

# The Paw Print



### Dates To Remember

- Jan 17 Brighton A Cappella Night  
7pm (BCPA)
- Jan 20 NO SCHOOL
- Jan 21 PTO 9am Staff Lounge
- Jan 21 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Band Concert  
7-8p (Maltby)
- Jan 28, 29 6<sup>th</sup> grade Choir Musical  
7pm (Maltby)
- Jan 31 Activity Afternoon 3:30-5p
- Feb 10, 12 5<sup>th</sup> grade Choir Concert 7-  
8p (Maltby)
- Feb 13 Band Solo & Duet 6p
- Feb 14 PTO Movie Night 6-8pm
- Feb 17 PTO 9am Staff Lounge
- Feb 18-20 5<sup>th</sup> grade Vision Screening
- Feb 25 Hungry Howie's Pizza  
Night (Maltby)
- Feb 27 Incoming 5<sup>th</sup> grade Parent  
Information Night 6:30-8p
- Mar 2 NO SCHOOL
- Mar 16 PTO 9am Staff Lounge
- Mar 19 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Band  
Concert (Maltby)
- Mar 20 Maltby Drama "BOTS!"
- Mar 24 Hungry Howie's Pizza  
Night (Maltby)
- Mar 25 Orchestra Concert 7pm  
(BCPA)
- Mar 30-Apr 3 NO SCHOOL – Spring  
Break
- Apr 10 NO SCHOOL
- Apr 17 Activity Afternoon 3:30-5p
- Apr 20 PTO 9am Staff Lounge
- Apr 21, 22 Talent Show Rehearsal  
3:30-6p

### CALLING IN ABSENCES

**PLEASE, PLEASE, PLEASE be sure to give us the reason you are calling in your student's absence. We need to fill out a detailed report to the Health Department so they can track illnesses.**

### CHAPSTICK

**Students should be bringing chapstick in their backpacks. With the cold weather upon us, students' lips are very chapped and they stop in the office looking for Vaseline.**

Greetings Maltby Parents,

Happy 2020 to all of our Bullpup families! The cold weather is still here!! Please make sure your students are dressed for the weather- we still have a few students coming in to school with only a hooded sweatshirt or light coat. Now that the winter weather appears to be here for good students should be wearing more than a hoodie or light jacket for recess on these cold and windy days. Hats and gloves are certainly a great option as well when the temperatures dip into the 20's and teens. Parents please note that anytime the temperature and wind chill combined drop below zero we allow students to wait inside in the mornings before school and we have indoor recess.

### **Food Can Prix Results...**

We had another fantastic Food Can Prix in December. I am proud to say that Maltby families donated almost \$7000.00 in cash, checks and online donations!!! Our classroom that donated the most meals was Mrs. Witte's 6<sup>th</sup> grade...with a whopping 12,540 points, they are the winner of the 2019 Food Can Prix to benefit Gleaner's! Thank you to volunteers Cari Pilon and Heather Bowers for all of their hard work.

### **Book Fair Thank You...**

Thank you to Christina McIntosh and our parent volunteers for another outstanding Book Fair!!

### **Parking Lot...**

Parents please remember that students are NOT permitted to be dropped off unaccompanied from the interior spots in our parking lot. Please use the designated drop off lane if you are dropping off. The parking lot is too busy at drop off and pick up for students to be unaccompanied.

### **Concerts...**

Congratulations to our 5<sup>th</sup> grade Music, Band, and Orchestra students for their outstanding concerts in December!! They have been working hard and it shows!

### **Activity Afternoon...**

Our next Activity Afternoon is scheduled for January 31st. We will have concessions, open gym, a bounce house, video games, and much more. The cost is \$2 and it runs from 3:30 to 5pm - we hope to see all of our Bullpups there!

Kind Regards,  
Scott Brenner

### THANK YOU!

A heartfelt thank you for everything you have done to help us help your student so far this year. We look forward to an awesome second half of the school year!

The Maltby Staff

## Maltby PTO News

Welcome to the 2019/20 school year. Maltby Intermediate PTO is very excited to welcome you and your student to Maltby for a wonderful year of learning and growing. The PTO is a Parent Teacher Organization where all parents are automatically members. We will meet once a month in the morning. Our next meeting is January 21, 2020.

Below is a list of activities that the PTO is involved in. For specific information about each activity, please contact any board member. As always we are seeking new chairs and volunteers to help with the various activities.

#### Maltby Activities that PTO is involved in:

- Activity Afternoon Chaperones (chaperoning afterschool dance/activities) - Fall & Spring
- Book fairs - Box Tops - Gleaners Canned Food Drive - Spring Picture Day - Staff Hospitality -
- Maltby Movie Nights - Individual Classroom Programs - Field Day.

**Please note that in lieu of selling products/merchandise, Maltby will be accepting a \$25.00/per family (suggested donation) to assist with all the above activities. We accept cash or checks (made out to Maltby PTO). Donations can also be made via PayPal to maltbypto@yahoo.com.**

Maltby PTO – Michelle Letendre-President, Jennifer Marks-V.P., Christie LaHaie & Nicki Jude –Co-Treasurers, Angel Hamilton-Secretary

### SCHOOL TIMES



*Maltby Start and End Times are as follows:*

**8:40 a.m.** to 3:27 p.m.

Students will be allowed into the building at **8:25 a.m.**

Any student who gets to school at or after 8:40 a.m. will be marked tardy.

### Notes Are Appreciated

If your student is coming to school late due to an appointment or is not feeling well, please call the attendance line at 810 299-3688. If we don't hear from you and your student is NOT in school, our automated attendance calls go out to parents by **10:30 am, Monday thru Friday.**

**If you are picking your child up early, please send a note in with them. The office and your child's teacher is then informed of any changes in your child's schedule.**

Please be sure to discuss your pick up plans with your student **before** they leave for school. Writing it in your child's planner is also a great idea, as they sometimes forget their plans by the end of the day. This helps cut down on the amount of calls we receive at the end of the day regarding pick up plans.

**If an unexpected change of plans does arise, please call before 3:15, as that is when we do our announcements.**

### Maltby 2019-2020 DAILY SCHEDULE

**H.R.-8:40-8:45**

**1<sup>st</sup> -8:45-9:45**

**2<sup>nd</sup>-9:47-10:47**

**3<sup>rd</sup>-10:50-11:50**

**Lunches**

**A-11:50-12:25 (5<sup>th</sup>)**

**B-11:55-12:30 (5<sup>th</sup>)**

**C-12:35-1:10 (6<sup>th</sup>)**

**D-12:40-1:15 (6<sup>th</sup>)**

**5<sup>th</sup> hr. -1:25-2:25**

**6<sup>th</sup> hr. 2:27-3:27**

### PARENT CONNECT

**Be sure to sign up/log in to your PC account. Go to the Maltby's website and click on Grades Icon, then click on the Parent Connect and follow instructions. Click on Enter Parent Login Info, then Need Login Info if you have forgotten your password or need to sign up. You will then enter your email address. Your password and login information will be emailed to you. If you experience difficulties, please email PC@brightonk12.com.**

### **DID YOU ORDER A YEARBOOK?**

Yearbooks **MUST** be ordered online.....if you haven't already done so, please visit

YearbookOrderCenter.com. Your order number is 3719. Cost is \$30.00, but will go up to \$35 on March 25<sup>th</sup>.

If you can't remember if you ordered a yearbook, please go to the same sight and double click on New Order, type in the order number 3719 and then click Review Existing Order.

### **LABEL STUDENT'S PERSONAL ITEMS!**

We cannot stress enough the importance of having your student's personal items labeled with permanent marker. Jackets, lunchboxes, pencil boxes, hats, water bottles (no glass water bottles!) and anything else your student could possibly lose at Maltby needs to be marked. Our Lost and Found bin is already filling up and this is only the fourth week of school. If there is a name on an item, we do our best to get it back to the student.

### **VISION SCREENING**

LCDH is providing Vision Screening on **2/18 and 2/19 with rescreening on 2/20 for all 5<sup>th</sup> graders.** Please send a note if you **DO NOT** wish to have your 5<sup>th</sup> grader screened. If you have a 6<sup>th</sup> grader and would like them to be screened, send a note in giving permission to be screened. Screening is targeted for 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> graders and self-contained classes. Also screened are last year follow up and parent/teacher requests. If your students brings home a pink slip, please sign and return it.

### **IMPORTANT HEALTH INFORMATION!**

*Written authorization from a physician **is required** before school staff can dispense **ANY** medication (over the counter, homeopathic or prescription) to your son/daughter at school!*

- Instructions must be specific for medication, dosage, time to administer and for "as needed" meds, the frequency and circumstances under which to administer the medication.
- Medication must be provided in the original prescription or manufacturer's container.
- Parents can come and administer medication anytime to their student.

**Your cooperation is appreciated as we do our best to keep your children safe.**

## **Attendance & Office Procedures**

If your student is going to be absent from school please use our convenient twenty-four hour absence call-in line **(810) 299-3688**.

- Please obtain a doctor's note to receive a medical "M" code for attendance.
- Please call when your student will be coming in late.
- You must call in each day that your child is absent.
- Please call no later than 9:00 a.m. on the day of the absence.
- Students arriving late to school **must** report to the office to sign in.
- Please send in a note for early dismissal and have it signed by office personnel.
- **We will only allow students to be signed out by people who are listed on the emergency card.**
- We will not release your child to anyone that is not listed on the emergency card unless advance notice is received from the parent (including older siblings).

## Brighton Ski & Board Club (BSBC) Information

### 2019/2020 Season

Students and Parents,

Please read through the entire packet. Then complete and return the packet to your school:

- Registration – [https://drive.google.com/file/d/1omAHTdWcdMDiNH8PqtC6dlrRt\\_idBOXG/view?usp=sharing](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1omAHTdWcdMDiNH8PqtC6dlrRt_idBOXG/view?usp=sharing)
- A payment for Club Dues (\$20) + whichever package you want to purchase can be completed on Parent Connect. <https://sisweb.resa.net/ParentPortal/>

Parent Connect Instructions are located here:

<https://www.brightonk12.com/site/handlers/filedownload.ashx?moduleassistanceid=14&dataid=15&FileName=sbparentconnectinstructions.pdf>

Please join our Facebook Group @ <https://www.facebook.com/groups/502139553733749/>

**Ski/Board Club will take place on Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 4pm-9pm starting January 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> through the end of March.**

#### BSBC Sponsors:

- Christy Gill: [christygillsells@gmail.com](mailto:christygillsells@gmail.com)
- Ken Stahl: [stahlk@brightonk12.com](mailto:stahlk@brightonk12.com)

**Transportation:** Students are responsible for their own transportation to/from Mt. Brighton each time they ski/board. There is no PA system on the hill, so either make arrangements for pickup ahead of time or text your student.

**Student Behavior:** This is a school-sponsored club; therefore all Brighton Public School rules and code of conduct apply during skiing & boarding. If a student makes poor choices and does not follow the code of conduct for either Mt. Brighton or BPS, he/she will not be able to participate in BSBC outings. Our goal is to make this an enjoyable and safe club. Anyone failing to comply with the rules will be asked to leave. If a student is on probation or suspension with his/her school, he/she may be excluded from BSBC trips.

**Chaperones:** A Club Sponsor will be in the Lodge from 4:00-5:00pm to hand out lift tickets, rental equipment vouchers, etc. and to check that anyone who signed up is accounted for. After that, students are free to ski and board on their own. The check in time is strict. Sponsors want to have fun with the kids outdoors, so please be on time or students may not be able to get their tickets. After 5:00pm club sponsors may be on the hill.

**Clothing:** It gets cold on the mountain after the sun goes down, so dress in layers and always wear a windproof jacket and waterproof pants and a helmet. If you're unsure about buying specific outerwear, Summit Sports in Brighton is a great local resource. If you do bring extra clothing, use a locker to store your items.

**Equipment:** You are responsible for either bringing your own equipment, or renting your equipment. Don't leave your equipment unattended. A free ski/board corral is offered in the rental department. Use it if you don't want to lose your equipment. Mt. Brighton requires all skiers/boarders under age 18 to wear a helmet while on the hill. No exceptions.

**Identification:** Students should have their school ID on them when they are skiing with the club (if they have one). If something happens while the student is on a BSBC outing, ski patrol will know who to contact if they see their student ID card.

**Leaving the Ski Area:** Mt. Brighton is a large area and no one can keep track of all the students all the time. A sponsor is on the premises from 4:00-5:00pm. After that, students are expected to behave according to rules and code of conduct for both Brighton Public School and Mt. Brighton.

**Lessons:** Your student must be 7 years old or older to participate in the group lessons. You may purchase a 1-hour group lesson any week that you are skiing; you will just RSVP by Sunday of that week that you would like a ski or a board lesson. We will have a calendar with sign up spots for each week and month of skiing. **If you're a first timer skier/boarder, we recommend you take a lesson.** You will have more fun and be safer on the hill. You will sign up and pay for lessons in advance and receive a voucher once you arrive at Mt. Brighton. Your student will check in at the BSBC table in the lodge, pick up his/her tickets and vouchers, then go to the group lesson meeting place on the bunny hill. Lessons start promptly at 6pm.

**Lockers:** Mt. Brighton has small lockers available in the lowest portion of the building behind their equipment rental. Lockers are \$5 and \$7 (depending on size) and the user creates a passcode which allows him/her to access the locker as many times as he/she wants. Mt.

**Weather:** Winter can be fickle sometimes; if Mt. Brighton isn't open due to not enough snow to ski/board on a date your student is scheduled, you'll have a credit towards another date. If a date is cancelled due to an act of God, we will announce it by the end of the school day and try to post it on our Facebook Page. No refunds will be given for these dates.

**Reservations:** Each week you will be asked to RSVP so we know how many students will need lift tickets, lessons, rentals, etc. A Google Form will go out each week; it is the students' responsibility to complete the reservation form by Sunday evening. If we don't receive a reservation, it means the student will not be attending the following Tuesday / Wednesday. If you make a reservation you will be charged for whatever you ordered, even if you cancel at the last minute.

**Refunds:** There are no refunds in any ski club payments. This will be treated like all pay to play sports.



## CALLING ALL COACHES!!

Do you love to run? Do you love children? Do you believe in Empowering the women of the future? Please sign up to be an amazing girls on the run coach at Maltby for the 2020 Girls on the Run (March 9- May 22, 2020) season.

Find out more at

[www.girlsontherun.org](http://www.girlsontherun.org)

or contact Heather Heffernan

313-414-1097

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Coaches practice 2 days a week for 1.5 hours.  
All the materials, snacks, and curriculum are provided.  
The season culminates with a 5k run at Rolling Hills Park.





## BRIGHTON A CAPPELLA NIGHT!

Friday, January 17th, 2020  
@ 7:00 pm Tickets \$10

Brighton Center for Performing Arts

**Maltby A Cappella Club is excited to be a part of the Brighton A Cappella Night this year!**

Join us for the 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Brighton A Cappella Night, Friday January 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020 at the Brighton Center for the Performing Arts. Presented by the Brighton Choirs Program with headliners – Inverse Vocals and featuring The MSU Accafellas, MSU State Of Fifths, and Brighton's own Chicappella, Notetorious, Da Capo, and The Brighton Barbershop Quartet (BBQ).

Tickets are \$10 (general admission) when purchased from your favorite BHS Choir student, or \$12 online at <https://app.arts-people.com/index.php?ticketing=bcpa>

Our mission, in collaboration with parents and the community is to provide a developmentally appropriate transition to middle school for fifth and sixth grade learners. We promote independence, along with social, emotional, and academic success in a safe, nurturing environment.



Debbie Levesque Studios  
ART ADVENTURES CLASS (627)

Starting the week of January 27th, these classes will be offered after school at:

Spencer – Mondays (627-w20a), Maltby - Tuesdays (627-w20b)

Hilton – Wednesdays (627-w20c), Hawkins – Thursdays (627-w20d),

Hornung – Fridays (627-w20e)

Visit: [www.brightoncommunityed.com](http://www.brightoncommunityed.com) to sign up!

**Art Adventures - 1**

(Grades K-4) This 6 week class takes students on many multimedia art adventures! Students will learn techniques in clay and attachments and create their own working clock. After firing, the clocks will be painted and decorated with things like gemstones and glitter. A clock mechanism will be added before it is taken home, all it will need is a AA battery! A painting will be done while students learn about proper use of brushes and blending of paints.

(Grades 5-6) This 6 week class takes students on many multimedia art adventures! Students will learn techniques in clay and attachments and create their own clay mask. After firing, the masks will be painted and decorated with things like gemstones, feathers, pipe cleaners and glitter. A painting will be done while students learn about proper use of brushes and blending of paints.

**Art Adventures - 2**

(Grades K-4) This 6 week class continues where Art Adventures 1 left off with more multi-media adventures. Students will create their own clay mask. After firing, the masks will be painted and decorated with things like gemstones, feathers, pipe cleaners and glitter. A painting and other 2D projects will also be created.

(Grades 5-6) In this 6 week class students will learn techniques in clay and attachments while making a large clay bowl. After firing, the bowls will be glazed with food safe glazes and can be used for food! A painting will also be done while students learn about proper use of brushes and blending of paints.

For all grades and both sessions there will be drawings adding color with marker, crayon, watercolors and chalk pastels! This class allows students to use and explore a wide variety of materials while creating their works of art all while incorporating the elements and principles of art. Students will learn what makes a good artistic composition, as well as, exploration of different media and continued growth of creativity! They will also receive an art book filled with fun activities. Projects are all adapted to the age and grade of each student.

*Taught by Mrs. Levesque, a certified art teacher with 20+ years of art teaching experience.*

**\*\*A \$5.00 supply fee is *payable* to the instructor at the first class.**

# Brighton Pom Clinic 2020

Sponsored by the Brighton High School Varsity & JV Pom Teams!

Calling all Brighton Kindergarten through 6<sup>th</sup> grade students

Tuesday 1/28/20, Wednesday 1/29/20, Thursday 1/30/20 from 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm in the BHS Cafeteria

Performance at the Varsity Basketball game is Friday 1/31/20 at 6:45 pm

(dancers dismissed after halftime)

Cost = \$45 per dancer (includes t-shirt and poms)

Join the Brighton Varsity & JV Pom Teams and Coaches for a clinic to learn about Pom and Dance!

We will play games, learn proper warm ups, stretches, and learn an awesome Pom routine to perform at the Varsity Basketball game on January 31<sup>st</sup>.

Register at [www.brightonpomteams.weebly.com/elementary-pom](http://www.brightonpomteams.weebly.com/elementary-pom)

Any registration after January 20<sup>th</sup> is not guaranteed shirt sizes.

Any questions? Email Coach Katelyn @ [brightonpomteams@gmail.com](mailto:brightonpomteams@gmail.com)

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (parent name), give my permission for my child,

\_\_\_\_\_ (child's name), to participate in the

Brighton Pom 2020 Elementary Clinic.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Student Shirt Size (circle one): YS YM YL AS AM AL

Checks are made payable to Brighton Athletics – POM

You may mail payment & registration to:

Brighton HS Athletic Dept, Attn: POM Clinic

7878 Brighton Rd

Brighton, MI 48116



## BYBSP 2<sup>nd</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Hitting Clinic 2020

**w/ Coach Christner, Brighton Varsity Baseball Coach, and Staff**

January 11<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>  
February 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, 29<sup>th</sup>  
March 7<sup>th</sup>

Players will learn the fundamentals of hitting from Coach Christner, the Varsity baseball coach, and his coaches. This years clinic will be available to anyone interested grades 2<sup>nd</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup>. The clinics will take place on Saturdays at Maltby Intermediate School. Sessions are listed below. Each session is 40 minutes and will have a maximum of 6 players. There will be 2-4 coaches at each session, so your son will receive a great deal of one on one coaching during their session. You may sign your son up for as many Saturdays as you would like. We are looking forward to working with your son to improve their hitting this winter.

**Ages:** Grades 2-8 **Time:** Forty-minute sessions each Saturday morning  
9-9:40, 9:40-10:20, 10:20-11, 11-11:40

**Dates:** January 11, 18, 25, February 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 March 7

**Cost:** \$20 per session

**Location:** Maltby Intermediate School

**Equipment:** bat, helmet, batting gloves, and athletic wear.

**Contact:** Coach Christner, if you have any questions at ChristC@brightonk12.com  
Please email the completed form below to Coach Christner at the above email in order reserve a spot in the clinic. You can mail the check/cash to Coach Christner at 5540 N. Nicholson Rd. Fowlerville, MI 48836. **Checks need to be made out to BYBSP.**

**YOU MAY CALL IN YOUR CC INFO IF YOU PREFER: (517) 404-3051**

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CC Number \_\_\_\_\_ Exp \_\_\_\_\_ CVC CODE \_\_\_\_\_

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Signature: X \_\_\_\_\_

I authorize credit card payment on this order.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Current School: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Select the session your son will be attending (Note: if session is already full, I will let you know of other session openings)

9-9:40 \_\_\_\_\_ 9:40-10:20 \_\_\_\_\_ 10:20-11 \_\_\_\_\_ 11-11:40 \_\_\_\_\_

Saturday(s) you'd like to register: \_\_\_\_\_

*Campers must provide their own insurance. I hereby authorize the Brighton Boys Baseball Youth Camp personnel to act for me according to their judgment in any emergency requiring medical attention for my child.*

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Insurance \_\_\_\_\_ Policy # \_\_\_\_\_

*I don't hold the personnel, Brighton Area Schools or anyone associated with the Brighton Baseball Youth Camp responsible for any injury occurring to my child while under their direction.*

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_