Welcome To BCMS 2024-2025



Important Links:

For active clubs - Scroll this page **BCMS Absence Reporting Link BCMS Clubs Calendar**

Bell Schedule Map (BCMS) MS TV Studio - for Morning Announcements Using a Padlock (Tutorial Video)

Parents should note that links above that are inactive for parents are set that way intentionally. They are only for Student-use inside of school.

Cafeteria Seating Change **Request Form**



Grade 6 PE HOMEBASE Sign-Up Form

BCMS Student & Parent Handbook (pdf version) Code of Conduct

Note that this version of our Weekly Agenda will no longer be used in 2025-26 Go to the link below

2025-26 BCMS Weekly Agenda

ident Council Info

No LATE Buses on Tuesdays **Email Addresses for BCMS Admin:**

imunroepettit@bethlehemschools.org nconway@bethlehemschools.org mklugman@bethlehemschools.org

BCMS Team Teacher Identifier

Parents and students should be aware that what is below is NOT 100% accurate because of cases where students cross between teams.

The best source for this information is ASPEN under the schedule tab.

QUARTER 1 Counselor	6 HUDSON Ms. Young	6 MOHAWK Ms. Young	6 PATROON Ms. Young	
ELA	Ms. Barrett	Ms. Steil	Ms. Hock	
MATH	Mr. Waldenmaier	Ms. Saboda	Ms. Smith	
SOCIAL STUDIES	Ms. Qualia	Ms. Micieli	Ms. Meislahn	
SCIENCE	Ms. Beiter	Ms. Peters	Mr. Kearney	
COMPUTER LITERACY	Mr. Michalek & Mr. Farnan			
ART	Mr. Ruggiero			
MUSIC		Ms. Daly, Ms. DiFabbio, Ms. Rice		
SPANISH	Ms. Perez, Mr. S	cott, Ms. Dzekciorius, Ms. Treffert,	Ms. Lundgren	
FRENCH	Mr. Scott, Ms. Grogan			
PHYS ED	Ms. McGaughan & Ms. D'Amour Mr. Wood Mr. Charvat			
QUARTER 1 Counselor	7 HUDSON Mr. Lenhardt	7 MOHAWK Mr. Farnan	7 PATROON Ms. Flynn	

ELA	Ms. Schlesinger	Mrs. Bascue	Mr. Smith
MATH	Ms. Rubino	Ms. Mattis	Mr. Mongue
SOCIAL STUDIES	Mr. Van Brunt	Ms. McCabe	Mr. Reis
SCIENCE	Ms. Quackenbush	Ms. Genovese	Ms. Brophy
Eng. Basics I		Mr. Connelly, Mr. Gilday, Ms. Ludik	
ART	N	ls. Forman, Mr. Ruggiero, Ms. Hahn	1
MUSIC	Ms. C	Daly, Ms. DiFabbio, Ms. Rice, Ms. Pl	atek
SPANISH	Ms. Dz	zekciorius, Ms. McIlvain, Ms. Danise	e-Fox
FRENCH	Ms. Grogan		
PHYS ED		Ms. Banas, Mr. Braga, Mr. Nealon	
FACS		Ms. Bradt, Ms. Hayes	
QUARTER 1	8 HUDSON	8 MOHAWK	8 PATROON
Counselor	Mr. Lenhardt	Mr. Farnan	Ms. Flynn
ELA	Mr. Gigliello	Mr. Holoday	Ms. Sutphin
MATH	Ms. VanSteele	Ms. Huszar	Ms. Layman
SOCIAL STUDIES	Ms. Burns	Mr. Harley	Ms. Baker
SCIENCE	Mr. Tyler	Ms. Zemsky	Ms. Armstrong
Eng. Basics II	Mr. Connelly, Mr. Gilday, Ms. Ludik		
ART	Ms. Forman, Ms. Hahn, Mr. Ruggiero		
MUSIC	Ms. Daly, Ms. DiFabbio, Ms. Rice, Ms. Platek		

SPANISH 8	Ms. Dzekciorius		
Spanish 1	Ms. Lundgren, Ms. Danise-Fox, Ms. Treffert		
FRENCH 1	Mr. Scott, Ms. Grogan		
PHYS ED	Ms. Banas, Mr. Braga, Mr. Nealon, Mr. Bixby		
Health	Mr. Bixby, Ms. Mahon		
IED	Mr. Gilday		
Studio in Art	Ms. Hahn		
	Performing Music		
Band	Ms. Baker & Ms. Taylor (Ms. Vitale - lessons)		
Chorus	Ms. Daly		
Orchestra	Ms. Van Voris		

Club & Extracurricular Activities

Club	Purpose	Advisor(s)	Email for information		
	All Clubs listed below are planned to be ACTIVE this year (2024-25)				
Art Club Google Classroom Code: wdutcqp	The school year begins with our tradition of creating decorations for the main lobby of the school for the Halloween Ball. Then we move on to designing and painting murals, or independent study for the remainder of the year.	Mr. Ruggiero	pruggiero@bethlehemschools.org		
Astronomy Club Google Classroom Join Code = opkbtd5	Students in grades six to twelve are invited to participate in club meetings (held at the Middle School) that are announced through morning announcements. Star Parties are held during months with warmer weather and are also announced through school announcements. All community members are invited to attend star parties. Star parties are weather dependent. There is no charge to be a member of the club.	Dr. Klugman	mklugman@bethlehemschools.org		
Best Buddies Google Classroom Join Code = CZdxja2	Best Buddies pairs students with special needs with peers from the entire school to create an inclusive and friendly environment that facilitates connecting for all involved	Ms. Amiccuci Ms. Barrett	samiccuci@bethlehemschools.org mbarrett@bethlehemschools.org		
Badminton Club	Students meet to learn about and play Badminton	Mr. Bixby & Ms. Sutphin	mbixby@bethlehemschools.org ksutphin@bethlehemschools.org		
Be the Change Join code: qb3wqxa	designing activities that educate about issues of equity, diversity, and discrimination.		mmcginnis@bethlehemschools.org cdifabbio@bethlehemschools.org sbaker@bethlehemschools.org		
BCMS Stock Market Game (Club) Google Classroom	The BCMS Stock Market club is a feeder club for BCHS. Working with the BCHS club students will learn how markets work and have the ability to participate in a simulated stock market competition. You will learn how to make money and have fun along the way! Meetings will typically be on Tuesdays after school in room 113 and will be announced via morning		Inactive this year until further notice		

Join Code =	announcement.		
Character Committee (CC)	Students in CC choose the 4 nominees for our Hero of the Month each month Students also help out with our T-Shirt ordering and delivery each year Students also discuss school rules and assemblies related to Character in partnership with other clubs	Dr. Klugman	mklugman@bethlehemschools.org
Char Committee Google Classroom Join Code hbr3kvu	< Character Committee Join Code		
BCSD Chess Club Join by going to the website	BCSD's Chess Club is open to BC students in grades 3 through 12. We meet 1x per week usually on Friday night or Saturdays and players need no experience. Chess Club Website	Dr. Klugman	mklugman@bethlehemschools.org Chess Club Website https://sites.google.com/a/bethlehemschools.or g/bcsd-chess-club/home
BCMS Computer Club Google Classroom Join Code: xo4cuol	The BCMS Computer Club meets in Rm. 131 every other Wednesday. We talk about game design, coding, how to fix hardware and software.	Mr. Michalek	tmichalek@bethlehemschools.org
Crochet Club Google Classroom Join Code: 6k675h0	The crochet club is a group of students who both already love to crochet and students who are interested in learning. We provide the materials and students just have to show up. Our goal is to create blankets to donate to Project Linus, an organization that gives blankets to children in need. We meet on the 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month.	Ms. Genovese Ms. Lundgren Ms. Schlesinger	sgenovese@bethlehemschools.org slundgren@bethlehemschools.org zschlesinger@bethlehemschools.org
Dungeons & Dragons (D&D) dkvcqz5	The Dungeons and Dragons club is a student led club where students create plans which may include creating characters, extended campaigns, or days to teach others who want to learn! Meeting times will be communicated in the Google Classroom and announced in the mornings. Please keep an eye out for information on our first meeting.	Mr. Kearney Room 016	tkearney@bethlehemschools.org
Eagle Eye Student- Newspaper Google Classroom Join Code =	The Eagle Eye newspaper staff is made up of students from grades six to eight who are interested in writing and editing articles for BCMS students.	Mr. Smith Room 10	ssmith@bethlehemschools.org

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French Club Google Classroom Join Code = x7ge5ry	Students in the Middle School French Club develop confidence in French language learning through fun French games, music and cultural activities. French Club is open to all French students in grades 6-8. Join the French Club Google Classroom page for all club info and to sign up for each meeting. Please email Madame Grogan at mgrogan2@bethlehemschools.org if you have any questions	Ms. Grogan	mgrogan2@bethlehemschools.org
Garden Club (GC) Google Classroom join code: mbf hiv	Students in Garden Club take care of the produce gardens behind the school, help with events inside the school related to our gardens and often assist with the Farmer's Market when produce is ready to be distributed. See our Google Classroom page for our meeting schedule each week.	Mr. Warford Mr. Kearney Mrs. Perez	mwarford@bethlehemschools.org
Helping Hands Club Google Classroom Join Code = bv66z4k	This club is an organization of students who enjoy collaborating with others to positively impact our world. The club is open to all students at the Middle School. All year long we do "good deeds" to help out those in our school, local community, and beyond. The club meets every second and fourth Thursday of each month.	Ms. Qualia Ms. Peluso	cqualia@bethlehemschools.org cpeluso@bethlehemschools.org
History Bowl Google Classroom Join Code = fwucp3w	The History Bowl Club is open to all students who enjoy learning about history. The scope covers everything from ancient history to current events, politics, art, and music. Students also have the opportunity to compete in local, regional, and even national competitions.	Mr. Reis	mreis@bethlehemschools.org
<u>Intramurals</u>	Intramurals offer students a variety of games that promote cardiovascular exercise. All Intramurals starts at 7:15 am by the lower gym. Fall: Flag Football (Monday & Wednesday Mornings) September 16 - November 13	Mr. Wood & Mr. Nealon	jwood1@bethlehemschools.org mnealon@bethlehemschools.org
	Winter: 3 v 3 Basketball (Monday and Wednesday Mornings) December 9- Feb 26th)	Mr. Nealon & Mrs. McGaughan	mnealon@bethlehemschools.org pmcgaughan@bethlehemschools.org
	Spring: Volleyball/Kickball (Monday and Wednesday) March 3rd - May 14th	Mr. Charvat & Mr. Braga	mcharvat@bethlehemschools.org cbraga@bethlehemschools.org

Jazz Band	Jazz Band are musicians from our Middle School Band and Orchestra who meet to prepare, practice and perform Jazz pieces at our concerts throughout the year.	Ms. Taylor	jtaylor@bethlehemschools.org
Junior Chef Club Join Code-3zlrdjl	Are you an 8th grader interested in cooking or baking? This is the club for you! Join the Jr. Chef Google Classroom page for all important club info. Please read carefully as there is a system for signing up for each meeting and limited capacity.	Ms. Bradt & Ms. Hayes	lbradt@bethlehemschools.org mhayes@bethlehemschools.org
Under Ground Library club- YEAH! Google Classroom Join Code = ptdjt6r	Book club meets to do shared readings and discussions of the books they read	Ms. Lilly & Ms. Jackson	slilly@bethlehemschools.org mjackson@bethlehemschools.org
Magic the Gathering Google Classroom Join Code = heurnjr	Magic the Gathering club meets to play the card game of the same name Informational meeting will be on Wednesday, September 18th in room 145. MEETINGS On Mondays. (Starting September 23rd) in room 145	Ms. McGaughan	pmcgaughan@bethlehemschools.org
Math Counts GCR Join Code: ygixg5n	Math Counts is a competition based club that prepares students to compete in the state and national level math competition later in the Spring. All students are welcome to join.	Dr. Klugman	mklugman@bethlehemschools.org
Musical (BCMS) CREW CODE: cfa5guh	The musical typically involves a cast of 100 students and a technical crew of 50 students. Performances are usually the first weekend in February. Students audition and rehearse from late October through January. Student involvement is an integral part of the production, including character development, set building, costumes, lights and sound. Past musicals have included <i>Peter Pan</i> , <i>Oliver</i> , <i>The Wizard of Oz</i> and <i>Beauty and the Beast, Frozen, Jr.</i> , and You're a Good Man Charlie Brown.	Mr. Dashew, Ms. Daly, Mr. Gilday, Ms. Dashew	Crew Application
Odyssey of the Mind	Odyssey of the Mind is an international creativity competition. Teams work together to solve problems by writing an 8 minute skit and creating all their own sets, props and costumes. All teams compete at the regional	Ms. Beiter	rbeiter@bethlehemschools.org

	competition and could have the chance to move on to compete at the		
	state tournament or even world finals. Look for more info on the morning announcements at the end of September or early October.		
Pickleball Club GCR Join Code: 6ydq3hq	Join the fastest growing sport in the US! Club's official start date is 4/25/24	Mr. Nealon	mnealon@bethlehemschools.org
The PIT	The PIT is located in the basement of the Middle School and serves as an after school gathering place for BCMS students. The PIT is run by the Town of Bethlehem's Park and Recreation Department	Will be active in 23 - 24 more info coming soon	
Pride Club (PC) Google Classroom Join Code: jtmzhmb	Students in the Pride Club advocate for inclusive practices and equity for the LGBTQ+ community by designing & implementing programming that educates our student body	Ms. Flynn	mflynn2@bethlehemschools.org
Science Academic Bowl CODE: ao2u6p2	This club is for students who have a strong interest in science and math. The club meets once a week from October through March to prepare for the Regional Science Bowl competition. During this competition students engage in two events—a car race and a science academic bowl. The Middle School team consists of five students selected from the club. MEETINGS ON WEDNESDAYS	Ms. Genovese	sgenovese@bethlehemschools.org
8th Grade Science Club Google Classroom join code: 77d2gdi	Science Club is open to all eighth-grade students. The purpose of the club is to offer hands-on activities that further explore and enrich the physical science concepts introduced in the classroom. Students focus on problem solving, application of concepts through construction activities and friendly competition. Past projects have included model rocket building, soda bottle raft construction, musical instrument design, Rube Goldberg devices, NASA training activities and team problem solving. The interests of the members often determine the type of activities pursued. Club will meet the first and third Thursday of the month, beginning Oct. 3	Ms. Zemsky	czemsky@bethlehemschools.org
School Store Google Classroom join code:	The BCMS School Store supplies basic school supplies online through MySchoolBucks and during the school day (some lunches and homebases). Club members will help with inventory, ordering products, and point of sale support for all BCMS Students.	INACTIVE Ms. Amicucci	samicucci@bethlehemschools.org

SCREAMS (Town of Beth)	For information about any SCREAMS events or programming the phone number below is to the Town Park Office (who program all of these activities). 518-439-4955 Option #7	Town of Bethlehem	Town of Bethlehem
Select Choir	Select Choir is an auditioned based group for students enrolled in their grade level choir. Students will rehearse once a week after school and prepare music for school concerts throughout the year.	Ms. Daly	mdaly@bethlehemschools.org
Ski Club (Run by the School) GCR Code: copm2vq	The club will be skiing at Willard Mt. on Tuesday Nights. Google Meet on Thursday, October 7 @ 8pm to review information for signing up for the club. https://meet.google.com/grt-qzwt-qwg	Mr. Hogan	whogan@bethlehemschools.org
Staged Creations GCR Code: rfp7yvj	Staged Creations is open to all BCMS students. No Prior theater or acting experience is required. Students are cast in the production based on auditions. Each year there is a maximum number of students selected for performance parts in the show, and not every role is a speaking part. More information on this year's production will be available in late December.	Ms. Beiter Mr. Nichols	rbeiter@bethlehemschools.org rnichols@bethlehemschools.org
Students Against Destructive Decisions (S.A.D.D.) Google Classroom Code: q20bouh	Students Against Destructive Decisions (S.A.D.D.) is a peer leadership organization dedicated to preventing destructive decisions, particularly underage drinking, other drug use, impaired driving, teen violence, and teen depression and suicide. The club's mission is to provide students with the best prevention and intervention tools possible to deal with these issues.	Ms. Mahon	hmahon@bethlehemschools.org
Student Council GCR Code: t7l6azj	SC Activities fall into several categories—school improvement, school spirit, community service, promotion of grade-level activities and staff recognition.	Ms. Treffert Mrs. Layman Ms. Danise	vtreffert@bethlehemschools.org klayman@betlhemschools.org ddanisefox@bethlehemschools.org
Student Wellness and Training	Students come on a self-determined schedule on Tuesday and Thursday from October through June. The program begins at 6:45 a.m., with 25 minutes in the weight room for a muscular workout. Then students complete a cardio workout in the gym, usually through a game. Following	PE Staff	Open in early October - more info presented on the AM Announcements in late September Students can also ask their PE Teachers

(SWAT)	the exercise, students enjoy a healthy breakfast in the cafeteria. S.W.A.T. is open to all BCMS students. Come and get your day started in an upbeat way!		
Swim Club	The club is a learn to swim program where students learn to swim. Students are paired up with volunteer peer instructors who are overseen by Ms. Banas and Ms. McGaughan.	Will be active in 22-23 - more info coming soon	
Television Studio GCR Code: bryahbv	Students members of our TV Studio work in production for our AM Announcements & Anchor our announcements	Mr. Connelly Sra. Lundgren Ms. Ludik	tconnelly@bethlehemschools.org slundgren@bethlehemschools.org aludik@bethlehemschools.org
Twisty Puzzles Club fwuob5m	Twisty Puzzles Club Come check out the Twisty Puzzles Club! Bring your Rubik Cube(s) to learn tips/tricks and enjoy cubing with friends. Where: Mrs. Peters' Room 116 When: Every other Monday	lpeters@bethlehemschools.org	
Ultimate Frisbee GCR Code: p47w2co	Ultimate Frisbee is open to all BCMS students. The team meets before school at 7:15 AM. No experience is necessary. You'll learn about the Spirit of the Game, disc skills, and rules to play this fun and friendly sport.	Ms. Daly	mdaly@bethlehemschools.org
Yearbook GCR Code: vjkoitz	The Yearbook Club is made up of students who are interested in photography, layout design and all around creativity. Yearbook Club members work as a team to create the Middle School Yearbook. We meet every other Monday.	Ms. Schlesinger Mrs. Bascue	zschlesinger@bethlehemschools.org lbascue@bethlehemschools.org
	Inactive Clubs		
Climate Change Club	The Climate Change Club is open to all students regardless of what your beliefs are about Climate Change. The purpose of the club is discuss the science, but more importantly to make decisions and take action that helps our planet's Ecology and Environments!		

Athletics Coaching Contact Information

Sport	Girls/Boys	Level	Coach Name	Email
Please note: Only the level most applicable to MS athletes is listed below			hletes is listed below	
Volleyball	Girls	Mod 7/8	Ryan, Samantha	sryan@bethlehemschools.org
Volleyball	Boys	Mod 7/8	Charvat, Mike	mcharvat@bethlehemschools.org
Football	Boys	Mod 8	Waldenmaier, Mike	mwaldenmaier@bethlehemschools.org
Football	Boys	Mod 7	Gilday, Patrick	pgilday@bethlehemschools.org
Field Hockey	Girls	Mod 7/8	McCabe, Megan	mmccabe@bethlehemschools.org
Cross Country	Girls	Mod 9	Keri Deer	kldeer@icloud.com
Cross Country	Boys	Mod 9	John Deer	jdeer@bethlehemschools.org
Soccer	Girls	Mod 9	Jordan, Christen	cjordan@bethlehemschools.org
Soccer	Boys	Mod 7/8	Murray, Mark	markminda@gmail.com
Soccer	Boys	Mod 9	Henning, Ryan	rhenning714@gmail.com
Tennis	Girls	JV	Begley, Tom	
Golf	Boys	JV	Mongue, Jeff	jmongue@bethlehemschools.org
Golf	Girls	Var	Bixby, Matt	mbixby@bethlehemschools.org
			Winter Sports	
Sport	Girls/Boys	Level	Coach Name	Email
Wrestling	Boys	Mod 7/8	Mooney, Sean	smooney@bethlehemschools.org
Basketball	Girls	Mod 7/8	Kniffin, Lisa	lkniffin@bethlehemschools.org
				all Athletes should join the Mod Boys Basketball Google
Basketball	Boys	Mod 7/8	Mr. Doemel	CR - Use code sw4hqca ,
Swimming	Both	Mod 7/8	Banas, Sandi	sbanas@bethlehemschools.org
Bowling	Girls	JV		
Bowling	Boys	JV	Todd Tyler	ttyler@bethlehemschools.org
Gymnastics	Girls	Var	Julie Bushart	bushartjulie09@gmail.com
Hockey	Boys	Var		

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Spring Sports				
Sport	Girls/Boys	Level	Coach Name	Email
Baseball	Boys	Mod 7/8	Charlie Voelker	cvoelker1@bethlehemschools.org
Softball	Girls	Mod 7/8	Sharee D'Amour	sdamour@bethlehemschools.org
Softball	Girls	Mod 9	Jessica Hallock	jhallock@bethlehemschools.org
Lacrosse	Girls	Mod 7/8	Stephanie Cook Jennifer Colabufo	scook@bethlehemschools.org jenna.colabufo@gmail.com
Lacrosse	Boys	Mod 7/8	Patrick Gilday Braden Jones	pgilday@bethlehemschools.org bjones@bethlehemschools.org
Track & Field	Boys & Girls	Modified	John Deer Kari Deer	jdeer@bethlehemschools.org kdeer@bethlehemschools.org
Tennis	Boys		Steve Smith	ssmith@bethlehemschools.org