

The Bulldog Broadcaster

Stacy Bachelder, Principal John Forrest, Assistant Principal October 2019

Good luck to our Cross County Bulldogs!



Broad Street Elementary School Newsletter

Dates to Remember For October

- * 2— National Walk to School Day
- * 3– K Field Trip to Parlee Farm 8:30-11 am
- * 4– Gr. 3 Field Trip to Beaver Brook 9:15 am— 1:30 pm
- * 7-18—PTO Spirit Wear Sale, more info to follow
- * 8– PTO meeting 6:45 pm, Teacher's Lounge Columbus day
- * 12- XC Meet at NHS North 9am
- * 14—NO SCHOOL, Columbus Day
- * 15– Flu Shot Clinic 9-11 am
- * 19– STEM Fest– Mt Pleasant 10-2 Grades 4/5, Permission Required
- * 17– Progress Reports sent home T1
- * 23– Early Release, K-5 dismissal at 12:40 pm; NO PRESCHOOL
- * 25-Fall Dance 6:30-8 pm
- * 28– Nov.1—Book Fair
- * 28-Nov. 1—Red Ribbon Week

Early Release Information

Early Release for the month of October is scheduled for Wednesday, October 23rd, 2019. Dismissal will take place at 12:40 PM. Please make arrangements to have your children picked up promptly. There will be NO preschool on this day.

A Message From Our Principals

We are off to a great start of the new school year! Students have settled into their classes and are quickly learning the new routines. We were happy to see everyone at Open House and hope to continue seeing everyone throughout the year at our school gatherings or in the school volunteering. We have a lot of information in this newsletter so please read thoroughly.

Thank you for your continued patience and adherence to the car pool drop-off and Pick-up procedures. A reminder that your child must be picked up in the loop. Please do NOT park in the lot and have your child cross the crosswalk.

The weather has remained warm and students are able to enjoy great weather on the playground. Please remember that students need appropriate shoes (closed toe) to be running and playing on the equipment. You may have heard your child talking about new equipment

on the playground. The PTO purchased a large number of items like yard sized Connect Four, balls, jump ropes, frisbees, Jenga, and more! Please continue to help support the PTO by participating in fundraisers.

Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions.

Have a wonderful month!

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PTO News

Happy Fall Broad Street Families and Staff! Thanks to all those who joined our Chick-Fil-A Dine in Night last month! It was great seeing all of you there. I'm happy to say our first Big Fundraiser (Yankee Candle) has come to an end and I have a good feeling this one will be a big success. We have a new Spirit Wear Sale that's coming up this month 10/7-10/18. Be on the look out for those flyers coming home as well as information for our next Dine In Night on 10/10 at UNO's. Please mark vour calendar for our FALL DANCE on 10/25! We hope you will join us for the Spooktacular event. Our next PTO meeting is Tuesday, October 8th at 6:45 pm in the Teacher's Lounge. Please, come, support share your us, thoughts, and hear about the upcoming events. Save the date: Breakfast with Santa/The Holiday Fair will take

place on Saturday, December 14th from 9am-1pm in the gym. More information will follow. Crystal DiTullio, PTO President

A Note from the Nurse

Fall is here!! The days will soon be getting cooler, please be sure your child is dressed appropriately for outdoor recess each day. If your child needs to stay inside for recess, you must provide a note from your doctor. With cold and flu season approaching please remember to keep your child home from school if he/ she has any of the following symptoms: fever of 100 degrees or higher, vomiting, diarrhea, severe cough, sore throat, severe cold, or conjunctivitis. Your child must stay home for 24 hours after the fever is gone without the use of Tylenol or Motrin to reduce the

The Nashua Public Health Flu Clinic for Broad St School Students is scheduled for Tuesday, Oct . 15th from 9AM until 11AM. If you have chosen to have your child receive their vaccination at this time, please make sure all your paperwork is turned in no later than Oct 9th.

Festive Healthy Snack Idea—cut off the top of an orange, scoop out the inside, cut eyes, nose and mouth in the skin and fill with cut up fruit.

Marsha Peterson, RN



Guidance News

Happy fall! Lunch groups and classroom lessons have started. Lunch groups are a casual way of checking in with all students throughout the school year. Lunch group focuses on basic social skills that include turn taking, staying on topic, asking relevant questions, good manners, etc. If you don't want your child to participate or have any questions please let me know. Classroom lessons have also started in the lower grades (K-2). All students will have 12 guidance lessons split up over the year. The younger grades are currently learning how to be a whole body listener, personal space, emotions, coping skills, mistakes and teamwork.

The end of October our school, along with all the schools in the district, will be participating in Red Ribbon Week. This is a week where we focus on making healthy choices and pledging to stay drug free. More information will be coming in a newsletter mid-October with all the activities that are planned for that week.

Kim Remillard, Guidance Counselor



Library News

Broad Street Families, please be on the lookout for a packet from the School Store Program. These will be distributed to your child the week of October 7th. Information on the program and instructions for participating will be included. Funds raised from this program support our school library media center. Thank you!

The Book Fair is coming!! Our Fall book fair will take place Oct .28th—Nov. 1st. Students will be getting the book fair brochure and additional information about the fair the week before the fair begins. Parents are welcome to come to the fair during the school day. Please check in at the office if you do so. If you are able to help out at the fair, please contact me at lalibertem@nashua.edu. Your support of the book fair provides funds for the purchase of additional materials for our library media center.

Michele Laliberte Librarian



School Year Reminder

The scheduled last day of school is Tuesday, June 16th, but that day is not guaranteed as the last day of school. Please be mindful that as you are looking ahead at summer vacation plans that we will have snow days to make up and that typically that brings us to later in the month of June.

Absences due to vacation plans are unexcused. It is important that students are in class for all of their instructional time. Thank you for your consideration.

Office News

Stay connected by signing up for Daily Announcements! This is a great way to stay up to date and get information about upcoming events, lunch of the day, resources and much more. Go to our Broad Street School website at http://www.nashua.edu/broad/home

Then go to the "For Parents" tab and "Announcements Sign Up". You will receive an email every day with school information. You can also sign up to receive information from other schools should you have students at more than one school.

Fall is a great time to clean out closets, drawers and bookshelves! Our clothes and books donation bin is located in the lower parking level down behind the marquis at the front of the school. All donations are helpful and will provide our school with funding for programs and events.

If you have alternate dismissal plans for your child, please be sure to send in a note. This will help the teacher know where your student should go at the end of the day. It also cuts down on phone calls to the office and classroom interruptions. Also, if you are not getting automated calls or emails that you believe you should be receiving, please contact the office to make sure that we have your accurate contact information at 966-1880.

Remember the district website <u>www.nashua.edu.</u> Has a wealth of information, school calendars, times, inclement weather info. Also you can access the Broad St website.

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