5:30 pm

TUES. SEPT 24

XCountry @ Triad Invitational - 4:30 pm



WEDS. SEPT 25

Volleyball @ Bellefontaine - 5:30 pm

THURS. SEPT 26

7th GR Football @ North Union - 5:00 pm

8th GR Football @ North Union - 6:45 pm

SAT. SEPT 28

XCountry @ Buck Creek Invitational - 8:30 am

MON. SEPT 30

Two hour Delay - Teacher Inservice

Volleyball vs North Union - 5:30 pm

TUES. OCT 1

8th GR Football vs Ben Logan - 5:30 pm

WED. OCT 2

XCountry @ David Lightle Invitational - 4:30 pm

SAT. OCT 5

XCountry @ William Saxbe Invitational - 9:30 am

TUES. OCT 8

7th GR Football vs Bellefontaine - 5:30 pm

8th GR Football @ Bellefontaine - 5:30 pm

FRI. OCT 11

Picture Day

Communication

Schools are successful when there is strong parental and community involvement. Communication is essential to foster a positive learning environment.

Students: Talk to Teachers, Counselor and/or Administrator, and PA(Student Access)

Parents: PA(Parent Access), email, telephone, conferences, face to face

Remind App: Enter 81010, Text@urbanlo

Download PBIS Rewards App

Twitter: @urbana_jhs

ATTENDANCE

Please call the school by 9:00 am if your child will not be attending 653-1439 option 1. We have voice mail, so you may leave a message 24 hours a day. If you do leave a message, **PLEASE STATE THE REASON** for the absence. A call with no reason given does not necessarily make the absence excused. If you do not have a phone, be sure to send a note with the student the next day explaining the reason for the absence.

Parent Access

Stay up to date with your child's academic progress by creating a Parent Access Account. With a PA account, parents can view their child's grades online and in real-time. Items such as grades, attendance and teacher comments are available for viewing by parents as soon as they are posted in a teacher's online gradebook. If you have previously created a Parent Access Account, your account will remain active until your child graduates. The only thing you need to update at the beginning of the year is your alert setups. If you have not yet created an account, letters will be sent home in the next few weeks containing the information needed to set up an account. You can access your account at <https://pa.woco-k12.org/>

Washington Information – 8th Grade Trip

Washington DC trip dates: October 21-25, 2019.

Cost: \$600.00*

Trip eligibility and other additional information are available in the student handbook and detailed information will be sent home with students during the school year. All school fees must be paid prior to making payments for the Washington Trip. Deadlines must be met for all payments and also for any paperwork associated with this trip. Students who fail to meet these deadlines will be moved to the end of the waiting list. *This is an estimate until trip details are finalized.

Identification of Children with Disabilities

Child Find Notice

The Urbana City School District is attempting to locate, evaluate, and identify all children 0 to 21-years-old who are in need of special education and related services residing within the district, including children with disabilities who are homeless or are wards of the state, and children with disabilities attending nonpublic schools as required by the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA). Disability conditions are defined by IDEA and include visual impairments, hearing impairments, autism, cognitive disabilities, emotional disabilities, orthopedic impairments, multiple disabilities, learning disabilities, traumatic brain injury, or speech and language disabilities. Residents of the Urbana City School District who are parents or guardians of children with possible disabilities may contact Lucas Pozenel, Director of Special Education at 937-653-1408. All information will be treated confidentially.

EMERGENCY MEDICAL AUTHORIZATION FORMS (EMA)

This form is required by law and provides us with instructions on how to care for your child in the event of an emergency. Students will not be allowed to participate in field trips and other activities until this form is returned. Please return this form as soon as possible. Extra forms are available in the office.

FREE AND REDUCED LUNCH APPLICATIONS AND INSTRUCTIONAL FEES

Please make sure you have completed and returned the Free and Reduced Price School Meals Application for your student. During the 2018-2019 school year, Ohio Revised Code 3313.642 prohibits districts from charging instructional fees for those eligible for free lunch through this program. This fee waiver applies to those receiving free (not reduced) lunch prices. To receive the instructional fee waiver, the Sharing Information with Other Programs Form must be completed and returned.

PARENT DROP-OFF AND PICK-UP PROCEDURES

PARENT A.M. DROP-OFF

Students are encouraged to ride the bus to and from school.

If you choose to bring or pick-up your child, there are designated areas and procedures that parents must follow for the safety of all students.

Option 1- Use the Drop-Off Lane (parent stays in the car)

Parents may drop off students in the front of the school from 7:00 am to 7:25 am in the drive-through lane (lane that is closest to school). Please make sure your child(ren) are prepared to exit the vehicle when arriving in the drop-off lane. Students arriving between 7:30 am to 7:45 am may go to the cafeteria for breakfast.

Students arriving to schools after 7:30 am will be considered as tardy. Those students arriving tardy to school must report to the office to sign in and to receive an office pass to class. (Please refer to the Tardy Policy in our Student Handbook.)

Option 2: Park and Enter

Parents who are entering the building (volunteering, assisting child with carrying of projects, needing to visit the office, etc.) must park in the designated parking lot.

Please proceed to the crosswalk on the south end of the parking lot to enter the building. All parents and/or guests must go to the front office and sign in with the office staff.

PARENT P.M. PICK-UP PROCEDURES

Students are encouraged to ride the bus home from school.

If you choose to pick-up your child, there are designated areas and procedures that parents must follow for the safety of all students.

After all students have gotten on their bus at the end of the school day (approx. 2:25 pm), the students who are to be picked up will be released. Parents arriving before 2:25 will need to park in the visitor lot until bus departure. After bus departure, students may meet their parents at the front curb or in the parking lot.

No early dismissals will be granted 30 minutes prior to the end of the school day unless previous arrangements have been made.

TRAFFIC SAFETY PROCEDURES

- 1) All traffic next to the building is one-way only.**
- 2) Please yield to bus traffic within the school zone.**

Make sure to come out to all of the
Hillclimber Athletic events!
Support your classmates and school!
Let's go Climbers!!

A Parent's Guide To

Urbana City Schools is committed to providing communication through Remind and wants to make sure that all parents and guardians have fully functioning accounts. Please refer to this flyer for ways to get the most out of your Remind account.

If you need further assistance with your account please contact:
Kelli Marsh
Director of Technology Integration
kelli.marsh@urbanacityschools.org
937-653-1453 ext 2126

1. Log in to your Remind account through the App or at Remind.com. If you do not know your password, or have never logged in before, click “Forgot?” in the password box.
2. Under “Classes Joined” make sure all of your child’s classes are showing. A child should have one class for each teacher he/she sees. If you think you are missing classes, please contact your child’s teacher.
3. Remove yourself from any classes that you no longer wish to be a part of.
 - a. Web: click on the name of the class, click settings, click “leave class”
 - b. App: click the three lines at the top left, Click “edit”, click the red - sign next to the class you wish to leave
4. Check your communication preferences to ensure that your cell number and/or email is up to date.
 - a. Web: click the drop down next to your name, click account, click communication and then make changes as needed
 - b. App: click the three lines at the top left, click the gear shift and then make changes as needed