



BYRON CENTER CHARTER SCHOOL

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May 19 Update

Dear Parents/Guardians of BCCS K-12 Students,
Please review the following informational items for your awareness and understanding. As always, feel free to contact the office and/or directly to associated staff members with questions or needed clarification. Your continued engagement is appreciated.

Annual Stakeholder Surveys Surveys

This week Students, Staff and Parents are asked to complete the annual school climate surveys. These are used for school improvement purposes. If you have not already done so, we ask that each family complete one survey by the end of this week, Friday May 26.

Parent: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/TWS2YHQ>

- *Your feedback is important to us!*

Senior Activities:

Monday

- Last Day for Seniors who are not scheduled for Exams
- Senior Lunch/Gift (provided by school/staff)
- Senior Walk (student need to be in the Art Room by 2:30 with Caps and Gowns)

Tuesday and Wednesday

- Senior Exams (designated students)

Thursday

- Graduation 7PM Second Byron Center Cristian Reformed Church
 - 7588 Byron Center Ave
- Mandatory Graduation Practice for All Graduates 1:00

Friday

- Senior Trip Michigan Adventure
 - Student must have valid registration form submitted

Let's Finish Strong!!

Summer Programming

- Next week the parents of students recommended for summer programs will receive letters requesting participation in the program.
 - Parents must register students for the program in order to participate.
- All K-8 Students will be given the Opportunity to Participate GRASP (Grand Rapids Academic Summer Program in Reading and /Or Math for a nominal fee. Students who complete and return the packets by the designated date and score an 85% or better will receive a Summer

Success Certificate at the and be entered into two \$25 dollar Gift Card Drawing. Student recognitions and winners will be announced at the first Eagle Assembly next school year. will be announced

Student Testing Cont....

- At this time all but a couple student need to make-up NWEA MAP Assessments
- 100% of 3-11 Students have COMPLETED State Assessments (M-STEP, PSAT and SAT)
 - Released Scores will be shared as soon at the end of the school year

YearBooks

Yearbooks are going on sale today! Order forms will be sent home to all K-8 Students and/or forms can be obtained in the Office.

BCCS Yearbooks for the 2022-2023 school year are now on sale! Orders are due on **Thursday, June 8**. The cost is \$25, and they are hardcover and full color. To order online visit: inter-state.com/order and enter this code: 73447V. Or you can return the order form along with cash or a check made out to Byron Center Charter School. Yearbooks will be delivered to school in the fall. Don't miss your chance to own memories of the 2022-2023 school year! If you have any questions, contact Mrs. Humes (khumes@byroncentercharter.org).

“Shout Outs” to Students

Mid High Band

- Another successful Spring Band Performance last evening by the BCCS 6-12 Bands
- The following students received the annual recognitions and awards.
 - The 7th/8th Grade Awards
 - Outstanding Achievement Award - Ellie VanDussen
 - Award of Excellence - Amelia Pike
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 - The High School Awards
 - Outstanding Achievement Award - Colton Pitsch
 - Award of Excellence - Xavier Coffey
 - John Philip Sousa Award - National Recognition - Mary Anderson

Good Job, Well Done Mid High Bands !

Ship Shape Award

- 1st Grade Students

Highlight of BCCS Events Next Week

Saturday Girls On The Run Annual Community/Family Run

- Location Calder Plaza
- 8:00 Meet Designated Area (look for BCCS Flag)

- 8:30 Event Kick-off
- 9:00 Runners begin
 - BCCS Runners in Wave 4

Monday

- Senior Lunch and Walk
- Last day (hopefully of Spring Testing)

Tuesday

- Senior Exams
- After School Tutoring
- Jazz Band

Wednesday

- Senior Exams
- First Grade Field Trip Dairy Discovery

Thursday

- Graduation 7 pm
- Mandatory Grad practice 1:00
- After School Tutoring
- Jazz Band

Friday

- Last Day for SWARM Services
- Hat Day
- Ultimate Frisbee After (weather permitting)
- Annual Field Trip for BCCS 2023 Graduates

Friends, I would be remiss in not communicating the need for a total team effort in the last few weeks of school. It is natural for students to want to 'loosen-up' during this time of year, yet as expected and desired we are committed to our mission regardless of the time of year. I ask for your support, cooperation and steadfast commitment to the importance and value of students' cooperation and effort through the end of the school year. W/ Appreciation, MK

