



BADGER GAZETTE

BERKSHIRE MIDDLE SCHOOL
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October 23rd



A NOTE FROM US

Hello Middle School Families!

Thank you for a great week! If you would like to start the Halloween celebration sooner than next weekend, come see us at Trunk or Treat! Flyer is attached.

Thank you for all of the Halloween Treat donations!
Looking forward to a fun time next next Friday!

GO BADGERS!!

Have a wonderful weekend with your families
and friends!

Mandy Randles & Shaun Forbes



IMPORTANT DATES

October 30th

Wear your Costumes for Halloween fun and spirit! For safety and dress code reasons, no gore, masks, inflatables and school appropriate please! Lets have some holiday fun!

October 30th

Nov. 5th
Nov. 6th
Nov. 6th
Nov. 10th /12th
Nov. 25th-27th

Holiday Treat in all classrooms!

End of the 1st Quarter
No School Students
Teacher Work Day
Parent/Teacher Conferences
Thanksgiving Break



ATHLETIC NEWS



GREAT JOB, FALL SPORTS!

We are so proud of our Badgers and all the hard work, dedication, and effort you put in this season! 💜💛 Thank you for representing BMS with pride!

We look forward to seeing all of our winter sports in full swing! Good luck to our basketball and wrestling teams! Go, Badgers!



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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 for Student Council will be on Tuesday, November 3rd in 5th grade SS room from 3:15-4:00. Please see or email Mrs Tiber with any questions.

Check out our trunk at **Trunk or Treat** this Sunday here at the school.

nancy.tiber@berkshireschools.org



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HONOR SOCIETY

The Middle School Honor Society will be inducting new members after the 1st grading period. The Induction Ceremony will be on Tuesday, December 8th. Come visit our booth at **Trunk or Treat** this Sunday- October 25th.

See Mrs Tiber with any questions.



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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 29 & Thursday, November 12 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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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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CRAFTING CLUB

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



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Middle School Clubs and Activities

Art Club
Student Council
Honor Society
Steam Club
Girls Coding
Game Club
Crafting Club
Impact Club
Athletics (Fall, Winter and Spring)



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PTO

Please sign up to donate Halloween treats for our Middle School kids! We need CapriSun juice boxes and money to purchase donuts. These treats are specifically listed to keep everything equal across all grades and classrooms. :) If you offer to purchase juice boxes, they can be dropped off in the Middle School office. If you offer to donate to help purchase donuts, we will place a bulk order and deliver them the morning of Friday, October 30th. Please venmo @BerkshirePTO. Our picture is Bert the Badger! Thank you so much for your help treating our Middle Schoolers!

[Halloween Treats Sign Up](#)



COUNSELOR'S CORNER

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.

Cindy Metzung 440-834-3380 ext.1103
cindy.metzung@berkshireschools.org



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

If you would like to schedule a conference with your child's teacher, please use the following link below.
[Fall Conferences Link](#)



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ADDITIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Mobile Dentist Is Coming to School!

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Our Smile Programs mobile dentist will be visiting our school on **Thursday, November 12, 2026**, to provide convenient dental care for students right here at school! This is a great opportunity for your child to receive dental care without you having to miss work or schedule a separate appointment. Signing up online takes just a few minutes. Please have your child's name, date of birth, and insurance information ready when registering. **There is no cost for children covered by Medicaid/CHIP**, and parents do not need to be present at school for their child to participate.

Ready to sign up? Enroll your child today at www.myschooldentist.com.

Have questions about registration? Call **855-481-8633**.

Thank you for helping us keep our students healthy and smiling!

Sincerely,

Jayne Kollman, School Nurse



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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Hearing and vision screenings will begin the week of October 26. These screenings are an important part of your child's health and education, as undetected hearing or vision difficulties can affect learning, attention, and classroom participation. Early identification of potential concerns allows families to seek further evaluation and support when needed. If you would like to opt your child out of these screenings, please contact Jayme Kollman by email at jayme.kollman@berkshireschools.org or by phone at 440-834-3380, extension 3380. Thank you for your support in helping us keep our students healthy and ready to learn!



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Contact Information and Gazette Links

Berkshire Middle School

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ext. 1101 or 1104**

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X 1101

michell.durosko@berkshireschools.org

Ms. Barb Sugarman
X 1104

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Principal:

Mrs. Mandy Randles
X 1102

mandy.randles@berkshireschools.org

Assistant Principal

Mr. Shaun Forbes
X 3327

shaun.forbes@berkshireschools.org

School Counselor:

Mrs. Cindy Metzung
X 1103

cindy.metzung@berkshireschools.org

Athletic Director (Grades 7 & 8):

Mr. Brian Hiscox

brian.hiscox@berkshireschools.org

Transportation

Andrew Workman
X 2111

transportation@berkshireschools.org

Food Services

foodservice@berkshireschools.org

You can visit our school
website at

<https://www.berkshireschools.org/>

Under the “**Schools**” section,
you will find **Middle School**.

TRUNK OR TREAT

OCTOBER 25TH

2P - 4P

North Parking Lot
of the School

To sign up to host a trunk,
please contact:

Aimee.green@berkshireschools.org

Hosted by
Student Council



Impact



Tuesdays
3:30 pm – 5:00 pm
Grades 5–8

KSU Geauga Campus

STARTS TUESDAY, 10/ 6

SIGN UP →



 **Campus Life Berkshire**

For More Information Contact:

Rachel Hutchinson, Campus Life Director

440-708-6902

rhutchinson@campuslifecleveland.org



REGISTERING A STUDENT

WHAT INFO WILL I NEED?

- Basic Medical History & Health Information
- Insurance Company & Policy Number
- Doctor & Dentist Contact Information
- Hospital Preference
- Email Address for BOTH you and your student (if required by your district)

HOW DO I REGISTER MY FIRST STUDENT?

*****IMPORTANT***** If you have followed the steps on the previous page, you may jump to Step 3.

1. Go to <https://berkshire-oh.finalforms.com/>

2. Click **LOGIN** under the Parent icon

3. Click **REGISTER STUDENT**



Parent

LOGIN

NEW ACCOUNT

STUDENT LOGIN

4. Complete the form including the Student's Legal Name, **EMAIL ADDRESS**, Date of Birth, Gender, Graduation Year, Home Address and any other information required by your School District, then click **CREATE STUDENT**

NOTE: A student email address may or may not be required depending on your school district preferences. If so, the email address provided may be used to send reminders to your student.

5. If your student plans to participate in a sport, activity, or club please click the checkbox for each. Click **UPDATE** after making your selection.

NOTE: A selection can be changed any time until the registration deadline.

6. Complete each form and sign your full name (e.g. "John Smith") into the Parent Signature field at the bottom of the page. After signing, click **SUBMIT FORM** and move on to the next form.

7. When all forms are complete, you will see a "Forms Finished" message. **Forms finished!**

8. *****IMPORTANT***** If required, an email will automatically be sent to the email address that you provided for your student prompting him/her to sign Student forms requiring his/her signature.

9. Click **MY STUDENTS** if you are done, or **REGISTER ANOTHER STUDENT** if you need to add another.

Register Another Student

My Students

10. At any point in the future, you may login at any time and click the **Update Forms** button to update information.

Update Forms



PARENT REGISTRATION

HOW DO I SIGN UP?

1. Go to <https://berkshire-oh.finalforms.com/>
2. Click **NEW ACCOUNT** under the Parent icon
3. Type your NAME, DATE OF BIRTH and EMAIL, then click **REGISTER**



Parent

LOGIN

NEW ACCOUNT

STUDENT LOGIN

4. Check your Email for a FinalForms Email, and click **CONFIRM YOUR ACCOUNT** in the email text.

NOTE: You will receive an email within 2 minutes prompting you to confirm and complete your registration. If you do not receive an email, check your spam folder. If you still do not see the FinalForms email, please email support@finalforms.com.

5. Type your password and click **CONFIRM ACCOUNT**

Add Another Parent? or Skip this step

Grant access to an additional parent account (perhaps for your spouse), allowing them to manage your students. If the individual already has an account, use their email address and they will be automatically linked when you click 'parent'.

6. You will be asked if you want to grant another Parent/Guardian access to your registered students. Either click **SKIP THIS STEP** or type the NAME, DATE OF BIRTH and EMAIL, then click **ADD PARENT ACCOUNT**.
7. Your account(s) will be created, you can then click **REGISTER STUDENT** for your first child.