

BOOKCLIFF MIDDLE SCHOOL

Home of the Mustangs

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Enjoy this edition of the Bookcliff Middle School newsletter brought to you by the 8th grade Yearbook class!

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Important Dates

District Track Meet

May 1, 12 pm, Stocker Stadium

No School—

Teacher In-Service Day

May 3

No School—

May 4

Pops Concert

May 17, 7pm Back Lawn

End of Year Celebration

May 24

Masonic Students & Teacher of the Year

Congratulations to
Sara Gagler,
Carter Baskin, and
Mr. Donoher!



Medication Reminder

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Please remember to pick up your students medication before the end of the school year. We are obligated to discard it if not picked up by the last day of school. We are not permitted to send medication home with the student.

Thank you, Nursing Services

Fitness Tips

Remember to get outside and do some fun activities: hiking, biking, playing at the park, go for a walk, and throw a frisbee! Video games have their place, but I would encourage you all "TO GET OUTSIDE AND DO SOMETHING!"
Ms. Mary Beth

Come See the Harlem Wizards

Have you ever wanted to watch your Bookcliff teachers play a professional basketball team?

Bookcliff's OWL program will be hosting the Harlem Wizard's basketball team on Saturday, May 5th at 6:00 pm. The game will feature District 51 teachers from Bookcliff, Central, and some of our feeder Elementary schools playing against the Harlem Wizards and will be held at Grand Junction High School. Proceeds from the game will go to the Outdoor Wilderness Lab program, which allows Bookcliff 6th grade students to spend a week outdoors participating in hands-on learning led by real scientists!

Tickets can be purchased at www.harlemwizards.com for our May 5th game. The ticket prices are as follows:

Students: Advanced Purchase: \$8.00 At the Door: \$10.00

Adults: Advanced Purchase: \$10.00 At the Door: \$12.00

Reserved Seats: \$16.00

Courtside Plus (includes courtside seating, a meet and greet with players, lanyard, color poster, and a discount on a souvenir jersey): \$25.00

In addition, students can pre-order a souvenir jersey and warm up with the Wizards! Invite everyone you know!

Thanks in advance for supporting the Outdoor Wilderness Lab program!

7th Grade Career Fair

On April 20, 2018, BMS 7th graders were able to attend a comprehensive career fair. During third quarter, students researched a specific career along with education for that career. They created posters representing their findings and interests and connected that to financial literacy and were able to determine their salaries and expenses. The career fair is the culminating project, giving students one-on-one opportunities to look at their future options. Over 25 presenters attended the career fair, giving students the chance to meet 9 people in the careers they are most interested in pursuing.

Randy Lichtenberg-commercial construction

Rudy Bevan - Mesa County Road and Bridge

Lindsay Langfitt- St. Mary's ER registered nurse

Dr. Donovan - heart surgeon

Western Colorado Pediatric Associates

(Emily Cano, Saya Nunez, Megan Kuta)

Bobbie Mizushima (MCC Drug and Alcohol Testing)

Ariel Rendt Padron — social worker

Randy Pitts — United States Marines

Jill Downie—educator

Katrina Fallas- Peace Corps

Lalita Heinemann — realtor

Hannah Kissling — dental hygienist

Matt Ward — CMU sports management

Johnny Bravo — tattoo artist

Sadie Tyler — certified veterinary technician

Phil Johnston — STEM, engineer, football coach

Raigen Manspeaker — JROTC; Army

Mesa County Sheriff's Department (Connie Olson)

Larry Kempton — aviation mechanic

Trysta Delimont — health coach

Kathy Donoher — St. Mary's dietician

Debra Henderson — WCCC chef

Alan Martinez — game warden Colorado State Parks

Grand Junction Fire Department and EMT



Altrusa Art Show

The 55th annual Altrusa Art Show was held in April. Bookcliff had several participants enter pieces into the show. Students' artwork was on display for three weeks, two at the Art Center and one in the school library. Winning 1st place for her dragon titled, "Keeper of the Plants," was Elissa Haut. In addition, Lilly Pierce received first place for her drawing titled "Wild Horse." With her pencil drawing titled, "Disparity," Andrea Corona won second place. Also taking away second place prizes were Lizzy Booth for her pencil drawing of "Joannah," and Roxanna Saucedo Ramirez for her "Eye of the Bird." Jenna Amdahl walked away with the Best in Show award given by the Altrusians. The following students were all recognized for participating in the show: Lizzy Booth, Elissa Haut, Ashley Gallegos, Alexa Linakis, Andrea Corona, Haven Abeyta, Megan Jones, Roxanna Saucedo Ramirez, Raine Foor, Javian Hernandez, Jena Amdahl, Zoe Ford, Lily Pierce, Haley Short, Aspen Czarnecki, Ariana Miklos, Laurel Collins, James Cortez, Alexa Thompson, Jazmyne Linsley, Amerie Archuleta, Magaly Luna, Emily Littleton, Yasmin Aguirre, McKenzie Manzanares. Mrs. Allee's website will be updated soon to include photos of the work.

