Here is what is happening at Burris this week (August 21st – August 25th):

Monday:
Picture order forms MUST be turned in by 8 am in the front office.

Friday:
School Picnic (East Lawn) 6-8 p.m.
Back-To-School Dance (Grades 9-12) Cafeteria 7-9 p.m.
BURRIS PTSO

BURRIS PTSO INVITES YOU TO THIS YEAR’S

BACK TO SCHOOL

→ PICNIC!

Join us on the Burris East Lawn
Friday, August 25th, from 6pm-8pm

PTSO will provide pizza from Greek's Pizzeria, utensils, and paper products.
Just bring along the appropriate side item listed below!

PLEASE BRING THE FOLLOWING:

Grades K-2nd: Fresh Fruits
Grades 3rd-5th: Fresh Veggies
Grades 6th-9th: Dessert
Grades 10th-12th: Chips

Please bring the appropriate item for each one of your children.

For example, if you have a 2nd and 11th grader, please bring fresh fruit & a bag of chips.

(Leftover items in acceptable condition will be donated to the Kindergarten and 1st Grade rooms for snacks.)

Water will be $1/bottle to support the 4th & 5th Grade Camp Crosley Trip

WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU THERE!

We could use your help! If you are available to help setup, serve food, or tear down at this event, please email us at burris_ptso@yahoo.com.
We had picture day this week at school! The students all looked so nice for picture day! Picture order forms were sent home with the students and forms were available in the front office. If you are still wanting to order pictures the deadline to turn them in at the front office is Monday, August 21st at 8 am. Forms will not be accepted after that point. You can order pictures at www.crabtreephotos.com.
BRING YOUR FAMILY TO SPEND THE DAY WITH US!

Available for FREE at Fan Jam:

- Ball State Athletics Posters and Giveaways
- Meet some of our Fall Sport Student-Athletes
- Autographs from Participating Student-Athletes
  - Photo Opportunities
- Food and Drinks from our Corporate Partners
  - Locker Room Tours

- Scheumann Stadium gates will open at 5 PM
- Free parking available in Scheumann Stadium lots
- WLBC Mobile Command will broadcast live from the event!

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Youth Symphony Orchestra Announces Opportunity for Beginning String Students

Announcing a wonderful opportunity for beginning string students! The Prelude Orchestra, one of the Youth Symphony Orchestras of East Central Indiana, will meet Monday afternoons, beginning August 28, in Hargreaves Music Building, on the campus of Ball State University.

This program is open to absolute beginners, as well as students who have had beginning string instruction, from Kindergarten through high school age. Tuition is $125 per school year. Rental instruments (violin, viola, cello, and bass) are available at a cost of $50 per school year, plus $25 security deposit.

Contact Tiffany Arnold at tarnold@ysoeci.com for more information and to register.
"The Coding Connector is currently offering multiple classes for students in 1st - 12th grades. Each class is taught by TechWise Academy instructors who guarantee your student a fun course while learning all about code. The Coding Connector combines a state-of-the-art facility with fiber based internet access, computer resources, an active marketing and business center and the absolute best coding instructors and facilities in our community. Please join us as we teach your children “THE NEW LANGUAGE OF THE FUTURE.” “
Indiana Black Expo is excited to announce the registration open for the 2017 Circle City Classic® Education Day Party. The Education Day will be on Saturday September 23rd in Lucas Oil Stadium. The 2017 Circle City Classic® Education Day Party is open to all middle school, high school and non-traditional students, the fair provides attendees with admissions and financial aid information as well as the opportunity to meet university representatives in person.

Additionally, students will have the opportunity to connect with educational service providers to learn more about scholarships, financial aid and testing requirements necessary for admittance. The tentative schedule is as follows:

11:30 AM    Attendee Check-In & Registration
11:30 AM – 2:30 PM College Fair/ Meet & Greet
1:30 PM – 2:30 PM Day Party
3:00 PM    Kick-Off

Click **HERE** to reserve your groups tickets to the 2017 Circle City Classic® Education Day Party. **Organizations requesting tickets agree to ensure students attend the Education Day Party.**
Counseling Center Announcements
August 18, 2017

NWEA for Grades K-8

We wanted to let parents and students know that NWEA will be starting this next week for students in grades K-8. NWEA is a nationally normed achievement test that is used to help identify students’ academic needs and to make sure they are in the proper classes. This fall students will be taking a Math and Reading NWEA test. Results are given to elementary parents during parent teacher conferences.

Seniors Exploring Engineering at Purdue

The Purdue Women in Engineering Program (WIEP) would like to invite female seniors to a FREE daylong engineering program called Seniors Exploring Engineering, on Monday, October 16, 2017. The program is geared toward women in their senior year of high school with an interest in engineering. Here you will have the chance to connect with current engineering students and ask questions, interact with engineering career professionals, tour engineering campus and residence halls, and much more!! Please visit the website listed below for more information about this day and how to register.

Registrations are due by Monday, October 9th

Contact Information: (765)494-3889; wiep@purdue.edu; www.purdue.edu/WIEP

Academy Day with Senator Todd Young

High School students are invited to an academy day event that is tailored to all high school students who wish to learn more about the United States service academies: the U.S. Military Academy, the U.S. Naval Academy, the U.S. Coast Guard Academy, the U.S. Marine Academy, and the U.S. Air Force Academy. You can attend to learn more about the nomination process, hear from Senator Todd Young, and meet representatives from the U.S. Service Academies. This is a one day event from 6:00pm-7:30pm in different locations on Monday, August 28th, Tuesday, August 29th, and Wednesday, August 30th. Please come to the Counseling Center for more information about this Academy Day.
Are you interested in attending Purdue?

Sign up for Purdue College Visit Day on August 22nd at 11:00!

Purdue Representative Vanessa Gibson will be visiting the Burris Auditorium to answer questions and pass out information about Purdue.

Interested? Head to the counseling center and sign up for a spot with Mrs. Milligan.

(This is a very popular college, so sign up soon!)
Immunizations: Please make sure your student is up to date on their immunizations asap. Give updated immunizations to the clinic.

Physicals: All NEW student should submit a copy of their current physical to the clinic. All Kindergarten, 4th grade and 9th grade students should submit a physical to the clinic.

Food Allergies: Please keep in mind that your student’s classroom may have students with food allergies. Please consult with your classroom teacher before bringing in food for special days, activities or birthdays. We have many peanut and tree nut allergies in the school along with other food concerns. Read food packaging labels – read the ingredient list and check the package to see if it list manufactured in facility that processes peanuts or tree nuts. Please reference the link below as a safe snack guide:

http://snacksafely.com/safe-snack-guide/

Illnesses: Please remember to report to the clinic any contagious illnesses. You may contact the clinic via phone: 765-285-8640 or email: hilchalfant@bsu.edu This allows us to begin deep cleaning in areas of concern and to monitor the spread of the illness. Things such as Hand Foot and Mouth can cause complications to pregnant women. Please report illnesses such as: pink eye, hand foot and mouth, impetigo, MRSA, head lice, ringworm, scabies, strep throat or scarlet fever, gastrointestinal illnesses, meningitis, mononucleosis, influenza, chicken pox, measles, pneumonia, whooping cough...

Medications: Please remember that PARENTS should bring medications to the clinic. Students are not to bring medications. Parents must sign medication administration form for OTC medications. Prescription medications MUST have a SIGNED physician order. All medications must be in the original pharmacy bottle.

Antibiotics and Eye drops can be given at home (before school, after school and before bed).

Prescription Medications: MUST have a note from the physician with student’s name, directions and have a signature. Pharmacy labels are NOT a signed order. Parent then completes administration form.

Over the Counter Medications: Parent brings in medication in original pharmacy bottle NOT in a baggie...and complete administration form.

Food Recovery: Burris food recovery program is a program that we started last year. It helps eliminate our wastes in the cafeteria while helping others. Any student that eats school lunch or brings their lunch may participate. Any food item that is pre-packaged and unopened such as milk, yogurt, cheese sticks, packaged crackers... if the student does not want it instead of throwing it away they can place it in a cooler in the cafeteria. These items will be inspected, dates checked and placed in a refrigerator to be donated at the end of each week. Our hope is to provide these items to a Burris family that could use the assistance. If no Burris family is in need the items will go to a food bank. If your family needs assistance please notify the clinic or Mrs. Miller

Old Burris Clothing: Please don’t take your Burris clothing to the goodwill...bring it to the office or nurse’s office and we will provide students in need.
Attention High School students.... Do you have school spirit? Are you ready to be a leader in the Owl Community? If so, the High School Cheerleading Program is looking for students like you! High School tryouts will take place next week from August 23 – August 25, 2017. In order to tryout you must have an IHSAA Physical on file and be in good standing of all Burris Policies. Cost for new cheerleaders this year will be $245 for all required items including travel. Returning cheerleaders will have cost of $135 plus replacement items. For further information please visit http://www.burrisathletics.com
Owl fans, looking for Burris wear for Fridays? The latest order forms for Owl Wear are available in the main office or at [http://burrisathletics.com/main/filesLinks](http://burrisathletics.com/main/filesLinks). All orders are due to Mr. Wlodarek no later than Friday, August 25, 2017 at 3:15 pm.

Looking for entertainment this weekend? The Boys Tennis team will be hosting the 4th Annual Owl Tennis invite at Cardinal Creek courts starting at 9:00 am. Our Lady Owls Soccer team will host Jay County at 11:00 am for their season opener at South Field located across the street from the hospital on University Avenue.

For up to date information, please visit [http://www.burrisathletics.com](http://www.burrisathletics.com) or follow us on twitter @Burrisathletic1
Our Mission

Burris Laboratory School fosters a culture of respect and trust where every student is challenged to pursue excellence by engaging in a well-rounded, technologically-enhanced, rigorous curriculum in a safe and secure environment. As a model school, engaged in best-practice research and the preparation of highly effective educators, we collaborate with community partners to prepare students for success in an ever-changing world.