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Bonita Springs Middle Center for the Arts Newsletter

Wednesday, August 31, 2016

Parent Pick Up Lines

During inclement weather, please be sure to place the blue card with your students' names in the passenger window. This will allow us to call your student if they are being held inside the building due to lightening without you needing to roll your window down and face getting rained on!

Please, regardless of weather, be mindful of the traffic around you. Pull your car all the way forward so we can clear up traffic on Terry St as quickly as possible.

Horseplay Morning Program

Every morning, our students are offered supervised free time in the gym. Students may hang out with friends in the bleachers, read or do homework, or they may play basketball or another indoor sport.

The cost to join Horseplay is $25 to register and then $10 a week as students attend.

Parents, please note:

Students may not be on campus before 9:30 am. If you need to drop your students off before this time, please register them for Horseplay. Students dropped off early will be enrolled in horseplay and parents will be charged for the $25 registration fee and the $10 a week fee.

For more information please call Mrs. Weeks or Ms. Blackmon.

NJHS Annual Canned Food Drive

Please help our school help the Salvation Army refill their pantry by donating non-perishable food items through September 16-30th. Homeroom classes will collect the canned goods and the homeroom able to collect the most food items will earn a special treat to thank the students for all their hard work!

Items The Salvation Army is looking for:
Canned foods: meat, tuna fish, Spam, beans, soup, fruit, vegetables, pasta meals, tomatoes, etc.
Boxed foods: rice, pasta, potato flakes
Plastic Jars: peanut butter, jelly, pasta sauces
Bagged foods: rice, beans

Upcoming Events

Canned Food Drive– Sept 12-30

SAC/PTO meeting– Oct 4 5:30PM

Yearbook Picture day– October 13

Fall Festival– Oct 21 5PM-8PM

Fall Concert– November 30 at 6:30

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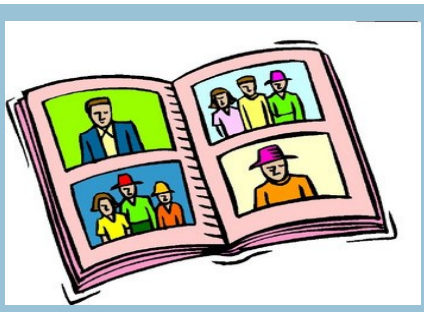

Yearbooks on Sale!

Yearbooks are now on sale for $20. Buy yours before October 31st when the price goes up to $30.

Parents, if you are interested in purchasing an ad for the yearbook, please contact Ms. Mell for more information!

BSMCA After School Tutoring

Afterschool tutoring will begin on Tuesday, September 6th! This year afterschool tutoring will run Monday through Thursday which means there will be no tutoring on Fridays. Four to five teachers are available to all students during tutoring to assist with any homework questions or needs they may have.

Students are able to ride the activity busses on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday after tutoring is over. The bus will drop them off at a school location nearest their home.

Administration will be sending out a Parent Link next week to let our parents know and there will be announcements on the morning news to remind students when tutoring will begin.

FALL CARNIVAL 2016

Once again, the PTO is getting ready for the Fall Carnival and hoping for another huge success! It will be held on Friday, October 21, 2016 from 5:00pm-8:00pm. Be sure to attend this wonderful event. Not only will you be able to enjoy the most amazing food- hamburgers, pizza, cotton candy, and much more; you will also be able to visit your favorite teachers as they host games and rides. Try your hand at the dunk tank and send one of your teachers into the icy cold water! By attending, you are supporting the PTO which uses this fundraiser to pay for the t-shirts, reading incentives, and other school projects that our school needs but does not have the funds to pay for. Parents, we always need volunteers to help with this event so if you have time or services to offer, leave your name, number and email address with the front office!

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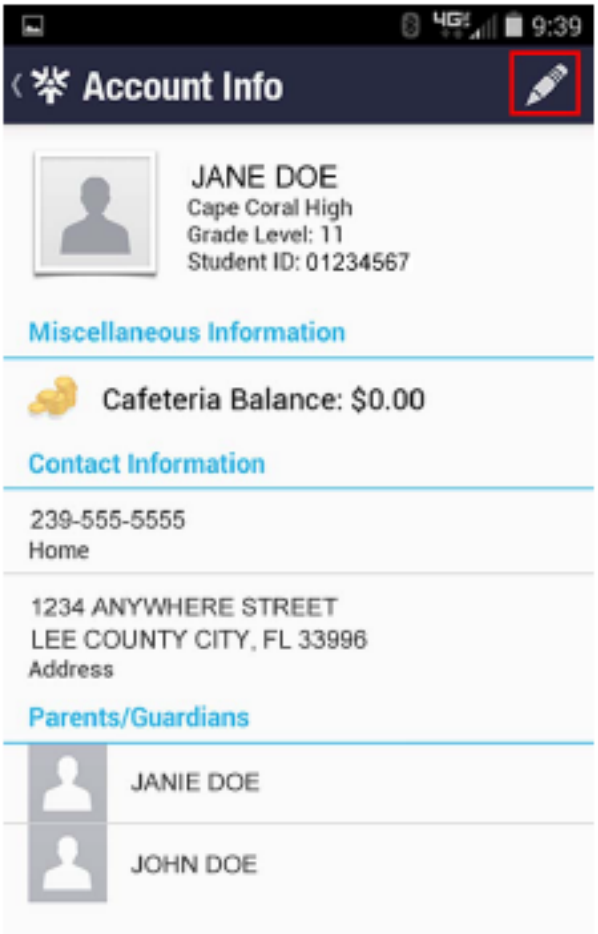
Our ParentLink system and District App utilizes the contact information for your family that you have provided to your child's school. It is important that you communicate with your child's school regularly to ensure that they have accurate phone numbers and E-Mail addresses on file for your family. If you have multiple students enrolled in our school system, please be sure to touch base periodically with each school.

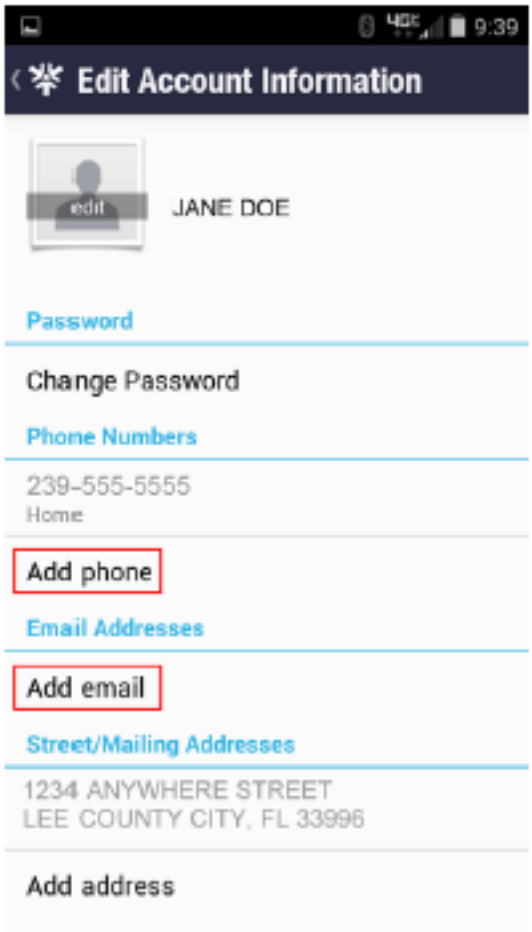
Students and parents can receive text messages and emails from teachers by logging into their account and adding cell phone numbers and email accounts!

Click the pencil to edit your account.



Click Add Phone to add a cell phone for text messages.

Click Add Email to add another email for email communication.



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ParentLink® is a messaging system that allows us to communicate with you concerning your child's assignments, schedule, grades, attendance, lunch balance, and special events happening at school. In addition, in the event of an emergency, ParentLink® is the fastest most reliable way that your child's school or the District can get need-to-know information directly to you. Website: http://parentlink.leeschools.net

We have an App for that!

You can access ParentLink® information through your smartphones or tablets with the Lee County Public Schools App. Log on to Google Play (for Android devices) or the App Store (for Apple devices) to download the application. This app will allow you to receive real-time messages directly from your child's school or the District.

The Technology Specialist at your child's school is able to answer any questions you may have about logging on to the ParentLink® web site or the Lee County Public Schools App.

Parent Log-on Information

- User name is the Student ID of the eldest child in the District, living in the student's household, followed by the parent's first and last initial. The student's household includes all students living at the same address, with the same home phone number. For example, if the Student ID of Jane Doe's eldest child in the household is 12345678, Jane Doe's User name would be 12345678JD

- The password is the birth date of the student whose ID was used for the User name, in the format of MMDDYY. For example, if the birthdate of Jane Doe's eldest child is January 1, 1965, Jane Doe's password would be 010165

Student Log-on Information

- Sign in with your student ID number (8 digit number)

- Student's password is your birthdate. For example, November 2, 2005 would be 11022005

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BSMCA Clubs!

BSMCA offers many opportunities and new clubs for students to explore different hobbies! Art club, chess club, green team, and more!

Clubs will be starting soon! Please pay attention to the website and morning announcements for more information!

Basketball/Cross Country Schedules

Practice Schedule (4:15 PM– 5:15 PM)

Basket Ball (boys)T, W, Th. Basketball (girls) T, TH

Cross Country Practice: T, TH

Games/Meet Schedule

Basketball Schedule

9/13 @ GW Girls: 5:45 pm Boys 7:00 pm

9/15 @ BN vs. DU Boys: 5: 45 pm Girls 7:00 pm

9/21 @ BN vs. SM Boys: 5:45 pm Girls 7 pm

9/27 @ BN vs. CL Girls: 5:45 pm Boys 7:00 pm

9/29 RD 1 Basketball Playoffs (TBA)

Cross Country

9/10 @ FMHS Run (optional) 8am

9/13 @ BN vs. GW 5:45 PM

9/15 @ BN vs. DU 5:45 PM

9/21 @ BN vs. SM 5:45 PM

9/27 @ BN vs. CL 5:45 PM

10/19 XC Championships (TBA)

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Out of Field Teachers

The following teachers are considered "out of field" and are working to be certified in these areas.

Gifted

Joy Mills

ESOL

Gregory August
Regina Brown
Lori Howard
Paige Mell
Kevin Krell
Joy Mills
Anthony Scine
Rachel Stokes

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