

Principal update 10/30/17



The Bethel website is: www.bethelk12.org

Be sure to “click” on the High School icon.



Parents! A few weeks ago you received information on how to access Schoolology. Here you can find your child's updated grades, assignments, even notes and homework! Please make you log in and check it out.

We are looking at a date for a parent training on Schoolology so stay tuned...

Applying to Ohio State University? Watch this video

Click here: [OSU may cover tuition costs](#)



Announcing!!! Muse Captains for 2017-18!

High School: Ben Tipton, Sophia Yarwick, Racheal Tingley, Maddie Sherck, Darian Watson, Ellie Morvatz, Savannah Phipps, and Lisa Sebastian

Middle School: Alejandro Alvarez, Cole Poole, Karley Moore, Alaina Imboden, Carmyn Nida, and Reese Hawkins

Captains, please see Miss Wolford and Mrs. Tipton today for more information.

Next Muse ticket opportunity: *A Swingin' Holiday* by the Dayton Philharmonic Orchestra 8PM, Dec. 8 at the Schuster Center. Tickets are \$20 and must be ordered by Friday, Nov. 3. See Schoolology for more information.



Students-

Don't miss out on a great deal! The cost for a student all year, all sport athletic pass has been cut in half! For \$50 you can enjoy all the home games you want – football included. If you are interested applications are on the athletic web page or in the athletic office. You need to allow 2 days to process your application. Buy a pass today and GO BEES!



Sophomores and Juniors are selling cookie dough! Just in time for the holidays don't miss out. Please make checks payable to Bethel Schools. Delivery will be November 30th.



Bethel High School Testing Schedule 2017-2018



Date	Test	Grade	Time
October 11	<u>PSAT</u>	10 - 11	7:45-12:00
March 20	State funded ACT	11	7:45-12:00
January 8-12	EOC Retake-All subjects	10 - 12	7:45-10:45; 11:15-11:55
April 23	EOC English I and II	9 - 10	7:45-10:00; 11:15-11:55
April 24	ACT Make-up	11	7:45-12:00
April 24-26	EOC English I + II Retakes	9 - 10	7:45-9:30; 12:15-2:00
May 1	EOC Algebra I	9	7:45-10:00; 11:15-11:55
May 2	EOC Geometry	10	7:45-10:00; 11:15-11:55
May 3	EOC Amer Hist + Amer Gov	10-12	7:45-10:00; 11:15-11:55
May 4	EOC Make-ups	9-12	7:45-10:00; 11:15-11:55
May 7	EOC Biology	9 - 10	7:45-10:00; 11:15-11:55
May 7	AP Psychology	11-12	afternoon
May 8-11	EOC Make-ups	9-12	7:45-9:15; 12:15-1:45
May 9	AP Literature and Composition	12	morning
May 10	AP Government	11-12	morning
May 11	AP US History	10	morning
May 14	AP Biology	11-12	morning
May 15	AP Calculus AB	12	morning
May 16	AP Language and Composition	11	morning



The National Honor Society will be holding a Blood Drive on Monday, November 20th. The Blood Mobile will be located outside of the main doors by the office. It will be held from 9:30am-1:30pm. Sign-ups are in Mr. Clute's room. All slots must be filled by November 13th.

IMPORTANT DATES

- **Picture re-take, November 15th**
- **Parent- Teacher Conference,
November 16 3:30pm-7 pm**

From the Guidance Counselor

A big shout out to students who participated in the PSAT/NMSQT last Wednesday! Thank-you for your participation and hard work in a successful testing session. If you provided an e-mail address on your testing document, you will receive notice in December letting you know how to access your score report online. You'll also be able to link to Khan Academy for personalized SAT practice based on your specific test results.

High School and Junior High students...how are your grades taking shape? Remember that athletic eligibility, admission to MVCTC, and good driving discounts are just a few examples of why your grades are important. The end of the first nine weeks is quickly approaching. If you have any questions or concerns about your course grades, don't delay, act TODAY!

SENIORS! This is college application month...have you applied? Colleges do not request that your transcript be sent to them to complete your application...YOU DO! Request forms are available on the Bethel website.

Once you have submitted your applications, it is time to apply for the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) and search other scholarship opportunities. Have you reviewed the scholarship listings on the Guidance page of the Bethel website? The Thelma Ross Dalton Scholarship deadline is quickly approaching...November 1 postmark deadline!



PARENTS' QUICK GUIDE to SCHOOL SAFETY COMMUNICATION PROTOCOLS

Bethel Local School District has specific safety procedures and protocols coordinated with town personnel and local safety officials to cover a host of local emergencies. The District's Safety Team meets several times a year with local officials to review and update procedures. These plans are not posted publicly as much of the information is pertinent only to school personnel and local safety officials. In addition, we believe that certain security measures must remain confidential to only these people.

In an effort to strengthen school safety information while not divulging specific security information, we are listing for you the specific safety protocols with the methods of communication that parents would receive in the event of implementing a specific plan. Please see your child's building principal if you have specific questions regarding these procedures.

EMERGENCY DRILL	Methods of Notifying Students	Methods for Informing Parents
<p><u>SECURITY SITUATION</u> This is a partial lockdown procedure when the general school population is not threatened, but there is an emergency involving a student or a small group of students. <i>(An example would be a student medical/behavior emergency or loss of power in the building)</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The building principal or designee would announce a security situation via the school intercom. 	<p>We would not usually be communicated this to parents unless it resulted in a more serious emergency causing a long disruption to the school day.</p>
<p><u>INTRUDER or LOCKDOWN DRILL</u> This refers to a complete LOCKDOWN PROCEDURE or actual danger threatens the safety of the school population; students could be dispersed to different locations per procedures. <i>(An example would be a threatening intruder in the building)</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The building safety designee would announce a total security situation via the school intercom. Superintendent or building safety designee would be responsible for media releases. 	<p>Parents would be notified via ONE CALL if a TOTAL SECURITY SITUATION occurred. Specific instructions would be provided for student pick-up and location.</p>
<p><u>BUILDING EVACUATION</u> The building evacuation protocol is to be followed in the event that the school must be immediately evacuated and children sent to a different location.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The building safety designee would announce a building evacuation via the school intercom. Superintendent or building safety designee would be responsible for media releases. 	<p>Parents would be notified via ONE CALL if a building evacuation occurs with specific instructions for student pick-up and location.</p>
<p><u>BOMB THREAT</u> Building evacuation procedures would be followed as directed by the police department.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The building safety designee would announce a building evacuation via the intercom. Students would go to designated areas on the grounds to wait further instructions. 	<p>Parents would be notified via ONE CALL if a building evacuation occurred with specific instructions for student pick-up and location.</p>
<p><u>FIRE EVACUATION</u> These procedures are implemented whenever the fire alarm is activated.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A fire alarm is activated. 	<p>This would not usually be communicated to parents unless it resulted in a more serious emergency causing a long disruption to the school day.</p>