



NEWSLETTER

Exciting Changes Coming to S.A. Elementary



For the 2026/2027 School Year, Joe Meyer will become the Superintendent with the retirement of Michelle Clouser Penrod, and Shellie Miller will move into the Title I/Curriculum Director Position. Joel Reinhard will become the Elementary Principal. Connor Pfister was recently hired to be the elementary Assistant Principal. Mr. Pfister is coming to South Adams after being a classroom teacher for the last 11 years. He has spent that time teaching both high school and middle school history and is excited to enter the world of elementary education. Mr. Pfister enjoys spending time with his family, reading, and telling dad jokes. Like many others, he is looking forward to summer, especially spending time outdoors and biking. We welcome Mr. Pfister to the South Adams team.

Looking Ahead to Next Year

Elementary students will need USB-C Headphones for the new iPads we are getting next fall. You can find them on Amazon for as low as \$9.99. The new iPads won't have the auxiliary port. <https://a.co/d/02hXzdFm>



Another option available to use your current headphones is to buy an adaptor USB C to Aux Audio Dongle Cable Cord Compatible.

You can buy two adaptors for around \$5.



Elementary Yearbooks Have Been Distributed

If you forgot to order an elementary yearbook, we have extra copies for \$23 (while supplies last).



2026 Starfire Football Camp

Registration is due by Friday, May 22 for the Starfire Football Camp on August 3rd and 4th for kids in grades 1-8. This will be held on the turf at Starfire Field. The cost is \$20 per camper. Extra registration forms are available in the office.



Calendar



Monday, May 18

2nd-5th grade iPads must be turned in 4th & 5th grade track day (rain date is May 20)

1st grade to Villa Lanes, Decatur-a.m.

2nd grade to Villa Lanes, Decatur-p.m.

Keller/Gerber pen pal visit to E. Jay Elem.

Kindergarten graduation for Herring, Litwiller, and Brunner at 1:30 p.m.

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

Tuesday, May 19

Kindergarten will walk to Lehman Park (rain date is May 21) - a.m.

5th grade to Biztown (lv. at 8:20/ret. at 2:30)

6th grade Splash Day at Adams County 4H Fair Grounds (lv. at 10:20/ret. at 2:45)

Wednesday, May 20

MS Hat Day - pay 50 cents and wear a hat

Kindergarten graduation for Rockwell, Lazarek, and Yoder at 1:30 p.m.

Thursday, May 21

Ride your bike to school (rain date May 22) for grades 2-5.

Thrilling Thursday at the Park for 4th graders - leaving at 1 p.m.

Friday, May 22

Last Student Day

May 26, 27 & 28

Baseball Skills Camp from 1:30-3:00 p.m. at Harry F. Anderson Field

May 27, 28, & 29

IREAD Summer School from 9-11 a.m.

June 1-4

Lady Starfire Basketball Camp for grades 5, 6, & 7. Monday & Thursday will be 12:30-2:00 p.m. and Tuesday and Wednesday will be 2:15-3:45 p.m.

June 2-3

Starfire Volleyball Camp from grades K-5 from 12-2 p.m.

August 3 & 4

Starfire Football Camp for grades 1-4



CALLING ALL STUDENTS 17 AND UNDER! YOU RIDE FREE!

GRAB YOUR FRIENDS AND JOIN US FOR A RIDE IN THE ADAMS COUNTY INDIANA COUNTRYSIDE!

20-30-50-62-100 MILE BIKE ROUTES & A CENTRAL SAG!

SATURDAY, JUNE 27TH

Start at 7:00 a.m. at the
Arthur & Gloria Muselman
Wellness Pavilion
1201 Emmental Drive
Berne, IN 46711

FAMILY-FRIENDLY 10MI ROUTE INCLUDED!

Scan QR to register! Age 17 & under ride FREE! If you need a bike, let us know!



SCAN TO REGISTER!



TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE ADAMS COUNTY BICYCLE CLUB
VISIT [ADAMSCOUNTYBICYCLECLUB.ORG!](https://forms.gle/AHiKPY1uz9RmBTdS7)



AHOY NUTRITION CAMP

SAIL INTO HEALTHY HABITS

WE'RE INVITING YOUNG PIRATES TO JOIN US ON A HIGH-SEAS ADVENTURE WHERE THEY'LL DISCOVER THE TREASURE OF HEALTHY HABITS. FROM FUN ACTIVITIES TO HANDS-ON LEARNING, THIS IS ONE VOYAGE THEY WON'T WANT TO MISS!

JUNE 22-25 TIME: 1:30PM – 4:00PM

REGISTER ONLINE BY SCANNING THE QR, OR IN PERSON AT THE PAVILION! REGISTRATION CLOSES JUNE 15TH!

ONLY \$50 PER KID!



Arthur & Gloria Muselman
Wellness Pavilion
1201 EMMENTAL DR
BERNE, IN 46711

AGES: COMPLETED KINDERGARTEN UP TO COMPLETED 5TH GRADE

Clothe A Kid Application- United Way of Adams County

Applications were sent home to all of our free/reduced students. Extra applications are available in the PreK-8 Office. You can also register online at

<https://forms.gle/AHiKPY1uz9RmBTdS7>

Baseball Skills Camp

Registration forms are available in the office for Baseball Camp for kids in grades K-7. Registration is due by Wednesday, May 20. The cost is \$35. The camp will run May 26-28 from 1:30-3:00 p.m. at Harry F. Anderson Field.



Berne Public Library Summer Reading

The Berne Public Library reading program runs June 1-July 31 (all ages)
You can sign up on June 1st between 1-4 p.m. and enjoy a snow cone and facepainting.

If you finish the program you will win a prize.

Story Time begins June 1 - Registration is required.

Roz Puppets: Dinosaur Pirates - June 8 at 1 p.m.

Dinos & Donuts - June 15 at 1:30 p.m. - Scratch Art Class

D-D-D-Dino Play - June 22 at 1 p.m. - Outdoor dinosaur themed activities.

Illusions of Jim Barron - June 29 - 1 p.m.

Junior Minds - June 11 & July 9 at 4 p.m. 4th-7th grade STEAM activities.

Teen Book Club - June 15 & July 13 at 6 p.m.

Chalk the Walk - July 6-11 from 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Clock Tower Story Time on July 8 with Lisa Rich, July 15th with Staff - 1 p.m.

Edible Earth - July 9th at 3 p.m. Dirt pudding for grades 6-12.

Bingo. All ages on July 13 at 4:30 p.m.

Book Bedazzling - July 20 at 11 a.m. for teens and adults.

Keep Reading this summer!

Summer Sports Performance Programs

Build strength, improve speed, enhance agility, reduce injury risk

For athletes ages 8+ - train smarter, get stronger, perform better.

Ages 8-14 - Elementary & Middle School will train at Northman Fitness Center (inside Adams Memorial Hospital Therapy Entrance) Tuesdays and Thursdays

\$40 per month (1 session per week) or \$65 per month (2 sessions per week).

Ages 12-14 - 9:30-10:30 a.m. / 1:30-2:30 p.m. Ages 8-11 - 10:30-11:30 a.m. / 12:30-1:30 p.m.

Combined Group Ages 8-14 - 3-4 p.m.

Ages 15-21-High School and College Athletes meet at Belmont High School

Mondays and Wednesdays - \$100 for 8 sessions. High School 4-5 p.m. / College 5-6 p.m.

Register today with Drew Federspiel. Call 260.724.2145 extension 11036

300 Point A/R Club – These students went to Half Price Books in Fort Wayne. All of these students earned at least 300 A/R points. Not pictured: Marilyn Hilty, Katieann Hilty, Sylvia Eicher, Joseph Hilty, Jonas Hilty



Starfire Volleyball for Girls in Grades K-4

June 2 & 3 from 12:00-2:00 p.m.



Extra registration forms are available in the office and are due May 19.
The cost is \$25 per participant.

End of the Year Notes

K-5 students will bring home their report cards on the last day of school. K-4 students will also have their class placement letter for the 2026/2027 school year. Watch next week's newsletter for next year's supply lists.

Middle School students will have their reports cards mailed along with ILEARN results. Thank you for making this an amazing school year.

SA TENNIS CAMP

at South Adams HS courts

Boys & Girls 4-9th grade

Monday-Thursday

June 22-25 (June 26 for rain)

Grades 4-6 (2026-27) 3:00-3:45PM

Grades 7-9 (2026-27) 4:00-5PM

\$25

\$15 for each additional player
in the same family



REGISTER

by June 8 to guarantee tshirt

Questions:

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