

Go Lead. Go Serve. Go Bengals!



November 16, 2023 - November 30, 2023

Events coming up this next week! 📅

Thursday, November 16

- 8th Grade Trip to Washington DC - Parent Meeting in the Theater @ 6pm

Friday, November 17

- Chick-fil-A Biscuits AM Carline
- PTO Meeting at 8:45 AM
- Scholastic Book Fair Ends

Tuesday, November 21

- Unified Fan Club Meeting @ 7:40 AM in the Theater

Wednesday, November 22-24

- NO SCHOOL - Thanksgiving Break 🙏

Monday, November 27

- Basketball vs PHMS @ BMS - 5:30 pm 🏀

Tuesday, November 28

- iReady Reading assessment
- Chorus Concert @ 7:00 pm 🎵

Wednesday, November 29

- Collaborative Planning Day - **Early Dismissal @ 12:05 PM**

Thursday, November 30

- Student Flu Clinic 🤒
- Basketball Game vs MGMS @ BMS - 5:30 pm 🏀
- Beta Club Meeting @ 7:30 AM in the Theater

SUBMIT PARENT OR MEDICAL EXCUSES [HERE](#)

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



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](#).

Winter iReady Assessments

Students will be participating in our winter iReady Assessments on Tuesday, November 28th (Reading) and Tuesday, December 5th (Math). It is extremely important that students are present for these assessments. It is also extremely important that students bring headphones/earbuds on these days. These assessments have audio and video segments that will be important for students to be able to hear.

Chick-fil-A Biscuits in the Friday morning drop off! 🍪

Chick-fil-A Biscuits are now only \$4.00! Make sure to get yours this Friday, November 17th!



share the glove

As the temperatures outside drop, having a hat and warm pair of mittens is something that many of us may take for granted.

Join me and GIVATION, a local 501c3 nonprofit organization, as we collect items to warm the hands and hearts of the homeless men, women and children in our community.

**Donate new gloves,
mittens, scarves and
hats to those in need.**

Please, no used items or cash donations.

Help me teach our children a valuable lesson of how we can all make a difference in our community by giving to those in need, please consider making a donation today.



1340 Hwy 378
Lexington, SC 29072

GIVATION

Learn how your donation
can be tax deductible at
GIVATION.org

All donations are needed by Friday, December 8th

Please drop off donations to Ms. Peterson's classroom
Room C112/ Mrs. Jordan in C110

Collected items will be distributed by my class to Samaritan's Well, a women and children's shelter serving Lexington, as well as Transition's Homeless Shelter in Columbia.

For more information, please contact:

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*Important Information
From our Counselors*

Attention ALL STUDENTS!

Are you looking for ways to serve and encourage other students at BMS? If so, please consider applying to become a BMS Student Ambassador!

The BMS Student Ambassador program consists of students who take pride in Beechwood Middle School. These are students who are selected based on their interest in the program, their academics, attendance, and their interpersonal skills. These students will be welcoming our new students to BMS, as well as giving tours of the school. Please use the links below to start the application process. Applications are due Friday, December 1st.

BMS Student Ambassador Application:

<https://forms.gle/r57rpfPEPvPiG6ftZ>

Teacher Reference Form:

Important Information from our Front Office

Parents - We need your help....



1) **Forgotten Items** - we have had an overwhelming amount of forgotten items being dropped off in the Front Office. The best way you can help us is making sure that your Bengal has everything that they need for a successful school day when they arrive in the morning. We appreciate your help with this!

2) **Lost and Found Items** - Please add your student's names to their lunch boxes, jackets or other personal items so that we can get them returned to your student as soon as possible. We have had several lunch boxes and jackets found with no names, so we are unable to reunite these items with their owners. Thank you so much for your help with this!

Morning Arrival Information - IMPORTANT 🚗

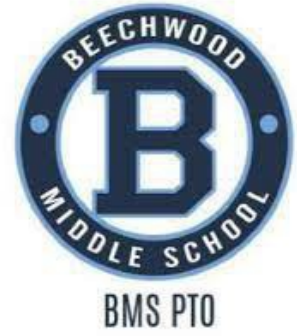
Students are not able to enter BMS until 7:00 a.m. If students arrive after 8:05 a.m. they must be signed in by a parent/guardian and are considered tardy.

Beechwood Middle PTO News

PTO News 🍁

- Please support BMS through the FREE Lowes Foods Cart 2 Class program. Sign up today with your Lowes Fresh Rewards number (or phone number associated with your account) and choose Beechwood Middle School.
<https://rewards.lowesfoods.com/Account/SelectCard?mode=CartToClass>
- 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.



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*Terms, conditions & restrictions apply.

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Check out our BMS Webpage

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.

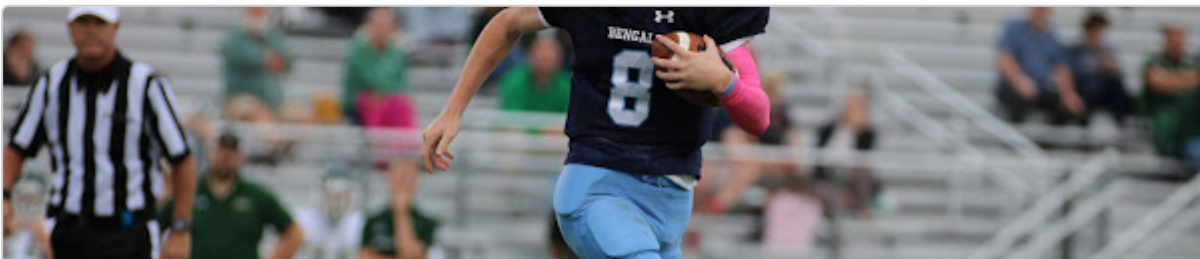
BMS Athletics - Go Bengals! 🐾🐾📣



23/24 BMS Volleyball

156 new items added to shared album

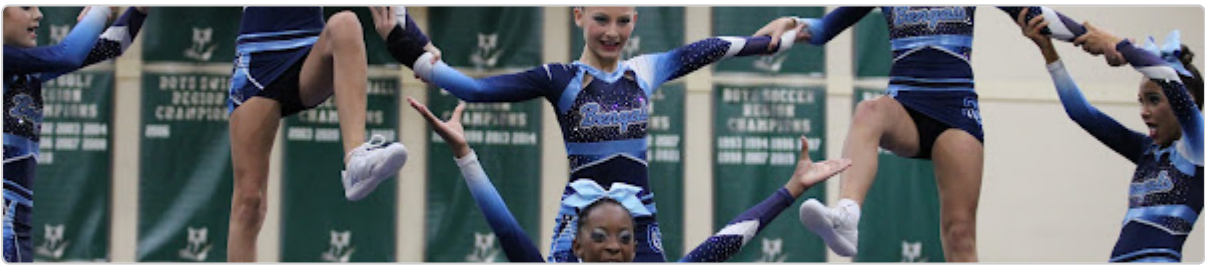
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23/24 BMS Football

447 new items added to shared album

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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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Beechwood Middle School

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