

# *Blanchester Middle School*

**Monthly Newsletter**

**August 2025**



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Local  
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District

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# BMS Handbook

Please see the link below for your building student handbook. Please make sure to be familiar with the new updates.

- Attendance policy (specifically unexcused absences)
- Cell phone policy (\*cell phones must be turned off and kept locked up in a locker until the end of the school day.)
- Chromebook insurance (Please note that students who do not have insurance will need to keep their chromebook at school in their homeroom teachers charging station.)

[PBhttps://www.blanschools.org/blanchester-middle-school/student-forms-and-handbooks/handbooks/IS behavior matrix](https://www.blanschools.org/blanchester-middle-school/student-forms-and-handbooks/handbooks/IS-behavior-matrix)

# BMS Cafeteria

<https://www.blanschools.org/departments/food-services/>

\*Please click on the link above for the food services department. At this link you will find breakfast and lunch menus and prices. You will also find a link for a free and reduced breakfast and lunch application. There is also contact information, for Paula Wallace our food services director.

# *School Pictures*

Blanchester Middle School pictures will be on Friday, September 12th. Order forms were sent home with students in grades 4-6. These forms were also sent through final forms and we have extra copies on a table outside of the office.



# *After School Supervision*

All students must go home on the bus even if they have practice, a game, or a meeting later in the afternoon. If they have practice right after school, that is ok. Coaches have been informed that they are responsible for the supervision of their athletes and they are responsible for making arrangements for supervision after school. If a student is found in the building after school unsupervised, parents will be called to come to pick them up. If this behavior continues, there could be disciplinary action taken. We understand this is not ideal but we just can't have students in the building unsupervised. We greatly appreciate your understanding on this matter.

Thank you!

# 2025-2026 New Staff

\*We certainly would like to welcome all of our new staff to Blanchester Middle School.

Zoie Stanforth - 5th grade math.

Jenna Donile - 4th grade teacher.

Emily Wyenandt - 4th grade teacher.

Michi Fujimoto - MH teacher.

Bryce Bandow - 7th grade math teacher.

Adi Weeden - 7th grade science teacher.

Kacie Sizer - 8th grade Ag explorer teacher.

# Stay Connected to BMS

## *BMS Website Address*

<https://www.blanschools.org/blanchester-high-school/>

## *BMS Athletics*

<https://www.blanchesterathletics.com/>

## *BMS Band/Music Department*

<https://blanchestermusic.weebly.com/>

## *BHS /BMS FFA*

<https://www.blanchesterffa.org/>

