

# Banks County Middle

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## Upcoming Events

### February 6

- 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Pathway Preview

### February 9

- Progress Reports

### February 13

- GOLF TRYOUTS: Must have physical on file and paperwork turned in by Feb. 12.

### February 13

- GBI Cyber Safety @ 6:00p

### February 19

- Holiday – no school!

### February 24

- TRACK & FIELD: Battle of 85 @ BCMS beginning at 9:30a.

### March 5-9

- Book Fair in the Media Center

### March 30

- Special Olympics

## Banks County Middle School

In this newsletter, you can find all the info for things going on in the month of February! Feel free to give us a call if you have any questions!

### Gifted Testing:

Gifted testing will begin in February. Please contact Lisa Rylee ([lisa.rylee@banks.k12.ga.us](mailto:lisa.rylee@banks.k12.ga.us)) if you would like to refer someone for testing (no later than Friday, February 2) or if you have any questions about the gifted program.

### Cyber Safety Training for Parents:

There will be a Cyber Safety presentation for **PARENTS ONLY** on Tuesday, Feb. 13 at 6:00pm in the BCMS cafeteria. The students will participate in a presentation during the school day. This presentation will be conducted by a special agent from the GBI. Topics that will be covered include: online predators, popular applications used by teenagers, and the dangers of texting and cyber bullying. Please make plans to attend. If you have any questions, please contact our school counselor, Mrs. Dodd ([tressa.dodd@banks.k12.ga.us](mailto:tressa.dodd@banks.k12.ga.us)) or 706-677-2277.

### Career Day:

Career Day is Thursday, March 29<sup>th</sup>. If you would like to be a presenter, please contact Tressa Dodd. [tressa.dodd@banks.k12.ga.us](mailto:tressa.dodd@banks.k12.ga.us) or 706.677.2277

## SEND US YOUR PHOTOS:

THE BCMS YEARBOOK NEEDS YOUR PICTURES:

Have you taken some awesome photos of school events and activities throughout the 2017-2018 school year? Well, we'd love for you to send us any pictures you've got of BCMS students and activities for our yearbook! There's nothing like seeing the year in the review from the perspective of our students and the community!

HOW TO SUBMIT:

Simply email the photos to [bcmsyearbook@banks.k12.ga.us](mailto:bcmsyearbook@banks.k12.ga.us) and you're done!

Thanks for all your help!



## Important Announcements

- **Yearbooks** on sale for \$40. Ordering deadline is April 23<sup>rd</sup>.
- **Upcoming 7th Graders:** This is a reminder that the upcoming 7th graders need to have current immunizations. (MCV4 and Tdap.)
- Ms. Taylor in 8<sup>th</sup> grade science is collecting Box Tops for Education!
- Ms. Harnish is in need of paint and/or paint supplies (brushes, old cups for water, rags, newspapers) for her Social Studies classroom. Please drop off at the office!

### Baseball

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Location</u>
Feb. 20	Habersham	Hab. Central @ 5:00
Feb. 22	Habersham	BCHS @ 5:00
Feb. 27	Jackson County	BCHS @ 4:30

### Soccer

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Location</u>
Feb. 5	Hart	Home @ 4:15
Feb. 7	Commerce	Away @ 4:15
Feb. 12	West Jackson	Home @ 4:15
Feb. 20	East Jackson	Away @ 4:15
Feb. 26	Hart	Away @ 4:15
Feb. 28	Oglethorpe	Home @ 4:15