

Bauerwood Beacon

News from Bauerwood Elementary

We are already starting week 4 of the school year and our first full week of school! I have appreciated the opportunity to meet new families and students as well as welcome so many familiar faces back to the building. Your kids are amazing in their academic grit, compassion and desire to be together at school. Thank you for instilling great character traits in them. They are the reason we are here!



Bauerwood Family Network

We will have our first in person meeting this evening in the library at Bauerwood at 7:00. We will be providing a Google Meets link for those who would rather attend virtually. ALL parents are welcome to participate and vote at meetings. As a school community, we rely heavily on the support of the BFN for schoolwide activities, classroom materials and creative problem solving to benefit our students. Please consider becoming a vital part of our team!





Dates to Remember

Mark your calendars for a few fun events that are coming for the district:

September 17 Kindergarten Tailgate Event

October 1 Kid Cats Football Game

October 8 Homecoming Game and Parade



Student Drop-Off

Remember that student drop-off begins at 8:30 am. We do not have supervision before that time and want to be sure that our students are safe as they wait for the bell at 8:40 am. It is important that students are not arriving early and waiting unsupervised.



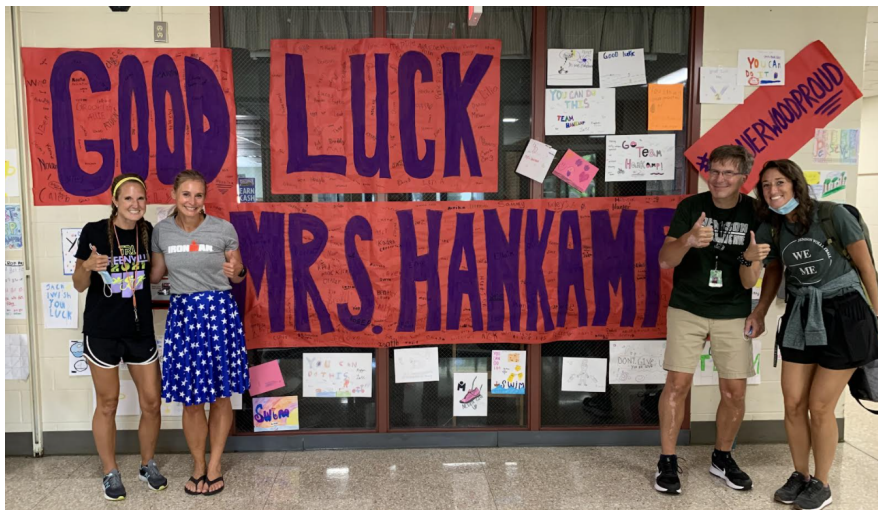
Powerschool Access

In this week's Friday folder you will see directions to access and set-up a Powerschool account. This is a very useful tool to use for attendance, school bulletin and transportation information regarding your student. Please let us know if you have any issues setting up your account.



COVID Testing

As a reminder, if you or a family member is being tested for COVID students MUST stay home until test results are confirmed. Ottawa County has seen an increase in cases and we want to remain vigilant in keeping our staff and students healthy and learning in person. Please call the office with any questions about testing or guidelines.



Ironman

Last week, we were able to support Mrs. Hankamp in her first Ironman race. Mrs. Hankamp completed 70.3 miles in 5 hours and 46 minutes. She definitely demonstrated what it means to show grit and perseverance in a challenge. Check out the great pictures of our students pretending to swim, bike and run in support. We were able to log 695 miles collectively as a building on Thursday!

What Is Happening?

Features of our students



Second Graders going running, biking, and swimming for Mrs. Hankamp

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Fourth/Fifth Grade having a blast supporting Mrs. Hankamp

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Bauerwood students practicing the Wildcat Way. Safe, Responsible and Respectful