

LMS Eagle News

January 6

Spelling Bee

Congratulations to our LMS Spelling Bee winner, Shane Van Dyne (7th grader), and our runner-up, Laki Gupta (6th grader). Shane will be representing LMS at the county level spelling bee on February 4th! The champion word was "emigrate."

Eagles of Excellence

Cason Carter, 8
Cooper Stogsdill, 8
CJ Condon, 8
Ryan Skinner, 7
David Grandcolas, 7
Lucy Mayer Moser, 7
Henry Dicus, 6
Bree Dannewitz, 6
Ella Jacobsen, 6



**Carter Cason, 8th
Grade**



**Ella Jacobsen, 6th
Grade**



**Ryan Skinner, 7th
Grade**



**David Grandcolas,
7th Grade**



**Lucy Mayer Moser,
7th Grade**



**Bree Dannewitz,
6th Grade**



**Henry Dicus, 6th
Grade**



**Cooper Stogsdill,
8th Grade**



**CJ Condon, 8th
Grade**

Chromebook Issues and Payment of Broken Chromebooks

We continue to have issues with students mistreating/breaking Chromebooks. Moving forward, students will be responsible for paying for Chromebooks that have been broken/destroyed. We understand accidents happen, and that will be taken into consideration. Chromebooks should be placed in the district provided sleeves when they are not being used to help protect them.

Enrollment for 2023 - 2024

Please be on the lookout as parents/guardians will be receiving important information as it pertains to enrollment and registration for the 23-24 school year.

Important January and February Dates

- Jan 18, 8th Grade Enrollment at BVN 6 p.m.
- Feb 5 and 6, Enrollment Night for 5th Grade Parents
- Feb 15, Parent Teacher Conferences, 3:30-8 p.m.
- Feb 16, No School/Conferences 7:30-6 p.m.
- Feb 17, No School
- Feb 20, Presidents' Day, No School
- Feb 22, Enrollment Papers Due Date
- Feb 24, Eagles Night Out 7-9 p.m.

8th Grade Enrollment Night at BVN

**Enrollment Night—Class of 2027
Blue Valley North High School**

Wednesday, January 18, 2023, at 6 p.m.



Save the date to spend the evening getting to know:

- ◆ Counselors
- ◆ Teachers
- ◆ Coaches
- ◆ BVN Courses

If you have questions, please call the Counseling Department (913)239-3016.

*Please note: Enrollment info will be distributed this evening.

Student Attendance

Attendance Reporting and Notifications

Families can expect automated attendance messages by email, phone, and text if a child is absent and their absence has not already been reported by a parent/guardian. It is the responsibility of the parent/guardian to report an absence or reply to the automated email or phone message.

It is very helpful to have absence notifications **ahead of time** so that student attendance records can be updated prior to teachers marking the student absent (AB). This prevents unnecessary push notifications going out from the District. You can report a full day absence via ParentVue or a partial day absence via the LMS website (I'd like to... Report an absence...), or by simply calling the LMS attendance line at 913/239-5305.

What is the purpose of attendance notifications?

We realize that students may occasionally need to miss school for planned absences, illnesses, and appointments. However, when a student does not arrive at school or unexpectedly misses a portion of the school day, we are concerned and want to make sure you are aware that your child is absent.

How can I get push notifications?

Families who would also like a push notification can download the ParentVUE app and manage their notifications. If a child has an unreported absence when a teacher submits attendance, then a push

notification will immediately be sent to the parent/guardian's mobile device.

Interested in push notifications? Simply download the ParentVUE app ([iTunes app store](#) or [Google Play](#)), enable push notifications in device settings and select attendance notifications through in-app settings. Once the app is downloaded, [these instructions](#) will help you complete the set-up.

Fostering A Safe School Environment

Blue Valley Schools is committed to promoting and fostering a safe environment in and around all of our schools. Through the convergence of physical and intellectual security measures, we are continuously working to prevent, mitigate, respond to and recover from a wide range of emergencies. Please check out [available ways to report safety concerns](#).

Spring Play Auditions

Auditions for the LMS Spring Play *Leaving Iowa* will take place after winter break. All 7th and 8th Graders are welcome to audition. All grade levels can apply to work on tech crew. Please self-enroll using the following Canvas course link to fill out audition and tech crew forms.

<https://bvusd.instructure.com/enroll/LRMHY9>



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