BADGER GAZETTE

BERKSHIRE MIDDLE SCHOOL

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It's a Great Day to be a Badger!

October 2nd

A NOTE FROM US

Hello Middle School Families!

Thank you for a great Spirit Week! We loved seeing all the kids creativity and spirit!! They were amazing at the Pep Assembly ...great Badger Spirit!!

Have a wonderful weekend with your families & friends!

Mandy Randles and Shaun Forbes

IMPORTANT DATES

October 9th	NEOEA Day (No School)
October 14th	Picture Day
Nov. 10th /12th	Parent/Teacher Conferences

If you would like to schedule a conference with your child's teacher, please use the following link below.

Fall Conferences Link

ATHLETIC NEWS

10/3 MS Cross Country U Wanna Come Back @ Madison 9:00am

10/5 MS Girls Soccer vs Perry @ Perry Memorial Field 4:30pm

10/7 MS Boys Soccer CVC Tournament vs TBA @ Berkshire 5:00pm

10/7 MS 7th Grade Volleyball CVC Tournament @ Rootstown vs Rootstown 4:30pm

10/7 MS 8th Grade Volleyball CVC Tournament TBA

10/7/ MS Football & Cheer vs Hawken @ Hawken 6:30

10/7 MS Girls Soccer CVC Tournament TBD

10/8 MS Girls Soccer CVC Tournament TBD

10/10 MS Cross Country The Legends Meet @ Trumbull County Fairgrounds 9:30am

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ART CLUB

Thank you to all who joined Wednesday's after school Art club! We are currently at capacity. If interested in joining please email Mr. Rodehorst

7th and 8th grade Wednesday's lunch group still has plenty of room, email Mr. R to join.

andrew.rodehorst@berkshireschools.org

BMS Art Club

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STUDENT COUNCIL

"The next meeting of the student council will be on Monday, October 5th in 5th grade SS room from 3:15-4:00. Please see or email Mrs Tiber with any questions.

Nancy.tiber@berkshireschools.org

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HONOR SOCIETY

The Middle School Honor Society has a minimum of a 3.6 grade point average. Also, they have exhibited service, character, leadership, and citizenship at school and in the community. Joining is by invitation only to eligible 7th and 8th Grade students.

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STEAM CLUB

Hands-on learning that is based on the concepts of STEAM curriculum and theories. This after-school program will extend the students' exposure to STEM projects and learning.

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GIRLS CODING CLUB

The next Girls Coding Club meetings are Thursday, October 15 & Thursday, October 29 from 3:15-4:00 in Miss Mele's classroom. No coding or computer skills required.

Girls Coding Club Sign-up Form

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ROBOTICS

6th-8th graders interested in joining the combat robotics team, have your parent/ guardian sign you up at

2026-2027 JuniorBots Sign-up Form

by Monday, October 5. Space is limited.

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CRAFTING CLUB

Crafting club will beginning soon during the lunch periods. Students will begin signing up next week!

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GAME CLUB

Adventure Awaits! Come join the club on Friday afternoons. See the flyer attached below for information and sign ups. Looking forward to seeing you there!

Come see the office for a permission form!

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PTO

As always, please don't hesitate to contact us if you have any questions or if you'd like to help, assist, donate, or contribute to any school events! You can find us on **Berkshire PTO** on Facebook, visit our website at berkshirepto.com , or email us at ptoberkshire@gmail.com .

COUNSELOR'S CORNER

New this year: 6th, 7th and 8th graders will be attending a Career Fair at Kent State University Geauga Campus. details to come…

Ravenwood Mental Health Center provides Therapeutic Behavioral Support Services at Berkshire for students and their families. These services are covered by a mental health grant. Please contact me if you are interested in this service for your child.

The Greater Cleveland Food Bank offers weekend lunches for students that would like to bring food home on Fridays. Please contact me if you would like to participate in this free program.

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QUICK LINKS

Washington, D.C. Trip Slideshow
Nuthreadz Badgerwear Link
Badgerwear Link
Promotions Badgerwear Link
Middle School Clubs Stodcast
School Lunch and Breakfast Link
www.berkshirerecreation.org
Link to Nami Ravenwood Family Pride

REMINDERS

IMPACT CLUB: Starting 10/6 Impact will be meeting weekly on Tuesdays after school at KSU Geauga Campus. Walk down the path, come hungry, & bring a friend!

Fall Conferences:
Fall Conferences Link

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ADDITIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

BMS PBIS STORE

If you are willing to donate items, we would greatly appreciate your support!

Some ideas include:

- Bags of individually wrapped candy
- Small lotions or body sprays
- Sports/athletic cards
- Small games or toys
- Other small, student-friendly items

Every donation, big or small, helps us continue celebrating our Badgers and reinforcing the positive choices they are making each day. **Thank you so much for supporting our students and our Badger Best program!** 💜💛

Contact Information and Gazette Links

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You can visit our school website at
https://www.berkshireschools.org/
Under the **"Schools"** section, you will find **Middle School**.

BERKSHIRE ELEMENTARY PTO

3RD ANNUAL

COLOR RUN

RUN

WALK

PLAY

GET COLORFUL

SAME
SCHOOL
BRIGHTE
TOMORRO

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4TH

BERKSHIRE ELEMENTARY

MORE DETAILS COMING SOON!

ALL ARE WELCOME
STUDENTS, FAMILIES, AND COMMUNITY MEME

HEALTHY KIDS · STRONGER SCHOOL · BRIGHTER TOMORROWS

BERKSHIRE BADGERS

Join the Berkshire Badgers Blade Brigade!

Awesome Adventures Await!!!

- Come game with friends.
- 5th Grade to Seniors.
- Fridays after school till 4:30pm.
- 8th Grade Science Room.

Impact

Tuesdays
3:30 pm - 5:00 pm
Grades 5-8

KSU Geauga Campus

STARTS TUESDAY, 10/ 6

SIGN UP →

Campus Life Berkshire

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