



**John G. Borden Middle School, 109 Bona Ventura Avenue, Wallkill, NY 12589**  
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**Michael Redmond, Principal**

**Michael Pritts, Dean of Students**

*August 2026*

*Dear Parents/Guardians,*

*I would like to take this opportunity, on behalf of the John G. Borden Middle School staff, to welcome your child to the 8<sup>th</sup> Grade! At John G. Borden, we believe that it takes everyone, working together, to create and maintain a successful school community.*

*A paper copy of your child's schedule will be available for pick-up on **Wednesday, August 26 through Friday, August 28 from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm at the Middle School. Additionally, there will be evening hours on Thursday, August 27, from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm.** The distribution will be held in front of the building, outside door number two (2). Please look for outdoor signage on the sidewalk marking the pickup area.*

***Please sign and return the enclosed forms when picking up your child's schedule.** If you are unable to join us, please return the required forms on the first day of school.*

*All student schedules will be available via the online platform, SchoolTool, after August 31, which can be found on the district webpage.*

*Your participation in your child's education is critical. Please contact your student's guidance counselor at 895-7179 if your child is experiencing any difficulties or if you would like to share pertinent information.*

*Some important dates to note:*

- *Tuesday, September 8, 2026 – First Day of School for Students*
- *Thursday, September 17, 2026 – Open House is scheduled at 6:30 pm.*

*Thank you for your support and I look forward to seeing you this fall.*

*Best Regards,*

*Michael Redmond*  
*Principal*