



“Without continual growth and progress, such words as improvement, achievement, and success have no meaning.”
-Benjamin Franklin

Vision Statement

To challenge students to strive for academic excellence and personal accomplishment resulting in confident leaders who are equipped to make a positive impact on society.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Jr/Sr High is seeking parent feedback as they work to develop a Positive Behavior Intervention and Supports system for all students. [PBIS Survey](#)

On February 25 the Elementary PTSO will be hosting a Family Dance from 6:00– 8:00 pm. Entry is \$5 per person. Proceeds go to support 5th Grade Camp.

On February 28 Bellevue Elementary will welcome author Lane Walker to kick off March is Reading Month.

Olivet College has several events in March to celebrate Women’s History Month. The first is on March 8 with International Women’s Day. The second on March 22 with a special guest speaker. Both events are from 9:30 am– 2:00 pm.

The 4th Annual Guns and Grub event will be held at the Bellevue Jr/Sr High School on March 11. All proceeds will go to support Bellevue shooting sports. Tickets go on sale soon.

Bellevue has an amazing staff, please consider nominating a Bronco of the Month: [Nomination Form](#)

Bellevue Community Schools is exploring the possibility of offering before school care from 6:00- 7:45 am Monday through Friday at the Bellevue Elementary School starting in August. If you might be interested please take the [Bellevue Daycare Survey– Before School Care](#) survey.

Graduation Alliance has started a 23+ Adult High School Diploma Program. Information about the program can be found at either of our two school’s front office.

If you are interested in volunteering, Bellevue Community Schools is looking for support in our library, at sporting events, and in our classrooms. Please have a background check that has been done after July 1, 2022. Then contact the Elementary or Jr/Sr High to find out how you can help.

We kindly ask that all visitors report directly to the main office of our schools upon arrival.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- **Bronco Community Meet February 20**
- **Mid-Winter Break February 20**
- **Family Dance February 25**
- **No School March 6**
- **Spring Break March 27– 31**
- **No School April 7**
- **No School May 5**
- **No School May 29**
- **Last Day of School June 2**
- **Senior Graduation June 4**

THIS WEEK

Monday February 13

7-12 Spirit Week: Neon Day
7-12 Conferences 4:00– 7:00 pm
JV Boys Basketball @ Litchfield 6:00 pm
Varsity Boys Basketball @ Litchfield 7:30 pm

Tuesday February 14

7-12 Spirit Week: Mismatch Day
PK Father’s Day Event 1:30– 2:30 pm
K-6 Conferences 4:00– 7:00 pm
PK-6: Book Fair 3:30– 7:00 pm
JH Wrestling @ Climax-Scotts 4:30 pm
JV Girls Basketball @ Colon 6:00 pm
Varsity Girls Basketball @ Colon 7:30 pm

Wednesday February 15

7-12 Spirit Week: Theme Day
PK-6: Book Fair 3:30– 7:00 pm
K-12 Conferences 4:00– 7:00 pm
JH Girls Basketball @ Colon 5:30 pm
JV Boys Basketball v. Colon 6:00 pm
Varsity Boys Basketball v. Colon 7:30 pm

Thursday February 16

Red & White Day
7-12 Spirit Week: Bronco Day
JV Girls Basketball @ Harper Creek 5:30 pm
Olivet College “Dreaming Beyond What You See” - Mott Academic Center 6:00 pm

Friday February 17

No School
JV Boys Basketball v. St. Phillip 4:30 pm
Varsity Girls Basketball v. St. Phillip 6:00 pm
Varsity Boys Basketball v. St. Phillip 7:30 pm
Snowcoming Dance until 11:00 pm

Dr. McGarry’s Ponderings, Thoughts, and Reflections

On February 6, 2023 the Bellevue Board of Education approved ballot language for an Operations Millage Renewal. The millage is levied on non-homestead and rental properties and generates roughly \$550,000 for the district each year.

Operations Millage money goes directly into a district’s General Fund. This means that all the money raised goes to support the students and staff of Bellevue Community Schools. It helps pay for learning supplies, salaries, athletic costs, and transportation.

The Operations Millage will be on the ballot on May 2, 2023.

Go Broncos!

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