### 7 more weeks of school...

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James Richardson Principal

Patricia Garrett 7th grade Administrator

Nori Duran 8th grade Administrator

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

National Teachers Day	5/04
ESOL Newcomers Trip (Postal Museum and Ai Space Museum)	r & 5/04
RIF Distribution	5/04
Cinco De Mayo	5/05
Instrumental Music Bes dies/Special Olympics	st Bud- 5/05
Mother's Day	5/09
NEWSEUM Fieldtrip (8th graders)	5/11
National School Nurse I	Day 5/12
NEWSEUM Fieldtrip (7th graders)	5/12
Parent Support Group 8 p.m.) 5/12	(6- 2
Spring Concert (7-8 p. 5	m.) //13
Math HSA/FASST Mat	h 5/18
Book Fair (5/24 - 5/28)	5/24
Parent Support Group (6—8 p.m.)	5/26
(6—8 p.m.) ESOL 8th grade trip to	

# Buck Lodge Middle School Parent Newsletter

# Principal's Message

Dear Students, Parents, Guardians, and Community Members,

As we move into the last month of the school year, it is important for students to finish the school year in a positive way. Having good grades during the last quarter helps students to be confident as they move to the next grade level and begin new classes in August. Our staff continues to work hard so that students continue to learn and gain further preparation for the next grade level. If students need additional help with mathematics or reading, after school tutoring is available Tuesday thru Thursday. In addition parents, we offer English classes for adults and students. If you

want more information about the classes, please visit Buck Lodge on Monday, Tuesday, or Thursday from 6 – 8.

Parents of 8th grade students! It is extremely important that the appropriate proof of residency documents are brought into school prior to the end of the year. Students will not be registered for high school without the documents.

As we approach the end of this school year, we wish our eighth grade students well. Our eighth graders have bright futures ahead of them, and we appreciate the two years that they have been at Buck Lodge Middle School. We look forward to the 2010-11 school year with our incoming sixth graders and our upcoming seventh and eighth



graders. I also thank our outstanding staff. Their great work for our students is valued and appreciated. Also, the help and support that we have from our parents and community members is so important and valued. Thank you for being a part of the Buck Lodge Middle School Family as together we work towards academic excellence.

James Richardson

Principal

### Counselor's Corner

8th grade parents,

All updated proof of residency papers need to be turned in by Tuesday, June 1st, 2010. Please bring in all documents to Buck Lodge Guidance Office between the hours of 8am -3:00pm. If documents are not up to date, your child will not be registered for high school. If you have any questions, call Ms. Harrell, Ms. Korsan, or Ms. Dorn at 301-431-6290.

### Congratulations 7th graders! 3rd Quarter Honor Roll

ADOLPHE, SHENIKHA AGUILAR-MORALES, YENIFER AIZPURUA SIBAUSTE, YANNELIS ALAS, JASON ALBERTI MEDRANO, NORMA ALVARES-VARGAS, MARIELA ALVAREZ CRUZ, JORGE AMAYA FUENTES, VANESSA ANGULO, JULISSA ARGUETA ROSA, MARBIN BAZEMORE, JOSEPH **BONILLA, JENNIFER** CANTORAL, JOSUE CARCAMO, DAVID CARRANZA, TERESA CASTELLANOS, RONALDO CHACON, ROSY CHICA-ARAGON, HECTOR CLAROS, JONATHAN CORTEZ-CORVERA, KAREN CRAWFORD, BRIANA CRUZ, CRISTIAN CULMER, AALIYAH ESCOBAR, KARINA ESCOBAR-DIAZ, STEPHANIE ESPINOSA PASCUAL. HECTOR ESQUIVEL, JHENNIFFER FAJARDO, RENITA FALLAS FALLAS, MARIA FERNANDEZ, PAOLA FLORES, NANCY GARAY. ANGELY GARCIA, EDWIN GEE, JAVAE GONZALES, RYAN GONZALEZ MELENDEZ. MILDRED GONZALEZ, VICTOR GOODALL, DEVANNE GRAHAM, DANIELLE

GREEN, TYJANA GROSSO, JOHANN GUERRA GUERRA, KEILA GUTIERREZ, GLENDA **GUZMAN-ZAYAS, ANTONIO** HERNANDEZ, IVAN HERNANDEZ-MORALES, JOHEIRA HOLNESS, BRIANNA JARMAN, JONATHAN JIMENEZ MADRID, CARLOS JUDKINS, RICHARD **KEM, SERAPHINE** KOGLA BATAMA, BORIS KOUANG MARCELLE, BRENDA LARIOS, JENNIFER LEWIS, BRIONNA LIM, CARMELITA LOPEZ-SANDOVAL, YENIFER MABOUDOU, YLETOU MADRID, JOCELYN MANGANDI, JOSE MARIN, MIKE MARTINEZ GUERRA, DARWIN MARTINEZ LOPEZ, JINMY MARTINEZ LOPEZ, RAQUEL MARTINEZ, EDGAR MATUTE, ANA MEJIA MOLINA, JEINI MOGAL, SHAREK MORENO, CINDY MULLER, ROXANNA **ONOFRE, JENNIFER OSORIO HERNANDEZ, DAYANA** PARRALES. DANIEL PELAEZ, DESTINY PEREZ FELIPE, KEVIN PEREZ-ROQUE, KEYRI PHARAON, BRYAN PORTILLO AYALA, ERICK

QUINONEZ, KEVIN QUINTANILLA-FIGUEREO, LIRIAM RAMIREZ, CAROLINA RAMIREZ, CHELSEA'S RAMIREZ, CINTHIA RAMIREZ, DARVIN RAMIREZ, SANDRA RAMOS FLORES. EYLIN **RIVERA OZUNA, DEVIN RIVERA-FEBUS, JAVIER** RODRIGUEZ-PALMA, LESLIE ROSALES-RIVERA, SINDY SANCHEZ MEMBRENO, ALEXI SANCHEZ, EDGAR SANCHEZ, EVERT SANCHEZ, FRANKLYN SANCHEZ, JESSICA SANTOS MEJIA, WILLIAM SARAVIA GARCIA, ELMER SOLORZANO-ARGUETA, HENRY SURIN, RUTH TAVEDI, NATHANIEL TCHOUGOUE, JONATHAN THAMES, JARED TREJO, MARIELA VIVAR, CHAKIRA VU, NGOC YEN T ZEESHAN, FAREENA ZINAB, HANAN

### Congratulations 8th graders! 3rd quarter Honor Roll

ABBASI, MUHAMMAD ABBIT, RODERICK AGUILAR, MARIA AHANOTU, CHUKWUDUMAGA ALBANEZ CRISOSTOMO, MARELIN ALBANEZ LOPEZ, KEVIN ALVARADO, WENDY ALVARADO, ZULEYMA AMAYA CARRANZA, KELVIN AMEYAW, JOSEPHINE ANDERSON, KENYAUN ANIMASHAUN, OLAKUNLE ARAUJO VASQUEZ, INMER AREVALO, JOCELYN ARGUETA, JENNIFER ARIAS, MARIA AVELAR, ALEJANDRO AVELAR. ISRAEL BAILEY, MICKELL BAIRES, GABRIEL BANGOURA, HADIATOU BARTON-SMITH, DOMINIQUE BECKFORD, BRITTANY BENJAMIN, RAVEN LOLA BEST, TRAVAY BONILLA GRANADOS, MADELIN BOONE, AYANA BUI. KEVIN CABRERA LUEJE, ALEXANDRA CANNS, ROSHAWN CASTELLANOS-CASTEL. YOSSELINE CHAVARRIA ORDONEZ, DOUGLAS CHE, ASHLEY COLEMAN, CHARNITA CORADO ARANA, KATHERIN COREAS, JASMINE COUTINO-CERON, BRIAN DAS, JHILUM DELA CRUZ, ESTEFANIA DIMAS ASCENCIO, MARIA EDMONDS, NAOMI ENRIQUEZ, IVAN ESCAMILLA, DANIA ESCOBAR ROMERO, TATIANA

ESPANA. ADALI FUNDERBURK, KEELY GARCIA GONZALEZ, VERONICA GARCIA SORTO, KATHRYN GARCIA, IRMA **GIRIBALDI, SHENNY** GOMEZ. DAISY GONZALEZ DIAZ, KATHERINE GOWING, KHIDR **GUERRA MORALES, BLANCA** HARRISON, SAMANTHA HERNANDEZ FUNES, ILIANA HERNANDEZ, CELINA HERNANDEZ. KATIE HERNANDEZ, LEYDI HTET, WAIYAN JACKSON, KEITH JEFFERSON, DEON JOHNSON, ANTONIO JOLY. MARCEL KAMARA, TENNEH KANG, GLORY-RUTH **KETTANI, MERYEM** KHEIRY, DUA LEGESSE, SERTSEDENGEL LOPEZ BATEN, SINFOROZA LOPEZ, ALMA LOPEZ-GONZALEZ, KEVIN LOPEZ-SANDOVAL, EVELYN MACHADO, CHRISTIAN MANANA, SHAKIRA MARISCAL JR, OSCAR MARTINEZ GUERRA, JAIRO MARTINEZ, MARIA MARTINEZ, VANESSA MARTINEZ-AYALA. MELISSA MARTINEZ-AYALA, NATALY MATUS JR, JOHN MAYNARD, JAMELIA MBIANDA, GHISLAIN MC KENZIE, CHRISTOPHER MELENDEZ VENTURA, WILLIAM MINGO, MARCUS MOLINA, KIMBERLY MORALES ALVAREZ, BRENDA

MORENO, JOSE MOSCOSO, SAIRA NDI, RADELLE NIEVES FLORES. YELISA NORIEGA-FLORES, NINETTE NTUMBA WA NTUMBA, FIDELE **OBANDO. HECTOR** OLOFIO SEREMALET, MERCUROLE OMENANKITI, KINGSLEY ORELLANA HUARCACHO, JAIME ORELLANA, ERIC PADILLA-CABALLERO, VANESSA PALMA-MARTINEZ, JEFRY PARKER, VANCE PENA, MELISA PEREIRA, CRYSTAL PEREZ, EDWIN PEREZ, ESTEFANIA PLASENCIA, ALBERT PONCE ARIAS, GLORIA PORTILLO, CARLOS RAIMUNDO VIDEZ, ODRI RAMIREZ SANTIAGO, NELSON RAMIREZ, MABEL RAMIREZ, SULEMA RAMOS, AMY RAMSEY, EMMANUEL REYES. ALEXIS REYES, SARAI REYES, YASMIN **RIVAS, JENNIFER** RIVERA, CHELSEA RODRIGUEZ UMANA, ABEL SAWAH, GERALDINE SEGOVIA, CHRISTOPHER SEGOVIA, MARVIN SHERYLL, BRITTANY SMITH JR, RODERICK SIERRA, STEPHANIE SILLAH, ABU SOARES. ANTHONIA SUAREZ, EDWIN TIRADO, EZEQUIEL TOMMY, VICTOR TORRES-CRUZ, KENBERLI

ZAMORA, BRAYAN TREJO, CARLOS TURCIOS, SUSAN VANEGAS-CUEVA, KARLA VELASQUEZ, MICHAEL VENTURA, MADELYNE VENTURA. OSCAR VILLATORO, JUAN WALLACE, ASHLEY WASHINGTON, ASHLEY WILLIAMS, DEVIN WILLIAMSON, CHANTEL WOLDEAB, YONAS ZAMA, VAN ZELAYANDIA, KARLA ZHENG, ANDY ZUNIGA-LEMUS, EVELYN

### Physical Education Department Students of the Month

BLMS Physical Education Department congratulates the following students for their selection as "Physical Education Department Students of the Month". Each student received a Sports ball and a Certificate of Excellence.

Feb 2010

Melissa Martinez (8th Grade) Briyan Gonzales (8th Grade) Cinthia Ramirez (7th Grade) Taliek Washington (7th Grade) <u>March 2010</u> Keith Jackson (8th Grade)

Melisa Pena (8th Grade) Tyjana Green (7th Grade) Orlando Sanchez (7th Grade

	Congratulations	
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Buck Lodge Physical Education Department

## Technology Tips

#### 1. Using technology is easier than you think!

Don't reinvent the wheel. Apply programs to your lessons and activities rather than rewriting your lessons to fit the programs

#### 2. Collaborate with other teachers.

Many teachers around you have used a variety of technology in the classroom. Ask around and find out what works and where the problems may arise.

#### 3. Test drive it first.

Just like you wouldn't buy a car without test driving it first, don't use the technology without giving it a test run so that you can trouble shoot. You don't want any surprises in the middle of a lesson.

#### Useful Technology Review

Have you ever bookmarked a website only to forget which computer you saved the site on? This is especially frustrating, especially if you need the link for work. Going back and forth between computers can mean losing track of where you save which information. But there is a way for you to keep track of your favorite links, regardless of which computer you are on.

Welcome to delicious.com. It is a great and free site where you can keep track of all of your favorite links. You can create labels for them so you can quickly search for your favorite website on root words or look for that great discovery education video on cell division.

### Yearbooks are going fast...

Only a few yearbooks are left and they will go VERY quickly once they arrive. If you do not want to miss out, buy your yearbook soon. Cost \$25.

> We're on the Web! http://www1.pgcps.org/bucklodge/

# Raffle Ticket -

We have read this newsletter together. Please sign below, and clip out this coupon and send it to the school. We'll enter your name in a drawing for a small prize.

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Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_