



BLUMENORT SCHOOL

BENGALS UPDATE 10 - NOVEMBER 3, 2023

Educational Assistant Strike

As I'm sure you are aware, the Educational Assistant strike in our division began this past week and the many day to day duties performed by our EAs have been affected. We have created a number of new schedules to ensure daily student coverage, lunch hour supervision and before and after school crosswalk patrolling. Our hope is for an agreement soon but in the meantime, If you have any questions please let us know.

Term 1 Report Cards & Parent-Teacher Conferences

In a few short weeks, our students will have completed the first term of the school year and that will be followed by our Parent-Teacher Conferences. A letter will be sent home next week outlining the options for making an appointment to see your child's teacher. Please keep the following dates in mind...

- *Monday, November 20th @ 3:45 – Report Cards available to view on the Parent Portal***
- *Thursday, November 23rd – K-8 Parent-Teacher Conferences*

***Please be reminded that paper copies of Report Cards will not be sent home. To view report cards on-line you will need to log onto the parent portal. On the left hand menu click on Report Card. Then select "Switch to Electronic Report Card".*

Blumenort School Cookie Dough Fundraiser

Thank you to everyone who participated in our Momentum Gourmet Cookie Dough Fundraiser. As a school we sold just over \$7000, which resulted in a profit of just over \$2800. Thank you!!! Stay tuned for our prize winners which will be announced next week.

PAC Hot Lunch Cancelled for Thursday, November 10th

Our PAC would like to remind everyone that the Hot Lunch Program for yesterday (Thursday, November 2nd) and next week Thursday, November 10th have been cancelled. Emails were sent to all parents from Lunch Box stating that because we are shifting from Subway to Smitty's.

Blumenort School PAC Fundraiser

A reminder that our PAC is running a La Cocina Chip Fundraiser in the month of November. Forms have been handed out. We ask that you please bring completed forms and payment (cash or cheque made out to 'Blumenort PAC') to the office by November 15th. Order pick up will be the week after at the school. We will send out another update with the date and pick up time. Proceeds raised through this fundraiser will be going towards the new play structure and a portion to staff appreciation. Thank you in advance for your support!

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