

Brown County High School

Hornet News

Fri. Jan 17, 2025

Announcements

If you see Paul Schenk, tell him congratulations for getting his 100th wrestling win in his high school career!!!!

***If you see Kenzie Kassing, tell her congratulations for scoring her 1000th POINT!!**

***Congratulations to Coach Phelps on his 300th varsity win last night! Great job, Mr. Phelps!**

Mon 01/20: No School

Tues 01/21: Science club meeting during 1st homeroom

Fri 01/24: Career Fair Day is, 9:00-11:15 a.m. in the high school gym. Students will attend by grade level. Watch for more announcements soon.

Fri 01/31: BROWN COUNTY HALL OF FAME-The purpose of the Brown County Hall of Fame of Brown County High School is to honor and recognize men and women who have made outstanding achievements in the areas of academics or extra-curriculars, have contributed greatly in service to the school/district, or have attained lifetime achievements deserving of Brown County Hall of Fame recognition. In order to be considered for induction into the Hall of Fame, a person or team must first be nominated and then selected by a committee consisting of eleven members, including current and past administrators, teachers, sponsors, coaches and community residents. A maximum of five (5) members may be inducted each year, after the inaugural class of 10 (minimum) is selected in 2024. Nominations will be accepted through January 31st. Anyone wishing to nominate a person or team can mail a completed nomination form to:

Brown County Hall of Fame Chairperson
Brown County High School
500 East Main Street
Mt. Sterling, IL 62353

~All nominations made in prior years (2024) will be considered. No subsequent nominations need to be submitted once a person/team has been nominated unless the person nominating would like to update information for that person/team.

~An electronic nomination form can be found on the district website. Paper copies are available in the district or high school offices.

~Specific questions about the Hall of Fame or the nomination process may be directed to the Brown County Athletic Director or Administration.

Mon 02/17: Sophomores and juniors are invited to submit applications for the Adams Electric Cooperative/Adams Telephone Co-Operative Youth to Springfield/Youth to Washington program. During Youth Day in Springfield, students will visit historical sites. At the end of Youth Day, after brief interviews, four winners and two alternates will be announced. Winners will travel by charter bus June 16-23, 2025, for an all-expense paid trip to Washington, D.C. Application deadline is February 17. **Students who apply by February 3, 2025, will be eligible to win a \$25 prepaid debit card.** Applications are online at adamselectric.coop. Students' parents do not have to be a member of the cooperative for students to be eligible.

-Students – you must fill out paperwork and receive a parking permit from Ms. Lindsey before parking in the student parking lot. Driving to school and parking at will (after receiving your driver's license) is creating difficulties for students who have already registered their vehicles. If you have questions, please see Ms. Lindsey or Mrs. Craven.

-Art Club will meet on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month after school until 4:30 pm. in Mr. Planting's Room.

-The Gaming Club will meet on Wednesdays after school until 4:30 pm. in Mr. Planting's Room.

-Science club will meet the third Tuesday of every month during your respective homeroom in Mrs. Maas's room.

Important attendance information: Students can miss seven days per semester with a note or call from parents that delineates sick day or mental health day. This could look something like this: 5 mental health days and 2 sick days; or 2 mental health days and 5 sick days; or 6 sick days and 1 mental health day; or 4 mental health days and 3 sick days – in a semester. Students receive a letter in the mail after 6 absences (sick/mental health) that states that everything beyond seven days in a semester MUST be excused by a doctor or it is considered truancy. If you are a student who is nearing your semester limit of handbook-excused days, please take note.

Students – please review the handbook on handbook-excused reasons for absence. If you are a student who has used all 7 absence days this semester, you can only be excused with a doctor excuse for additional absences this semester. Also, reminder that students are allowed three “free” tardies before any attendance consequence. If you have questions, please let the office know. Thank you for your attention to this matter! FYI - One hundred and fifty-five students do not have any tardies AT ALL for the semester!

Reminder: Per handbook students who are absent from school or leave school ill during the day are not allowed to attend after-school activities. There are exceptions to this if an absence is pre-arranged (funeral, college day, doctor appointment for injury, etc.). If

questions, see Mrs. Craven. There will be no loitering in the parking lot. Students should park and exit vehicles in the morning and enter vehicles and exit the grounds after school. The school parking lot is not to be accessed at night for the purpose of gathering. Students should not be in the parking lot before 7:30 am. unless they have a school-sponsored class or club meeting or practice for a school-sponsored activity. Failure to abide by this handbook approved rule (p.54) will result in loss of driving privileges after an initial warning. Brown County CUSD #1 will not tolerate abuse of this rule as it relates to the safety and security of our student body.

MENU-

01/17: Ham & Cheese, SunChips, Apples & Carrots!

01/20: No School

01/21: Sweet & Sour Meatballs, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Roll & Fruit!