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At the Peak

A newsletter for Ophir Middle School and Lone Peak High School



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Important Announcements

From the Office



School Resumes: Monday, August 24th

Beginning of Year Form: Must be
completed for **every student** by
September 4, 2026



26-27 Ski Days School Permission Form:
Must be completed for **every student** by
September 18, 2026.

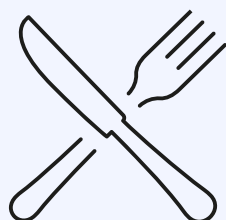
All LPHS students need to bring all of their
expedition supplies to school on **Monday,**
(This Monday - August 24th). See Page 6.



All Summer Work is expected to be
completed and brought to school Monday.

Device Protection Plan Payment is due by September 15th

MENU



LPHS Expedition Lists

Bring all items **Monday, August 24th**

[Link to 9th - 11th Grade List](#)

[Link to 12th Grade List](#)

- Bring all your **gear** with you to school on Monday
- **Self-Carry Medication Form** is needed for all meds - prescription & over the counter
- LPHS students - don't forget to bring your **lunch Tuesday!**

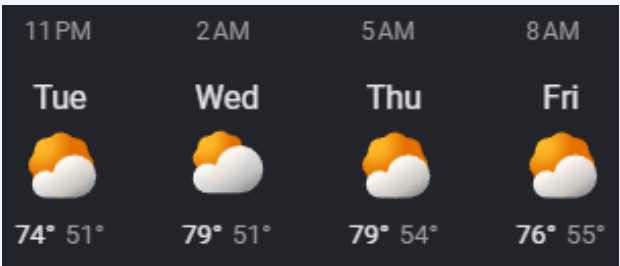
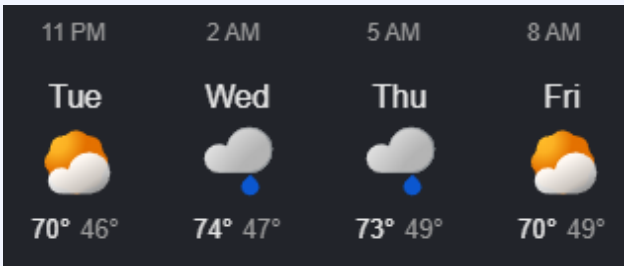
Weather Forecasts:



9th Grade
Red Cliffs
Campground



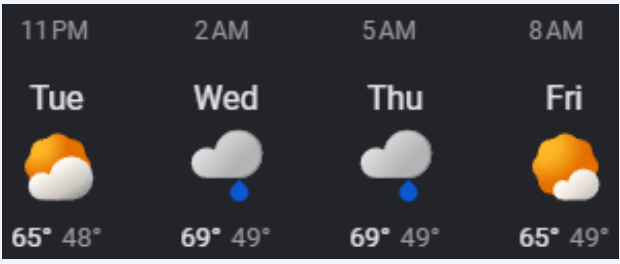
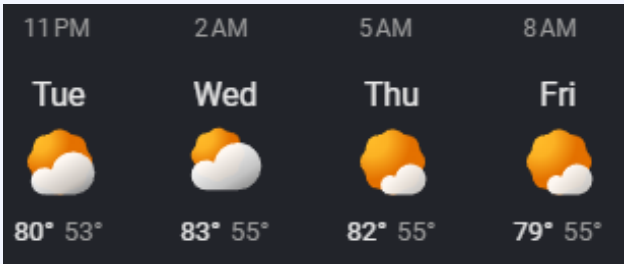
11th Grade
Pine Creek
Campground



10th Grade
Lewis & Clark
Campground



12th Grade
Lee Metcalf
Wilderness



School Starts at 8:25 a.m. Sharp Monday-Friday

We are excited for you to be in your classrooms ready to learn when the bell rings!

Note: Advisory block is C Block on Wed. Everyone will be expected to be here.

Monday - Thursday: Students are done at 3:35 p.m.

Friday: Students are done at 2:33 p.m.

Thank you 



A heartfelt thank you to the PTO
for the yummy snacks for our staff
during our PIR week!

A huge shoutout and Thank You
to Bozeman Health Big Sky
Medical Center for providing
our staff with CPR certification
and refresher courses this week!



All parents should ensure they are connected to Toddle.

This is the system OMS & LPHS uses as the student's Learning Management System. (This is how you can access your students' assignments and progress reports, etc.)

Weekly grade reports will be sent out on Tuesdays via Toddle accounts.

If you have previously been connected, you are good to go!

If you need need access, you will receive an invitation email. Connection instructions are below.

Please do not hesitate to reach out with any questions.

Toddle Connection Instructions:

- Access Toddle and set up your account.
 - Choose whether you want to use the **mobile app** or the **desktop website**. (You can do both!)

Mobile App:

- [\[Google Play Store\]](#)
- [\[Apple App Store\]](#)

Desktop Website:

<https://web.toddleapp.com/?type=loginHome>

Once you have selected your platform, follow these steps to sign in:

- If your email address is Google or Microsoft, select the correct option to sign in using Single Sign-On.
 - If you use a different email provider, select the email option. Toddle will send a One-Time Passcode (OTP) to your email. Check your inbox for the message from Toddle, then enter the OTP into the app or website to complete your sign-in.
- Use the same email address that is on file with Big Sky School District. Your child(ren) will be automatically linked to your profile.



[Link to OMS Student Supply List for 2026-2027](#)

[Link to LPHS Student Supply List for 2026-2027](#)



Back-to-School Night



Thursday, September 10 @ 4:30 - 6 p.m.

Join us to walk your student's schedule, meet their fabulous teachers, and touch base as the school year begins!

Mrs. Romine will be providing a short training on how to use our school learning management system, Toddle! Parents will learn how to see student homework, check their grades, and get grade reports.

We hope you can make it!

Please reach out to Mrs. Romine with any questions



Friendly Reminder: BSSD is Phone and Smart Watch Free.

Students can place phones or watches in their designated phone locker cubbie or leave them in their vehicles. Phones are not to be on their persons or in their backpacks.

Thank you!!



Policy Reminders:

- No Cell Phones are allowed to be on the students person. They are to be stored in the phone lockers or left in vehicles.
- **For High School Students:** A new **Apple Neo** will be provided to every high school student and will be the only computer allowed for students to use while at school.
- **For Middle School Students:** Chromebooks will remain in the classroom.



Bus Routes & Rules



- There are 2 [bus routes](#) assigned by home address.
- You are required to use the stop nearest your residence.
- Parents are responsible for transport after school events, classes, playdates, etc.
- Bus Rules ([click here](#))
- Make sure to check the website/app for route updates.

School Lunch Details



- Each student is assigned a lunch PIN (available at lunch in case you forgot =).
- You can pay via cash, check (payable to BSSD72), or credit card on Infinite Campus.
- Families are expected to maintain a positive balance.
- Meal Pricing:
 - 6-12: \$4.50
 - Extra Entrée: +\$2.00
 - Milk: Included with lunch purchase. (Costs \$0.75 if buying a second milk or if bringing lunch from home).
- Free/Reduced Lunch: If applicable, a new application must be submitted every school year (returning students must submit by September 15). [Income Eligibility Guidelines](#)

MEDICATIONS

If your child needs to take or carry medication during school hours, you must submit the appropriate completed forms:

- For All Medications (Prescribed & Over-the-Counter):
 - Must be provided in its original container.
 - Standard Administration: Physician's Order for Dispensing Medication & Designations forms.
 - Self-Administration: Montana Authorization to Carry and Self-Administer Medication.



⚠ CAUTION: If your student is carrying any over the counter medications in their backpacks - the bottom form above must be completed. **This includes everyday items like cough drops, aspirin, and throat lozenges.**

Important Note: All medical forms and permissions must be updated and resubmitted yearly.



LPHS Fall Sports - Soccer, Volleyball & Football



- \$175 athletic fee can be paid with cash or check to coaches, Mr. Hannahs or to the office.
 - Fees are required to be paid before the first competition.

OMS Fall Sports Football & Volleyball

OMS Football practice is underway!
OMS Volleyball practice starts
Monday, August 24th @ 3:35 p.m.

- An updated sports physical is required before athletes are allowed to practice.
- Signatures on final forms by athletes & guardians are required.
- \$125 athletic fee can be paid with cash or check to coaches, Mr. Hannahs or to the office.
 - Fees are required to be paid before the first competition.

Make sure to check out the Booster Club Website for all things sports (directions, stats, pics, etc).

*Hot link on website to become a member!
There are levels for all families!!*



Go BigHorns!
Booster Club Website:
LPHSsports.org

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SUPPORT LONE PEAK HIGH SCHOOL SPORTS

BAGS, BOARDS & BOOSTERS

CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT

SIGN UP TODAY!

AUGUST 26, 2026 • 5:00 PM

Location: The Bunker
DOUBLE ELIMINATION TOURNAMENT

Winning Team Prize:
BIG HORN CORNHOLE SET

REGISTRATION FEE:
\$200/TEAM

MAJOR SPONSORS: BIG SKY RESORT

FOR INFORMATION AND REGISTRATION
LPHSBOOSTERCLUB.COM

406-855-6544

REGISTER YOUR TEAM



OMS Fall Sports Pictures:
Wednesday, September 2nd
@ 3:45 p.m. in the Middle School



No pre-order is necessary. All athletes need to bring full uniforms to picture sessions.

Emails will be sent to families once pictures are ready!

UPCOMING EVENTS:

LPHS Volleyball: Saturday, August 29th @ Sheridan Tournament

LPHS Soccer: Saturday, August 29th @ Hamilton @ Stevensville
Mens @ 11a & 1p/ Ladies @ 1p & 6p

Teacher Spotlight

Mr. Nate Lucas

Middle School History

I'm Nate Lucas, the new middle school social studies teacher at Ophir. I'm originally from Chicago (go Bears!) and a proud Montana State University graduate. Some of you may recognize me from my time as a student teacher and guest teacher here. Outside the classroom, I enjoy exploring Montana and hiking with my dog, Birdie. Please feel free to reach out with any questions at nlucas@bssd72.org.



¡Hola a todos! I'm Grace Benson and I'm the new Spanish teacher for OMS/LPHS. I'm so excited to be joining the Big Sky School District family! I am originally from Ferndale, Washington, but I studied Spanish teaching at MSU and lived in Bozeman for four years. I love reading, music, baking, soccer, and all animals. I can't wait to get to know everyone over this 26-27 school year!

Ms. Grace Benson

Middle/High School Spanish

WELCOME