

Banks County Middle

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Upcoming Events

December 12

- Dodgeball Day for 6th Grade

December 13

- Dodgeball Day for 7th Grade

December 14

- Dodgeball Day for 8th Grade
- FFA Meeting from 3:30-4:30 in Ag. Room. Dues are \$12 for the year.

Dec. 20 – Jan. 4

- Christmas Break

January 5

- Students Return

Banks County Middle School

Christmas break is quickly approaching! The last day of the semester will be Tuesday, December 19.

BCMS Character Word of the Month:

COMPASSION:

Showing concern or sympathy for something or someone.

Golf:

Any student who would like to be a part of the golf team at BCMS needs to have a physical on file with the school before tryouts in mid-February.

Upcoming 7th Graders:

This is a reminder that the upcoming 7th graders need to have current immunizations. (MCV4 and Tdap.)

LEAP Program:

The LEAP Program could use donations of storage totes and/or storage bins and LEGOS (new or used)

Puerto Rico Hurricane Relief Project

Banks County JROTC Cadets will be collecting personal hygiene items for Puerto Rico hurricane relief from November 15th to December 15th. The goal is to create 100 care packages for hurricane victims. Students can donate items to the drop boxes located around the school. If you have any questions, you can contact Chief Porter.

The following hygiene items may be donated:

- Toothbrush ● Toothpaste ● Chapstick ● Shampoo ● Comb ● Hand Sanitizer ● Deodorant ● Tissues ● First Aid Supplies ● Feminine Hygiene Products ● Non-perishable food items (oatmeal packets, hot cocoa packets, etc.)



Important Announcements

- The Food Drive is taking place until Dec. 8th. The homeroom per grade level that brings in the most canned foods will win a pizza party before Christmas break. Please do not send in foods out of date.
- Please don't forget to send in your Box Tops for Education! Ms. Taylor in 8th grade science is still collecting.
- Yearbooks on sale \$40. Ordering deadline is April 23rd.

Basketball

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Location</u>
December 7	Rabun	(Boys H Girls A) 4:15
December 9	East Hall (A Team: Boys H Girls A)	4:15
December 14	Habersham	(Boys H Girls A) 4:15
December 18	East Jackson	(B Team: Girls H) 4:30

Wrestling

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Location</u>
December 5	E. Hall/Stephens/Union	East Hall 5:00
December 12	West Jackson	Home 5:00
December 16	The Panther	Jackson 5:00
December 19	Madison & Hart	Home 5:00

Tri-Matches and Dual matches generally start around 5:00. Wrestlers and the Banks Co. News will be notified of definite start times prior to match and tournament dates.