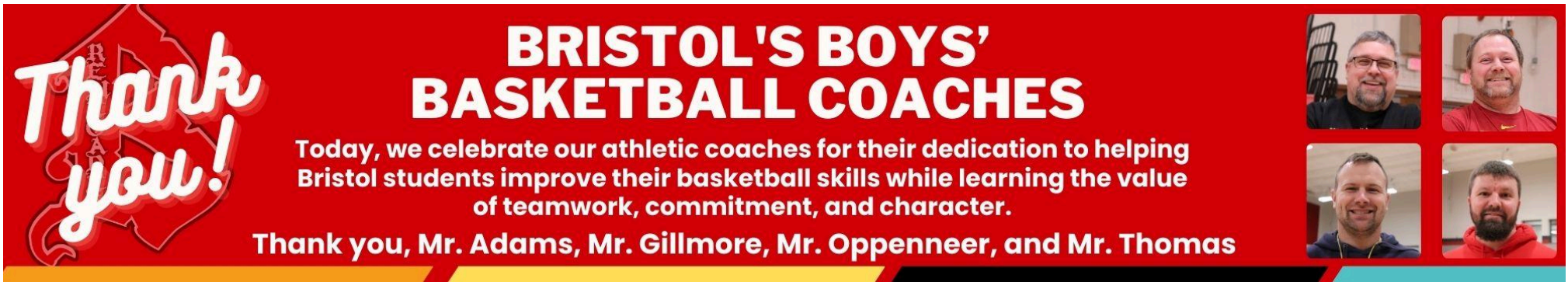




BRISTOL SCHOOL DISTRICT #1

Being a positive and lasting influence for all!




Thank you!

BRISTOL'S BOYS' BASKETBALL COACHES

Today, we celebrate our athletic coaches for their dedication to helping Bristol students improve their basketball skills while learning the value of teamwork, commitment, and character.

Thank you, Mr. Adams, Mr. Gillmore, Mr. Oppeneer, and Mr. Thomas



Friday, January 19, 2024

Dear Bristol Families,

Please review the important upcoming announcements compiled by Bristol's Administrative Team.

Important Upcoming Dates:

- **1/19/24 & 1/20/24 - Bristol Shootout!** The 2024 Bristol Shootout takes place on January 19th and 20th! Come show your support to our basketball and cheer teams! The B game is in action at 5:00 on the 19th, while the A team game begins at 7:00!
- **1/22/24 - No school & offices closed for teacher professional learning day!**
- **1/29/24 - 3 Year Old Birthday Party!** New or soon-to-be 3-year-olds are welcome to Bristol School on January 29th from 11:15am to 12:30pm for a birthday party and developmental screening. Children and parents will play, sing a happy birthday song, and have a birthday treat. Children will also be screened by our team in the areas of language/communication, academics/cognition, social/emotional skills, and motor skills. For questions and/or to register, please email rudolph.kim@bristol.k12.wi.us.
- **1/30/24 - 7th Grade Fundraiser at Bristol 45 Diner:** Be sure to mention "BRISTOL" to support the 7th grade end-of-the-year Field Trip!
- **1/31/24 - EARLY RELEASE!** Don't forget - our seventh early release is Wednesday, January 31st. Student dismissal is at 1:15pm!
- **2/8/24 - PTO Regular Meeting from 6-7:30pm:** There we will continue our planning for the All Grade Level Dance March 8th PLUS Staff Appreciation Week discussions.
- **2/14/24 & 2/15/24 - Parent Teacher Conferences:** Conferences will operate similarly to how they were done in the fall - we will have evening options on 2/14 from 4:00-7:00 pm and morning options on 2/15 from 7:30-11:00 am. Families will receive communication from classroom teachers by February 1st regarding classroom or grade-level-specific schedule information. We are looking forward to seeing our families!
- **2/16/24 - No School!**
- **2/19/24 - No school & offices closed for teacher professional development day!**

Important Reminders:

- **NEW! North Side Pick-Up Line:** If you pick up your child on the north (83rd Street) side, we have made a change to help make the pick-up line safer and move faster. **Please only stop your vehicle to let your child(ren) in when you are between the two crosswalks.** We appreciate your support with this change!
- **NEW! Skyward Notifications:** We have been made aware that families may not be receiving email notifications from Skyward when teachers post messages to Family Access. We are working with Skyward to address this issue. In the meantime, parents are encouraged to login to Skyward periodically during the week to check for new information. [Additionally, you can download the Skyward app on a smartphone or tablet and enable push notifications to ensure you do not miss important information from your child's teachers.](#) We will let families know when the issue is resolved.
- **NEW! Bristol Board of Education Approves to Place Operation Budget Question on the April 2, 2024, Ballot:** With the opportunity to maintain the mill rate at 4.70, the Bristol Board of Education approved the placement of an operational question on the April 2, 2024, ballot. This operational question will ask voters to give the district permission to shift \$700,000 per year from the debt levy to be used for operations, maintenance needs and curriculum for the next two years without increasing the school mill rate. More information is coming soon!
- **NEW! Lunch Menu Changes:** As a result of the 1/12/24 school weather closure, the lunch menu for Friday, 1/26/24, has changed to grilled cheese.
- **NEW! Appropriate Weather Wear:** As the temperature varies, please be sure to dress your children appropriately for the weather. Our goal is to have students outside for regularly scheduled recess. The following guidelines during the winter months determine whether or not to have recess: 10°F and above: full outdoor recess, Between 0-9°F: Shortened recess, Below 0°F: Remain indoors.
- **REMINDER! Westosha Central - Middle School Dance 1/26/24 from 6-8pm:** Cost of entrance is \$5. Dress code is informal/casual. [Please fill out a permission slip prior to arriving.](#) Limited concessions are available (chips, baked goods, and water). Hope to see you there!
- **REMINDER! Timber Ridge Family Event - Sold Out:** Fantastic news! The Bristol Athletics Booster Club's winter event at Timber Ridge Lodge and Water Park in Lake Geneva is officially sold out! A heartfelt thank you to everyone who purchased tickets, as your support means the world to our athletics program. Get ready for a day of fun and a break from this winter weather – we can't wait to enjoy it with you!
- **REMINDER! Westosha Central High School 8th Grade Registration / EXPO:** Families of eighth graders, it is time to start thinking about the 2024-25 school year and the beginning of high school. To begin your family's transition to Westosha Central, we will be hosting a registration meeting and EXPO for you and your child on Wednesday, February 7th. [Click here to learn more!](#)
- **REMINDER! Nurse Important Reminders:** We continue to see an influx of the stomach flu. Please do not send your child to school if they have had diarrhea or vomiting in the last 24 hours. We have also had an influx of strep amongst other illnesses. If your child has required the use of fever-reducing medications, they may return to school once their symptoms have subsided for 24 hours after the last dose. [Please review this graphic to help you determine when your child stays home and when they can come back to school.](#)
- **REMINDER! Bristol Athletics and the Bristol Booster Club need your help!** The annual Bristol Shootout, which is the largest athletics fundraiser of the year, takes place on January 19th and 20th. Volunteers are needed to work both the concession stand and ticket booth areas. If you're willing to help out, please sign up at the following link: [Bristol Shootout Volunteers.](#) Go Renegades!

Celebrations!

- **Fall PTO Golden Apple Award:** Congratulations to our illustrious band teacher, Mr. Murphy, who received the Fall's Golden Apple Award! Nominations for the Spring Golden Apple are now open until May 10th! Nomination link is t.ly/CKYKg.
- **8th-Grade Visit to Central:** A big thank you to Westosha Central High School for hosting our 8th-grade class today. This visit is the beginning of many steps to transition our 8th-grade students to high school.

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