

Beechwood Weekly

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Friday, September 3rd, 2021

Upcoming Events, Deadlines & Notices

Labor Day - No School!

Monday, September 6th

Noon Dismissal / Free Dress Days

Wednesday, September 8th a& 22nd
*Reminder ONLY Minimum Days are
Free Dress Days!!

Menlo Park Libraries are Now Open

The Main Library and Belle Haven Branch Library are open for indoor public access. Both locations are open during the following hours, which may change and/or expand in the future.

*Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays: 12pm - 8 p.m.

*Fridays and Saturdays: 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.

*Sundays, Mondays, and holidays: Closed

Library visitors will be required to comply with applicable State of California and/or San Mateo

County health guidelines

Parent Advisory

*General Meeting – *Thursday, Sept 16th, 6pm* Zoom link to come

*Welcome Back Event - *Friday*, *September 17th* Mark your calendars...more details to come.

Beechwood Has New Counselors!

Please read the attached page to get to know our new counselors for this year, Alicia Lara and Jennifer Sohn.

Boys & Girls Club Outdoor Soccer League

Sign-ups for 2 groups: Boys and girls in 1st-3rd Grade and Boys and girls in 4th-5th Grade See flier attached.





Message From Mrs. Taylor

Dear Beechwood Families,

Thank you for your willingness to work in partnership with us in this new learning environment. It has been thrilling to have families return to school, and to observe the enthusiasm our students are showing each day. We are slowly developing a rhythm on campus with children learning and playing in the welcoming environments created by our staff.

Martin Luther King is quoted as saying, "Intelligence plus character- that is the goal of true education." At Beechwood we want to maintain high quality education for your children, while encouraging positive social and emotional growth as well. The children's laughter and their focus in the classroom has been uplifting to all of our staff. I have personally enjoyed greeting each student at the gate every morning.

With an eye on the next two weeks, we look forward to continued changes and updated events. Expect additional information on the following:

KP-8th Parent Registration with Gradelink 5th-8th Parent Registration with Google Classroom Back To School Night Format & Scheduling Covid Testing start date and schedule Picture Day information

Thank you for your continued support and communication!

Priscilla Taylor Principal

Parent Reminders

Dismissal Reminders:

KP-5 dismissal

• Monday - Friday Pick-up 3pm - 3:15 pm

6th-8th dismissal

- Tuesday/Thursday 3:30pm (Students are excused from class)
- Monday/Wednesday/Friday 3:15 pm (Students are excused from class)

Pick-up & Drop-off Reminders:

- PLEASE No drop-off in the entrance area of the parking lot and/or near the Del Norte/Terminal intersection
- Health Screenings <u>must</u> be completed before arriving at school as a courtesy to all families who are dropping-off children. Parents should not park in front of the gate and completing their screenings.

Thank you for your patience in the morning and afternoon

Snack/Lunch/Water Bottles

- Please remember to send your child with a labeled lunch bag (snack included) each day.
- WATER BOTTLES should be labeled and come from home daily. Students can refill from the faucets. We need help with this area as we have a lot of plastic water bottles being used and left around campus. Please support our efforts to safeguard our environment.

Travel

- As a reminder, we need advance notification on extended absences. It is very difficult for teachers to generate material for students without advanced notification.
- If traveling outside of a 250-mile radius, we request that a negative COVID test be provided prior to returning to our school community. More detailed information to be posted/provided next week.

