

August 2021



Parkside Elementary
CARES - For Ourselves, Others, Our Learning, Our School

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
_			National Night Out				

8	9	10	11	12	13	14
	BHS Fall Sports Meeting PAC 7 p.m. School Board Workshop DC Board Room 4:30 p.m.	Primary Election Day		Concert at Sturges Park 7 p.m.		Antique Car Run BHS 12-1 p.m.
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
				Concert at Sturges Park 7 p.m.		Buffalo Art and Craft Festival Downtown 9 a.m3:30 p.m.
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	BCMS 6th Grade Parent Night 6:30 p.m. School Board Meeting DC Board Room 7 p.m.			PRIDE Transitions Open House 2-7 p.m. Concert at Sturges Park 7 p.m.		
29	Teacher Workshop BCMS Open House 4-8 p.m.	Teacher Workshop Elementary Open House 5-7 p.m. DES Ice Cream Social 5-7 p.m.	FREE Summer Food Service Program FREE breakfast and lunch for all children, ages 18 and under, is served Monday-Friday through August 27. Check the district website at www.bhmschools.org for locations and hours of operation.	July 2021       S     M     T     W     T     F     S       4     5     6     7     8     9     10       11     12     13     14     15     16     17       18     19     20     21     22     23     24       25     26     27     28     29     30     31	September 2021  S M T W T F S  1 2 3 4  5 6 7 8 9 10 11  12 13 14 15 16 17 18  19 20 21 22 23 24 25  26 27 28 29 30	Abbreviations AUD Auditorium, DC BCMS . Buffalo Community Middle School BHS Buffalo High School DC Discovery Center DES Discovery Elementary ECFE Early Childhood Fam. Ed. HES Hanover Elementary MESI Montrose Elementary School of Innovation NES Northwinds Elementary PES Parkside Elementary PAC Performing Arts Center, BHS PLC Phoenix Learning Center PRIDE . PRIDE Transitions TESS Tatanka Elem. STEM School

# September 2021



## Northwinds Elementary Where Everyone is Welcome and Everyone Belongs

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
22   23   24   25   26   27   28     29   30   31	October 2021  S M T W T F S  3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31		Teacher Workshop BHS/PLC Open House 5-8 p.m.	Teacher Workshop		

5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	Rosh Hashanah Begins at Sundown	School Begins for Limited Levels All Elementary Schools and Grades 6 & 9 Only	School Begins for ALL Levels Including BCMS Grades 7-8, BHS 10-12, PLC and PRIDE	TESS PTO Meeting 6:30 p.m.		Classics by the Lake Car Show Sturges Park
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	ECFE Preschool Begins  NES PTO Meeting 4 p.m.  School Board Workshop PES 4:30 p.m.  HES PTO Meeting 6 p.m.		Yom Kippur Begins at Sundown			Early Childhood Family Education Fall Festival Sturges Park 10 a.m12:30 p.m. (Rain location is DES Gym)
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	<b>Testing</b> MAP Testing Begins Grades 2-5	Fall Begins				
26	School Board Meeting DC Board Room 7 p.m. BHS Homecoming Coronation	28	29	30	Abbreviations AUD Auditorium, DC BCMS . Buffalo Community Middle School BHS Buffalo High School DC Discovery Center DES Discovery Elementary ECFE Early Childhood Fam. ECHES Hanover Elementary MESI Montrose Elementary School of Innovation NES Northwinds Elementary PES Parkside Elementary PAC Performing Arts Center, PLC Phoenix Learning Cente	BHS r
	PAC 7:30 p.m.			PES Fall Festival 5 p.m.	TESS Tatanka Elem. STEM Sch	nool

October 2021



## Montrose Elementary School of Innovation Preparing a Community of Leaders Today for Tomorrow

Sunday Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturda	У
September 2021  S M T W T F S	S DES Discovery Elementary ECFE Early Childhood Fam. HES Hanover Elementary MESI Montrose Elementary	Ed. / ary er, BHS tter		BHS Homecoming Fun Night Gym 9:30 p.m.	National Custodian Appreciation Day BHS Homecoming Dance/Cafeteria Movie/PAC	7 p.m. 7 p.m.

3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	NES PTO Meeting 4 p.m.	PRIDE Hangout 3:15-5 p.m.  HES Conferences 3:30-7 p.m.  MESI Conferences 3:30-7:30 p.m.  TESS Conferences 3:30-7:30 p.m.		HES Conferences 3:30-7 p.m.  MESI Conferences 3:30-7:30 p.m.  TESS Conferences 3:30-7:30 p.m.  DES Family Fun Night 5-7:30 p.m.  TESS PTO Meeting 6:30 p.m.		
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
		Natior	nal School Lunch	Week		
	HES Conferences 3:30-7 p.m.  MESI Conferences 3:30-6 p.m.  TESS Conferences 3:30-6 p.m.  School Board Workshop MESI 4:30 p.m.  BHS/PLC Conferences 5-8 p.m.  HES PTO Meeting 6 p.m.	PES Conferences 3:30-7:30 p.m.		PES Conferences 3:30-7:30 p.m.  NES PTO Fall Festival 5:30-7:30 p.m.		National Bosses' Day
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
17	18	19		21 Break–No Schoo		23
17	BHS Band and Orchestra	PES Conferences 3:30-6 p.m. MESI Family Event				Ladies Day Out in Buffalo Buffalo Community Orchestra Beethoven and Friends PAC 7:30 p.m.
24	BHS Band and Orchestra	PES Conferences 3:30-6 p.m.	Fall B			Ladies Day Out in Buffalo Buffalo Community Orchestra Beethoven and Friends

November 2021



**Buffalo Community Middle School** 

**Doing What's Best for Kids** 

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
				PRIDE Hangout 3:15-5 p.m. DES Conferences 3:30-7 p.m.		
	NES PTO Meeting 4 p.m.  BHS Winter Sports Meeting Gym 7:00 p.m.	Election Day		NES Conferences 3:30-7 p.m.  BCMS Conferences 4-8 p.m.  TESS PTO Meeting 6:30 p.m.	Buffalo Community Theater Barefoot in the Park PAC 7:30 p.m.	Buffalo Community Theater Barefoot in the Park PAC 7:30 p.m.

7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Daylight Saving Time Ends Buffalo Community Theater Barefoot in the Park PAC 2 p.m.	School Board Workshop BHS 4:30p.m. HES PTO Meeting 6 p.m.	NES Conferences 3:30-7 p.m.		Veterans Day  DES Conferences 3:30-7 p.m.  NES Conferences 3:30-7 p.m.	No School K-12 End of 1st Term Teacher Workshop	Veterans Day Swing Dance by BHS Jazz I BHS Cafeteria 7 p.m.
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	BCMS Knowledge Bowl 4:15 p.m.	DES Conferences 3:30-7 p.m. HES Grades 4 and 5 Choir Concert 6:30 p.m.	National Education Support Professionals Day	BHS Fall Musical PAC 7:30 p.m.	TESS Family Fun Night 5-7 p.m. BHS Fall Musical PAC 7:30 p.m.	BHS Fall Musical PAC 7:30 p.m.
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
			Thanksgiv	ing Break–No So	chool K-12	
BHS Fall Musical	ECFE Preschool Conferences School Board Meeting	ECFE Preschool Conferences BHS Fall Band Concert				
PAC 2:00 p.m.	DC Board Room 7 p.m.	PAC 7:30 p.m.		Thanksgiving Day	Abbreviations	Small Business Saturday
28  Hanukkah Begins at Sundown	29	Wright County Historical Society Festival of Trees Begins	October 2021  S M T W T F S  3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	December 2021  S M T W T F S	AUD Auditorium, DC BCMS . Buffalo Community Middle School BHS Buffalo High School DC Discovery Center DES Discovery Elementary ECFE Early Childhood Fam. E. HES Hanover Elementary MESI Montrose Elementary School of Innovation NES Northwinds Elementary PES Parkside Elementary PAC Performing Arts Center PLC Phoenix Learning Center PRIDE . PRIDE Transitions TESS Tatanka Elem. STEM Sci	/ BHS er

# December 2021



## Parkside Elementary CARES - For Ourselves, Others, Our Learning, Our School

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
November 2021	January 2022		1	2	3	4
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	30  31			HES Grade 4 Musical 6:30 p.m. TESS PTO Meeting 6:30 p.m.		
			PRIDE Hangout 3:15-5 p.m.	BHS Fall Orchestra Concert PAC 7:30 p.m.		Buffalo Chamber <i>Deck the Halls</i> 3-5 p.m.

5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	NES PTO Meeting 4 p.m. BCMS/BHS Orchestra Connections Concert PAC 7:30 p.m.	BCMS Grade 8 Choir Concert PAC 7:30 p.m.		NES 4th Gr. Musical 6:30 p.m. BCMS Grade 7 Band Concert PAC 7:30 p.m.		Buffalo Community Orchestra Holiday for Orchestra with Ringers & Singers PAC 7:30 p.m.
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	School Board Meeting DC Board Room 7 p.m. BCMS/BHS Band Connections Concert PAC 7:30 p.m.	BCMS Grade 7 Choir Concert PAC 7:30 p.m.		DES Choir Concert AUD 6:30 p.m. BHS Sounds of the Season Choir Concert PAC 7:30 p.m.	BHS <i>Sounds of the Season</i> Choir Concert PAC 7:30 p.m.	
19	20	21	22	23 Winter Break-	<b>24</b> -No School K-12	25
	BHS/PLC Conferences 5-8 p.m.	Winter Begins BCMS Grade 7 Orchestra Concert PAC 7:30 p.m.				Christmas Day
26 Kwanzaa Begins	27	28 Winter Break-	No School K-12	30		Abbreviations AUD Auditorium, DC BCMS . Buffalo Community Middle School BHS Buffalo High School DC Discovery Center DES Discovery Elementary ECFE Early Childhood Fam. Ed. HES Hanover Elementary MESI Montrose Elementary School of Innovation NES Northwinds Elementary PES Parkside Elementary PAC Performing Arts Center, BHS PLC Phoenix Learning Center PRIDE . PRIDE Transitions TESS Tatanka Elem . STEM School





#### **Phoenix Learning Center**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
December 2021       S     M     T     W     T     F     S       5     6     7     8     9     10     11       12     13     14     15     16     17     18       19     20     21     22     23     24     25       26     27     28     29     30     31	February 2022  S M T W T F S  1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 2 23 24 25 26	Abbreviations AUD Auditorium, DC BCMS . Buffalo Community Middle School BHS Buffalo High School DC Discovery Center DES Discovery Elementary ECFE Early Childhood Fam. Ec HES Hanover Elementary MESI Montrose Elementary School of Innovation NES Northwinds Elementary PES Parkside Elementary PAC Performing Arts Center, PLC Phoenix Learning Cente PRIDE . PRIDE Transitions TESS Tatanka Elem. STEM Sch	r BHS er			New Year's Day

2	3	4	5	6	7	8
		BCMS Grade 6 Choir Concert		TESS PTO Meeting 6:30 p.m. BCMS Grade 6 Band Concert		
	NES PTO Meeting 4 p.m.	PAC 7:30 p.m.		PAC 7:30 p.m.		
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	School Board Workshop BCMS 4:30 p.m. HES PTO Meeting 6 p.m. Quest Program Info Night PES Media Center 6:30 p.m. BCMS Grade 6 Orchestra Concert PAC 7:30 p.m.					
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day No School K-12	MESI Winter Concert Cafeteria 6:30 p.m. BCMS/BHS Choral Connections Concert PAC 7:30 p.m.				
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	School Board Meeting DC Board Room 7 p.m.	NES PTO Family				
	Testing Begins ACCESS for English Learners	Eitness Night 6-7 p.m.  DES Parent Info Night Commons B 6:30 p.m.		TESS Family Engineering Night 5-7 p.m.	No School K-12 End of 2nd Term Teacher Workshop	

February 2022



# PRIDE Transitions Practicing Responsibility in Daily Education

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6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	NES PTO Meeting 4 p.m. HES PTO Meeting 6 p.m.	DES Kindergarten Lottery 2:30 p.m. HES Conferences 3:30-7 p.m. NES Conferences 3:30-7 p.m. PES Conferences 3:30-7:30 p.m. BHS One-Act Play Public Performance PAC 7:30 p.m.	PRIDE Dinner/Movie 3:15-8 p.m.	HES Conferences 3:30-7 p.m. NES Conferences 3:30-7 p.m. PES Conferences 3:30-7:30 p.m.	Buffalo Community Theater Junie B. Jones AUD 7 p.m.	Abraham Lincoln's Birthday Kites on Ice Festival Buffalo Lake 11-3 p.m. Winter Drumline Home Show BHS Gym 5 p.m. Buffalo Community Theater Junie B. Jones AUD 7 p.m.
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Daylight Saving Time Starts Buffalo Community Theater Junie B. Jones AUD 2 p.m.	Valentine's Day School Board Workshop TESS 4:30 p.m. BHS Winter Band Concert PAC 7:30 p.m.	HES Conferences 3:30-7 p.m.  MESI Kindergarten Registration 6:30 p.m.		PES Grades 2 and 3 Musical 6 p.m.	Buffalo Community Theater Junie B. Jones AUD 7 p.m.	Buffalo Community Theater Junie B. Jones AUD 7 p.m.
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Buffalo Community Theater Junie B. Jones AUD 2 p.m.	Presidents' Day No School K-12	George Washington's Birthday School Bus Driver Appreciation Day  MESI Conferences 3:30-6 p.m. PES Conferences 3:30-6 p.m. PES Kindergarten Registration Cafeteria 6:30 p.m.  BCMS/BHS Jazzin' It Up Concert (Grades 7-12) PAC 7:30 p.m.		DES Conferences 3:30-7 p.m.  NES Kindergarten Registration 6 p.m.  BHS Spring Sports Meeting PAC 7 p.m.	Prairie Fire Children's Theater Wizard of Oz AUD 7 p.m.	Buffalo Community Orchestra <i>Scandinavian Postcards</i> PAC 7:30 p.m.
27	28	Black	History			
	BHS/PLC Conferences 5-8 p.m. TESS Kindergarten Registration 6:30 p.m.	"I Love	& to Read" onth	January 2022       S     M     T     W     T     F     S       2     3     4     5     6     7     8       9     10     11     12     13     14     15       16     17     18     19     20     21     22       23     24     25     26     27     28     29       30     31     31     31     31     32     32     33     34     33     34     34     35     36	March 2022  S M T W T F S    1   2   3   4   5   6   7   8   9   10   11   12   13   14   15   16   17   18   19   20   21   22   23   24   25   26   27   28   29   30   31	

# March 2022



# Discovery Elementary Together We're Better

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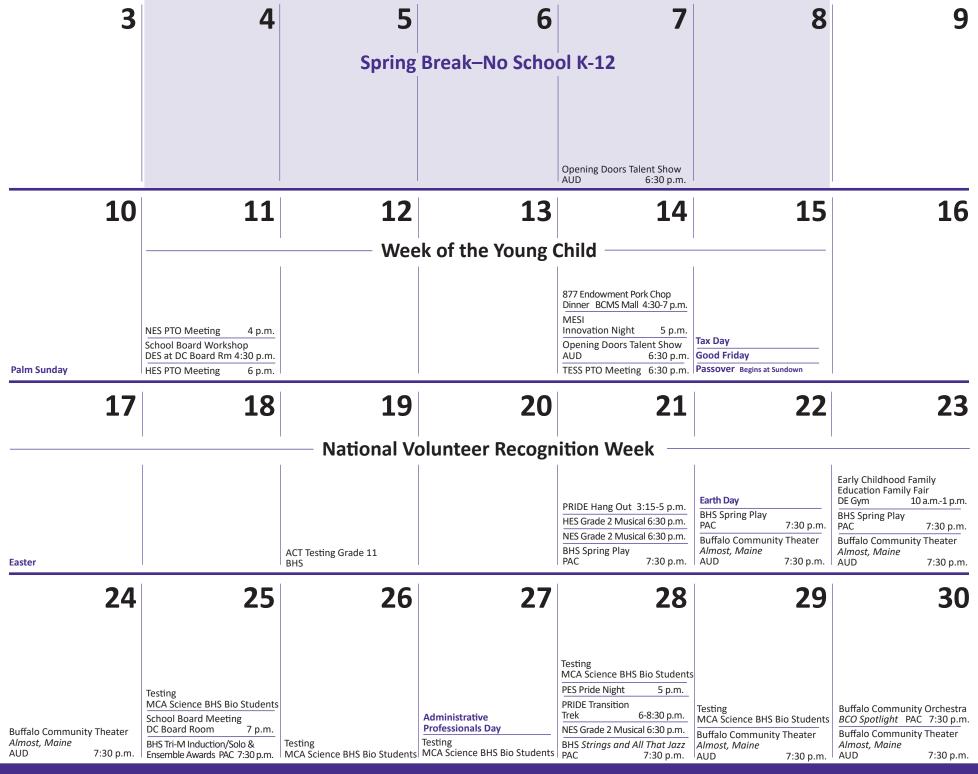






#### **Early Childhood Family Education**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
20   21   22   23   24   25   26     22	May 2022  M T W T F S  2 3 4 5 6 7  9 10 11 12 13 14 16 17 18 19 20 21 23 24 25 26 27 28 30 31	Abbreviations AUD Auditorium, DC BCMS . Buffalo Community Middle School BHS Buffalo High School DC Discovery Center DES Discovery Elementary ECFE Early Childhood Fam. Ed. HES Hanover Elementary MESI Montrose Elementary School of Innovation NES Northwinds Elementary PES Parkside Elementary PAC Performing Arts Center, I PLC Phoenix Learning Center PRIDE . PRIDE Transitions TESS Tatanka Elem. STEM School	BHS		No School K-12 End of 3rd Term Teacher Workshop	National Paraprofessional Appreciation Day



# May 2022



### Hanover Elementary Preparing All Students for Success in a Global Society

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
		Notional T	oochor Amerocis	tion Work		
			eacher Apprecia	ition week		
				Cinco de Mayo		
				NES Ice Cream Social 5:30 p.m.		
				DES Choir Concert AUD 6:30 p.m.		
Buffalo Community Theater	Testing	Teacher Appreciation Day		TESS PTO Meeting 6:30 p.m.	School Lunch Hero Day	
Almost, Maine AUD 2 p.m.	MAP Testing Begins Grade 2 NES PTO Meeting 4 p.m.	BCMS Grade 7 Orchestra Concert PAC 7:30 p.m.	National School Nurse Appreciation Day	BHS Spring Band Concert PAC 7:30 p.m.	National Child Care Provider Appreciation Day	BHS Prom Grand March Gym 4:30 p.

8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Mother's Day	Testing MAP Testing Begins Grade 2 School Board Workshop HES 4:30 p.m. BHS/PLC Conferences 5-8 p.m. HES PTO Meeting 6 p.m.	BCMS Grade 7 Choir Concert PAC 7:30 p.m.		PRIDE Hang Out 3:15-5 p.m. BCMS Conferences 4:30-6:30 p.m. NES Ice Cream Social 5:30 p.m. BHS Spring Orchestra Concert PAC 7:30 p.m.	MESI Spring Carnival 5 p.m.	
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	BHS Academic Excellence PAC 7:30 p.m.	1		BCMS Grade 8 Band Concert PAC 7:30 p.m.		Armed Forces Day  Buffalo Community Theater  Broadway in Buffalo PAC 7:30 p.m.
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
Buffalo Community Theater <i>Broadway in Buffalo</i> PAC 2 p.m.	School Board Meeting DC Board Room 7 p.m. BCMS Grade 8 Orchestra Concert PAC 7:30 p.m.	BHS <i>Choral Finale Concert</i> PAC 7:30 p.m.	BCMS Grade 8 Choir Concert PAC 7:30 p.m.	NES All School Picnic  BCMS Grade 6 Choir Concert PAC 7:30 p.m.		
23	Memorial Day No School K-12	MESI Spring Concert Cafeteria 6:30 p.m.	Buffalo Farmer's Market Opens the first Saturday in May and goes through the last Saturday in October.	April 2022  S M T W T F S  3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30	June 2022  S M T W T F S  5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30	Abbreviations AUD Auditorium, DC BCMS . Buffalo Community Middle School BHS Buffalo High School DC Discovery Center DES Discovery Elementary ECFE Early Childhood Fam. Ed. HES Hanover Elementary MESI Montrose Elementary School of Innovation NES Northwinds Elementary PES Parkside Elementary PES Performing Arts Center, BHS PLC Phoenix Learning Center PRIDE . PRIDE Transitions TESS Tatanka Elem. STEM School





# Buffalo High School Doing What is Best for All Kids

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
FREE Summer Food Service Program FREE breakfast and lunch for all children, ages 18 and under, is served throughout the summer, Monday-Friday. Check the district website at www.bhmschools.org for locations and hours of operation.	May 2022  S M T W T F S  1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	July 2022  S M T W T F S  3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	1	HES All School Picnic 4:30-6:30 p.m. TESS PTO Meeting 6:30 p.m. BHS Arts Showcase Art Show Cafeteria 6 p.m. Concert PAC 7 p.m.	MESI Kindergarten Graduation TBD	TESS STEMpede Color Fun Run 9:30 a.m.

5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	NES PTO Meeting 4 p.m. BCMS Grade 6 Band Concert PAC 7:30 p.m.	PRIDE Diploma Ceremony 1 p.m.  ABE Graduation AUD 7 p.m.  BCMS Grade 6 Orchestra Concert PAC 7:30 p.m.	PES All School Picnic  DES Grade 5 Celebration AUD 1 p.m.  MESI Grade 5/DARE Graduation 1 p.m.	Last Day of School DES All School Picnic	Teacher Workshop K-12 End of 4th Term BHS/PLC Graduation 7 p.m.	
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	1		alo Days, June 1		1	
		Ca	rnival 15-19, Sturges Pa	ark 		
Buffalo Community Orchestra Concert in Sturges Park 7 p.m.		Flag Day ECFE Summer Entertainment Sturges Park 10:30 a.m.		Kiddie Parade/Movie Sturges Park 6:30/9 p.m.	Dance at Sturges Park Band Shell 6 p.mMidnight Fireworks 10 p.m.	Fishing Klinic for Kids Sturges Park 9:30 a.m1:30 p.m. Buffalo Days Parade Downtown Buffalo 6 p.m.
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
Father's Day Juneteenth						
<b>Buffalo Days</b> Royalty Coronation PAC 6 p.m.		ECFE Summer Entertainment Sturges Park 10:30 a.m.		Buffalo Rodeo 7 p.m.	Buffalo Rodeo 7 p.m.	Buffalo Rodeo 7 p.m.
26	School Board Meeting DC Board Room 7 p.m.	ECFE Summer Entertainment Parkview Care Center 10:30 a.m.	29	30	Abbreviations AUD Auditorium, DC BCMS . Buffalo Community Middle School BHS Buffalo High School DC Discovery Center DES Discovery Elementary ECFE Early Childhood Fam. E HES Hanover Elementary MESI Montrose Elementary School of Innovation NES Northwinds Elementar PES Parkside Elementary PAC Performing Arts Centee PLC Phoenix Learning Cent PRIDE . PRIDE Transitions TESS Tatanka Elem. STEM Sc	y ; BHS er





# Tatanka Elementary STEM School Engineering Our Future

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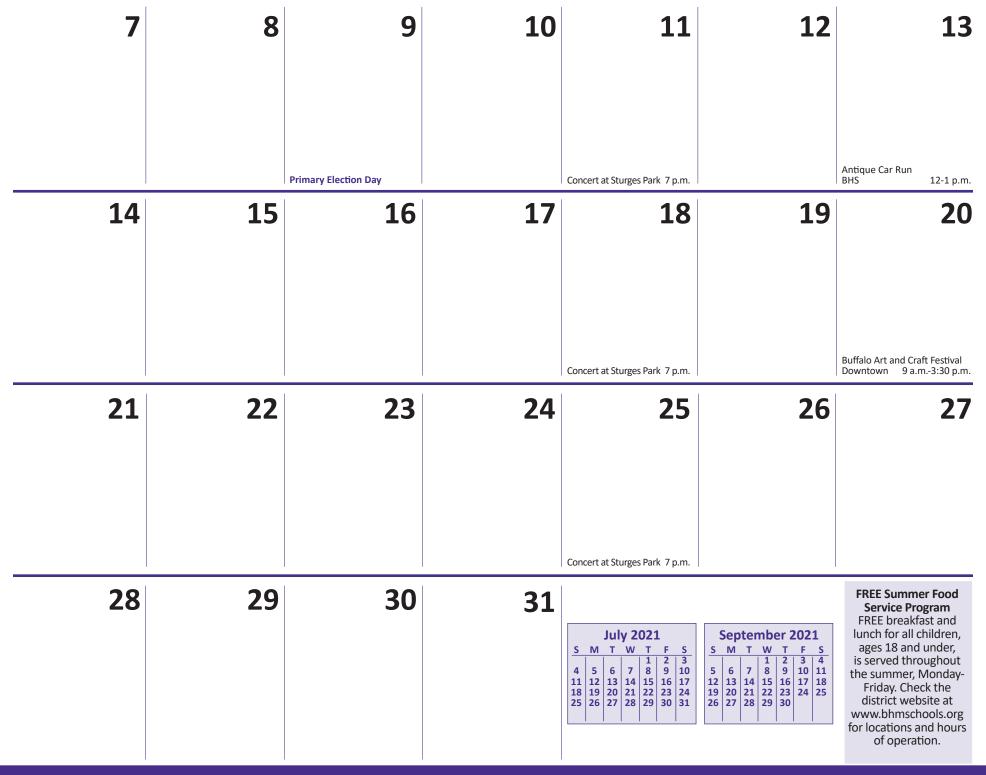
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Independence Day			Concert at Sturges Park 7 p.m.		
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
		ECFE Summer Entertainment				
		Sturges Park 10:30 a.m.		Concert at Sturges Park 7 p.m.		Buffalo Crazy Days
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
				Wright Coun	ity Fair, 20-24 — Lake, MN	<u> </u> 
				nowaru	Lake, Will	
		ECFE Summer Entertainment Sturges Park 10:30 a.m.		Concert at Sturges Park 7 p.m.	Buffalo Community Theater Mamma Mia PAC 7:30 p.m.	Buffalo Community Theater  Mamma Mia PAC 7:30 p.m.
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Wright County Fair Buffalo Community Theater						
Mamma Mia PAC 2 p.m.						
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			Buffalo Community Theater	Concert at Sturges Park 7 p.m.  Buffalo Community Theater	Buffalo Community Theater Mamma Mia PAC 7:30 p.m.	Buffalo Community Theater Mamma Mia PAC 7:30 p.m.

# August 2022



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PLC Phoenix Learning Center PRIDE . PRIDE Transitions TESS Tatanka Elem. STEM School		National Night Out  ECFE Summer Entertainment Sturges Park 10:30 a.m.		Concert at Sturges Park 7 p.m.		Parade 11 a.m. Royalty Coronation at Settler's Park 3 p.m.



#### **BHM School Board**



Melissa Brings Chairperson 307 Bradshaw Ave NE Buffalo, MN 55313 763-682-9698

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Term Expires: 12-31-24



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Term Expires: 12-31-22



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Term Expires: 12-31-22



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Term Expires: 12-31-22



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Term Expires: 12-31-24

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District / School Board.



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Scott Thielman Superintendent 214 1<sup>st</sup> Ave NE Buffalo, MN 55313 763-682-8707



**Erica Kyllonen**Student Representative
Buffalo High School

Term Expires: 6-30-22

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#### **District Information**

#### **District Office**

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- Scott Thielman, Superintendent
- Pam Miller, Teaching & Learning
- Ryan Tangen, Finance and Operations
- Amy Ernst, Special Education
- Evan Ronken, Human Resources
- Kim Hinrichs, Nutrition Services
- John Heltunen, Buildings and Grounds
- Mat Nelson, Technology
- Laura (Barta) Lindquist, Communications

#### **Community Education**

301 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave NE, Buffalo, MN 55313 763-682-8770

· Kim Carlson, Director

#### **Discovery Elementary**

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• Mat Nelson, Principal

#### **Hanover Elementary**

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• Brad Koltes, Principal

#### Montrose Elementary School of Innovation 100 2<sup>nd</sup> St. S, Montrose MN, 55363

763-682-8345 | Attendance: 763-682-8344

• Tony Steffes, Principal

#### **Northwinds Elementary**

1111 7<sup>th</sup> Ave NW, Buffalo MN 55313 763-682-8800 | Attendance: 763-682-8804

• Carmen Tubbs, Principal

#### Parkside Elementary

207 3<sup>rd</sup> St NE, Buffalo MN 55313 763-682-8500 | Attendance: 763-682-8582

• Jeanna Miller, Principal

#### **Tatanka Elementary STEM School**

703 8<sup>th</sup> St NE, Buffalo MN 55313

763-682-8600 | Attendance: 763-682-8641 • Adree Iden, Principal

#### **Buffalo Community Middle School**

1300 Hwy 25 N, Buffalo MN 55313 763-682-8200 | Attendance: 763-682-8242

- Matt Lubben, Principal
- Katie Gohl, Assistant Principal
- John Hayden, Assistant Principal/ Activities Director

#### **Buffalo High School**

877 Bison Blvd, Buffalo MN 55313 763-682-8100 | Attendance: 763-682-8181

- Mark Mischke, Principal
- Ed Cox, Assistant Principal
- Kris Thompson, Assistant Principal
- Stephanie Ward, Assistant Principal
- · Nick Guida, Activities Director

#### **Phoenix Learning Center**

877 Bison Blvd, Buffalo MN 55313 763-682-8680

• Kris Thompson, Assistant Principal

#### **PRIDE Transitions**

800 8<sup>th</sup> St NE, Buffalo MN 55313 763-682-8890

Amy Ernst, Special Education Director

#### Student Information

**New Students** We ask that new students register at the school they will attend. Parents should contact the school office and make arrangements for registration.



School telephone numbers are listed above along with attendance hotlines. Parents should use the attendance hotlines to let the school know if their child will be missing school that day. If an attendance hotline is not listed, use the school phone number.

#### **School Start and Dismissal Times**

Following are the start and dismissal times for Buffalo-Hanover-Montrose Schools:

School	Start	Dismissal
Discovery Elementary	7:45 a.m.	2:25 p.m.
Hanover Elementary	7:45 a.m.	2:25 p.m.
Montrose Elementary	7:45 a.m.	2:25 p.m.
Northwinds Elementary	7:45 a.m.	2:25 p.m.
Parkside Elementary	7:45 a.m.	2:25 p.m.
Tatanka Elementary	7:45 a.m.	2:25 p.m.
Buff. Com. Middle School	8:50 a.m.	3:25 p.m.
Buffalo High School	8:50 a.m.	3:25 p.m.
Phoenix Learning Center	8:50 a.m.	3:25 p.m.
PRIDE Transitions	9:00 a.m.	3:15 p.m.

#### **District Activities/Athletic Conferences**

Activities and athletics at the district's high school level participate in the Lake Conference. The conference is made up of seven districts (including BHM): Eden Prairie, Edina, Hopkins, St. Michael-Albertville, Minnetonka and Wayzata. The middle school participates in the Mississippi 8 Conference which includes: Becker, Big Lake, Cambridge-Isanti, Chisago Lakes, Monticello, North Branch, Princeton and St. Francis.

For the most current schedule of events, visit www.lakeconference.org or www.mississippi8. org. Students, parents and the public can use this site for up-to-the-minute school activities information. The comprehensive site will include detailed information about meetings, scheduled events, practices, cancellations and more. Projected dates for state tournaments can be found at www.mshsl.org.

Student **Immunization Law** According to the State Immunization Law, all students must have their immunization status up-todate prior to attending school. This requirement is met through one



- Immunization dates for required immunizations (see below)
- Notarized conscientious exemption on file (listing specific immunizations)
- Medical exemption on file (signed by healthcare provider)

This applies to all students enrolled in any of the district's schools as well as preschool or Early Childhood Special Education. If receiving vaccinations, students entering kindergarten must show evidence of having:

- Five (5) Diphtheria, Tetanus and Pertussis
- (4) Polio Four
- Three (3) Hepatitis B (HBV)
- Two (2) MMR (Measles, Mumps and Rubella)
- Two (2) Varicella (Chicken Pox)—or medical verification of disease history

In addition to the above, students entering 7<sup>th</sup> grade in September must also show evidence of:

Tdap (Tetanus/pertussis boostergiven at or after age 11) Two (2) (Measles, Mumps • MMR and Rubella)

• Meningococcal (MCV) #1

The immunization law mandates schools to exclude any student that is not in compliance with the requirements. There are limited exceptions to this rule. If you are unsure of your child's immunization status please contact your health care provider or the licensed school nurse at your child's school.

#### **Licensed School Nurses for Immunizations:**

Heidi Gallart, RN 763-682-8514

–(Elementary)

Karen Schultz, RN 763-682-8120

-(Middle and High Schools)

#### **COVID-19 Guidance**

If your child is experiencing a new onset or worsening cough, or shortness of breath, or multiple symptoms, please call your child's school health office to review the COVID-19 exclusion guidelines for return to school.

We ask that all parents check their child's temperature before the school day; if 100.4 or above, your child should stay home. If any other new onset of signs or symptoms of illness are present, please also keep your child at home to monitor for additional symptoms.

If no other symptoms are experienced, your child may return to school following our district guidelines for illness posted on www.bhmschools.org in the Illness and Injuries Guide.

#### **Equal Opportunity**

Buffalo-Hanover-Montrose Schools is committed to a policy of equal opportunity for all students and employees without discrimination as to gender, race, creed, religion, color,

national origin,



sexual orientation (including gender identity and expression), age, marital status or disability. This commitment is expressed in the school board-approved equal opportunity policy and the state and federal laws enacted to provide equal opportunity and eliminate discrimination in the following areas:

#### **Education Practices:**

- 1. Access to course offerings
- 2. Curricular materials
- 3. Counseling practices
- 4. Co-curricular activities
- 5. Athletics
- 6. Use of school facilities

#### **Employment Practices:**

- 1. Employment criteria
- 2. Hiring and terminating
- 3. Job classification and structure
- 4. Advertising
- 5. Pre-employment inquiries

Inquiries regarding policy may be directed to: Evan Ronken, HR Director, 763-682-8713.

**Criminal History Background Checks** Buffalo-Hanover-Montrose Schools (BHM) is required to conduct a criminal history background check on all individuals who are offered employment in the district and on all individuals who provide athletic coaching or other extracurricular services, regardless of whether they receive compensation from the district.

District practice also requires all volunteers (with the exception of BHM student volunteers) to have a criminal history background check. Volunteers are responsible to cover the fee.

#### **Emergency School Closings**

School closings due to severe weather or other emergency reasons will be announced to families through the district's phone/email messaging system, on the district website at **bhm**schools.org and Facebook pages, KRWC (1360 AM) and WCCO (830 AM) radio, and WCCO 4, KSTP 5. KMSP 9 and KARE 11 television stations.

Generally, school will be in session if it is felt that the buses can make their routes safely. When weather conditions are questionable. the district's contracted bus company and the district's administration do considerable checking of road conditions.

Since the school district is very large, with different types of terrain, it is impossible to determine conditions in every sector on a given day. Based on the information from the bus company, the district's administration decides to either close schools or keep them open. Even if school is in session, parents are asked to assess their particular situation and determine whether or not it is safe for their child(ren) to attend school on a particular day.

#### Community Education

301 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave NE, Buffalo, MN 55313 | 763-682-8770 | **bhm**schools.org/community-ed | Registration: **bhm**schools.ce.eleyo.com



Main Office: 763-682-8770

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- Sheila Johnson.......763-682-8752
   Early Childhood Family Education
- Barbara Eckberg .......763-682-8753
   KidKare (Child Care) and

- Sheila Johnson......763-682-8752

#### **Aquatics**

The pool is located in the Buffalo Community Middle School (BCMS) and can be accessed by entering door #3. American Red Cross Swim lessons are offered through the school year and summer to teach students how to swim skillfully and safely. The pool is also available for open swim, private pool rentals, adult lessons and exercise classes. Open swim and gym time is available at BCMS throughout the year on Sundays from 2-4 p.m. with special hours over the summer and holidays. Visit bhmschools.org/communityed for more information.



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#### KidKare

KidKare is a school-based child care program located at five of our BHM Elementary Schools. We are open 6 am - 6:30 pm, Monday-Friday and on most non-school week days.

#### **KidKare School Age Care**

Extends your child's learning day while providing high quality care in a safe and fun environment. We offer flexible scheduling with before and after school care, non-school day care and summer care. Our exceptional staff provide a variety of indoor and outdoor activities for your child to

#### **KidKare KinderKids**

enjoy!

Is our full day care program for children ages 3-5, not yet in school. Our staff teach theme-based activities that include social and emotional skills, academic readiness, art and science, and learning through play. We offer flexible scheduling with half-day care, full-day care and care that wraps around your child's ECFE Class!

For more information, contact KidKare Coordinator Tiffany Lund at 763-682-8787 or tlund@bhmschools.org.

#### **Opening Doors**

Opening Doors is a program that serves the recreation and life skills needs of disabled adults ages 16 and older in Buffalo and throughout Wright County communities.



For additional information about the Opening Doors program serving adults with disabilities, contact program coordinator Sheila Johnson at 763-682-8752 or sjohnso@bhmschools.org.

#### Adult Basic Education (ABE)

ABE students will work with a teacher to make an education plan that will fit their individual needs. As a part of the classes, students will strengthen the important basic skills in reading, math, communication and basic technology.

#### ABE Offers:

- Basic Skills
- GED Diploma Preparation
- Job Skills Enhancement
- English Language Classes

For more information about all ABE opportunities, contact ABE Coordinator Terrisa Fisher at 763-682-8688 or tfisher@bhmschools.org.

#### Early Childhood Family Education

ECFE provides
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to "support and strengtnen parents, the first and most important teachers in a young child's life." Parent-child, parent only and preschool classes, home visits, and special events for children ages birth to five years old include:

- Mixed-age, special interest and one-time parent/child classes
- Home visits including Child Care Connection visits
- Family Learning
- Spring Into Preschool and Ready Set Grow preschool classes
- Early Childhood Screening
- ECFE Family Fair and summer park events
- Summer Preschool

For more information, call ECFE at 763-682-8780 or visit **bhm**schools.org/community-ed.





#### School Facility Use

School facilities are available to community groups and organizations at times when the regular K-12 and Community Education programs are not scheduled. To reserve a school facility, contact Facility Scheduling Coordinator Sheila Johnson at 763-682-8752 or sjohnso@bhmschools.org. For outdoor field reservations, contact Recreation Coordinator Todd Lunning 763-682-8776 or tlunning@bhmschools.org.

#### **Buildings and Grounds**

Over 40 Buildings and Grounds staff members take care of nine school facilities that cover just over one million square feet. Crews work year-round to make sure the grounds are clear of snow and ice, the lawns are

trimmed and shaped, classrooms and hallways are clean and repairs are attended to regularly. The pride they take in the schools is reflected in the top condition of the buildings.

The District annually approves

**BCMS HVAC updates** 

TESS LED lights conversion

**DES Parking Lot** 

PES Office remodel BHS parking lot lights and

LTFM projects to maintain/repair existing spac-

es. This year, projects include the following:

repainting of gym floor HES classroom remodels MESI classroom remodels

If you have any questions for the Buildings and Grounds department, call 763-682-8773.

Buffalo-Hanover-Montrose Schools provide Special Education and related services to students found to be eligible. If you suspect your child has a disability which affects their access to a free and appropriate education, contact your school psychologist or the Special Education Department at 763-682-8715.

#### Annual Notice Regarding Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973

Section 504 is an Act prohibiting discrimination against anyone with a disability in any program receiving federal financial assistance. The Act defines a person with a disability as anyone who:



#### 1. has a physical disability or mental impairment which substantially limits one or more major life activities.

2. has a record of such an impairment.

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3. is regarded as having such an impairment.

In order to fulfill its obligation under Section 504, the Buffalo-Hanover-Montrose School District has a policy that states that no discrimination against any person with a disability will knowingly be permitted in any of the programs and practices of the school system.

The district has specific responsibilities under the Act, which include the responsibility to identify, evaluate and, if the child is determined to be eligible under Section 504, afford access to educational services.

#### **Nutrition Services**

The Buffalo-Hanover-Montrose School Meals program serves breakfast and lunch at all schools each school day. Meal accounts are debit accounts and a positive balance must be maintained.

#### **Meal Payments**

Meal account payments can be made online through Campus Portal at https://campus.bhmschools.org/campus/portal/buffalo.isp. Meal payments may also be made at each school by cash or check. Campus Portal is a FREE service provided for all families. Parents can use the program to make payments and monitor meal account activity and account balances.

#### **Field Trip Lunches**

Field trip lunches are available for you to order when your student goes on a field trip. The cost for a field trip lunch is the same as a student lunch and will be charged to your student's meal account. Please contact your student's school kitchen to order a field trip lunch.

#### Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

Kids eat more fruits and vegetables when more fruits and vegetables are offered. All meals at BHM Schools are served with a variety of fresh fruits and vegetables to include salad, carrots, cucumbers, broccoli, cauliflower, tomatoes, radishes, peppers, celery, oranges, apples, kiwi, bananas, grapes, pineapple and strawberries.

#### **School Meals Program**

Families who may qualify are encouraged to complete an application. The information on the application is confidential and a new application is required each year. Paper applications may be requested by contacting the District Nutrition Services Office at 763-682-8477. Families may apply online by going to https://campus.bhmschools.org/campus/ portal/buffalo.jsp.

#### **FREE Summer Food Service Program**

FREE breakfast and lunch is served throughout the summer for all children ages 18 and under. Check the district website for times and locations.

#### Ala Carte and Milk

Ala carte, a carton of milk when not purchased with a school meal, or extra items, are the same price for all students and adults. Ala carte at the elementary is limited to an extra milk, juice, or menu item. Ala carte at the middle and high schools consists of snacks, beverages and extra menu items. A carton of milk to go with a bag lunch brought from home is an ala carte purchase and is the same price for all students and adults.

#### Eat with Your Child

Parents are welcome to eat breakfast or lunch with their child in elementary school. Call the District Nutrition Services Office at 763-682-8477 to make a meal reservation.

#### **Angel Account**

BHM Schools Nutrition Services Department maintains an Angel Account funded by donations. The Angel Account is used to cover temporary shortfalls in student meal account funds. Donations come from individuals,

businesses and charitable foundations. Many families donate the balance left in a student's account when they graduate or leave the district. Donations may be sent to the District Nutrition Services Office at 214 1st Avenue NE, Buffalo, MN 55313.

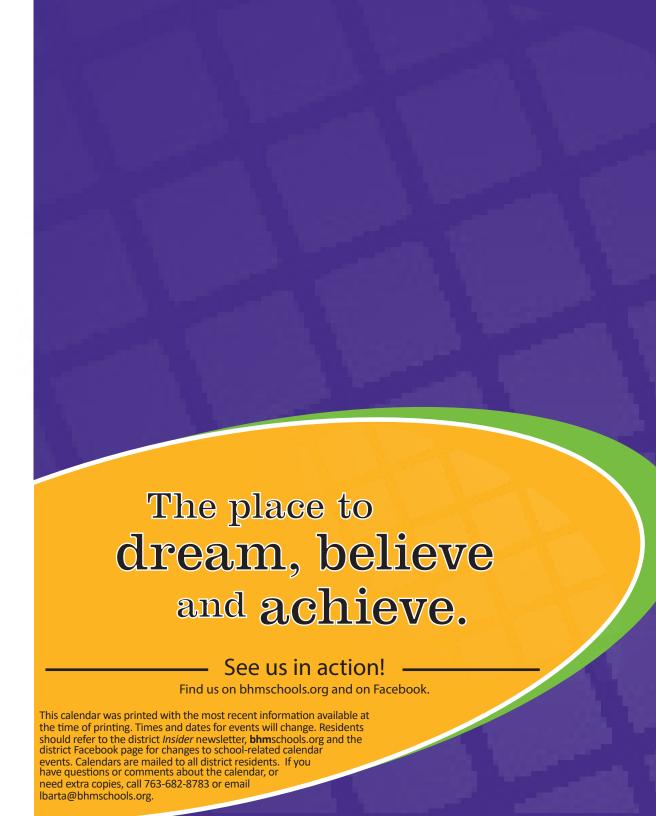
#### More Information

If you have additional questions, contact the District Nutrition Services Office at 763-682-8477. You can also find more information such as menus and forms on the district website at bhmschools.org under District/ **Nutrition Services.** 

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