# BAMBERG MIDDLE HIGH SCHOOL



# WEEKLY PARENT INFORMATION June 13 – June 17

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Principal
Mr. Dominick Calabria

Assistant Principal Dr. Deena Brown

## **School Registration**

If you need to register your child for next school year, you may register at Bamberg Middle High School's main office, Monday-Friday from 0900-1500. Please contact the school at DSN 469-7630 or CIV 0951-300-7630 with any questions.

Monica Clark-Bailey Registrar

# **Parent Connection: Gradespeed**

Your POC for setup or problems is Mr. Williford, our Education Technologist. Please contact him by email at <a href="mailto:don.williford@eu.dodea.edu">don.williford@eu.dodea.edu</a> or DSN 469-8434, CIV 0951-3008434.

#### **BMHS Final Exam Schedule**

Friday June 10 (Regular Blue Day)

Period 1 Review

Period 2 Review

Period 3

Period 4

Monday June 13

Period 3 Review

Period 1 Exam

Period 4 Review

Period 2 Exam

Tuesday June 14

Period 5 Review

Period 3 Exam Period 6 Review Period 4 Exam

Wednesday June 15
Period 7 Review
Period 5 Exam
Seminar
Period 6 Exam

Thursday June 16 (Half-Day)
Period 7 Exam
Seminar -Make up Exam-

#### Reminder

Thursday, June 16<sup>th</sup> will be a half-day of school. Students will be released at 1110 with buses departing at 1115. The schedule for Thursday is 7<sup>th</sup> period followed by seminar.

#### **Summer Classes**

Students in grades 9-12 who need to take an online summer course to recover lost or missing credit should contact their counselor as soon as possible to register. Courses run for a four week period in the summer and up to one credit can be earned for free!

Please keep in mind that the students must login to the class daily. It is an online class and is accessible from anywhere in the world via the internet. Students who register for the class and do not complete it will receive a grade of "F" on their transcript and will not be permitted to take further online courses. Contact either Ms Taylor or Ms Bullard for information.

#### mealpayplus.com

Parents are now able to sign up at mealpayplus.com to monitor your child's lunch account balance. You are also able to add to the account online. When registering, make sure to select "exchange" under the state drop down window.

#### **Bus Office**

As a reminder students and parents are not allowed to take pictures of buses or loading operations on post. In fact there is a security post-wide ban of picture taking outside of buildings while on post. For security reasons the attendants will make reports to their supervisor on any picture taking activity around school buses. As the school farewells are upcoming, please remind the students and parents to not take pictures around the bus loading or on post.

Russell Lovmo Bamberg School Bus Office 469-8543 0162-2726462

#### **JROTC**

A bus chaperone is needed for Sunday, June 19<sup>th</sup> to chaperone the JCLC bus delivering the cadets to camp (from Schweinfurt to Grafenwoehr and return). A chaperone is also needed for Wed, June 29<sup>th</sup> to chaperone the bus from Grafenwoehr to Schweinfurt returning the cadets home at the end of the camp. The chaperone will be picked up in Schweinfurt and will be able to attend the graduation ceremony in Grafenwoehr. Please contact MAJ (Ret) Roberts if you are able to chaperone.

The deadline for uniform turn in was Friday, 3 June. As stated in the contract, a statement of charges will be processed for all outstanding items. Each cadet has been given a list with the dollar amount of the debt.

#### **Nurse's Notes**

Please call the nurse to make arrangements to take your child's medications home. Unclaimed medications will be returned to the MEDDAC Pharmacy for disposal.

Hold-harmless letters from your provider to allow the nurse to administer medication expire at the end of the school year. Consider getting a Hold-Harmless letter if getting a sports physical.

Summer is the ideal time to go to the clinic for sports physicals. We won't have to worry about expiring sports' physicals.

Food allergies require a letter from the physician. The doctor's letter allows cafeteria personnel to prepare the prescribed lunch for your child.

Make sure you keep a copy of ALL the records you provide to the school.

<u>Parenting Tip of the Week</u> - Help Prevent "Summer Learning Loss" Young people can lose two to three months of progress in reading achievement over the summer. Here are some tips to help prevent "summer learning loss":

- Set summer reading goals as a family. If a young person reads just five books over the summer, the effect "is potentially large enough to prevent a decline in reading achievement scores from the spring to the fall."
- Carry reading material for yourself and encourage your children to do so. Keep books in the car or your bag and you'll be ready to read while you're at a long line at the grocery store or post office.

Enroll your children at your local library's summer reading program. A listing of DoD libraries is available.



## **Chess Club**

The spring tournament results are in. After countless competitions among many players, here are the results:

First- Ryan Martindale-George won a troy ounce silver eagle and full date buffalo nickel

Second- Patrick Fowler won a 1923 silver peace dollar and a full date buffalo nickel

Third- Michael Jackson-Gonzales won a 1945 silver walking liberty half dollar and a full date buffalo nickel

Fourth- Adrian Carbajal won two Indian head pennies and two full date buffalo nickels

Please congratulate them on a battle won!

# **AAFES You Make the Grade**

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