



NEWSLETTER

The New Playground Turf Looks AMAZING!



Elementary Students Reached Level I

As a reward for good behavior and reaching Level I, elementary students will be given two pieces of bubblegum to enjoy in the a.m. and p.m. on Thursday, September 5th at school. We will have suckers for students with braces.



Eating Lunch at School



Parents are welcome to eat with their children at school (if they have completed their annual Criminal History check). Parents are NOT allowed to stay after lunch to attend recess. School lunches cost \$4.60 for adults.

All children entering Kindergarten-5th grade are welcome.

JOIN CUB SCOUTS

First meeting at Lehman Park, Sept 9.



EACH CUB SCOUT GRADE LEVEL IS A RANK AND IS ASSOCIATED WITH AN ANIMAL OR SYMBOL



IN THE PROGRAM:

- Youth develop the foundations for leadership, citizenship, and personal fitness through fun activities involving parents and legal guardians.
- Make new friends in an environment that reinforces worthwhile values.

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Meetings each Monday (Sept-May) from 6:30-7:30 at West Missionary Church in Berne.

FOR MORE INFORMATION GO TO

[HTTPS://WWW.Scouting.org/PROGRAMS/CUB-SCOUTS/](https://www.scouting.org/programs/cub-scouts/)

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Calendar



Monday, September 2

NO SCHOOL Labor Day!

Tuesday, September 3

MS Football at Eastbrook - 6 p.m.

MS Volleyball at Ft. Wayne Canterbury (home) - 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday, September 4

1st day for 4th/5th grade choir

MS Cross Country at Norwell - 5 p.m.

Thursday, September 5

MS Volleyball vs Fort Recovery (home) - 5 p.m.

Friday, September 6

1st Quarter Mid-Terms

4th grade to Swiss Heritage (lv at 8:10 a.m./ret. at 2:30 p.m.)

Saturday, September 7

MS Cross Country at Spencerville - 9 a.m.

Monday, September 9

Pedestrian Safety for K-Herring in the a.m.

MS Volleyball vs. Norwell (home) - 5 p.m.

Tuesday, September 10

Pedestrian Safety for K-Rockwell in the a.m.

MS Football vs. Bluffton MS (home) - 5:30 p.m.

MS Volleyball vs. S.Wells (home)-5:30 p.m.

Wednesday, September 11

Staff PD Day - no eLearning/no school for students

Thursday, September 12

Day of Awesomeness for Elementary Students

MS Volleyball at Bluffton - 5:30 p.m.

September 13-20

Book Fair

Friday, September 13

Pedestrian Safety for K-Litwiller in the a.m.

Saturday, September 14

MS Cross Country at Blackford H.S.

A Note From Your M.S. School Guidance Counselor

Why do we have rules in society? Simply put: To teach good behavior. Easier said than done, right? I don't live in your home and life can be chaotic~but here are 5 tips for parents on setting up solid rules for your child:



Helpful
Tips

- 1) A rule must be stated clearly so everyone involved knows the expectation.
- 2) A rule must be reasonable (the child is capable of it).
- 3) The rule MAKER must be capable of enforcing the rule.
- 4) The rule must CONSISTENTLY be enforced every time there is a violation--until desired behavior is learned.
- 5) Ignore (for a time) behaviors that are not connected to your desired outcome. Stay with it, parents! (we didn't do it perfectly, either!)

Sheila Graber, MS Guidance Counselor

Music Department Announcement

The SA Music Department high school students take a trip every four years. The next trip is planned for Fall of 2026.

To help raise money for this trip, parents of music students help work concessions at football, volleyball, girls soccer and cross country events. Even if your student is not in high school, working concessions will

earn money toward your student's tour account. Some students have earned free trips because of their concession work. To sign up, go to <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10COD4AA5A923A3FCC25-50293747-fall#/>. Per school policy, any adult helping in the concession stand must have an updated background check.

For questions, please contact Music Boosters President, Chris Hyman, at brentandchris97@gmail.com or 260-525-9967. To ensure we have coverage for all games, we ask that you please take a moment and sign up as soon as possible. Home events are already starting with many slots to fill. Thanks for your help!

Kind is Cool Wednesdays

Every Wednesday, the elementary school will have a kindness challenge to encourage kindness at school. Students that purchased *Kind is Cool* apparel are encouraged to wear it on Wednesdays. If you wish to order a **Kind is Cool** shirt, you can order one at

funkeemonkeecreations.com. Click



on the **SA Elementary tab** for all your options.

This is not a fundraiser
Ordering is optional.



Star Cards

Middle School students will be selling the popular STAR cards for \$15 (note the price increase). The cards have discounts at many local businesses and can be used repeatedly for an entire year. The money raised will be used for student activities and field trips.

<p>The White Cottage Sweet Shoppe 10% OFF All Non-Sale Items</p>	<p>The Edelweiss 10% OFF fresh flowers. *Cash and carry only. Berne - 589-2125</p>	<p>LUCKY CHINA 10% OFF \$20 purchase Berne 589-3531</p>
<p>Habegger's ACE Lumber and Building Supply 10% OFF any Ace Royal, C+K Benjamin Moore or Porter PPG paints (not valid with any other discounts or specials) 1194 US 27 North, Berne</p>	<p>East of Chicago 10% off purchase. Berne - 589-8891</p>	<p>Spare Time Lanes Bowling 1 Game get 2nd Game for \$1 Limit 1 per day per card 589-2927</p>
<p>Free breadsticks with 14" or 16" pizza only. Berne - 589-3515</p>	<p>The Timberlost Diner FREE drink with any meal purchase 404 E Line St. Geneva</p>	<p>10% off carry out only. Geneva - 368-9878</p>
<p>AMY'S PROFESSIONAL HAIR 10% OFF retail items w/ card 1027 US 27 S Berne 589-8327</p>	<p>Pizza Hut 10% OFF & Carry-Out only. Not valid w/ any other offers Berne</p>	<p>richard's jewelry 20% OFF Regular Price In-Stock Earrings not valid with any other sales 109 W. Main Berne 589-3313</p>
<p>Little Container Company 10% OFF Dumpster Rental 280-273-7692</p>	<p>SUBWAY Berne \$1 OFF any 12" or 50¢ OFF any 6" sub or salad Not valid on \$6 foot long or other specials</p>	<p>25¢ Fountain Drink with Fuel Fill Up 8 gal min - 1 drink per visit 726 US 27 N, Berne 589-4030</p>

Change of Plans For Elementary Students

If your child is going somewhere different after school, please send a note to your child's teacher with the after school plans for the day. If the teacher doesn't have a note, students will be sent home the normal way. Thanks for your help!



4th & 5th Grade Choir

Students interested in 4th and 5th Grade Choir, please turn in your choir forms to Miss Freeman. The first 35 students to turn in their forms will be in choir for the school year. Rehearsals will be in the music room on Mondays and Wednesdays, after lunch, during recess time. The first rehearsal will be on Sept. 4th.



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South Adams School Corporation



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
2 Labor Day No School	3 Ravioli Pasta Tossed Salad w/Dressing & Croutons Steamed Corn WG Cheese Breadstick Fruit Milk	4 Grilled Cheese Sandwich Starfire Soup Choice w/WG Crackers Fresh Vegetables w/Ranch Fruit Milk	5 French Bread Pizza Steamed Green Beans Fresh Veggie w/Ranch Pudding Cup Fruit Milk	6 K-5: Hot Dog on Bun 6-12: Chili Cheese Hot Dog Crispy Tater Tots w/Ketchup Steamed Peas WG Cookie Fruit Milk
9 Sloppy Joe vs. Marinara Meatball Sub Sandwich W/Cheese Steamed Peas Sweet Potato Fries w/Ketchup Fresh Fruit Milk	10 K-5: Chicken Tenders w/Ketchup & BBQ Sauce 6-12: Sweet & Sour Chicken WG Rice Asian Vegetable Blend Fresh Vegetable w/ Ranch WG Bar Choice Fruit Milk	11 STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY NO STUDENT CLASSES	12 K-5: Fish Sticks 6-12: Fish Sticks vs. Popcorn Shrimp Au Gratin Potatoes Steamed Green Beans Fresh Fruit Milk	13 Walking Tacos (Taco Beef, Corn Chips, Lettuce, Tomato, Onion, Black Beans, Salsa, Sour Cream) Steamed Corn Warm Blueberry Crisp Milk
16 Homestyle Chicken & Noodles Mashed Potatoes Steamed Corn WG Dinner Roll w/Butter & Jelly Fruit Milk	17 Pork Tenderloin Sandwich Ranch Seasoned French Fries Steamed Mixed Vegetables Fresh Fruit Milk	18 Meatball Stroganoff Stuffed Cheese Breadstick Steamed Peas Tossed Salad w/Dressing Frozen Fruit Cup Milk	19 Chicken Nuggets w/Ketchup & BBQ sauce Macaroni & Cheese Steamed Broccoli Fresh Veggie w/Ranch Fruit Milk	20 WG Calzone w/Cheese Sauce Steamed Green Beans Baked Beans Fresh Fruit Milk
23 Tuna Noodle Bake vs. Beef Rotini Pasta Steamed Broccoli Steamed Mixed Vegetables WG Garlic Toast Fruit Milk	24 5: Grilled Chicken Sandwich 6-12: Hot Honey Chicken Croissant Ranch Pasta Salad Steamed Green Beans Fresh Veggie Choice w/ Ranch Fresh Fruit Milk	25 Square School Pizza Fresh Veggie Choice w/Ranch Steamed Peas Homemade Chocolate Chip Granola Bites Fruit	26 BBQ Pulled Pork Sandwich Sweet Potato Fries w/Ketchup Baked Beans Frozen Fruit Cup Milk	27 Chicken Fries w/Ketchup & BBQ sauce Cheesy Potato Casserole Fresh Veggie Choice w/Ranch Fresh Fruit Milk
30 Cheeseburger w/Ketchup/Mustard Crispy Tater Tots Steamed Corn WG Cookie Fruit Milk	1 Cozy Beef & Noodles Mashed Potatoes Steamed Mixed Vegetables Dinner Roll w/ Butter Fruit	2 Chicken Patty Sandwich w/Cheese Slice, Ketchup/Mustard French Fries Steamed Peas Fruit Milk	3 K-5: Beef Soft Tacos 6-12: Beef Burrito Bowls WG Doritos Refried Beans Fresh Fruit Milk	4 Corn Dog w/Ketchup/Mustard Potato Chip Choice Baked Beans Fruit Milk

News

September 2:

No School Labor Day

September 11:

Staff PD Day

No Student classes

Milk Choices offered daily-
White,
Chocolate, and Strawberry.
Students packing their lunch &
wanting to purchase milk must
purchase it for \$0.75 regardless
of
meal benefit status.

All Whole Grain (WG) items served
contain wheat (gluten).

Examples:

Pasta, breaded foods, buns,
Biscuits, breads. Substitutions for
Allergies available with Physician
Documentation.

Menu is subject to change!

Breakfast served for K-12 from
7:20-7:55 a.m. during the school
Year unless school is delayed.
Allergy information upon request.

Meal Prices:

Breakfast K-12: \$1.70 Breakfast
Adult \$2.50
Lunch K-5 Paid \$2.45
Lunch 6-12 Paid \$2.55
Adult Lunch \$4.60



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- ✓ Substitute Teaching Assistants



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