

Thursday, October 5th, 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. 9th - 13th

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

Monday	Pepperoni Calzone or Grilled Chicken Sandwich, Mozzarella Sticks, Baked Beans
Tuesday	Pizza Dipper or Chicken Fajitas, Curly Fries
Wednesday	Popcorn Chicken or Chicken Enchiladas, Spanish Rice, Corn, Fresh Fruit & Vegetables
Thursday	Bacon Cheeseburger Pizza or Macaroni & Cheese, Carrots, Caesar Salad
Friday	NO SCHOOL: Teacher In-Service

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.

~Congratulations & Thank You~

to everyone who made the 2023 Homecoming celebration a success!

**STUDENT
OF THE
WEEK!**

Mason Y. is Brookwood Jr/Sr High's Student of the Week!

Mason works hard in class. He is cooperative and respectful of others.

Mason comes to class with a great attitude. Keep up the good work!!

Upcoming Events

Thursday, Oct. 12th	Picture Retake Day
Friday, Oct. 13th	NO SCHOOL: Teacher In-Service
Nov. 20th & 21st	Parent/Teacher Conferences
Nov. 21st - Nov. 24th	NO SCHOOL: Fall Break

Thursday, October 5

Varsity Volleyball Duals @ Hillsboro: 5:00 (Rob Ross / BHS 3:45)

JH Football @ Royall: 5:00 (Lee Stenerson / BHS 3:40)

Friday, October 6

Varsity Football @ Necedah: 7:00 (Charlie Neumann / BHS 4:40)

Saturday, October 7

HS Cross Country @ Wisconsin Rapids: 10:00 (Rob Ross / Ontario 6:35; Norwalk 6:50; Wilton 7:00)

JH Cross Country @ Arcadia: 9:30 (Jim Kuderer / Ontario 6:30; Wilton 6:40; Norwalk 6:50)

Monday, October 9

JV Football @ Hillsboro: 5:00 (Kelly Wallace / BHS 3:45)

JV Volleyball @ Wonewoc Center: 5:00 (VANS / BHS 3:35)

JH Volleyball @ Bangor: 6:00 (Mike Luethe / BHS 4:45)

Tuesday, October 10

Volleyball @ Cashton: JV 5:45; Varsity 7:00 (Charlie Neumann / BHS 4:40)

JH Volleyball @ Wonewoc Center: 6:00 (Shel Hyatt / BHS 3:35)

JH Cross Country @ Necedah: 4:30 (Mike Luethe / DISMISS 2:30; BHS 2:45)

Thursday, October 12

JH Volleyball hosts Triangular (Necedah & Royall): 5:00

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)

ATHLETES OF THE MONTH

Cross Country

Kai Pyykkenon
Faith Bakken

Football

Tim DeWitt (Defense)
Brady Hansen (Offense)

Volleyball

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:

- **Senior Reminders & Deadlines:** Graduation Cap & Gown orders with Jostens are due Sunday, Oct. 8th. Extra order packets are available in the HS Office. Also, Senior Photos & Baby Photos for the yearbook are due by Friday, Oct. 27th. Please turn them into Mrs. Ferries. 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.
- **School Picture Retake Day** is Thursday, Oct. 12th. Order forms are available in the HS office to take home for students that need to take or retake their school pictures.
- **Ottum Fundraiser:** We will conclude the Ottum Fundraiser TOMORROW, Oct. 6th. Your fellow students have pulled together a monetary fundraiser for Mr. Ottum's mom, who was just diagnosed with cancer. The amount raised is currently just over \$900, which means that Mr. Green will be shaving his beard at some point in the near future! Thank you to everyone who has contributed! If you wish to donate, money can be brought to HS Office. (Checks made payable to Brookwood; include "Ottum Fundraiser" in the memo line.)
- **Unity Day** is Wednesday, Oct. 18th. Wear and share orange for kindness, acceptance & inclusion.
- **Battle of the Books:** Any high school student interested in learning about Battle of the Books are welcome to join the informational meeting on Monday, Oct. 9th. The meeting will be held at 2:30 in Mrs. Mayne's classroom. If you can't make the meeting make sure to stop in the LMC and talk with Mrs. Shell.
- **Junior High FFA:** JH students interested in being in FFA need to pay their \$15 dues to Mrs. Schmitz by October 12th!
- **Junior High Boys Basketball:** Any 7th - 8th grade boy planning to participate needs to sign up in the HS Office.
- **Safety Patrol:** The NOW Safety Patrol thanks everyone who helped support their recent fundraiser! You can expect delivery around September 28. THANKS TO ALL OF YOU!!
- **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!
- **Yearbooks for Sale:** The deadline to order your yearbooks is September 29th. Order forms are in the High School Office.
- **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

Community Libraries >	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:**
 - Photo Contest! If you love to snap a good pic, enter our monthly photo contest. The October theme is "Animals Caught Reading." See our Facebook events page for an example. Photos must be 5x7 and mounted on white 8x8 cardstock. Entries are due Oct. 7th.
 - 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 4th, 11th, and 18th; November 1st, 8th, and 15th.
 - The Ontario Library Book Group will meet to discuss "West with Giraffes" by Lynda Rutledge on Monday, October 9th at 2:00pm.
 - Don't forget to 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!
 - 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!
 - Day passes to Wisconsin state parks, forests, and recreation areas are still available for library card holders to check out at the Ontario Public Library. It's a gorgeous time of year to get outdoors and enjoy our beautiful state!
- Wilton Public Library:** Here are upcoming events... and all events are free!
 - Sept. 29th at 10:00 AM: Current Events Discussion Group