

Valley Springs Middle School



RAMS REPORT

Date: 06/07/2026



Upcoming Dates

June 8th: Field Day

June 9th: 8th Grade Awards 9:00 @ TCR stadium

June 9th: 7th Grade Awards 12:45 in the gym
June 10th: Last day of school (2 hour early release)

7th Grade Awards Info:

We will call down and present an award to students who have made As all year. If your child made A's in all of their classes all year, please plan on attending if you would like to! Students who earned A or A/B honor roll for the 4th quarter will be asked to stand at their seats to be recognized, as well as students who played three sports this school year. We will also be awarding "best in" Science, ELA, Math, Social Studies, and Electives, and giving out citizenship, highest growth, and principal's awards. We will contact you personally if your student is receiving one of these special awards.

8th Grade Awards Info:

Our 8th Grade Awards Ceremony is June 9th beginning at 9:00 am at TCR's Football Stadium. Students will be recognized for honor roll and special awards given per team and elective teachers. Those who made honor roll this nine-weeks will be asked to stand and be recognized. Those that have made straight A's in all classes for the entire year will be asked to come to the front to receive a certificate. Students who are receiving a special award will be notified in a separate email. If your son or daughter has met either of these requirements or you received a separate email pertaining to a special award we invite you to attend.

Testing Updates

Testing was a tremendous success last week! We still have a small number of makeup tests and retests to complete this week, but we are incredibly proud of the hard work, perseverance, and dedication shown by both our students and staff throughout the testing process. Thank you to everyone for your focus, support, and commitment to helping make this year's testing season a success. Your efforts truly reflect the spirit of Valley Springs Middle School.

7th Graders-Sports Next Year

7th-graders who want to play a fall sport at Valley Springs next year should check the webpage throughout the summer for updates on summer workouts and tryouts. Remember to click on the individual sport at the top of the page for specific information.

Library Cards

Students can register to get a public library card with their student lunch number/student ID number. Click on the link:
<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeWAKNncawTtXr834sOO35y3fUpf6sKodBN4i6ZrPy4blEJCw/viewform>

Free Summer Meals

Buncombe County Schools will be participating in the summer SunMeals program. Those under the age of 18 are eligible for free meals this summer. Youth meal service will be available weekdays from June 12 – Aug. 14 at Koontz Intermediate. Breakfast is Weekdays, 7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. and Lunch is Weekdays, 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Free Tennis Camp

There are still spots left in a free tennis camp available to students who would not otherwise learn how to play tennis.

TERMINETTORS™
TENNIS CAMP
Asheville Tennis Association

JUNE 22-26
9:00am – Noon
Ages 9-15
Aston Park

FREE
TENNIS INSTRUCTION
TENNIS RACQUET
T-SHIRT
DAILY LUNCH

SPACE IS LIMITED TO 50 CAMPERS

RESERVE YOUR SPOT
BY CONTACTING JEFF JOYCE
jeffbjoyce7@gmail.com

ASHEVILLE
TENNIS ASSOCIATION

CITY OF ASHEVILLE
NORTH CAROLINA

School Health Blitz

The School Health Blitz Event is on August 1st and it provides FREE Health Assessments, sports physicals, vaccines, and vision and hearing screenings! Its open to all BCS students on August 1 from 10 AM to 3 PM at Owen Middle School.

[School Health Blitz Flyer](#)

[School Vaccine Facts](#)

Warrior Wellness Clinic

The Warrior Wellness Clinic at Erwin Middle School will be open this summer and will serve students from any school within Buncombe County. They will also offer sports physicals and vaccination opportunities. Flyers with more information are attached to this email.

BRCHS.com





School may be out for the Summer, but we're still in!

BRH School-Based Health Centers Are OPEN All Summer Long





Just because classrooms are quiet doesn't mean your kids stop moving!
Whether it's sprains from summer sports, scrapes from outdoor play, or needing a
camp physical - **Blue Ridge Health** has you covered.

Come see us at Erwin Middle School for:

- ▲ Scrapes, sprains, and broken bones
- ▲ Sports and camp physicals
- ▲ Vaccinations and wellness checks
- ▲ Behavioral health and counseling
- ▲ Nutrition support
- ▲ And more!

**Erwin Middle School
School-Based Health Center**
20 Erwin Hills Road
Asheville, NC 28806
828.676.2471

School-based health centers serve students and their immediate families, as well as staff and faculty! Patients must register with Blue Ridge Health to receive care. Registration forms must be completed by a parent or guardian.

Register online at
[BRCHS.com/services/school-based-health](https://brchs.com/services/school-based-health).

Volleyball Interest

If your daughter is interested in trying out for volleyball for next school year, please visit the VSMS Volleyball Page for dates and an interest form to complete.

<https://sites.google.com/view/valleyspringsathletics/volleyball>

Transportation Reminders

- Parents, if you have not signed up for bus updates, please do so using the links below. Sign up for each bus your student rides if it is different in the morning and

afternoon. These text alerts provide real-time updates if there are any urgent issues, route changes or delays. Parents and students aged 13 and older may subscribe. Bus tracking information is at the bottom of this newsletter.

241 (previously bus 77)	TO: 81010 @77vsms
79	TO: 81010 @79vsms
140 (previously bus 268)	TO: 81010 @vsms268

326	TO: 81010 @vsms326
328	TO: 81010 @328vsms
332	TO: 81010 @332vsms

- The Buncombe County Schools Transportation Department is excited to bring our families the Edulog Parent Portal App. This smartphone app allows parents to receive specific information about their child's school bus ride. Parents will be able to:
 - Access designated bus stop times and locations for their child.
 - Monitor real-time information about the location of their child's school bus.

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- Receive notifications when the bus is getting close to the assigned bus stop.
 - [Edulog English](#)
 - [Edulog Spanish](#)
 - [Edulog Russian](#)
 - [Edulog Ukranian](#)
 - [Edulog Romanian](#)