

Charles F. Bolden, Jr. Elementary/Middle



Bolden Bugle



January 14, 2013

Vision Statement

The vision of Bolden Elementary/Middle School is to increase student performance by inspiring curiosity and the love of learning in all students.

Dear Families,

As we enter into the second half of the school year, we continue to monitor and evaluate student progress. Are all students mastering the curriculum standards? Will every student be prepared to take on the challenges of the next grade level?

One particular focus is preparing our 8th graders for high school. To assist our students, we have developed a transition plan which includes an orientation presented by the local high schools, the development of an individual graduation plan (IGP) and planned tours of our local high school(s).

Tomorrow we begin with a presentation from Whale Branch Early College HS and Battery Creek HS beginning at 5:00pm in the Bolden cafeteria. There will be a wealth of information available to help in planning a student's high school program. We hope all our 8th grade parents and students will take advantage of this opportunity.

Have a wonderful week!

Vicky Parr
Principal

"Go Eagles!"

CONGRATULATIONS to our 5th grade
D.A.R.E. essay contest winners.



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UPCOMING EVENTS

- 15 Jan—End of 2nd Marking Period
- 15 Jan—8th Grade Transition Meeting in Cafeteria (5:00-6:00)
- 17 Jan—Boys & Girls Basketball @ Hardeeville-Ridgeland Middle (5:00)
- 18 Jan—**NO SCHOOL**, Teacher Work Day/Report Card Prep
- 21 Jan—**NO SCHOOL**, MLK Jr. Holiday
- 22 Jan—Trevor Romain Presentation for Parents @ Elliott Elementary (2:30)
- 22 Jan—Boys & Girls Basketball @ Whale Branch Middle (5:00)
- 23 Jan—Boys & Girls Basketball @ Beaufort Middle (5:00)
- 24 Jan—Report Cards Issued
- 24 Jan—Health & Wellness Night (5:30-7:00)
- 25 Jan—Early Dismissal/Parent Teacher Conferences (11:30)

DEPLOYING?? Please contact us if a parent is deploying so we can ensure that counseling support is available for your child.

A few reminders from the school nurse...

- If your child is sent home from school with a fever, please keep him/her at home until they are without a temperature of 100F for at least 24 hours.
- Please do not send your child to school if they have a viral illness that includes vomiting or diarrhea until they are symptom free for 24 hours.
- All prescription and non-prescription medications require parent and physician consent.

(See pages 19 & 20 of the Laurel Bay Parent – Student Handbook for details on student health care guidelines)

Club Dismissals!!

Parents, it's important that you pick your child up immediately following club dismissals.

Band: Mondays & Thursdays—Pick up @ 4:00

Sign Language: Mondays & Wednesdays—Pick up @ 3:30

Eagles Nest: Mondays & Thursdays—Pick up @ 3:30

NJHS: Thursdays—Jan 17, Feb 21, March 21, April 18, May 16— Pick-up @ 3:30

We appreciate your cooperation!



This week we begin our middle of the year testing. Stay tuned for the results of our writing and math problem solving assessments as well as Scholastic Reading Inventory and Scholastic Math Inventory.

Feel Free to Contact Us

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Superintendent's Office Hours at Laurel Bay: January 15, 22 & 29, 11:00a-2:00p

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