



WILLIAM HENRY BURKHART ELEMENTARY

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PTA Fundraiser

Our PTA fundraiser is going well. Please be reminded that all money is due on Tuesday, September 12. Thank you to everyone that has participated in selling (and buying) chocolate bars!

Family Fun Night

Burkhart families are invited to join in the fun on Thursday, September 14 from 5:30 – 7:30 p.m. Come join us for hot dogs and Kona Ice (free while supplies last!), bounce houses, and playground play. Bring the family and your lawn chairs and get ready to enjoy an evening of fun. We will also have some Burkhart Spirit Wear shirts available in limited sizes for \$5 each.

High Ability Screening

Additional information on the academic needs and performance of individual students is needed in order to provide instruction at the appropriate level for each child. All second and fifth grade students will take a standardized test to begin to collect this information. The testing will take place starting the week of September 11th and is the first step in our high ability screening. If you have any questions regarding testing, please contact Kim Jovic at: kjovic@perryschools.org.

Clothes Donations

Our clothes closet is in need of replenishment. Do you have any gently used uniform clothing to donate? We are most in need of girls' size 7-8 shorts, skirts, and pants at this time. Feel free to drop off donations in the school office or send them with your child in their bookbag with a note stating it is a donation for the clothes closet. Lastly, if your child needed to borrow clothing due to a spill or an accident, please remember to launder and return those clothes to school as soon as possible.

Lunch Visits

Parents wishing to join their child at school for lunch may do so. Parents will need to provide their photo ID when checking in at the office. The cost to purchase a school lunch is \$4.85 for adults. Payment in cash (exact change, please) is accepted. (Any funds in the student's lunch account may not be used for this purpose.) Alternately, parents may choose to bring in lunch for their child and themselves. During the lunch visit, the parent and student will sit together at an open table in the cafeteria to enjoy lunch. Other students, including friends or cousins, will remain seated with their classmates to avoid hurt feelings. We do ask that parents keep cell phones put away while enjoying the visit with their child. Parents may also choose to sign their child out at the start of the lunch period and enjoy an extended lunch (a total of one hour for lunch + recess) that would not count again attendance.

Lunch times:

- Grade 1 – 12:00 p.m.
- Grade 2 – 11:30 a.m.
- Grade 3 – 11:00 a.m.
- Grade 4 – 12:30 p.m.
- Grade 5 – 1:00 p.m.
- Multi-grade (Room 1) – 11:30 a.m.
- Multi-grade (Room 8) – 11:00 a.m.

As a reminder, Burkhart celebrates the birthday of our students during our morning announcements each day. We ask you not to send or bring in treats and save additional celebrations for at home.

School Calendar

- September 12 – PTA Fundraiser Money Due
- September 14 – Burkhart Family Fun Night, 5:30-7:30 p.m.
- September 29 – School Spirit Wear Day
- October 3 – Grade 4 Field Trip to Conner Prairie
- October 6 – Fall Festival

FAMILY FUN NIGHT!

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BURKHART SCHOOL
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14
5:30 - 7:00 P.M.



**KONA ICE &
HOT DOGS*** FREE WHILE SUPPLIES LAST!

Bounce Houses &
Playground Play



SPIRIT SHIRTS \$5
(CASH ONLY, LIMITED SIZES)

Bring the family, lawn chairs, and
join the fun. All are welcome!



Falcon Youth Sports

Fall 2023

Dear Parents,





Below you will find opportunities for your child to participate in various athletic activities being offered throughout Perry and in the community. Please reach out if you have any questions!





Scott Simmonds

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Hockey	Youth Hockey Team <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ages 6-14• Held at Perry Park• Season goes from October to March Registration Link	
Boys Basketball	Boys Travel Team <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Grades 2-6• Practice 2X per week• Games on Saturday and Sunday• Try-outs on September 17 Information Sheet <i>Questions? Contact mmcfarland@perryschools.org</i>	
	Boys Recreational League <ul style="list-style-type: none">• At the Baxter YMCA• Ages 4-12• Starts October 21 Information and Registration Link <i>Questions? Contact enew@indyymca.org</i>	
Girls Basketball Information Sheet for Both	Girls Travel Team <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Grades 4,5,6,7,8• Practice 2X per week• Games on Sunday• Registration Extended to 9/1 - contact coach <i>Questions? Contact adavidson@perryschools.org</i>	

	<p>Girls Skill and Development League</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grades 1, 2, 3, and 4 • 3 weeks of skills development • 2 weeks of games • Registration Extended to 9/1 - contact coach <p><i>Questions? Contact adavidson@perryschools.org</i></p>	
<p>Wrestling</p>	<p>Perry Meridian Wrestling Club</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grades K-6 • Club begins October 23 • In-person registration Oct 24 6-7 PMHS <p>Registration Link</p> <p><i>Questions? Contact cdpayton@perryschools.org</i></p>	
<p>Volleyball</p>	<p>For questions about PTVI or youth volleyball questions please email perrytownshipvballinc@yahoo.com</p>	
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-start;"> <div style="width: 30%;"> <p>Join Falcon Youth Sports</p> </div> <div style="width: 60%;"> <p><u>Mailing List</u> Receive emails directly to your inbox about the latest youth sports opportunities in Perry Township. Scan the QR or email ssimmonds@perryschools.org</p> <p><u>Facebook Page</u> Follow us on Facebook to see youth sports opportunities and updates! Scan the QR or search for Falcon Youth Sports</p> </div> <div style="width: 20%; text-align: center;">   </div> </div>		



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