

Friday, February 28th, 2025

Dear Bristol Families,

Upcoming Events:

- March 2025- The character traits we are working on at Bristol School this month is Perseverance and Grit.
- 03/03/25 Read Across America Week Starts!
- 03/04/25 Boys and Girls Volleyball at Salem Grade School 4:00 PM
- 03/06/25 Boys and Girls Volleyball vs Williams Bay School 4:00 PM
- 03/07/25 End of Second Trimester and end of 4K/5K Enrollment Window
- 03/14/24 Early Release for Students at 1:15pm, No School for 4K

District Office and Bristol School Board:

REMINDER! District Administrator Search: The Bristol School Board is searching for a new district administrator and seeking your input on the desired characteristics and skills that you would like to see in the next district administrator. Visit Bristol's <u>District Administrator Search</u> webpage for more information, the survey link, and community forum dates to share your thoughts.

Important Information:

- Safety Drill: Today, Friday February 28th, we practiced one of our Safety Response Drills. As a school we practiced our SECURE response. This response is how we might react if we received word that there was a natural or man made threat outside of the school. While we hope to not have to use these for real world situations, practicing these responses helps us react with confidence and builds muscle memory if we did.
- **Drama Club:** The Lion the Witch and the Wardrobe: A story from C.S. Lewis' classic The Chronicles of Narnia. Come see Aslan, the great lion, the White Witch, and four adventurous children who inadvertently wander from an old wardrobe into the exciting, never-to-be-forgotten Narnia. Performance times are March 15th at 7pm and March 16th at 2pm. Pre-sale tickets are \$8 for adults and \$5 for students. Door tickets are \$10 for adults and \$6 for students. Tickets can be purchased at the main office. **Tickets go on sale: February 24th.** Ticket order form.
- 2025-2026 School Calendar for Families: Planning for our new school year is already underway. <u>Bristol's 2025-2026 School Calendar</u> for families is now posted on the Bristol website under School\Home. More mobile-friendly, this page also includes a link to a printer-friendly version.
- **Yearbook Sale:** Yearbooks can be ordered online here: https://orders.schoolandsportpics.com/ordering/with?key=X5TQ4V4U The yearbook sale will run until April 1st. If School Sport and Pics have your email address they will email you reminders (to those that have not already ordered) once a month.
- **4K/5K Enrollment Window 2/24/25- 3/7/25:** Bristol families with four- and five-year-old children can enroll at Bristol School from Monday, February 24, through Friday, March 7. After submitting enrollment forms, families will be contacted to schedule a screening to help staff determine the best placement for your child. Current four-year-old Bristol students are exempt from enrollment and screening. All families must register in August. Enrollment forms can be picked up from the school office. More information is available on our school website.
- Read Across America Week: March 3-7, 2025 Bristol School is excited to celebrate literacy during the annual Read Across America Week! We invite our students to celebrate each day that week: Monday, 3/3 Bring a favorite book to school and read with a buddy; Tuesday, 3/4 Bring a flashlight to school and read in the dark; Wednesday, 3/5 Wear crazy socks and read a funny story; Thursday, 3/6 Guest reader day; Friday, 3/7 Wear your PJ's and read in front of the fireplace.
- End of Second Trimester: 3/7/25 Keep the end of the second trimester on your radar! If your child has late or missing work that needs to be submitted, please keep in mind what has been communicated through the <u>Student and Parent Handbook</u>: For school work that is not submitted by the communicated deadlines, students should expect delayed feedback and grading from teachers. Any late school work must be submitted at least five school days prior to the end of the trimester to be factored into the grades of that marking period.
- Summer School Save the Dates:
 - a. June 16-20 and June 23-27
 - b. July 7-11 and July 14-18
 - c. Summer Band to Follow

School Nurse:

Norovirus please read this document about preventing the spread and dealing with this illness.

PTO:

- Last Weekend to Shop: PTO is hosting a super duper pasta-rific fundraiser where every noodle purchased benefits Bristol's STEAM Club! There is a shape for every occasion and interest. Shop in the month of February: t.lv/tYKu_
- March 14th 4-9pm. Come and get your game on with the Action Territory Unlimited Play Event. Wristband options for indoor activities (laser tag, bumper cars, VR) starting at \$15 per person (1/3 of each wristband is donated to your PTO) Arcade additional.

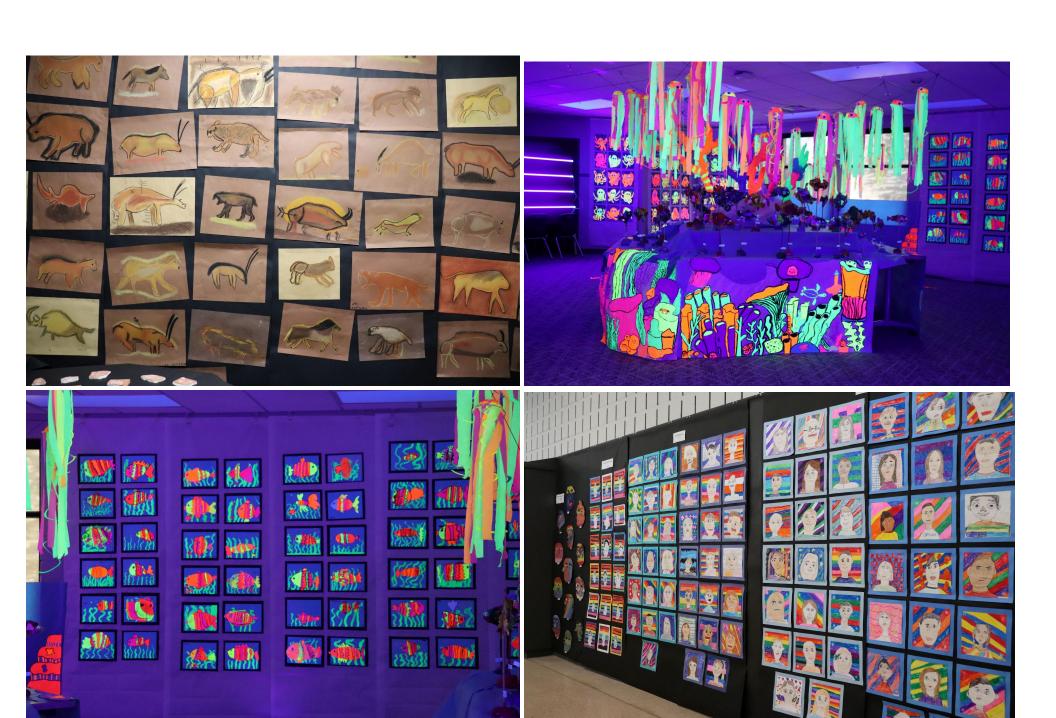
Community Resources:

• <u>The Sharing Center</u>: The Sharing Center serves Western Kenosha County communities by sharing resources and advocating for self-sufficiency. <u>Here is a comprehensive list of resources and services the Sharing Center provides! *Have questions? Call 262-298-5535 or email director@thesharingcenter.net*.</u>

Shout Outs:

STEAM NIGHT- What a huge success! So many "thank yous" to go around! To our *Art Team* for hours and hours of collecting work samples, organizing, and creating displays. To see the pride in our students when they find their art pieces and look on the families' faces when they enter "the Aquarium" made the night special. To our *Music Team* for coordinating time, space, and sound so our school was filled with really cool pieces and our students showed off some mad talent. To our *PTO* for helping decorate, coordinate, communicate, set up, take down, and support our evening, we hope you also made time to share the experience with your families. To our *Presenters and Volunteers* for giving your time and talents to inspire our students to see just how what they learn and do today could lead to a prosperous life of discovery. To our *Custodial Team* for all of your hard work to make sure our beautiful building was show-worthy, for supporting every radio call and request, and having the building back ready for school the next day is nothing short of a miracle. To our *School Board* for being here to help with tours, greet our guests, and support our day-to-day as much as our community events. Finally, to all of our *Students, Families, and Community* for being here and filling our school with smiles, conversation, and inspiration, and for helping us realize this new beautiful space we have to teach and learn. If you were not able to attend there are a few pics below.

Solo and Ensemble- Congratulations to the Bristol band members who won 70 gold medals, 17 silver medals and 2 bronze medals at the solo & ensemble festival at Central High School on Saturday. Our Bristol jazz ensemble members won gold medals for their performance and Brayden H., Ben E., Alex A. and Preston H. are trumpet players who have qualified for state competition in May at UW Parkside.



QUICK LINKS		
2024-2025 School Calendar	District Communication Web Page	Bristol Student Recognition Web Page
District Events Calendar Web Page	Bristol Board Website	Virtual Backpack Web Page
Bristol Booster Club's Facebook Page		Bristol PTO