



The leaves are changing rapidly, and the weather has followed with cooler nights and sunny days. Our first quarter will end next Friday, November 3rd so please remind your Bronco to turn-in any late assignments that may still qualify to receive credit and/or tests or retests that need completed. All grades will be finalized at 4:00 pm on Friday, November 3rd.

1. Town Hall Bond Meeting at Bailey - CMS will be hosting a Town Hall Meeting at Bailey on **Monday, October 30 at 7:00 pm**. CMS Staff will share plans for the Bond package that will be up for vote on the November 7 election. A new middle school on Stumptown Road in Huntersville is on the list of projects and will impact Bailey and our feeder elementary schools.

CMS Bond Referendum webpage: <u>https://charmeckschools.org/bond</u>. The site includes:

- a. The CIP project list: <u>https://charmeckschools.org/bondprojectlist</u>
- b. FAQs: https://www.cmsk12.org/Page/9942
- c. Voter registrations info: https://charmeckschools.org/voterinfo
- 2. "Be There Dad" Kick-off Be There Dad, a Charlotte-based organization recognizing the power of male presence in a child's life, is holding an informational meeting on **November 2**, **from 7:45AM to 8:30AM.** At this meeting members from the group will discuss how our dads and dad-like figures could make a positive impact on the kids at Bailey. Coffee and doughnuts will be served. If you would like to know more but are unable to attend, please email Jeff Price, <u>japrice2001@qmail.com</u> (subject line: Bailey BTD).
- 3. School Tours for Future Broncos We are excited to start offering tours of Bailey Middle School in November. These student-led tours give our prospective new families an inside look into Bailey, our policies and procedures, and what a day in the life of a student looks like. The tours are approximately an hour long and are open to any families who are interested in their student attending Bailey. Any party attending must sign up beforehand, that can be done <u>HERE</u>. Please share with any families that may be interested!
- 4. CMS Benchmark Assessments We will be giving CMS Quarterly Benchmark Assessments in Math and ELA next week on Monday and Tuesday. The assessment encompasses everything they have learned thus far in first quarter and will count as a prepare grade so students should be encouraged to do their best.
- 5. Suicide Prevention Lessons in 6th & 7th Grade For the 2023 2024 school year, the district has requested all Middle Schools to continue with the Suicide Pilot Prevention presentation to be conducted by the Counseling Department in the classrooms. The initial presentation was provided last school year to the 6th graders. For the current school year, the current 6th graders will receive the full presentation and the current

 7^{th} graders will receive a refresher lesson. The School Counselors will be available following their presentation to address any student questions or concerns. Parent letters regarding the pilot program have already been sent home with 7^{th} grade students since we began the lessons this past week. Letters will be sent home to 6^{th} grade parents in the next few days with their lessons starting soon.

Classroom Lesson link:

6th Grade: https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1joJbY68Cqbl x6-QFXbNlGlUPCim9QzxsdoPK7aZB o/edit#slide=id.g2013b9055b9 3 13 63

Classroom Lesson Link 7th (**English**): <u>https://bit.ly/3RU7XbC</u> Classroom Lesson Link 7th (**Spanish**): <u>https://bit.ly/3FcCRnU</u>

Thanks and Create A Great Weekend,

Chad Thomas Principal

National Junior Honor Society

NJHS Broncos BELIEVE in making a difference in our community and our world. We are participating again in the JDRF (Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation) One Walk at the Whitewater Center on 10/28 (8:00-11:30AM). It is a great event and a fun, easy walk! Everyone is welcome to join the team and show up in Bronco gear \Box

Please consider donating to this worthy cause and/or joining the team to walk with us.

https://www2.jdrf.org/site/TR?fr_id=9256&pg=team&team_id=340209

Join our JDRF One Walk team and help create a world without type 1 diabetes (T1D).

Our team is walking and raising funds to support the most promising, cuttingedge science to create a world without T1D. Join us!

www2.jdrf.org





Celebrate YOU! WeekSpirit Days!

Pick up your "Mindfulness" bracelet at school arrival - Remember to be mindful of how you feel & take care of you!

Tuesday 10/31 - "Take care of YOU!"
Pack a healthy snack today & earn a raffle ticket during your lunch!

Wednesday 11/1 - "Wear PJ's"

Be comfortable in the skin you're in!

Thursday 11/2 - "Thanks for being a friend!"
Write a note in Thunder Time to a friend, or teacher who supports YOU!

Friday 11/3 - Enjoy your Crumbl cookie treat & a dance performance at lunch, celebrating YOU!

DONATE TO "PAWS 4People" & RECeive a CRUMBL COOK IE

Minimum\$5 donations will be collected during regular school lunches on Thursday, October 26th through Monday, October 30th

*We have a limited amount of cookies that will be provided, so please donate early!

**Cookies will be distributed at lunch on Friday, November 3rd

Help our Dancers support
"Paws4People"
with a \$5 minimum donation & enjoy a

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during our November 3rd

Dance Performance during lunch!

"Paws4People" is a non-profit organization that helps provide individuals with psychiatric, medical, physical, and social emotional needs with a trained service dog.



In honor of our local veterans
Bailey Middle School
cordially invites you to
The 12th Annual
Bailey Middle School
Veterans Celebration

On Wednesday, November 8, 2028 at 9:80 a.m. in the Bailey GYM

Featuring

Bailey MS JROTC Club
Bailey MS Singers
William A. Hough HS JROTC
Bailey MS Orchestra
Bailey MS Step Team
Bailey MS Performing Band
Bailey MS Cheer
Bailey MS Dance Company
Bailey MS Trumpet for Taps

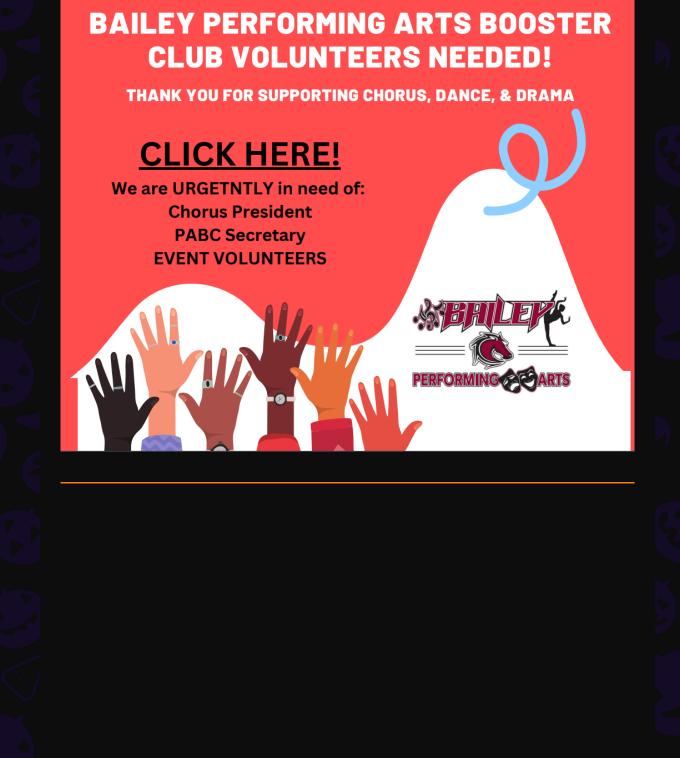
Guest Speaker

Dr. April C. Carpenter, PhD. MSgt, USAF Retired

Refreshments following in the media center on the main hall.

Please RSVP to: <u>teresa.lester@cms.k12.nc.us</u> Please place "V*ctorans*" in subject line

> Bailey Middle School 11900 Bailey Road Cornelius, NC 28081





 No athlete will be permitted to try out until all dragonfly paperwork has been submitted.



Athletic Fundraiser

BOOSTERBUCKS SET EVERYONE UP FOR SUCCESS

Why are we raising money?

CMS does not fund middle school sports, therefore our athletic booster club has to raise money to help support our athletic programs at Bailey Middle School. The participation fee for your child to participate in sports supports coaching staff, but does not cover other expenses.

Every contribution helps to provide:

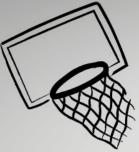
- New uniforms
- Safety equipment
- Travel expenses
- Use of our football and baseball/softball fields (did you know we have to pay the town of Cornelius \$1500 a year to use these fields?)
- Field maintenance
- Gymnasium upgrades
- · Essential sports equipment
- Support items (storage lockers, ice machine, washer/dryer)
- Player Awards/Team banquets

DONATE NOW





app.boosterhub.com/fundraising/18/main



BOYS BASKETBALL TRIAL CLINIC



Attention 6th graders interested in trying out for the Bailey
basketball team next school year!

Trial Clinics are a great way to get an inside look at BMS sports, meet the coaches and practice with current players.

- Date: November 2nd
- Players can bring any gear/equipment to the locker room the morning of the clinic
- Parents can pick up players at 6:15pm from Bailey gymnasium
- The clinic is \$25 and space is limited- first come, first serve! (max 30 participants)
- Students must have Green or Blue signature sheet.
- Registration is required.
- Visit Bailey Middle School Athletic Booster Club website to complete registration and payment.

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: OCT. 30TH

https://baileyathletics.boosterhub.com



WE ARE BACK FOR MORE RUGBY!!

Registration and tryonts are open!

PRE-SEASON AND TRY-OUTS:WEDNESDAY NOV.8. 4.15PM -6PM

Practice: Monday & Wednesday 4.15pm -6pm

Bailey Middle School field

Open to all Grade 6, Grade 7 and Grade 8.

No experience necessary.

www.falconsrugbyclub.com



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