

Go Lead. Go Serve. Go Bengals!



February 15, 2024 - February 23, 2024

Events coming up this next week!

Friday, February 16

- Chick-fil-A Biscuits in the morning carline ☀️
- PTO Meeting @ 8:45 AM
- FCA Meeting @ 7:30 am in the Theater

Saturday, February 17

- Robotics State Championship - JL Mann HS, Greenville
- South Carolina Dance Association Championship
- Pelion Archery Invitational - 9:00 - 10:00 am @ Pelion Middle School

Thursday, February 22

- School Bus Driver Appreciation Day

Friday, February 23

- No School for Students - Teacher Workday
- Band Field Trip - Region Band Clinic @ LHS
- All State Orchestra Event @ RBHS

SUBMIT PARENT OR MEDICAL EXCUSES [HERE](#)

[2023-2024 BMS Student Handbook](#)

Early Pick Up Cutoff Time is 3:00 PM. Please pick up your student prior to that time for appointments, etc.



🗨️ Activity Bus and Spring Sports/Activities

As we shift to the spring season sports, please be sure that your Bengal knows to sign up to ride the shuttle bus to LHS through the link on their launchpad BEFORE 12:00 p.m. Students who do not sign up to ride the shuttle will not be permitted to board after school.

➡️Important: Yearbooks purchased at registration ⬅️

If you purchased a yearbook during registration, please disregard the email sent by Josten saying that you have not purchased a yearbook. Josten's records do not show yearbook orders that were placed during registration. Thank you!

Attention 8th Grade! 📣

Please consider applying to join the Cat's Paw Yearbook staff at LHS for the 2024-2025 School Year. Here is the [link](#) for the application form. (The link will force you to make a copy). Applications are due **Friday, March 1!** Come help us document Lexington High's rich history through copy, photography, and design!

Here is a link for the informational video as well - [Cat's Paw Yearbook Video](#)



➡️We need your help! ⬅️

Please consider volunteering to help with Chick-fil-A biscuit sales on Fridays! The Sign Up Genius link has all of the remaining dates for biscuit sales. -

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/805084CAEAA2EA7FC1-47320107-bmschickfila>

Attention Bengals Interested in Cheering for LHS! 📣

Tryouts will be held on Tuesday, May 7 in the LHS Old Gym from 4 pm-9 pm for any Beechwood Middle School student who will be in the 8th or 9th grade for the '24-'25 school year and would like to be considered for a spot on our B-Team, JV, or Varsity Lexington competitive cheerleading team. **Remember, you must have a physical for the '23-'24 school year (April 1, 2023-March 31, 2024) or a new physical for the '24-'25 school year (done on or after April 1, 2024) uploaded and approved on [Big Teams \(formerly PlanetHS\)](#) before you will be allowed to tryout or attend Open Practice.** No exceptions can be made. **Open Practices will begin Monday, March 4, and continue through Friday, March 29.** Current 6th graders are NOT allowed to attend Open Practices per SCHSL. Email jlwatson@lexington1.net with any questions about tryouts and mcromer@lexington1.net with any questions about physicals. **Please complete this [form](#) by Feb. 28 to attend Open Practices and May 1 to attend tryouts.**

👑 Miss Beechwood 2024 👑

~Miss Beechwood 2024 ~
March 15th & March 16th

BMS is excited to announce our fifth annual Miss Beechwood on Friday, March 15th & Saturday, March 16th. Space is limited for each grade level. If you are interested in participating, be sure to sign up using [this LINK](#).

6th grade: Friday, March 15 at 7 p.m.

7th grade: Saturday, March 16 at 12 p.m.

8th grade: Saturday, March 16 at 6 p.m.



Don't want to participate? Be sure to plan and come to support your fellow Bengals! Be on the lookout for ticket information to become available starting March 4th! We want to see all of our Bengal friends, family, and community at the Beech to support all these wonderful ladies!

Dress Code reminder 📣

Bengal Families -

As you purchase clothes for the Spring season, please be sure that - if the clothes will be worn at the Beech - they are **dress code compliant**. Particularly as we prepare for the warmer weather to return in the Spring, we want to be mindful of "growth spurts" to ensure that shorts and shirts are as indicated in the [district dress code](#). **Shorts must come to mid-thigh and be worn at the natural waist. Shirts must be able to be tucked into pants. Pajama pants, hats and hoods are not permitted at school unless it is a "Spirit Day."** Thank you for your help!

Bengal Chorus Fundraiser 📌

The Bengal Choir is having their Butter Braid Pastry and Cookie Dough fundraiser starting through FEBRUARY 20! Please find your favorite chorus member or director, Ms. Jones, and make an order. Use the link below to make an order or call 803-821-5776 or email Ms. Camille Jones at acjones@lexington1.net with any questions.



Our funds will be used to help with travel expenses on field trips, choral music and registrations for events! BENGAL CHOIR THANKS YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!!! Go Bengals!!!

<http://tinyurl.com/BMCookie>.

Or scan the QR code!

BMS Musical Theatre needs NEWSPAPERS! 📌

BMS Faculty, Staff, Students, and Families, BMS Musical Theatre needs newspapers for their upcoming production of Newsies!

Newspapers aren't the easiest to come by these days, so we're asking for donations of newspapers if you have access to any. You can drop them off in the front office and Mrs. Boatwright will collect them. Thank You!

Save
the
Date

8th Grade Semi-formal Dance

Friday, May 3, 2024

6:30 - 8:30 pm

\$10.00 tickets on sale in April

Run Hard Spring 2024 🏃

Run Hard will be opening registration on Thursday, February 1st at 8am. Run Hard is for boys and girls in grades 2nd-5th grade. Practices will begin the week of March 11th and Race Day is May 11th at Columbiana Center.

You can register at runhard.org and click on Team Locations/Midlands and then scroll to the bottom of the page. Sign up opens on February 1st at 8am.

🏐 Volleyball Interest Meeting 🏐



The poster features a light blue background with four volleyball icons in the corners. The text is centered and reads: "INTEREST MEETING" in large, outlined blue letters. Below that, in solid blue text, is "March 6th", "6:00 pm", and "BMS Auditorium". At the bottom, it says "If you want to try out for volleyball for the 2024 season, make plans to attend our interest meeting. For parents and players. All rising 7th and 8th graders!"

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Math Homework Help Center

The Math Homework Help Center is still closed for the beginning of Semester 2. We will send out an announcement in the BMS Notes once we have an official start date.



2024 Beechwood Middle Track & Field Information

docs.google.com

*Important Information
from our Front Office*

Morning Arrival Information - IMPORTANT 🚗

Students are not able to enter BMS until 7:00 a.m. If students arrive after 8:05 a.m. **they must be signed in by a parent/guardian and are considered tardy.**

*Beechwood Middle
PTO News*

PTO News 🐾

- We have several positions to fill on our PTO Board. Check them out here and sign up! [PTO Board Positions](#) We would love to have you on Board!!
- Staff Appreciation: Show our BMS Staff your appreciation by donating to the [Staff Appreciation Fund](#). All donations received through this fund will be used towards our staff appreciation events throughout the year.



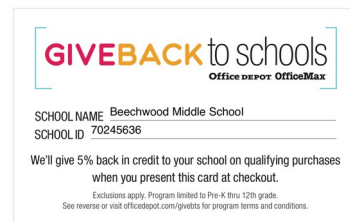
BEECHWOOD MIDDLE SCHOOL
spirit store

Click here to get your BMS Gear! 🐾

<https://beechwood-middle-school-ptو.square.site/>

Office Max and Office Depot

Support Beechwood Middle School when you shop at Office Max and Office Depot through the Give Back program! It is SO easy - simply provide the school's name when you check out in store or enter ID number 70245636 when you check out online.



Do you shop at Publix? If yes, read on!

Visit [Publix.com](https://publix.com) and sign up for Club Publix (FREE)**!

Sign in and go to Account > My profile > My Publix Partner, choose Beechwood Middle School.

Enter your registered Club Publix phone number each time you shop and support BMS!

****Already registered? Please double check that Beechwood Middle is still selected as your Partner!**



Before you shop at Lowe's Foods, sign up (Free!) for Fresh Rewards and support Beechwood Middle School! Visit

[https://rewards.lowesfoods.com/Account/SelectCard?](https://rewards.lowesfoods.com/Account/SelectCard?mode=CartToClass)

[mode=CartToClass](https://rewards.lowesfoods.com/Account/SelectCard?mode=CartToClass) to enroll your Fresh Rewards account. Don't know your Fresh Rewards number? It's okay! You can look up your account with just your phone number (click under the Continue button).



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BMS Resources

[2023-2024 BMS Student Handbook](#)

[Check out our BMS Webpage](#)

Family Technology Connections Newsletter February

Financial Assistance

Need ParentSquare Help?

If you need support in using ParentSquare, this resource may be helpful to you as we transition to this communication platform.

BMS Event Photos! 📸



Dance Team at Basketball Game

87 new items added to shared album

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8th grade Recognition Boys and Girls Basketball 2024

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BMS Step

86 new items added to shared album

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Girls Basketball 2023-2024

108 new items added to shared album

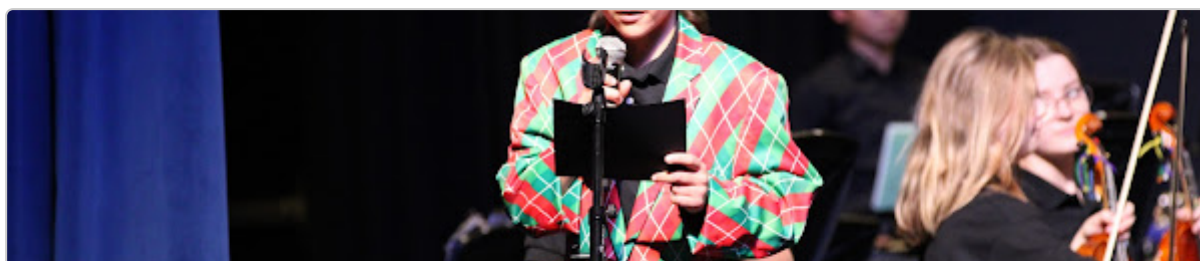
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Boys Basketball 2023-2024

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Holiday Orchestra Performance 2023

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Winter Chorus Concert

64 new items added to shared album

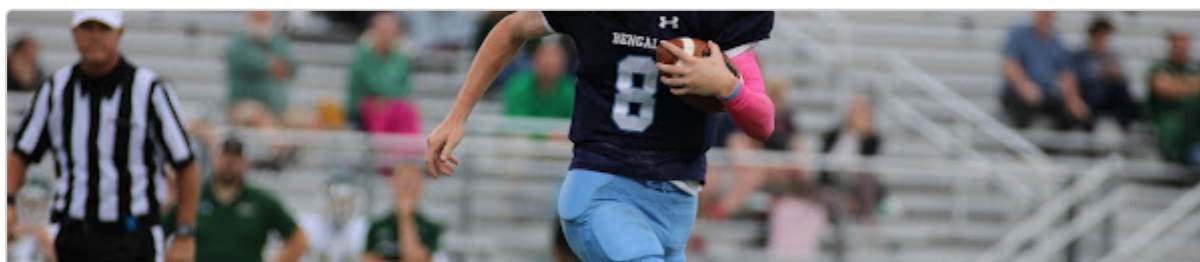
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23/24 BMS Volleyball

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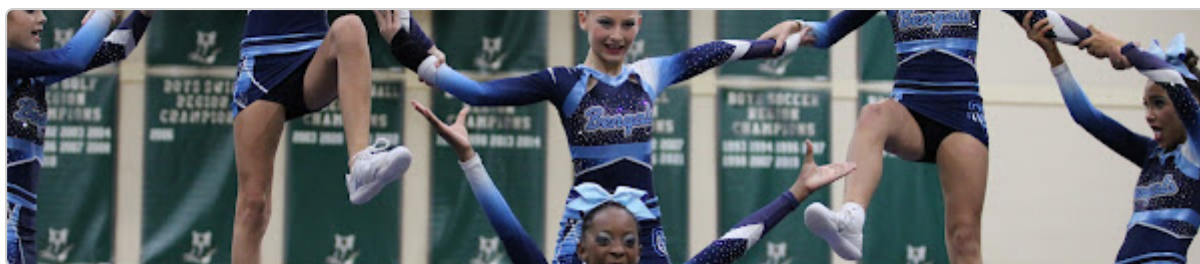
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23/24 BMS Football

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23/24 Cheer

211 new items added to shared album

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23/24 8th grade Football, Cheer, Dance Football Recognition

119 new items added to shared album



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