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## Weekly Updates From the Desk of:

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Welcome back! I hope everyone enjoyed their summer and had a chance to unwind and enjoy time with your families. It is time to begin getting ready for the new school year, fall sports, and sweater weather. Below you will find information concerning the start of the school year. As always, if you have questions please call the middle school office.

Sincerely,

Duane Caudill, Principal

## UPCOMING EVENTS

- 6th Grade and New Student Orientation - Aug 19, 8:30-10:00 am
- Middle School Open House - Aug 19, 6:45 - 7:45 pm
- First Day of School - Bethel Local Schools, Aug 21

## GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ***New Student and 6th Grade Orientation*** - orientation will be held on Monday, August 19 from 8:30 - 10:00 am. Students will meet in the middle school gym where they will meet their teachers. Students will receive their schedules, receive a tour of the middle school, and will practice using their locks for their lockers. Students can be picked up at Bethel Hall behind the school.
- ***Middle School Open House*** - The middle school open house for all students and parents will be held on August 19, from 6:45 - 7:45 pm. The office staff will be in the middle school gym passing out schedules, school supply boxes, and you will have the opportunity to pay school fees.

- ***First Day of School*** - August 21 is the first day of school. The tardy bell rings at 7:30, meaning that students must be in their first period class when the bell rings. The school day ends at 2:35 again this year. If you are dropping off or picking up your student, the location is the same, building entrance 1, between the old building and the elementary office.
- ***7th Grade Immunizations*** - state law requires that students entering 7th grade receive the Tdap and meningococcal vaccines. Documentation of vaccinations must be provided to the middle school office. If you have questions please contact the middle school office.
  - **Vaccinations are available at Miami County Public Health by appointment only, 937-573-3518 or 937-573-3519**
- ***Bus Schedules and School Supplies Lists***- look for bus schedules to be posted on the Bethel website when they are complete. School supply lists are posted on the website, under the resources tab, look for back to school.

## OTHER UPDATES

### REGISTER YOUR EMAIL - for Weekly Updates & Newsletters

- To receive school updates and newsletters directly to your email, look for the “SUBSCRIBE HERE” link on the Middle School Webpage to register your email address and choose from the following (you may choose more than one):
  - Superintendent’s Newsletter
  - Elementary Weekly Updates
  - Middle School Weekly Updates
  - High School Principal Updates