



LINCOLN LIGHTNING NEWS

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IMPORTANT DATES

- 5/14- WMS Band performs for 3,4 and 5th Graders
- 5/14- BAND NIGHT PARADE!** All welcome to participate
- 5/19 – 5th Grade track meet at BSC Bowl
- 5/27- 5th Grad Graduation- Bismarck High School Auditorium
- 5/28 – LAST DAY OF SCHOOL
- 5th Grade Clap Out at 2:15



Lost and Found

We have 2 racks of clothing items and many baskets of hats and gloves. Please come to the school and check the lost and found! Items not picked up by the last day of school will be donated.



Parents may come prior to school or after school to check these items out.

***Please notify the office of any changes to your mailing address, email address, or your phone numbers.**



Are you moving this summer?

Please let the school know if you plan on moving this summer. This information will help us as we prepare for next fall.

You can now change your address 2 ways:

- 1. Submit your **paper form** address changes by email to registrar@bismarckschools.org, by fax to (701) 323-4111, drop it off at the Central Office or send it by mail to 806 N. Washington Bismarck, ND 58501.
 - ◆ Fill out the Address Change Form and supply One Primary Proof of Residence with the parent(s) name on the document.
- 2. Or use our new **online form**, sign in on your PowerSchool account.
 - ◆ Login to PowerSchool at <https://bismarck.ps.state.nd.us>. If you don't have a login, contact your building secretary to get started.
 - ◆ Once you've signed in, click on the "Forms" link on the left side.
 - ◆ Select the "Address Change" form, fill it out your student's information, and submit.

*If you change your address after the start of the first day of school, you may not be eligible to attend your elementary boundary school. (based on availability) If you have any questions, please call the school office at (701) 323-4310. Thank you!

End of year reminders:



Medications must be picked up in the office on or before the last day of school. If your child is attending Camp Ed, only inhalers and epi-pens can and must be left until the last day of Camp Ed. **BPS policy does not allow us to send unused medication home with your child. If medication is not picked up, it will be properly disposed of by school personnel.**

- ✓ **Classroom placement letters** will be sent by email the second week of August. Please make sure we have your correct email addresses.
- ✓ **Report cards** will be emailed to families on the last day of school, Friday, May 28th
- ✓ **Camp Ed/Summer Office Hours** – the office will be open from 8 am – 12 pm through July 19th. There is no Camp Ed on July 5th and the office will be closed.
- ✓ **Get all library books back into the office. As well as chromebooks.**
- ✓ Join us for our clap out on the last day of school at 2:15 to say congrats to our 5th graders as they move on to WMS



As the school year draws to an end, I want to express how proud I am of the achievements and accomplishments of our students at Lincoln this year. These have been made possible with your support and through the dedication of staff who work tirelessly to provide opportunities for all our young people to grow and learn.

Your partnership, as families, has been invaluable and I am grateful for your commitment and support. I wish you all a restful and enjoyable summer break and thank you again for your contribution this year to making Lincoln a school we can all be proud of.

Mrs. Vallejo, Principal



rom Our School Nurses Brenda and Paula

Keep watch to prevent drowning – It only takes seconds for drowning to happen. Supervise children at all times when in or around water.

Look for signs of heat exhaustion – Heat stroke can be life threatening in children. Make sure children are drinking water and wearing light weight clothing when outdoors.

Check for car safety – Make sure your child's car seat is properly fitted and never leave a child alone in a car. Temperatures inside a car rise quickly during summer months.

Protect skin from the sun – Apply sunscreen SPF 30 or higher before going outdoors. Reapply after every three hours or after your child has been in or splashed by water.

Avoid bug bites – Avoid bug bites by applying insect repellent before spending time outdoors and avoid scented soaps and lotions. Covering arms and legs also helps.

Enjoy fireworks safely – Read instructions on fireworks and never let young children touch or light fireworks.

Drink enough water – Dehydration occurs more quickly in kids than adults and their risk increases with a rise in temperature. How much water should your child drink in a day? Take half of your child's weight (up to 100) and that's the number of ounces of water they should drink every day.

Don't monkey around – Always supervise children on playgrounds and have your child play on age appropriate equipment.

Wear a life jacket on boats – A life jacket should fit snug yet be comfortable and does not move above the chin or ears when the jacket is lifted at the shoulders.

Ride bikes the smart way – Wear a helmet to prevent serious bike injuries. Helmets as well as bikes should fit properly for every child. Also, don't forget to follow bike rules.

Source: [Summer Safety - National Safety Council \(nsc.org\)](https://www.nsc.org)

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