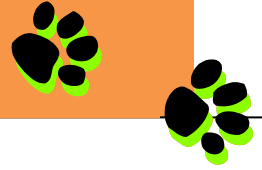


The Paw Print



Dates To Remember

Sep 30-Oct 4	Pink Week - BAS
Oct 10	Pizza Kits Delivered-Maltby 12-8:00pm (5 th gd. Camp Fundraiser)
Oct 11	PTO Movie Night 6-8:00pm
Oct 13	Brighton Area Fire Authority Open House 10am – 3pm
Oct 14	PTO 9am Staff Lounge
Oct 16/17	5 th Grade Camp (Mitte/Vandemergel/Peters, Gentle/Pinter)
Oct 18	Homecoming Parade
Oct 21/22	5 th Grade Camp (Baravik/Carpenter, Wolf/Shah)
Oct 22	Hungry Howie's Pizza Night
Oct 23/24	5 th Grade Camp (Kraye/O'Keefe, Ritter/Bouhana)
Nov 5	NO SCHOOL
Nov 8	Activity Afternoon 3:45-5p
Nov 18	PTO 9am Staff Lounge
Nov 26	Hungry Howie's Pizza Night
Nov 27/28/29	NO SCHOOL- Thanksgiving Recess
Dec 5	6 th Grade Band Concert 7-8p
Dec 10-13	Book Fair
Dec 11	6 th Grade Choir Concert 7p
Dec 13	PTO Movie Night 6-8:00pm
Dec 16	PTO 9am Staff Lounge
Dec 17	Hungry Howie's Pizza Night
Dec 18	Orchestra Concert 7pm (5 th , 6 th , 7 th Grades)
Dec 23-Jan 3	NO SCHOOL – Winter Recess
Jan 7	Hungry Howie's Pizza Night
Jan 21	PTO 9am Staff Lounge
Jan 21	5 th grade Band Concert

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are in need of volunteers to help sort pizza kits on **October 10th**. The kits should be dropped off at approximately noon. Any time you can volunteer would be greatly appreciated whether it is one hour or the entire time. Call Shelley or Vicki at **810 299-3600** if you can help out.

Parents can pick up orders any time from 3:00-7:00. If you arrive at dismissal, please let your child know if you are picking them up that morning.

Greetings Maltby Parents,

This has been a wonderful September so far! We have a great group of Bullpups here this year and the weather has been amazing!

NWEA...

This year Maltby will again be using the Northwest Evaluation Association test for Measures of Academic Progress (MAP). This test will measure student growth in reading and math for our 5th and 6th graders. We administered the Reading Assessment this week and we will be doing a math assessment next week. As part of the process our students will be given a growth goal for the year in Reading and Math. Student results will be sent home with 1st trimester Report Cards.

Bullpups at BHS Varsity Football Games...

We love to see our Bullpups at the BHS Varsity home football games! – PLEASE remember that the 5th and 6th graders must be accompanied by an adult to get in to the game. Thanks and as always GO DOGS!!

Student Drop-Off and Pick-Up...

Please remember our **"7 Second"** drop off target time if you are dropping your student off at Maltby in the morning. Having the kids ready to go and out of the car quickly helps the line move efficiently with well over 200 student drop offs! Just a reminder that students are **not** permitted to walk to our sidewalks from the interior parking spaces- please make sure you escort your student to and from the sidewalks if they cannot get out directly onto a sidewalk.

Thank you for your cooperation and patience in the morning and afternoon. We realize how busy we all are but we must all take the time to ensure our children are safe in the parking lot by following the guidelines.

5th Grade Camp...

Camp packets for 5th graders should have gone home for your child already. All directions for camp are explained in the forms. This year students will:

- Take their normal transportation means to school
- Leave school at approximately 9:30 to get out to Camp Ohiyesa
- Spend a great day at camp including Lunch and Dinner
- Return to Maltby each night at approximately 7pm for parent pick up.
- PLEASE parents we ask that you be on-time to meet your student at Maltby each evening

5th Grade Camp Fundraiser...

Our 5th grade Little Caesar's Pizza Kit fundraiser sales will wrap up this weekend. Order forms are due on Monday, October 4th to homeroom teachers. For the last ten years our 5th grade has been the top selling group for the month of October and among the top 5 selling groups in the **nation** for the year!!

Please remember:

- **Please make sure your child is accompanied by an adult during their sales if they go door to door**
- **Selling approximately 12 kits will completely cover the cost of camp**
- **Please review your entire order carefully to make sure it is accurate**
- **Pizza kit pick up will be on October 10th starting at 3pm; please plan to pick up your order before 6pm. We still need volunteers to help us sort and distribute kits!!**

Pink Week...

We have some fantastic Pink Week activities planned for next week thanks to our PTO and Student Leadership!!

We will be having a lunchtime penny war between homerooms, 3 spirit days, and a raffle! Friday October 4th will be our building Pink- Out and we hope to see all of our Bullpups at the BHS Varsity Football game wearing their pink and helping Pink-Out the stadium! All proceeds from Pink Week are donated to fund Breast Cancer Research.

Colder Weather...

It's coming soon!! Please make sure your child has a coat or jacket with them as the weather turns.

Sometimes the clothes that enable them to get through the car or bus ride to school on a chilly day are not adequate for 20 minutes of outside recess! Thank you for your cooperation let's keep our Bullpups warm and healthy!

Kind Regards,
Scott Brenner

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 October 14, 2019.

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.**

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 pm, as that is when we do our announcements.

Maltby 2019-2020 DAILY SCHEDULE

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

1st -8:45-9:45

2nd-9:47-10:47

3rd-10:50-11:50

Lunches

A-11:50-12:25 (5th)

B-11:55-12:30 (5th)

C-12:35-1:10 (6th)

D-12:40-1:15 (6th)

5th hr. -1:25-2:25

6th hr. 2:27-3:27

PINK WEEK Activities – Going on all week September 29th – October 4th!

- **Coin Contest – Boy vs. Girls:** Bring in all your loose change and drop your money into the containers at lunch!
- **Spirit Days (with a \$1 donation):** Hawaiian Monday, Wacky Thursday, Friday – PINK OUT!
- Raffle tickets are being sold at all lunches to raffle off **principal for the day, pizza party for your class, snow cone party for your class, Ivory Vines Brighton swag basket, free donut & Gatorade every Friday!**
- NO BAKE SALE!

FIRST LEADERSHIP MEETING IS OCTOBER 3 AT 8AM IN THE MEDIA CENTER!

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.

Medical

Head Lice Reminder...

Please make it a habit to check your child's head/hair weekly for signs of head lice. Nits (eggs) are more easily found than live adult lice. The nits are firmly glued to the hair shaft and must be pulled off with fingernails-they cannot be flicked off like dandruff. The color of the nits varies-old empty nit casings appear white and are usually ½ inch and further from the scalp. Darker nits close to the scalp are viable. Look behind the ears, at the temples and the nape of the neck.

A live louse is the shape and size of a sesame seed. They are light brown, move quickly and are often hard to see. If you find evidence of lice, call your doctor for advice on the best over the counter treatment to use. The CDC website has very good information on the detection and treatment of lice.

We very much appreciate a phone call when you discover that your child has lice.

TIP: Although direct head to head contact is the most common mode of transmission-try putting your child's coat, hat and backpack in the dryer after school for 20 minutes.

Cell Phones at MIS

In accordance with the Brighton Area Schools Cell Phone policy, our students at MIS are permitted to bring their cell phones to school. We recognize the necessity and importance of family communication, but unfortunately ringing cell phones and the temptations of new games, cameras, and the technology that accompanies cell phones

can present a distraction for your student and/or others in their classes.

Therefore at MIS our students:
Turn off cell phones at the beginning of the day and put them in their locker.
Refrain from texting friends or parents during school hours.
Utilize the main office phone to contact parents in the event of an emergency.

We have had great success in keeping Maltby a distraction-free learning environment by following these procedures. In addition, we ask that parents please refrain from calling or texting their student during the school day. Any messages of an emergency nature can be relayed to students through the front office at 810 299-3600.

Thank you!



Breakfast and Lunch Schedules

Students participating in the breakfast program will be allowed into the building at 8:00 a.m. If your child qualifies for free or reduced lunch, he or she also qualifies for free or reduced breakfast.

Prices for breakfast are

\$2.00 for full-pay and \$.30 for reduced (served from 8:00-11:00). The standard lunch price is set at \$2.75 and milk is \$.50. Reduced lunch is \$.40.



Lunch Times Are:

5th Grade A - 11:50-12:25

5th Grade B – 11:55-12:30

6th Grade C - 12:35-1:10

6th Grade D - 12:40-1:15

A reminder to elementary through middle school students and parents:

Brighton Elementary, Maltby, & Scranton students are not allowed entrance to Varsity Football games without having a parent or guardian present who is responsible for their student(s) supervision, behavior, and transportation.

We enjoy having our younger Bulldogs at our events but for the safety and well being of all attendees unaccompanied non-BHS students will not be admitted.

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, water bottles, hats, 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 fifth week of school. If there is a name on an item, we do our best to get it back to the student.

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.

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 medically excused absence.

- 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).

5th Grade Camp

Dates

Oct 16, 17

**Ritter/Bouhana
Kraye/O'Keefe**

Oct 21, 22

**Baravik/Carpenter
Wolf/Shah**

Oct 23, 24

**Mitte/Vandemergel
Gentle/Pinter**

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR PARENTS CALLING IN SICK STUDENTS

The Livingston County Health Dept. relies on the public schools to accurately report trends in illness in our county. All schools submit a weekly Communicable Disease Report to the Health Dept. We report "numbers" of students with:

- Apparent flu: body aches, sore throat, generalized aching in the back or limbs.
- Viral gastroenteritis: diarrhea/vomiting without respiratory symptoms
- Strep throat
- Asthma
- Head lice
- Pink Eye

Please keep your child home if they are running a fever over 100.3 degrees, vomiting or have diarrhea, are non-stop coughing, have untreated head lice or have red draining eyes. If you have a child with symptoms that appear to be potentially contagious (ie; rash/lesions) but a medical professional has deemed it safe for your child to return to school, please send in a doctor's note to the main office to prevent any concern. When leaving a message on the attendance line at school, please give specific information as why your child is absent.

BRIGHTON AREA FIRE AUTHORITY OPEN HOUSE

615 W. Grand River Ave

Sunday, October 13, 2019 from 10am – 3pm

JOIN US FOR AN AMAZING DAY OF FREE FAMILY FUN!

- WATCH live fire demo with residential sprinklers
- LEARN about fire safety
- SEE Sparky, Freddie the Fire Truck, Smokey the Bear
- OBSERVE vehicle air bag and extrication demos
- TRY ON real firefighting gear
- PRACTICE Stop, Drop & Roll
- JUMP in the Bounce House
- PASSPORT FUN - When you arrive at the fire station, pick up a "Passport" and travel to the listed events to have your "Passport" stamped. Drop your "Passport" in the red fire hydrant on the table inside the bay area for a chance to win prizes and a fire engine ride for 3.
- MEET your Firefighters and Fire Officers
- PRACTICE how to use a fire extinguisher
- SIGN UP for a CPR class, Smoke Alarms, Child Car Seat Install
- SAFELY escape from the smoke house
- ENJOY free hot dogs and cotton candy while supplies last
- HAVE your face painted and get a tattoo
- TAKE lots of great pictures

THIS EVENT IS DESIGNED TO EDUCATE & ENTERTAIN