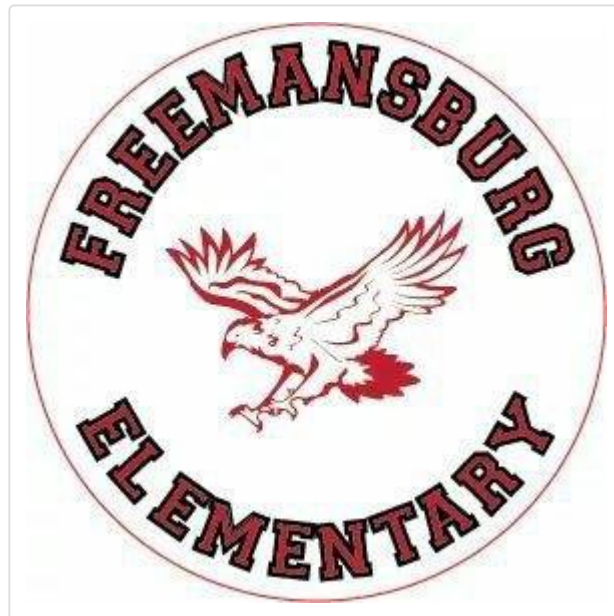


The Eagle Express

September 4, 2022



Dear Freemansburg Community

We had a great first week back to school. We were so excited to see our Eagles back in the building. Thank you to some of the classes for being patient as our Air Conditioning was repaired. I'm happy to say that the building has cool air flowing through it now.

Please make sure you are following us on [Twitter](#), [Facebook](#), and join our School Dojo page to keep up with what's going on throughout our school!

- **Office Hours:** 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
- **Review BASD's Framework for Citizenship:** Building a safe, caring, and respectful learning community is very important for us at Freemansburg. Our goal is to teach children that they must demonstrate positive behaviors on a regular and ongoing basis. Please review the BASD's Framework for Citizenship ([English](#)), [Spanish](#)).
- **Parent/Student Handbook:** Our Parent/Student handbook is posted on our [website](#).
- **Dining Services:** Save money this upcoming school year and apply for free & reduced-price meals. Check to see if you're eligible – it's risk free and confidential. Click the link below to view the eligibility guidelines and access our online application.
<https://www.basdschools.org/Page/249>
- **Arrival/Dismissal Procedure:** Please visit our [website](#) to view our car rider and walker arrival and dismissal procedure.

- **BASD Transportation:** If you have any questions regarding your child's bus route information, please contact transportation at 610-861-0360. Unfortunately, we do not have the capability of changing any bus numbers or routes.

The **best way** to communicate with me is through email: awoodson@basdschools.org or by calling the school at 610-866-6681

Please do not hesitate to reach out if you have any questions, comments, or concerns.

In partnership,

Mrs. Woodson

What's Happening This Week

- **Monday, September 5th:** Labor Day, No School
- **Tuesday, September 6th:** PTO Meeting at 6:30 p.m.

Important Dates

[BASD 2022-2023 Academic Calendar](#)

- **September 15th:** K-5 Open House at 6:00 p.m.
- **September 15th:** First day of Hispanic Heritage Month

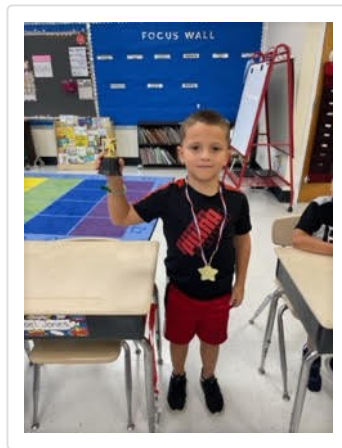
Welcome Back!

Here are some pictures of the learning we captured throughout the week!





4th Graders in Ms. Roseman's class conducting a class survey to learn about one another and build class community.



First in Math Player of the Day in Ms. Kalamar's 2nd Grade class



Behavior Assembly to learn about Positive Eagle Behavior



Readers Workshop going on in Ms. Williams' 1st grade class.

Counseling Corner

The Student Assistance Program (SAP) is designed to provide a systemic approach to to remove barriers to learning. Please visit the [BASD/SAP Parent Page](#) to learn more!

If your child is struggling in a particular class, first contact the teacher to set up an appointment to meet with the teacher and the student. Often, the open dialogue can lead to success for the student because they feel supported at both home and school. Strategies or

interventions can be used during class and after school to help a student understand a concept or procedure.

If your child is having a difficulty that can't be addressed by the teacher, contact the school counselor, Mrs. Francis. She can provide assistance or refer you to other sources of support.

Mrs. Francis, School Counselor

tfrancis@basdschools.org

Ms. Lowe, Community In Schools Coordinator

alowe@basdschools.org

Title 1

As a Title I participant, Freemansburg Elementary, receives federal funding for staffing and resources that are intended to improve the academic achievement of our students and provide meaningful parent and family engagement activities. Throughout the school year, there will be many opportunities for you to become involved, and I welcome your feedback and input as we update our school wide plan, school/home compact, school parent and family engagement plan, and District parent and family engagement policy. All of these Title I documents are reviewed and updated annually with the ultimate goal of increasing student achievement and parent and family engagement.

As we proceed through the school year, you will have the opportunity to meet with your child's teachers during parent/teacher conferences to discuss academic content standards, state and local assessments, and progress monitoring. If you have any questions throughout the school year, please feel free to contact your child's teachers or me. We will assist in any way we can.

Parent Teacher Organization (PTO)

We are always looking for parent volunteers to join our PTO! If you are interested in being apart of an organization that does what's best for our students and the school community, please reach out to see how you can join! The PTO meets the first Tuesday of each month. Our first meeting will be **Tuesday, September 6th at 6:30 pm**. Join us to learn more!

Please fill out the form below to sign up for our PTO.

- [PTO Sign Up](#)

Health Services

Our school nurses are Mrs. Hamme and Mrs. Miller. If you have any questions in regards to immunizations or medications, please reach out to Mrs. Hamme at phamme@basdschools.org

BACK TO SCHOOL IMMUNIZATION CLINICS



Wednesday, August 17, 2022
Broughal Middle School
4:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Wednesday, September 14, 2022
Northeast Middle School
4:00 PM - 6:00 PM

- All BASD students eligible
- Offering childhood vaccinations
- Parent must be present if under 18
- COVID-19 vaccine available
 - Moderna (18+)
 - Pfizer (all ages)

Make an appointment using the following links:

<https://tinyurl.com/vaccine-link> (Broughal MS)
<https://tinyurl.com/vaccine-clinic-2> (Northeast MS)

or call the Bethlehem Health Bureau 610-865-7083



DE REGRESO A LA ESCUELA

CLINICA DE VACUNAS



**Miércoles, 17 de agosto
2022**

**Escuela secundaria de
Broughal**

4:00 PM - 6:00 PM

**Miércoles, 14 de septiembre
2022**

**Escuela secundaria de
Northeast**

4:00 PM - 6:00 PM

- Todos los estudiantes de el distrito de Bethlehem califican
- Ofreciendo vacunas infantil
- Padres deben de estar presente si es un menor
- Vacuna contra el covid-19
 - Moderna (18+)
 - Pfizer (todas las edades)

Para una cita, use el siguiente [enlace](#) o llame a la oficina del Departamento de Salud de Bethlehem

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610-865-7083



Covid 19 Information:

If your child has tested positive for COVID-19 or has been a close contact of a positive case outside of school within the last 5 days, please complete the Covid Reporting Tool. You will receive an automated email response with further guidance and next steps. Thank you!

- [Covid Reporting Tool](#)

Community Events

2022
National Hispanic Heritage
Month Celebration

SEPTEMBER 15, 2022
 BARRIO STAGE @ TOUCHSTONE THEATRE
 321 E 4TH STREET, BETHLEHEM, PA 18015
 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Food + Unsung Hero Awards +
 Exhibitors + Entertainment +
 Activities

**FREE AND OPEN
 TO THE PUBLIC!**

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT TONI FERNANDEZ
 770-722-4531 / AFERNANDEZ@NORTHAMPTON.EDU

**BASD CELEBRATES
 HISPANIC HERITAGE
 MONTH**

TWO TIMES THE FUN!
 NORTHEAST MIDDLE SCHOOL -
 SEPTEMBER 22ND, 6-8PM
 BROUGHAL MIDDLE SCHOOL
 OCTOBER 6TH, 6-8PM

REGISTER HERE!

- FOOD
- ACTIVITES
- MUSIC
- AND FUN!



BASD News

BASD Families:

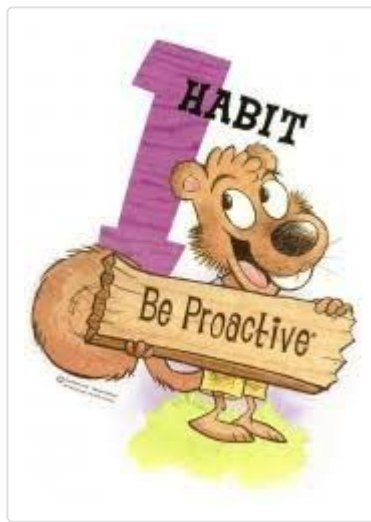
Welcome to the 2022-2023 school year. I hope everyone is enjoying the first week!

The first edition of the BASD eNews is available to view.

Highlights include - spotlight student at Thomas Jefferson, staff member at Fountain Hill, and graduate from Liberty High School class of 2015, BASD job opportunities, and WAWA FREE coffee during September for school staff members.

[BASD eNews 1st Edition](#)

Mrs. Woodson's Habit of the Month (The Leader in Me)



I am a responsible person. I take initiative. I choose my actions, attitudes, and moods. I do not blame others for my wrong actions. I do the right thing without being asked, even when no one is looking.



Contact Mrs. Woodson

 @_MrsAWoodson

Please do not hesitate to reach out if you have any questions, comments, or concerns.

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