

Thursday, October 12th, 2023

BROOKWOOD JR./SR. HIGH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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If you are interested in seeing the Brookwood Morning announcements, please go to our website, www.now.k12.wi.us, click on BHS Daily Announcements, or follow us on Facebook: [Norwalk-Ontario-Wilton School District](https://www.facebook.com/Norwalk-Ontario-Wilton-School-District).

School closings due to emergency conditions will be announced the following ways: Facebook, Email, Text, Voice Recording sent to families via SchoolMessenger; Announcements on the following radio & television stations: Radio-WCOW 97.1 FM, WBOG 94.5 FM, WVRO 102 FM; Television-WKBT La Crosse Channel 8, WXOW La Crosse Channel 19.

Lunch Menu for Oct. 16th - 20th

All lunches are served with the option of fresh vegetables, fresh fruit, salad and milk.

Monday	Walking Taco or Chicken Pasta Bake, Refried Beans
Tuesday	Spaghetti or Alfredo Sauce Over Noodles, Peas & Carrots, Garlic Bread
Wednesday	Sliced Ham or Loaded Baked Potato, Steamed Broccoli, Dinner Roll
Thursday	Meatballs & Gravy or Roast Turkey, Mashed Potatoes, Carrots, Dinner Roll
Friday	Hot Dog or Brat, Calico Beans, Chips, Happy Birthday Cake

Please make sure your students have money in their lunch account as we cannot provide free breakfast & lunch this year. Free & Reduced Meal Applications are available in the office. Payments can be sent to school with your student or online through Skyward.

~FRIENDLY REMINDER TO PAY CLASS DUES~

Money can be turned into the appropriate class advisor: Seniors to Ms. Holte, Juniors to Mrs. Sheehan, Sophomores to Mr. Da Prato, and Freshmen to Mr. Behrens.

Student of the Week!

Deagan H. is Brookwood Jr/Sr High's Student of the Week!

Deagan has been an active student and has a positive personality that others enjoy being around. Keep up the good work, Deagan!!

Upcoming Events

Friday, Oct. 13th	NO SCHOOL: Teacher In-Service
Friday, Oct. 27th	End of First Quarter
Nov. 20th & 21st	Parent/Teacher Conferences
Nov. 21st - Nov. 24th	NO SCHOOL: Fall Break

BROOKWOOD ATHLETICS

October 12th - 24th

Thursday, October 12

JH Volleyball hosts Triangular: 5:00 (Necedah & Royall)
Volleyball @ New Lisbon: JV 5:45; Varsity 7:00 (Charlie Neumann / BHS 4:30)
JH Football @ Necedah: 5:00 (Ryan Green / DISMISS 3:10; BHS 3:25)

Friday, October 13

Varsity Football @ Iowa Grant: 7:00 (Charlie Neumann / DISMISS 3:15; BHS 3:30)

Saturday, October 14

Conference Cross Country @ Cashton: 10:00 (Jim Kuderer / Norwalk 7:55; Wilton 8:05; Ontario 8:15)
8th Grade Volleyball @ DeSoto: 9:00 (Daniel Sheehan / Norwalk 6:40; Wilton 6:50; Ontario 7:00)

Tuesday, October 17

WIAA Regional Volleyball @ TBA: 7:00 (Driver TBA / BHS TBA)
JH Football @ Hillsboro: 5:00 (Mike Luethe / BHS 3:45)

Thursday, October 19

WIAA Regional Volleyball @ TBA: 7:00 (Driver TBA / BHS TBA)

Saturday, October 21

Sectional Cross Country @ Westby: Boys 11:15; Girls 12:30
(Jim Kuderer / Norwalk 8:25; Wilton 8:35; Ontario 8:45)
WIAA Regional Volleyball TBA: 7:00 (Driver TBA / Times TBA)

Monday, October 24

JH Boys Basketball Practice Begins: 3:30 (HS Gym)

ATHLETES OF THE MONTH

Cross Country	Football	Volleyball
Kai Pyykkenon Faith Bakken	Tim DeWitt (Defense) Brady Hansen (Offense)	Ellie Thieman Kinsley Holmquist

WINTER SPORTS REMINDERS!

The Winter sports seasons are approaching, which means we have a few reminders:

- 1) Students should make sure that they sign up when sign ups are announced.
- 2) Students who DID NOT participate in Fall athletics will need to make sure that all paperwork and other requirements are completed.
- 3) Questions can be directed to Mr. Clinton.

Artists of the Month!

The Brookwood High School Artists of the Month for September are **Emma Baldwin** for her shaded drawing, **Molly Hansen** for her visual pun (pancake) and **Skylar Hanson** for her monochromatic tempera of her horse.

IN OTHER NEWS:

- **HS Girls Basketball** sign-up sheet is in the HS Office. Deadline to sign-up is Friday, Oct. 20th.
- **Senior Reminders & Deadlines:** Graduation Cap & Gown orders with Jostens were due Sunday, Oct. 8th. Extra order packets are available in the HS Office (late fees will apply to orders placed after the deadline). Also, Senior Photos & Baby Photos for the yearbook are due by Friday, Oct. 27th. Please turn them into Mrs. Ferries or email to dferries@now.k12.wi.us. Lastly, Senior quotes need to be approved by Mrs. Ferries. Once she has all the approved quotes, Mrs. Ferries will send them to Mr. Abing.
- **High School Fall Fundraiser** started this week! We're selling Starla's Spices/Dips (same as last fall) and Guatemalan coffee. Order forms were handed out during Falcon Time on Oct. 4th to high school students (more order forms are available in the HS office). The money raised from the fundraiser will be distributed to the class accounts, Yearbook, and organizations such as band, choir, FCCLA, forensics, NHS, and Diversity Club. Top seller will receive \$50 and all that sell over 5 items get put in a drawing for \$50. Deadline is Oct. 18th.
- **Ottum Fundraiser:** We were able to raise \$1,024 for Mr. Ottum's mom, who was just diagnosed with cancer. Mr. Green offered to shave his beard if we raised \$500, so we held an assembly on Monday, where students got to witness Mr. Green uphold his end of the deal! Thank you to everyone who has contributed!
- **Unity Day** is Wednesday, Oct. 18th. Wear and share orange for kindness, acceptance & inclusion.
- **Reminder of class dues:** Seniors to Ms. Holte, Juniors to Mrs. Sheehan, Sophomores to Mr. Da Prato, and Freshmen to Mr. Behrens.
- **Pre-School Playgroup:** Open to children up to 4 years old. Join us Fridays from 10am-12pm for learning, fun & snacks!
- **License/Road Test:** As of January 1, 2024, drivers under the age of 18 will need to complete an in-person road test to obtain their Probationary license. Appointments for a road test can be scheduled 11 weeks in advance at wisconsindmv.gov/roadtest. Student drivers ages 16 and 17 who have completed their required driver education course, behind the wheel training, and 50 hours of supervised driving may still apply for the road test waiver through December 31, 2023.
- **Dental Sealants:** Will be offered at our school October 24th-26th. Please register at the link below ASAP if you are interested in them for your child. Anyone can participate and it comes at no cost to you! www.scenicbluffs.org/schoolsealants

<i>Community Libraries ></i>	Norwalk	Ontario	Wilton
Director's Name	Jesica Helgren	Rachel Connor	Kelly Upton
Phone Number	(608) 823-7473	(608) 337-4651	(608) 435-6710
Email Address	norwalkpl@wrlsweb.org	ontlibr@wrlsweb.org	wiltonlibrary@wrlsweb.org

FROM YOUR LOCAL LIBRARY:

- **Norwalk Public Library:** See our online calendar for a complete list of activities and programs.
<https://norwalklibrary.wrlsweb.org/calendar>
 - National Geographic Slingshot Challenge Science Competition. Teens aged 13-18 and parents should join Jesica for an information session. We will potentially form a team if there is enough interest. The competition awards prizes up to \$10,000. October 14th at 9:30 a.m.
 - Solar Eclipse Viewing. Attend a program to learn about solar eclipses at 11:00 a.m., do a quick craft (11:15 - for all ages), and get your solar glasses to watch the sky (11:45).
 - Wisconsin Science Festival. Stop in on October 16th at 5:00, October 18th at 4:30, and October 20th at 5:00 for a read-aloud science story and an art project to go with it.
 - October Story Time. Join Jana on October 25th for a fun read-aloud and take-and-go craft.
 - Film Screening. Exhumed! A History of Zombies. Grab a chair at 4:30 p.m. for this Halloween-themed documentary showing.
 - Tracy Chipman! Storyteller Tracy Chipman will treat us to a Halloween story on October 27th at 4:30 p.m. Great for all ages!
 - **Ongoing Activities:**
 - Legos at the Library meets on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of each month from 4:00 to 5:30. All ages are welcome. Young children must be supervised.
 - Family board game night is held the 1st Thursday of each month from 3:30-6:00. Bring a game to play or enjoy one we have at the library.
- **Ontario Public Library:**
 - Join us for Autumn Storytime at Ontario Public Library on Wednesdays at 11:00am for stories, crafts, and fun! Upcoming dates are October 18th; November 1st, 8th, and 15th.
 - Pick up an Ontario Library Halloween Coloring Contest coloring page and return your entry to the library by October 20th. Both kids (12 & under) and teen/adult (13+) sheets available!
 - The Big Book Sale in the Basement has been postponed until November due to Halloween fun planned at the library!
 - Make sure to stop by the library on Halloween to Trick or Treat and do other fun activities from 10am-6pm. From 3-6pm, the Haunted Basement Escape Room will be open for those who dare!
 - A new opportunity to play or learn chess is now available at Ontario Public Library on the first and third Tuesdays of each month, beginning at 4:00pm. All ages are welcome to come check it out!
 - The next Ontario Library Lego Club is scheduled for Tuesday, October 24th from 3:30-5:30. All ages are invited to come and build!
 - Halloween Movie with Officer Dave is scheduled for Friday, October 13 at 2:00pm. We will be showing the 80s adventure comedy classic "The Goonies" in the library basement theater. The movie and snacks provided are all free!