

BROOKWOOD JR./SR. HIGH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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School closings due to emergency conditions will be announced the following ways: Facebook, Email, Text, Voice Recording sent to families via SchoolMessenger; Announcements on the following radio & television stations: Radio-WCOW 97.1 FM, WBOG 94.5 FM, WVRO 102 FM; Television-WKBT La Crosse Channel 8, WXOW La Crosse Channel 19.

Lunch Menu for March 25th - 29th

All lunches are served with the option of fresh vegetables, fresh fruit, salad and milk.

Monday	Pizza or Chicken Enchiladas, Spanish Rice, Fresh Fruit & Vegetables
Tuesday	Mini Corn Dogs or Meatball Sub, Diced Potato Bites
Wednesday	Orange Chicken or Chicken Quesadilla, Rice, Steamed Broccoli
Thursday	NO SCHOOL: Holiday Break / Vacation
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Please make sure your students have money in their lunch account as we cannot provide free breakfast & lunch this year. Free & Reduced Meal Applications are available in the office. Payments can be sent to school with your student or online through Skyward.

Student Showcase Fundraiser Concert - TONIGHT @ 6:30pm (Classic Gym)

• Talent show style concert • Snacks & beverages provided • Free will donations •

Come join in the fun and help raise money for Brookwood's Band & Choir Programs!

Student of the Week

Dakota Peterson works hard and tries his best. He is always willing to help his classmates and works well in group projects. He is a positive presence in the classroom, and we're glad to have him!

Upcoming Events

Thursday, Mar. 21st	Music Showcase Fundraiser Concert at 6:30pm - Classic Gym (<i>Free will donations</i>)
Mar. 28th - Apr. 1st	NO SCHOOL: Holiday Break / Vacation
Saturday, Apr. 27th	High School Prom (HS students only): 8:00pm - MIDNIGHT
Sunday, Apr. 28th	High School Post Prom (HS students only): @ Jump Start in LaCrosse after the dance
Friday, May 24th	Class of 2024 Graduation

Thursday, March 21

HS Girls Basketball Team Celebration: 6:30 (HS Commons)

Friday, March 22

Brookwood Alumni Tournament @ Brookwood: Co-ed Volleyball

Saturday, March 23

HS Track @ UW-LaCrosse: 9:00 (Rob Ross / WIL 6:25; ONT 6:35; NOR 6:50)

Brookwood Alumni Tournament @ Brookwood: Men's Basketball & Women's Volleyball

Monday, March 25

HS Softball @ Melrose-Mindoro: 4:30

JH Track Practice Begins: 3:30

Thursday, March 28

HS Baseball vs. Blair-Taylor @ Wilton Baseball Field: 5:00

SOFTBALL & BASEBALL - EARLY DISMISSAL FOR PRACTICES:

Whenever you have practice off campus, you'll be allowed to leave Falcon Time at **3:10pm** to get dressed for practice. The baseball/softball bus will be parked along the side of the school and will depart at 3:20pm. That will give the players just under ten minutes to get to their locker, find a place to change, and then make it to the bus.

NOTES ABOUT ATTENDING ATHLETIC EVENTS:

SUPERVISE CHILDREN Young children need to be supervised at all athletic events. We've had a couple of incidents where unsupervised kids were injured while running through the halls. Also, some unsupervised children are disrupting the work of the night custodians. Please show our custodians the respect they deserve.

FAN CONDUCT Fans are reminded that attendance at athletic contests carries responsibilities. The expectation is that fans support all of our teams and coaches in a positive manner. Yelling at officials, coaches, and players is not positive, reflects poorly on our school and our community, and embarrasses our student-athletes.

FEBRUARY ATHLETES OF THE MONTH

Girls Basketball	Boys Basketball	Wrestling
Kymber Kaiser & Kylie Powell	Brady Hansen	Berulo Rodriguez

CONGRATS TO BROOKWOOD'S WINTER SELECTIONS FOR:***SCENIC BLUFFS ALL CONFERENCE AWARDS***

1ST TEAM: Berulo Rodriguez (WR) & Vanessa Anderson (GBB)

2ND TEAM: Ruby Muehlenkamp (GBB)

HONORABLE MENTION: Brady Hansen (BBB), Wyatt Maurhoff (BBB) & Reagan Muehlenkamp (GBB)

SPORTSMANSHIP: Marshall Doll (BBB), Kymber Kaiser (GBB), Gracin Stebbins (WR)

Artists of the Month!

Sophie Teynor for her colored pencil drawing, **Toby Eness** for his watercolor landscape of a mountain stream, and **Dawson Thieman** and **Lydia Voigts** for their Elements and Principles of Art books.

IN OTHER NEWS:

- **National Honor Society:** On Monday, March 18th, 11 new members were inducted into NHS:
 - *Alivia Brandau, Fernanda Garcia Barr, Evelyn Gibson, Katelyn Lee, Reagan Muehlenkamp, Ruby Muehlenkamp, Alonna Rogalla, Gracin Stebbins, Ellie Thieman, Brynn Thurston & Alice Wiedmeyer*
- **Prom & Post Prom 2024:** This year's prom theme is "Tangled in our Memories". The dance will be held on Saturday, April 27th from 8pm - 12am (including a grand march of our prom court). Post prom will be at Jump Start Trampoline Park in LaCrosse, following the dance. More information to come.
- **Summer Volleyball:** Open to 8th-11th grade girls: If you're interested in playing summer volleyball, please see Emily Cunitz for more information. Registration is due Tuesday, Mar. 26th.
- **From the Music Dept:** Mark your calendars for upcoming performances by Brookwood's Music Dept:
 - Student Showcase - March 21st
 - Solo & Ensemble @ Cashton - April 6th
 - Large Group @ Westby - April 24th
 - Pops Concert - May 19th
- **Trap Club:** Open to students in 8th-12th grade. Registration must be done through an online portal and interested students should see Ryan Green to get that registration information. The first meeting is Sunday, Mar. 24th at 3:00pm at the Wilton Gun Club. Students must have completed the online registration as well as the Hunter's Education course before our first meeting. We plan to meet every Sunday (except Easter Sunday) until May 19th. See Mr. Green with questions.
- **Pre-School Playgroup:** Join us every Friday from 10-12pm for activities, learning, fun & snacks! District kids aged 4K & younger can attend with an adult.

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News From Your Local Libraries:

Norwalk Public Library: All events are free! Please register so that we know how many supplies to prepare.

- **Easter Egg Hunt:** Join us on the library lawn at 10:00 am on March 30th for our annual Easter egg hunt!
- **Solar Eclipse:** On April 8th we will experience a total solar eclipse. The Norwalk Public Library has solar eclipse viewing glasses so you can watch this exciting event! Stop by and pick up a pair, or join us on the front lawn of the library starting at 1:45pm on April 8th.

- LEGO CLUB: Our ongoing Lego club will meet on April 1st and April 15th at 4:00 pm. All ages are welcome!
- Adult After Hours After Dark Book Club: If you enjoy fantasy with a little spice, *Hooked* by Emily McIntire is our next read that is right up your alley. Discussion date: April 4th, 6:30 pm. Come on down to the library to learn more, grab a copy, or place a hold.
- Adult Book Club: We are reading *Demon Copperhead* by Barbara Kingsolver. Book club Discussion date: April 8th, 4:30 pm. Place a hold online with your library card, or stop in to the library and we can do it for you.
- Preschool story time and playgroup: Bring the littles in on April 13th at 10:00 for preschool story time and playgroup. No registration required. Ages birth – 5 years.
- We also still have a lot going on in March. Kids crafts on the 21st, adult craft (paper quilling) on the 25th, teen crafts on the 28th, and our popular donuts & discussion book chat on the 23rd. See our website, Facebook page, or newsletter for more details. Hope to see you there!

Ontario Public Library:

- Scott Lind will present “Protecting Our Night Skies” on April 22 at 4:00pm at the Ontario Public Library. Did you know the Kickapoo Valley Reserve, Wildcat Mountain State Park, and the Mississippi Valley Conservancy are working together to designate a collective 13,300 acres as Wisconsin’s second Dark Sky Park through the International Dark Sky Association? Please join us to learn about dark sky quality and how you can help.
- Watch the Solar Eclipse on April 8th with Ontario Library in Palen Park (weather permitting). Viewing glasses available until gone. Estimated time of viewing is from 1:00-3:00pm.
- Teen Tuesdays will be held on the 3rd Tuesday of the month at the Ontario Public Library this spring: March 19, April 16, and May 21. High School aged teens are invited to hang out in the library after school. Games and snacks and books will be provided.
- Storytime will continue to be held on Wednesdays at 11:00 am through May 29th at Ontario Public Library. Come for stories and fun at the library!

Wilton Public Library: All upcoming events are free at your library. See you there!

- March 22 10:00 AM: Current Events Discussion Group
- March 23 10:00 AM: Books with the Bunny
- March 25 4:00 PM: Lego Club
- March 27 10:30 AM: Preschool Story Hour
- March 27 12:30 PM: Friends of the Wilton Library meeting
- March 27 3:30 PM: Crafting Hour: Decorated Easter Egg and felt bunnies
- March 29 10:00 AM: Current Events Discussion Group
- March 29 11:30 AM: Storytime: Eclipses All ages welcome!
- March 29 4:00 PM: Movie: Eclipse Over America
- April 2 4:00 PM: Board Game Club
- April 3 10:30 AM: Preschool Story Hour