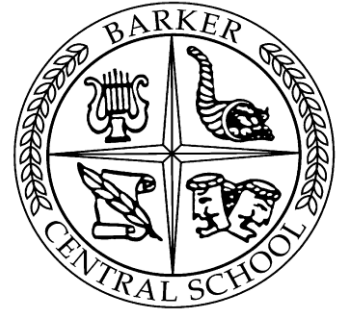


Barker Central School

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September 24, 2026

Dear Barker District Families:

On **Thursday, October 8, 2026**, we will be conducting a district wide Evacuation/Early Dismissal Drill.

Dismissal will be at 2:15 PM, at each of the designated meeting points.

At 1:35 pm, before the start of 8th period, the fire alarm will activate, and we will begin the evacuation of the building. Once the children and staff are outside, they will then proceed to walk to their district designated meeting points. Grades Pre-K through 6 will walk to the Faith United Methodist Church and Grades 7 through 12 will walk to the Barker Firehall.

Somerset Police will be blocking the intersection at Haight & Quaker.

After the students are regrouped and attendance has been taken, Elementary students will then board the buses for dismissal, 3 buses at a time. The buses will then head to the firehall to pick up Jr./Sr. High students. **Parent pickup will begin only after all the buses are dismissed.**

Athletes staying for 10th period will walk back to the building as a group, and will be dismissed at the end of 10th Period.

Elementary Parents: All changes will need to be in PickUp Patrol no later than 11:00 on 10/8.

Please talk to your children about this drill, and the importance of practicing. This drill will take place even if slightly raining, so please plan accordingly. If there is inclement weather, we will reschedule the full evacuation portion of the drill for a later date and still move forward with the early dismissal portion of the drill.

We thank you for your continued support of Barker Central School District.

Sincerely,

Micaela Love

Dr. Micaela Love, Ed.D., Ed.D.

District Principal, PK-12