

Bronco Times



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Final edition of the school year!

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Chad O. Thomas
Principal

Create a great day!



Greetings

As we enter our last day of testing for most of our students, I would like to thank all of the parents who volunteered their time to assist us with EOGs by serving as a Proctor. Special appreciation to those who proctored on multiple different days...you rock!

This will be our final "official" Bronco Times for the 2014-2015 school year so I would like to personally thank Karen Madigan for formatting, editing, and producing this newsletter on a weekly basis. Karen does an exceptional job of not only making sure all of this information gets out every Thursday morning, but also photo shops me into some very interesting characters, which is the only reason some of you even read the Bronco Times :-)

Over the last 10 school days, we will have a number of events and activities sure to end our year on a very positive note as we enter the Summer of 2015. Best of luck to those who have an 8th grader, like myself, heading off to high school in August... we thought middle school was tough! To those returning to Bailey next year, I am excited about our full implementation of our Leader In Me initiative, and know that our Broncos will benefit from owning the 7 Habits as part of their daily life.

Please look for the final edition of the Bronco Beacon (printed) to be sent home with every student next Thursday.

Testing Calendar

May 28	Language Arts EOG (6th-8th)
May 29	Make ups for Math & LA EOG
June 1	CTE "B" Day Exams and Make ups for Math & LA EOG
June 2	Math I EOC, Math II Final Exam, Spanish & French EOC (Students who do not have Math I/II)
June	Spanish & French EOC

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June 4	CTE "A" Day Exams and Make ups for all EOCs
June 5	Make ups for all EOCs and CTE Exams
June 8	Make ups as needed
June 9	End of year CELEBRATIONS! :-)
June 9	8th grade promotion ceremony
June 10	No special events
June 11	Last day of school

** Please note that students are allowed to bring a book to read once they are finished with their test.*

We love proctors!

Huge thanks go out to so many of you who have already given your time and efforts to BMS. With testing season upon us, we need to reach out to you once again!

We are still in need of proctors to cover this week's testing. No previous experience required, and a brief training will be provided prior to your slot.



Simply [click on the link](#) to find a list of dates and number of proctors needed. When signing up, please include your child's name and homeroom/grade because we must ensure you do not proctor your child's test.

Please help us spread the news around to community groups, churches, senior groups, etc... A few hours of your time will make a huge difference in the testing success of our Broncos!

Door prizes, coupons, and even student-driven incentives will be given out every day. If you've been waiting for an opportunity to make an impact, this is it!

All volunteers must be registered through the CMS system. [Click HERE](#) to register. If you need help, want to find a way to volunteer, or have questions on proctoring please email [Amy Gais](#).

Wow, so easy! Thank a teacher, and Bailey gets money to boot

With May being Teacher Appreciation month, Target is making an offer to support local schools.

Simply by clicking [THIS LINK](#) and acknowledging a teacher, Target will donate \$25.00 to our school for your efforts and time!

It couldn't be easier. Don't wait - thank a teacher today and we're on our way!



Thank you, and keep those HT groceries coming

With the 2014-2015 school year wrapping up, the PTSA wants to thank all of the families who re-linked their VIC cards at Harris Teeter!



Bailey had 238 participants which allowed us to earn **\$1377.26!** Our school still has until May 31st to earn more funds for this season, so keep shopping. Make sure you mark your calendars to re-link your VIC card on August 1st for the 2015-2016 school year.

Attention parents of rising 7th grade Broncos

To parents with a child entering the 7th grade for the 2015-2016 school year. 7th grade entry vaccine requirements have changed.

All children entering the 7th or who have reached 12 years of age on or after July 1, 2015 are required to have one dose of Tdap vaccine and one dose of meningococcal vaccine before entering 7th grade.



Attention parents of 8th grade Broncos



Our 8th Grade Promotion Ceremony will be held on Tuesday, June 9 at 6:00 pm. The ceremony will be held at [The Park Church](#), located at 6029 Beatties Ford Road, Charlotte, NC 28216.

The parking lot will open at 5:00 pm, but we ask that you carpool as much as possible. Seating will be first come/first serve, yet families should only invite 3-4 guests since we have 600 students and seating is limited to approximately 2400 including the students.

Students will be released for pick-up at 12:00 noon following their end of year celebration on June 9 to allow for plenty of time to get dressed, take pictures and drive to the church in time for our prompt start at 6:00 pm.

Attendance reminder

You do not need to call the school to report an absence, simply email our [attendance secretary](#). If you are leaving or coming in late for a medical/dental appointment, please provide a doctor's note.



Please remember our early dismissal cutoff time is 3:30.

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Fri, June 5	Character Ed program, 8:45 am
Fri, June 5	Diamond ACE Celebration (year-long recipients)
Tues, June 9	6th/7th/8th grade EOY celebrations
Tues, June 9	8th grade promotion ceremony, 6-8 pm The Park Church
Thurs, June 11	Last day of school

Click [HERE](#) for information about spring sports. Go Broncos!
