



# Brookfield Central High School

## *\*Updates\**

**September 6, 2021**

## **BC Student and Parent Info Nights!**

**September 8, 2021**

**9th Grade Info Night:**

**6:00pm–7:00pm (BC Café)**

**12th Grade Info Night:**

**7:30pm–8:30pm (BC Café)**

**September 15, 2021**

**10th Grade Info Night:**

**6:00pm–7:00pm (BC Café)**

**11th Grade Info Night:**

**7:30pm–8:30pm (BC Café)**

Dear BC Community-

We had a great first week of school. I am really excited about the tremendous promise that it holds for every student. On Wednesday, September 8th, we will be hosting our student and parent info nights for our freshmen, seniors and their parents. The BC Admin and BC Student Services Team teams will provide an overview of the year. We hope to see everyone at the events.

The week of September 21-24 will be election week at Brookfield Central. All four class councils will host election speeches during Lancer Block on Thursday, September 23 and voting on Friday, September 24. More details on signing up to view speeches and voting will be released later.

For those students interested in running for class officer positions, please see the Google Doc relevant to your grade level. All election candidacy packets are due no later than 3:30 pm on Friday, September 10. Please note that petition signatures must be from current BC students in a candidate's grade level. No student may sign for more than one candidate running for the same office.

- [Freshman Class Council Officer Candidate Packet](#)
- [Sophomore Class Council Officer Candidate Packet](#)
- [Junior Class Council Officer Candidate Packet](#)
- Senior Class Council Information - [Click Here](#)
- Senior Officer Candidate forms - [Click Here.](#)

### **Junior Class Shirt Info**

Click [here](#) to order the junior class shirt! The shop closes on September 13.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any additional questions or concerns. My email is [gruetzmb@elmbrookschoools.org](mailto:gruetzmb@elmbrookschoools.org) or please call/text me at 262-794-6070.

Thanks and take care-

Brett J. Gruetzmacher-Proud Principal



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## ***THE WEEK!***

### September 7

### Lancer Block

### B Day-Tuesday

- Lancer Block for 9th-11th Graders
- Senior Class Meeting-Main Gym During Lancer Block
  - Empire All Class Photo (Class Color is Purple!) and Jostens Rep to discuss Caps/Gowns etc.

### September 8

### Lancer Block

### A Day-Wednesday

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### September 9

### Lancer Block

### B Day-Thursday

### September 10

### Lancer Link

### A Day-Friday

- At the start of Lancer Link, we will have a moment of silence, the Pledge and the National Anthem for the 20th Anniversary Commemoration of the 9/11 Attacks.
- **Lancer Link-** Teachers will facilitate a [relationship building activity](#) as well as [check-ins](#). Also 9th graders will receive their Wisconsin Forward Results from the Spring of 2021.



# BC Information

- **Athletic Pass**

If you did not get your athletic pass printed on your Student ID, please bring a copy of your receipt in IC and bring it to events. Students can get their athletic pass printed on their new ID on September 17 when Empire is at BC for picture retake day

- **Attendance Procedures**

In addition to calling the BC attendance phone line (262-785-3994), families can also send an email to [BCHSattendance@elmbrookschools.org](mailto:BCHSattendance@elmbrookschools.org) to report an absence to school. When reporting an absence, please provide the student's name and reason for the absence. If they are missing school due to illness, it will be important to let us know ALL of your child's symptoms and any physician confirmed diagnosis such as COVID-19. It will also be important to know if your child is staying home because they have been exposed to someone who has tested positive for COVID-19.

Being present and engaged in school are the first two keys for academic success. We will continue to monitor attendance and provide proactive communication regarding the attendance of all students. Additionally, we encourage students and parents to regularly monitor attendance records by logging into Infinite Campus for review.

- **Chromebook**

If you are in need of a chromebook, go to the BC Library during 1st Block on September 1, 2021. If you are having trouble with your Chromebook, please check out [this site for guidance](#) and if the issue persists, bring it to the BC Library.

- **Class T-Shirt Sales**

**Seniors**, commemorate your final year at BC with your Class of 2022 t-shirt! The cost is \$15 and you can pay on Infinite Campus, under Optional Payments. The order form will close at midnight on September 15th and Infinite Campus will close at midnight on September 17th. Please note that anyone who has ordered, but not yet paid will automatically be billed a late fee of \$5.00. Please see the order form [HERE](#).

**Welcome, BC Class of 2025!** Traditionally, each class has a t-shirt as part of our homecoming celebration. The freshman class color is white. We hope everyone will show their class unity by ordering this year's shirt. All purchases support the Class of 2025 directly. The cost is \$10 and all orders are due on or before Friday, September 10th. Please see this [flyer](#) for more details.

- **College Representatives Visits**

BC Student Services continues to offer opportunities for students to connect with representatives from colleges and universities from across the country. Click [here](#) for the schedule!

- **Connect with a Teacher**

If parents/guardians need to connect with a teacher, please consider emailing rather than calling. If a phone call is absolutely necessary, please email the teacher to request a phone call.

- **PSAT Information (Test Date: October 13, 2021 BC Main Gym)**

The PSAT is the Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test and is a standardized test administered by the College Board, cosponsored by the National Merit Scholarship Corporation. Scores for this test are NOT reported to universities, however if taken as a junior the score can be sent to certain scholarship organizations affiliated with the test. For example, taking the PSAT as a junior and scoring exceptionally well on this test is how students qualify for the National Merit Competition. Families of 10th and 11th graders wishing to take the PSAT in October need to pay a \$18 test fee in the Infinite Campus under optional fees by Friday, September 10th. ***Payment of this fee constitutes your registration for the test.*** For more information please visit <https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/psat-nmsqt-psat-10>.

- **School Meals**

We have an outstanding food service team at BC- quality food, service and a great variety. SDE will continue to provide a free school lunch to all students. Click [here](#) for the information about creating a lunch account. Student can access their lunch accounts with their student ID or by entering their student student ID # into a keypad.

- **Senior Portraits**

Click [here](#) for the information regarding senior portraits. Seniors who chose not to get senior portraits may take a picture with Empire for the yearbook. Picture make-up day is September 17th during 3rd Block. Senior Portraits are due by October 18, 2021.

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- **Week at a Glance**

Each week teachers will email a snapshot of the week to you and your child. This will include items such as learning targets, quizzes/tests/major due dates for the week.

- **Xello**

You have recently received information on parent access to Xello. This engaging online program helps students build the skills, knowledge, and plans to be future-ready. Xello supports student academic and career planning.

Unfortunately, Xello's bulk invite did not function properly and the links were expired. We apologize for the confusion. Parents who would like a new link to access Xello can include their information on this [form](#). Observing your student's work in Xello will create great conversation starters between you and your child! [HERE](#) is a parent guide for Xello.