



Beechwood Knoll Summer Newsletter

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M, T, Th, F

8:15am - 2:30pm.

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8:15 am. - 11:55 pm

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Greetings to all our BKS Families!

I hope this newsletter finds you well and that you are having a fabulous vacation!

While summer is not over yet, I wanted to reach out to share some information as we start transitioning back to school!

~Ms. Janet Loftus, Principal

School Starting Dates:

Grades 1-5, **September 8th**

**THIS IS AN EARLY RELEASE WEDNESDAY!*

Kindergarten, **September 13th**

Open House for all K Students on **Sept. 10th*

Save the Dates:

Sept 1st:

Homerooms Released on ASPEN (4:00pm)

**See next page for how to log into ASPEN*

Sept 4th and/or 5th:

Kindergarten Meet and Greet at the Playground,
10-11:00am

Sept 17th: PTO Sponsored Back to School Outdoor
Movie Night

COVID PROTOCOLS

School Committee is meeting tonight (8.18.21) to make decisions regarding certain COVID protocols for our schools. More info to come!

BKS PTO

Join our

**“Beechwood Knoll School PTO”
group on Facebook to connect
with other families and to receive
up to date school information!**

ACCESS TO ASPEN IN 5 EASY STEPS

Step 1. Type in the address in your browser:
aspen.quincypublicschools.com

Step 2. Your Login ID is your child's local student ID Number.

Your generic password is quincy123. You will be prompted to change your password after logging on. Your new password should be at least one UPPER CASE LETTER and at least ONE NUMBER. Minimum of 6 digits. The password will be encrypted for security reasons. The example is showing the encrypted password.

Step 3. After logging on for the first time... You will be prompted to change your password. Your current password is quincy123. Type in your new password and then confirm the new password

Step 4. After logging on to Aspen, click on **Set Preferences** Tab up at the TOP right hand corner of the page. Click on the **Security Tab**. Enter your primary and alternate email address. Answer at least one of the security questions in the drop down menu. By answering the security question, if you forget your password it will be emailed back to you. Click on the link – *I forgot my password at the log in screen.*

Step 5. After Logging on you will see **PUBLISHED REPORTS** on the right hand side of the screen. This is where the link will be located for the student's report card. After double clicking on the link you will be able to view the report card.

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BKS SUGGESTED CLASSROOM SUPPLIES

K

Baby wipes
Handi-Wipes (antibacterial hand wipes)
Glue Sticks
Washable Markers
1 pack- 24 Crayola crayons
1 pack-12 School Smart colored pencils (preferably not Crayola)
Plastic Pencil case

2

Kid's scissors
Erasers
Pencil sharpener
Glue sticks
Crayons
Colored pencils
Washable markers, 8 pack
2 Sturdy 2 pocket folders
One-inch 3-ring binder

1

Washable markers, 8 pack
Crayons-24
1 4oz elmer's glue
Glue sticks
Kids blunt scissors
Pencil box
Pencil pouch
2 sturdy two pocket folders

3

Pencil box or pouch
Kid-size scissors
Colored pencils
Erasers
Two - 1 inch three-ring binder
(clear view front if possible)
2 - one subject spiral notebooks

Post-it notes (3" x 3")
Markers
Pencil sharpener with cover
Crayons
5 - two-pocket folders
2 Highlighters
2 - marble composition notebooks

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Set of 12 colored pencils

4-pack of Expo markers (colored or black)

Scissors

Glue stick

Erasers

Handheld pencil sharpener

4 sturdy 2-pocket folders

4 college ruled **8 ½ x 11** spiral single-subject notebooks (Science, Social Studies, ELA, Math)

3 ring binder(2 inches)

Highlighters (preferably Yellow)

5

Set of 12 colored pencils

4-pack of Expo markers (colored or black)

Scissors

Glue sticks

Erasers

Red pens

Handheld pencil sharpener

4 sturdy 2-pocket folders

4 two-subject college ruled **8 ½ x 11** spiral single-subject notebooks

3 ring binder(2 inches)

highlighters



SAVE THE DATE

**Beechwood Knoll
Kindergarten
Class of 2034**

Meet and Greet Playdate!

Dates: Sept 4th and/or Sept 5th

Time: 10-11:00am

**Meeting Place: picnic table at the entrance to
the playground**

**COME AND MEET OTHER NEW
KINDERGARTEN FAMILIES BEFORE
THE START OF THE SCHOOL YEAR!**

**Join our PTO
Facebook Page:
"Beechwood
Knoll School
PTO"**

