

Burnt River Times

September 2020

Picture Day

Burnt River School will have picture day on October 28th starting at 8:30 a.m.



School Board Meeting

There will be a regular school board meeting on September 10, 2020 at 6:00 p.m. To join the audio conference, dial: 541-966-3232 enter access code 65347
Items on the agenda include:

- Audit Report
- Verify Teachers Certification
- Verify Contracts
- Budget Committee Openings
- Approve Substitute Teacher List
- Review Policies: JEBA, JECB
- Interdistrict Agreements
- Superintendent's Report

November 25th will be a half day of school. Students will be released at 11:30 a.m. Lunch will not be provided on that day. Thanksgiving holiday will be the 26th.

Burnt River Bulls Families,

Thank you all for making the start of the new school year a success! We were forced to institute new rules for students, staff and visitors this year and we knew it was going to take a community-wide effort to succeed: because of the cooperation and understanding of our community, our students are back in school! The challenge now is to sustain those efforts so our students can continue to attend school in the building rather than from home.

As happens every year for me, I was amazed again this year to see the growth in our kids over the summer. I can't imagine how disappointing it would have been to have missed out on the experience of seeing them walking through the halls this year. It's truly heartwarming to hear their laughter in the school - we need to do everything we can as a community to ensure they can continue to learn, laugh and grow within our four walls.

Of special note: the staff has been extremely pleased with the way the kids have adapted to the "face mask/face shield" situation. They are allowed to switch back and forth as needed and they've all done very well. While I don't think any of them truly like to wear a face covering, they've done a great job of following the rules and keeping themselves and their classmates safe.

I also wanted to remind everybody of our visitor policy. All visitors, including parents, must report to the office before proceeding into the school. We'll have signs posted on all the doors as a reminder. Unauthorized and unapproved visitors could have a detrimental effect on our ability to stay open - the signs are just a reminder of the importance of checking in at the office.

As we settle in to the school year, our teachers will be contacting the parents of K-8 students to schedule the first parent/teacher conferences of the year. Grades K-4 conferences will be in September and grades 5-8 conferences will be in October.

Again, thank you all for your cooperation and support. It's going to be a great year at Burnt River School!

Lou Lyon

Superintendent

Burnt River School District

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Burnt River Preschool

The preschoolers (all boys) started the week getting familiar with the rules and then diving right into their work. It didn't take long to get into a routine with snack and recess being the favorite things to do so far. We have some goals to meet that will keep us busy during the school year to prepare the 4 year olds for kindergarten.

We would like to thank Mike and Connie (Bradford) Leschin for their very generous monetary donation to the preschool. It will come in handy for purchasing some more educational learning games, class room supplies, books, and craft supplies. Mike and Connie, your gift is very much appreciated.

Submitted by:
Patty Trost

Burnt River School District is an equal opportunity provider. All lunches are served with a choice of: Milk, Fruit, Vegetables, and Grains.

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Sept 07-11	Holiday No School	Soft Wheat Pretzels Pizza	Cereal Grilled Chicken Sandwich	French Toast Sticks Tacos	Breakfast Burritos Hamburger Gravy
Sept 14-17	Pancakes Popcorn Chicken	Bacon & Eggs Corn Dogs	English Muffin Sandwich Chicken Patty Sandwich	Biscuits & Gravy Burritos	
Sept 21-24	Bagels Lasagna	Breakfast on a stick Hamburgers	Ham, Egg & Cheese Breakfast Chicken Nuggets	Long Johns Hot Dogs	
Sept 28-30	Soft Wheat Pretzels Quesadillas	Cereal Pizza Sticks	French Toast Sticks Grilled Chicken Sandwich		