

# BELMONT COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT



## NEWSLETTER

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### April 2023

In accordance with Title IX of the Educational Amendments of 1972, Section 504 of the Vocational Rehabilitation Act of 1973, and Title VI and VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Belmont Community School District does not Discriminate on the basis of handicap, sex, race, color, religion, or national origin in their educational programs, activities, admission procedures, or employment practices.

**BELMONT COMMUNITY SCHOOL  
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING MINUTES**

Regular Monthly Board Meeting  
February 20, 2023 - 7:00 PM

Board Members Present: Vaughn Mester, Jamie Heinrichs, Laura Bahr, BJ Galle,  
Peter Bonin, Kim Schmelz, and Lauren Runde

Absent: None

Administration Present: District Administrator Beau Buchs  
Principal Dana Bendorf  
Director of Student Services Denise Brania  
Dean of Students Jeff Crase

In-person Attendees: 0

Virtual Attendees: 5

**I. CALL TO ORDER**

**A. Pledge of Allegiance**

\*Contemplated closed session per sec. 19.85(1)(c), Wis. Stats., to discuss personnel.

**II. COMMUNICATION AND PUBLIC COMMENTS**

**A. Public Comments**

No comments

**III. REPORTS**

**A. School Board**

Lauren reported about the State Education Convention. She thought it was great to be able to network with other school districts.

**B. School Board Committees**

Kim stated that our CESA 3 was recognized for having the most students involved K-12 in all of North America.

**C. Student Services**

Mrs. Brania prepared a written report. She added that she had the opportunity to take students to CESA3 for a leadership day and Math24.

**D. Principal**

Mrs. Bendorf prepared a written report. She added that our conference will be having a math competition.

**E. Superintendent**

Mr. Buchs prepared a written report. He would like to thank the Sports Booster Club for the padding on the backstop and bleachers by the baseball field. He also updated the board on the referendum session he attended at the State Education Convention. He also stated that Lafayette County Health Services will not be renewing their school contracts.

**IV. ACTION ITEMS**

**A. Approval of Consent Agenda**

Kim/Lauren motion and second to approve the consent agenda as presented. Carried 7-0

**B. Personnel Transactions**

Appointments:

1. Laura Wilberding – HS Spanish Teacher

Resignations:

1. Traci Austin - Custodian

Retirements:

1. Bob Crego – HS Math Teacher (effective at the end of his contract)

- BJ/Laura motion and second to approve the personnel transactions listed on the February 20, 2023 Personnel Transaction Sheet. Carried 7-0
- C. Approval of 2023-2024 and 2024-2025 Administrative Contracts being extended for Jeff Crase, Denise Brania, Dana Bendorf, & Beau Buchs  
Lauren/Vaughn motion and second to approve extending the Administrative Contracts for Jeff Crase, Denise Brania, Dana Bendorf, and Beau Buchs for the 2023-2024 and 2024-2025 School Years. Carried 7-0
- D. Approval of Purchasing a School Bus  
Mr. Buchs has been searching for good options to replace the bus that was totaled.  
Pete/Vaughn motion and second to approve the purchase of a 2023 Bluebird Bus as presented.  
Carried 7-0
- E. Approval of Lawn Care Bid for 2023  
Mr. Buchs received seven bids for lawn care.  
BJ/Jamie motion and second to approve the bid from Hodgson Lawn Care as presented. Carried 7-0
- F. Approval of Gymnastics Coop as Platteville-Belmont-Lancaster for the 2023-24 & 2024-25 School Years  
The gymnastics Coop can only be approved for one year at a time.  
Vaughn/Laura motion and second to approve the Girls Gymnastics Cooperative with Platteville for the 2023-2024 School Year. Carried 7-0

## V. DISCUSSION ITEMS

- A. AGR Report – Dana Bendorf & Denise Brania  
Mrs. Bendorf stated that she is seeing a lot of improvement in students, which is usually hard to see in the winter months. Mr. Buchs stated that he commends our staff for all of their work they have been doing for the students. Pete asked if we were able to get a snapshot of the past three years of data to see any trends? Mrs. Brania stated that there isn't an easy way to gather the data. Laura asked if a person would have to add the data to the Educator program. Kim asked Mrs. Bendorf to walk through the strategy. Mrs. Bendorf stated that our main strategy is small classroom sizes. To keep our class sizes under 18 to maintain the grant.
- B. 2023-2024 School Budget Update  
Mr. Buchs gave a snapshot of what he knows about the budget. He gave an update on what Governor Evers proposes for the budget. Pete asked if Mr. Buchs was expecting a fund10 deficit this year. Mr. Buchs stated that Fund10 is the biggest wildcard. Jamie asked if we could get the percent of budget back on the financial paperwork. Kim stated that it would be great for people to reach out to our senator about the budget.

## VI. PUBLIC COMMENTS

No Comments

## VII. ADJOURN

BJ/Pete motion and second to adjourn at 7:56. Carried 7-0

PUBLIC NOTICE OF MEETING OF CANVASSING BOARD

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the public and to the news media pursuant to S.19.84, Wis. Stats., that a meeting of the Canvassing Board of Belmont Community School District will be held on Thursday, the 6th of April, 2023, commencing at 8 o'clock A.M. at the school district office.

The following matter will be handled at this meeting:

Canvassing the Returns from the School District Election for School Board members.

Dated: January 5, 2023

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Laura R. Bahr". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "L" and "B".

Laura Bahr  
Belmont District Clerk  
Belmont Community School District

NOTICE OF REGULAR ELECTION

SCHOOL BOARD ELECTION  
Belmont Community School District

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the Belmont Community School District, Village of Belmont, Towns of Belmont, Elk Grove, Kendall and Seymour, Lafayette County, Wisconsin, that on Tuesday, April 4, 2023, an election of school board members will be held. Candidates for the school board are as follows:

CANDIDATES	VOTE FOR THREE
Vaughn Mester	_____
BJ Galle	_____
Kim Schmelz	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Electors will vote in their regular polling places. Polls will be open at 7:00 a.m. and close at 8:00 p.m.



Laura Bahr  
School District Clerk

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Qualified electors are to vote in the polling place of their residency

Village of Belmont  
Town of Belmont  
Town of Elk Grove  
Town of Kendall  
Town of Seymour

Community Building – 222 S Mound Ave  
Town Hall – 204 W Commerce St., Belmont  
Town Hall – County Highway X  
Town Hall – County Highway O  
Town Hall – County Highway O

# Pop Tabs!



**Please help the Belmont 3rd Graders continue to collect pop tabs in order to help the Ronald McDonald House Charity!**

**We need your help to reach 1 million tabs collected!**

**All pop tab collections can be sent with elementary students or dropped off at the school office.**

**Thank you for your help!**

**The Belmont 3rd Graders**

BHS - 2022/23

ATTENTION

YEARBOOK  
SALE

ORDER  
YOURS NOW!

Help us out!

ANY PHOTOS YOU'D LIKE TO SEE IN THIS YEARS  
YEARBOOK, SEND THEM IN!  
YOU CAN UPLOAD THROUGH THE 'YEARBOOK SNAP'  
APP OR EMAIL THEM TO  
MRS.KLETECKA OR MACY REUTER!!

THANK YOU!!

-Your 22-23 Yearbook Members



# BELMONT 3 YEAR OLD CHILD DEVELOPMENT DAY



## **WHO**

Any child turning 3 years old on or before September 1, 2023

## **WHEN**

March 30th, 2023  
9:00 am- 10:30 am

## **WHERE**

Belmont Elementary  
School 3K classroom

## **CONTACT US**

 608-762-5131

 [WWW.BELMONT.K12.WI.US](http://WWW.BELMONT.K12.WI.US)

 [BRANIAD@BELMONT.K12.WI.US](mailto:BRANIAD@BELMONT.K12.WI.US)

## **WHAT WE DO**

Your child will enjoy story time, play time, activities and a snack. This gives time for teachers to observe overall child development.

## **NEXT STEPS**

If your child is eligible, call number provided to sign up. Once signed up, you will receive a questionnaire via mail prior to March 30th. Please fill out and bring to Child Development Day. You are welcome to leave and come back or stay and enjoy coffee in our breakroom while your child plays!



# 2023-2024 Full-Time Open Enrollment Regular Application Period for Wisconsin Public Schools

## INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

### YOU MAY APPLY FOR OPEN ENROLLMENT FROM FEBRUARY 6 – APRIL 28, 2023.

#### What is Public School Open Enrollment?

Wisconsin's public school open enrollment program allows parents to apply for their children to attend a school district other than the one in which they live. Applications may be submitted to up to three nonresident school districts if the pupil wishes to attend a brick and mortar school. There are no limitations to the number of open enrollment applications that can be submitted to a virtual charter school.

#### How and when may parents apply?

The open enrollment regular application period for the 2023-24 school year is from February 6-April 28, 2023. The application period closes at 4:00 p.m. on April 28, 2023. Late applications will not be accepted for any reason.

Parents may apply online at <https://dpi.wi.gov/oe>.

#### Can I apply to a virtual charter school under open enrollment?

A pupil may only open enroll to an online/virtual school if: (1) the school has been created as a virtual charter school that meets the requirements of the charter school law [Wis. Stats. 118.40 (8)] or (2) the pupil is required to physically attend school on a regular basis in a school located in the nonresident school district on the days that school is in session. Other important things to know about applying to virtual charter schools:

- A virtual charter school is not homeschooling. Pupils attending virtual charter schools are public school pupils.
- You must know the nonresident school district in which the virtual charter school is located.
- You must know your resident school district to apply.
- A list of virtual charter schools may be found at <https://dpi.wi.gov/parental-education-options/charter-schools/virtual-charter-schools>.

#### Can parents appeal if an application is denied?

Parents whose applications are denied may appeal to the DPI within 30 days of the denial. State law requires the DPI to uphold the school district's decision unless DPI finds that the decision was arbitrary or unreasonable. The DPI's decision may be appealed to circuit court.

#### Who may participate in open enrollment?

Pupils in kindergarten to grade 12 may apply to participate in open enrollment.

Open enrollment for prekindergarten, four-year-old kindergarten and early childhood education is limited. Parents should call their resident school districts to find out if their preschool-aged children qualify for open enrollment.

#### Can an application be rejected?

Nonresident school districts may deny an application if regular or special education space is not available for the pupil; special education or related services are not available; or if the pupil has been referred for a special education evaluation but has not yet been evaluated. Nonresident school districts may also deny an application if the pupil has been expelled during the current or preceding two years for certain violent conduct or if the pupil was habitually truant from the nonresident school district during any semester in the current or previous school year.

If there are more applications than spaces, pupils must be selected randomly, after giving preference to pupils already attending school in the nonresident school district and siblings of currently-attending pupils.

Some school districts establish waiting lists to fill unused spaces, but others do not.

#### Can a resident district prevent a pupil from leaving?

A resident district can deny a pupil's application for an invalid application (early or late application or missing information), ineligibility due to age (too young or too old), or if the resident district does not offer the same type of prekindergarten, four-year-old kindergarten, or early childhood program as the nonresident district or the pupil is not eligible for the program in the resident district. These are also reasons that a nonresident district can deny an application.

#### Must pupils reapply every year?

Once a pupil is accepted into a nonresident school district, the pupil may continue to attend that district without reapplication except that:

- The nonresident district may require a pupil to reapply one time—at the beginning of middle school, junior high or high school.
- A pupil may be returned to the resident school district if the special education required in a new or revised IEP is not available in the nonresident district or there is no space.
- A pupil who has become habitually truant in the nonresident district may be returned to the resident district.

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### **Is there a cost for parents to participate in the open enrollment program?**

There is no tuition cost to parents for participation in open enrollment. Parents of open enrolled pupils may be charged the same fees as resident pupils.

### **Who is responsible for transportation?**

Parents are responsible for transporting their children to and from school.

If transportation is required in the IEP for a child with a disability, it must be provided by the nonresident district.

School districts may provide transportation to open enrollment pupils if they wish. Usually, if transportation is provided, parents must transport the pupil to a location in the nonresident district.

Low-income parents may apply to the DPI at the end of the school year for partial reimbursement of their transportation costs.



### **Can a parent select a specific school in the pupil's nonresident school district?**

Yes. A parent may request a specific school or program in the nonresident district. However, assignment to the requested school or program is not guaranteed and your pupil may be assigned to a different school other than the one requested. It is up to each nonresident district to determine a pupil's school assignment.

### **Can an open enrolled pupil participate in sports and other extra-curricular activities in the nonresident school district?**

Open enrolled pupils have the same rights and responsibilities as resident pupils.

Inter-scholastic athletics are governed by the Wisconsin Interscholastic Athletic Association (WIAA), which has rules concerning transfer pupils. Parents should check with the school district's athletic director about eligibility.

## **IMPORTANT OPEN ENROLLMENT DATES**

### **February 6 – April 28, 2023**

Parents must submit applications online or directly to the nonresident school district.

### **June 9, 2023**

Nonresident school districts must send notices of approval or denial via US mail or email. If the application is approved, the school district must notify the parents of the specific school or program to which the pupil is assigned. If the application is denied, parents have 30 days to file an appeal.

### **June 16, 2023**

Resident districts must notify applicants if the application is denied. If the application is denied, parents have 30 days to file an appeal.

### **June 30, 2023**

Parents of accepted applicants must notify the nonresident district if the pupil will attend the nonresident district in the 2023-24 school year. If the parent fails to make this notification, the nonresident district may refuse to allow the pupil to attend the district.



For more information contact:  
Public School Open Enrollment Program  
Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction  
P.O. Box 7841, Madison, WI 53707-7841  
Toll-free: 888-245-2732, option 2  
[openenrollment@dpi.wi.gov](mailto:openenrollment@dpi.wi.gov)  
<https://dpi.wi.gov/oe>

2023-24

The Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction does not discriminate on the basis of sex, race, color, religion, creed, age, national origin, ancestry, pregnancy, marital status or parental status, sexual orientation, or disability and provides equal access to the Boy Scouts of America and other designated youth groups.

# Adding Absence Requests in Skyward Family Access

If your student is staying home from school, you can create an absence request in Skyward Family Access the morning of the absence. If you know your student will not be in school on a future date (ex. family vacation), you can create an absence request for a future date as well. Below are the steps in creating an absence request. You can also view a tutorial at: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oyASUI9wNsU>

1. Sign into Skyward Family Access using your assigned username and password.  
You will see the Family Access tile screen, where you can view tiles for all your students.
2. Select the Attendance tile  
You can select a tile under a specific child's name or under the View All Students heading. If you wish to view a different child's information, you can do so by selecting that child's name at the top left of the screen.
3. Select the Absence Requests tab near the top of the screen on the left.
4. Under the Year-to-Date Absence Request heading, click Add Absence Request near the right of the screen.
5. The Add Absence Request Screen will appear. Complete the appropriate fields.
  - a. Verify the Start Date or enter the correct date if necessary.
  - b. Verify the End Date or enter the correct date if necessary.
  - c. Uncheck the box for All Day if appropriate  
If you left the box checked, skip to sub-step f  
If you unchecked the box, the Start Time and End Time fields display. Continue to sub-step d.
  - d. Enter the Start Time or click the Clock icon to enter the time.
  - e. Enter the End Time or click the Clock icon to enter the time.
  - f. Enter an Attendance Reason or click the Down Arrow icon to choose the reason.  
The only reason that is available to select is Parent Request. Select Parent Request.
  - g. Enter a Comment  
For example, if you wish to indicate that this request is due to vacation, you could enter Family Vacation.
6. Click Save near the top left of the screen to save your work.  
You will return to the Absence Request tab of the Student Attendance Screen. You can make modifications to the absence request using the Edit option if necessary. If the absence request is no longer needed, you can click Delete. Both options are located to the left of each absence request you enter.

Once the attendance request has been processed administratively, the Edit and Delete options are no longer displayed. You may also see a comment from the school in the School Comment column.

If you have any questions, please contact Samantha Gempler at [gemplers@belmont.k12.wi.us](mailto:gemplers@belmont.k12.wi.us)

# Agregar solicitudes de ausencia en Skyward Family Access

Si su estudiante se queda en casa de la escuela, puede crear una solicitud de ausencia en Skyward Family Access la mañana de la ausencia. Si sabe que su estudiante no estará en la escuela en una fecha futura (por ejemplo, vacaciones familiares), también puede crear una solicitud de ausencia para una fecha futura. A continuación se muestran los pasos para crear una solicitud de ausencia. También puede ver un tutorial en: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oyASUI9wNsU>

1. Inicie sesión en Skyward Family Access con su nombre de usuario y contraseña asignados. Verá la pantalla de mosaico de Family Access, donde puede ver los mosaicos de todos sus estudiantes.
2. Seleccione el icono Asistencia  
Puede seleccionar un icono bajo el nombre de un niño específico o en el encabezado Ver todos los estudiantes. Si desea ver la información de un niño diferente, puede hacerlo seleccionando el nombre de ese niño en la parte superior izquierda de la pantalla.
3. Seleccione la pestaña Solicitudes de ausencia cerca de la parte superior de la pantalla a la izquierda.
4. En el encabezado Solicitud de ausencia del año hasta la fecha, haga clic en Agregar solicitud de ausencia cerca de la derecha de la pantalla.
5. Aparecerá la pantalla Agregar solicitud de ausencia. Complete los campos correspondientes.
  - a. Verifique la fecha de inicio o ingrese la fecha correcta si es necesario.
  - b. Verifique la fecha de finalización o ingrese la fecha correcta si es necesario.
  - c. Desmarque la casilla de Todo el día si es apropiado  
Si ha dejado marcada la casilla, vaya al subpaso f  
Si desmarca la casilla, se mostrarán los campos Hora de inicio y Hora de finalización.  
Continúe con el subpaso d.
  - d. Introduzca la hora de inicio o haga clic en el icono Reloj para introducir la hora.
  - e. Introduzca la hora de finalización o haga clic en el icono Reloj para introducir la hora.
  - f. Introduzca un motivo de asistencia o haga clic en el icono de flecha hacia abajo para elegir el motivo.  
La única razón que está disponible para seleccionar es solicitud de padre. Seleccione Solicitud principal.
  - g. Introducir un comentario  
Por ejemplo, si desea indicar que esta solicitud se debe a vacaciones, puede ingresar Vacaciones familiares.
6. Haga clic en Guardar cerca de la parte superior izquierda de la pantalla para guardar su trabajo. Volverá a la pestaña Solicitud de ausencia de la pantalla de asistencia del estudiante. Puede realizar modificaciones en la solicitud de ausencia utilizando la opción Editar si es necesario. Si la solicitud de ausencia ya no es necesaria, puede hacer clic en Eliminar. Ambas opciones se encuentran a la izquierda de cada solicitud de ausencia que introduzca.  
Una vez que la solicitud de asistencia se ha procesado administrativamente, las opciones Editar y Eliminar ya no se muestran. También puede ver un comentario de la escuela en la columna Comentario de la escuela.

Si tiene alguna pregunta, póngase en contacto con Samantha Gempler en [gemplers@belmont.k12.wi.us](mailto:gemplers@belmont.k12.wi.us)





Race between  
Lafayette County's  
tallest points:

**Platte Mounds  
to  
Belmont Mound**



**Saturday**  
**April 22, 2023**  
9 a.m. Registration  
10 a.m. Race Start

Parking at Belmont Mound State Park  
18650 Cty. Hwy. G, Belmont, WI

Shuttles to Platte Mound at  
9:15 a.m. / 9:30 a.m. / 9:45 a.m.

Event held rain or shine.

**\$40 Registration Fee**

*Includes shirt for those registered by April 1, 2023*

Register online at  
**WEB LINK HERE**

PRESENTED BY  
**FRIENDS**  
OF THE  
**BELMONT MOUND  
STATE PARK**

# HELP WANTED!!

## ***BELMONT COMMUNITY FAIR CLERK***

### **Belmont Fair Clerk**

- Approximately 200-250 hrs/yr.
- Majority of work can be completed at home.
- Computer and printer will be provided.
- Yearly salary will be discussed with the right candidate

### **Position Purpose**

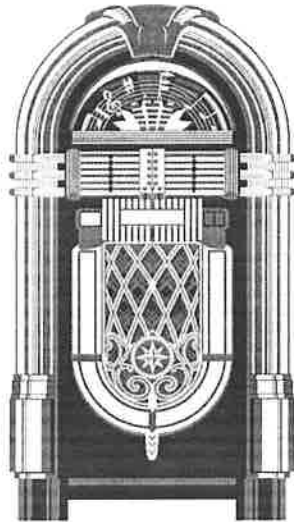
- Perform Associated Secretarial duties as well as assist the Fair Committee in Managing General Operations for a successful fair.

### **Required Qualifications**

- Proficient in Microsoft word and Excel
- Excellent problem solving/Judgment skills
- High level of attention to detail and accuracy
- Strong organizational skills and ability to work under pressure
- Ability to prioritize and handle multiple tasks

**Please email resumes and any questions to  
[belmontschoolfair@gmail.com](mailto:belmontschoolfair@gmail.com)**

The Belmont Music Department Presents Our Amazing Annual



## **Cabaret!**

Sunday, April 2nd, 2023

1:00pm

Belmont Elementary Gymnasium

Featuring:

High School & Junior High Jazz Bands

High School & Junior High Choirs

High School Guitar Ensemble

5th Grade Band

Other musical events featuring our Belmont students & community

Ticket Prices:

Adults: \$4.00

Students: \$2.00

Children 5 & under are free

Stop in for some dining, entertainment, & our annual dessert auction!



## Music News!

Here are some upcoming events in the music department! Please mark your calendars:

**March 25th-** We will be using some of our leftover pie crusts from the pasty fundraiser to make some fruit turnovers! We will be making them in the cafeteria the morning of March 25th from 8:00am-11:00am. We are hoping to sell a bunch at Cabaret for \$4 each, and even sell them as a concessions item with a scoop of ice cream! Please come help us make them, any help is very much appreciated!

**April 1st-** Our High School Solo & Ensemble Festival will be at Platteville High School on April 1st all day this year. Come out and support your musicians, all performances are free to the public. A performance schedule will be given to us closer to the date.

**April 2nd-** Join us for another amazing Cabaret at 1:00pm, our favorite event of the year! Admissions will be \$4 for adults, \$2 for students, children 5 and under are free. We have multiple groups and soloists performing, as well as our annual dessert auction! We are asking each family with a child in band or choir to please provide one dessert from your family towards the auction. Please label it with your name and what it is. Also, if you are interested in taking tickets at the door or working in the kitchen for an hour, please let Mr. Lehnherr or Mrs. Edge know. We would REALLY appreciate any help! THANK YOU!

**April 3rd-** The high school band and choir students will be taking their field trip to the Overture Center in Madison to see the Yamato Drummers of Japan and have a pizza lunch. We are asking each student to please pay \$5 for their ticket; Music Boosters will pay for the other half of their ticket, as well as lunch. We will be back by the end of the school day.

**April 21st-** The middle school band and choir students will be taking their field trip to the Kohl Center in Madison to watch a performance of the UW Varsity Band. We will leave at 5:30pm and get home closer to 10:30pm that evening. We are asking each student to please pay \$5 for their ticket; Music Boosters will pay for the other half of their ticket, as well as a sack snack for each student on the way home. Please eat supper before the trip!

**April 26th-** Our Fine Arts Concert will be at 7:00pm in the elementary gym featuring our middle school and high school bands, choirs, and guitar ensemble.

**April 29th-** State Solo & Ensemble will be at UW-Platteville for any students who advance on to State from Solo & Ensemble on April 1st.

**May 3rd-** Large Group Contest will be at River Ridge Schools in the afternoon. We will be taking our middle school and high school bands and choirs. We will receive a performance schedule closer to the date. That will determine what time we will arrive home.

## Belmont Public Library's Newsletter March 2023

**Library Hours: Mon. 11:30 am - 5:00 pm, Wed. 8:30 am - Noon, 12:30 pm - 6:00 pm,**

**Fri. 11:30 am - 5:00 pm**

<https://swls.agverso.com/dashboard?cid=SWLS&lid=BELMO> to reserve Belmont Public Library's and the other member libraries' items in the online catalog using your library card or call the library 1-608-762-5137

### **Added Items**

#### **Adult Fiction**

It Starts With Us / Colleen Hoover

#### **Juvenile Fiction**

Knight Owl / Denise Christopher

**"Euchre at the Library"** the first Friday of each month, 1pm-. Come join the fun.

**UW-Platteville's Green Lizard Science presented Eye Spy: Exploring Vision on March 8, 2023.**

**Watch for information on Green Lizard's next presentation in April and the 2nd Wednesday of each month at the library 5pm-6pm.** Don't miss these interesting presentations and fun activities

**No school library fun day, Friday March 17th  
anytime between 12:30pm-3:30pm**

Grab a friend! Something to do for all ages, art activities, games, coloring sheets, computers and books. Refreshments and select a fidget just for attending 😊

### **Storytime at the library**

March 29th, 10:30am

Story & activities

**February Visits: 70**

**Checkouts: 45**



**Belmont Friends of FFA**

**Please attend our Annual Auction**

**Sunday, March 26th**

**Starts at 12noon**

**at the Belmont High School Commons**

**All the proceeds from this auction go to support our Ag Youth**

FFA Scholarships	FFA judging & speaking contests
Leadership conferences	Greenhouse Management
State & National FFA Conventions	Community Service projects
Belmont Fair	County & State Fairs
Agvocacy in Belmont Schools	Youth Apprentice Program

**Labor Auction**

**Large Variety of Sale Items**

**Complete listing available in the Shopping News and on our Facebook page**

You're invited to Breakfast with the  
**Easter Bunny**



Please join the Belmont Lions Club and Student Council for a fun morning of crafts and activities! Each child will receive a goodie bag and have their name entered into a drawing for prizes!

Saturday, April 8th  
9am-11am

Belmont Elementary Gym



**Save The Date!**  
**1st - 6th Grade Bike Rodeo**  
**Friday, May 19th**  
**(Rain Date Tuesday, May 30th)**

**Students will be learning bike safety!**

**BIKE DROP OFF will be in the grass area by the school sign before school starts. Please leave your child's bike in front of the grade level sign your child is in. Please DO NOT park your bikes in the regular bike rack.**

**All students will need to wear HELMETS!**

**All bikes should be picked up by the end of the school day.**



# Belmont Sports Booster SCRIP Order Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

The Belmont Sports Booster is selling SCRIP in the High School office. When you purchase gift certificates through the SCRIP program, you are helping support your Belmont Brave athletes and their programs.

Our goal is to make it easy for you. Listed below are the gift certificates that we currently have on hand. In addition, we will be making orders on a monthly basis. All you need to do is complete this form and return it to the High School office by the date listed below. When the orders are in, we will give you a call.

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|--------------------|-------------------------|
| Bath & Body Works  | Menards                 |
| Mobil/Exxon        | First Capital Mini Mart |
| Buffalo Wild Wings | Papa Murphy's           |
| Dairy Queen        | Pizza Hut               |
| Dominio's          | Subway                  |
| Dunkin Donuts      | Taco Bell               |
| Target             | Texas Roadhouse         |
| Kohls              | Wal-Mart                |
| Kwik Trip          | Amazon.com              |
| Maurices           | State Theatres          |
| My Turn Pub        |                         |

Thank you for using SCRIP and for supporting your Belmont Sports Boosters and athletes. It is greatly appreciated!

**ORDERS DUE BY: April 25th**

Retailer	Profit	Denom.	Qty	Total
<b>RESTAURANTS</b>				
Applebees	8%	\$25/50		
Arby's	8%	\$10		
Buffalo Wild Wings	8%	\$10/25		
Burger King	4%	\$10		
Carbou Coffee	6%	\$10		
Cheesecake Factory	5%	\$25		
Chili's	11%	\$25/50		
Chipotle Mexican Grill	10%	\$10/25		
Cold Stone Creamery	11%	\$10		
Dairy Queen	3%	\$10		
Dominio's Pizza	8%	\$10/25		
Dunkin' Donuts	3%	\$10/25		
Fazoli's	9%	\$25		
IHOP	8%	\$10/25		
My Turn Pub	10%	\$25		
Noodles & Company	8%	\$10		
Olive Garden/Red Lobster	8%	\$25		
Outback Steakhouse	16%	\$25/50		
Panera Bread	8%	\$10/25		
PAPA Murphy's	8%	\$10		
Pizza Hut	8%	\$10		
Red Robin	8%	\$25		
Starbucks	7%	\$10/25		
Subway	6%	\$10 / 50		
Taco Bell	5%	\$10		
Texas Roadhouse	8%	\$25		
Wendy's	6.5%	\$10		
<b>TOTAL PG 1</b>				

Retailer	Profit	Denom.	Qty	Total	Retailer	Profit	Denom.	Qty	Total
<b>GAS/SERVICES</b>									
BP Gas	1.5%	\$50/100/250			Marshall's	7%	\$25/100		
First Capital Mini Mart	10%	\$10/25			Maurices	7%	\$20		
Kwik Trip/Kwik Star	4%	\$25/50/100			Menards	3%	\$25/100/500		
Mobil/Exxon	1.5%	\$50/250			Michael's	4%	\$25		
<b>RETAIL/DEPARMENT STORES</b>									
Ace Hardware	4%	\$25/100			Old Navy	14%	\$25/100		
Advance Auto Parts	7%	\$25			Petsmart	5%	\$25		
Amazon.com	2.25%	\$25/100			Piggly Wiggly	3%	\$25/50/100		
American Eagle Outfitters	10%	\$25			Pottery Barn	8%	\$25/100		
Bass Pro Shop	10%	\$25/100			Shoe Carnival	5%	\$25		
Bath and Body Works	12%	\$10/25			Shutterfly	11.75%	\$25		
Bed Bath and Beyond	7%	\$25/100			Staples	5%	\$25/100		
Best Buy	4%	\$25/100/250			Target	2.5%	\$25/50/100		
Buckle	8%	\$25			TJ Maxx	7%	\$25/100		
Build-A-Bear Workshop	8%	\$25			Ulta	4%	\$25		
Burlington Coat Factory	8%	\$25			Under Armour	11%	\$25		
Cabela's	10%	\$25 / 100			Walgreens	5%	\$25 / 100		
Carter's	10%	\$25			Wal-Mart / Sam's Club	2.5%	\$25/100/250		
Champs	8%	\$25			<b>BOOKS/MUSIC/ENTERTAINMENT</b>				
Children's Place	12%	\$25			Barnes & Noble	8%	\$10/25/100		
Claire's	9%	\$10			iTunes	5%	\$15/25		
Columbia Sportswear	12%	\$50			GameStop	3%	\$25		
Dick's Sporting Goods	8%	\$25/100			Millennium Theatre	10%	\$20		
Famous Footwear	8%	\$25			<b>Total Page 2</b>				
Finish Line	10%	\$25							
Foot Locker	8%	\$25							
Gap/Old Navy/Banana Republic	14%	\$25/100							
Gordman's	8%	\$25							
Gymboree	12%	\$25							
Hallmark	4%	\$25							
JC Penney	5%	\$25/100							
Jo Ann Fabrics	6%	\$25							
Kohl's **	4%	\$25/100							
Land's End	15%	\$25 / 100							
Macy's	10%	\$25/100							

**Make Checks Payable To: Belmont Sports Boosters**

Total Due all pages \$ \_\_\_\_\_





# April 2023 Lunch Menu

Substitutes available daily include ham or turkey sandwich, salad or peanut butter sandwich.

Veggie bar, 1% white or FF chocolate milk served daily. Menus subject to change.

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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<p>3 Walking Taco Doritos Fruit Milk</p>	<p>4 Cheeseburger French Fries Fruit Milk</p>	<p>5 Chicken Alfredo or Marinara WG Rotini Green Beans Fruit Milk</p>	<p>6 <b>EARLY RELEASE Dog Day</b> Hot Dog, Brat or Cheddarwurst Chips Baked Beans Fruit Milk</p>	<p>7 <b>NO SCHOOL</b></p> 
<p>10 <b>NO SCHOOL</b></p> 	<p>11 Stuffed Crust Pizza Side Salad Fruit Milk</p>	<p>12 WG Spaghetti Meat Sauce Green Beans Fruit Milk</p>	<p>13 Chicken Nuggets Mashed Potato/Gravy Corn Fruit Milk</p>	<p>14 Nachos Taco Meat Cheese Sauce Refried Beans Fruit Milk</p>
<p>17 Pizza Crunchers Marinara Sauce Corn Fruit Milk</p>	<p>18 Goulash Green Beans Garlic Breadstick Fruit Milk</p>	<p>19 Chicken Patty on WG Bun Chips Fruit Milk</p>	<p>20 Scalloped Potatoes and Ham Cinnamon Rolls Fruit Milk</p>	<p>21 Corn Dogs Macaroni Salad Baked Beans Fruit Milk</p>
<p>24 Cheeseburger French Fries Fruit Milk</p>	<p>25 Chicken Fajita Wrap Coleslaw Chips Fruit Milk</p>	<p>26 BBQ sandwich or Uncrustable Macaroni &amp; Cheese Baked Beans Fruit Milk</p>	<p>27 French Toast Sticks Sausage Patty Hash Brown Cubes Juice Milk</p>	<p>28 Walking Taco Doritos Fruit Milk</p>

# April 2023 Breakfast Menu

1% white or FF Chocolate milk served daily. Menus subject to change.

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3 Muffin Tops Or Cereal and WG Snack	4 Breakfast Bagel or Biscuit OR Cereal and WG Snack	5 WG Donut OR Cereal and WG Snack	6 Breakfast Pizza OR Cereal and Yogurt	7 NO SCHOOL 
10 NO SCHOOL 	11 Breakfast Bagel or Biscuit OR Cereal and WG Snack	12 WG Donut OR Cereal and WG Snack	13 Breakfast Pizza OR Cereal and Yogurt	14 Waffles OR Cereal and WG Snack
17 Muffin Tops Or Cereal and WG Snack	18 Breakfast Bagel or Biscuit OR Cereal and WG Snack	19 WG Donut OR Cereal and WG Snack	20 Breakfast Pizza OR Cereal and Yogurt	21 WG Pretzel /w Cheese sauce Or Cereal and WG Snack
24 Muffin Tops Or Cereal and WG Snack	25 Breakfast Bagel or Biscuit OR Cereal and WG Snack	26 WG Donut OR Cereal and WG Snack	27 Breakfast Pizza OR Cereal and Yogurt	28 WG Pretzel /w Cheese sauce Or Cereal and WG Snack



# Belmont Community School District



## 2023-2024 School Calendar

### August 2023

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
		1	2	3	4	5
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### September 2023

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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### October 2023

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### November 2023

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### December 2023

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### January 2024

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### February 2024

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### March 2024

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### April 2024

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### May 2024

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### June 2024

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### July 2024

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
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No School

Early Release Day

TI Teacher Inservice (no school for students)

Parent-Teacher Conferences 1:30-7:00

○ First and Last Day of School

△ End of Quarter (1st, 2nd, 3rd)

August 1-23	Flexible Planning Day (staff picks their day)
Aug. 24th & 29th	Teacher Inservice 7:45-3:45
Aug. 28th	Teacher Inservice 11-5 / Open House 5-7 pm
Aug. 30th	First Day of School for students ○
Sept. 4th	Labor Day - No School
Sept. 10th	Belmont Fair - No School (Work Day)
Sept. 16th	Belmont School & Community Fair (Work Day)
Oct. 13th	Teacher Inservice - No School
Nov. 1st	End of 1st Quarter (43 days) △
Nov. 9th	Early Dismissal 1 pm / P-T Conf. 1:30-7:00 / No PM 4K
Nov. 10th	Teacher Inservice - No School
Nov. 22nd	Teacher Inservice 8:00-11:30 - No School
Nov. 23rd/24th	Thanksgiving Break - No School

Dec. 22nd-Jan 1st	Christmas Break - No School
Jan. 17th	End of 2nd Quarter (44 days) △
Jan. 19th	Teacher Inservice - No School
February 19th	Teacher Inservice - No School
March 18nd-22nd	Spring Break
March 28th	End of 3rd Quarter (44 days) △
March 29th	Good Friday - No School
April 16th	Early Dismissal 1 pm / P-T Conf. 1:30-7:00 / No PM 4K
April 19th	Teacher Inservice - No School
May 27th	Memorial Day - No School
May 30th	Last Day of School / 1 pm dismissal ○
May 31st	Teacher Inservice

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