STORM REPORT

Bureau Valley Walnut Elementary

Issued: August 21st, 2026

Calendar of Events

August 2026

26 Touch a Truck 5:00-7:00pm

September 2026

3 PreK-4th Grade - Ag In The Classroom
7 **NO SCHOOL** - Labor Day
9 Picture Day
11 Mid-Term
17 **11:00am DISMISSAL**
School Improvement Day
AM PreK ONLY 8:00-10:30am
No Lunch Served
18 Progress Reports Sent Home
23 Board Meeting 6:00pm at Central Office
24 PreK & Thunder Field Trip to Tanner's Orchard
28 Homecoming Week - Dress Up Days TBD

October 2026

9 **11:00am DISMISSAL**
School Improvement Day
PM PreK ONLY 8:00-10:30am
No Lunch Served
End First Quarter
12 **NO SCHOOL** - Columbus Day
13 Parent Teacher Conferences 4:00-7:00pm
15 Parent Teacher Conferences 4:00-7:00pm
16 Report Cards Sent Home







Welcome back! We're excited to kick off another school year and bring you the very first issue of this year's **Storm Report**, our bi-monthly newsletter. This is your place to stay up to date on what's happening around school—upcoming events, student activities, achievements, announcements, and everything in between.

As we begin a new year, we hope **The Storm Report** keeps you connected, informed, and involved in our school community. Here's to a great year ahead—let's make it one to remember!

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Welcome Back!

Rain or shine, kids love the outdoors and animals. Whether they are playing gaga ball, four square, football or kickball, the kids love to be outside and we all know how therapeutic being out in nature is! We are also enjoying beautiful sunflowers, delicious cantaloupe from the garden and we've even found some monarch caterpillars. We are really enjoying watching them progress through their life cycle. Last but not least, everyone is happy to see that our bunny, Ari, is back at school too. She is enjoying the kids and teachers and all of the attention they give her - especially the treats!











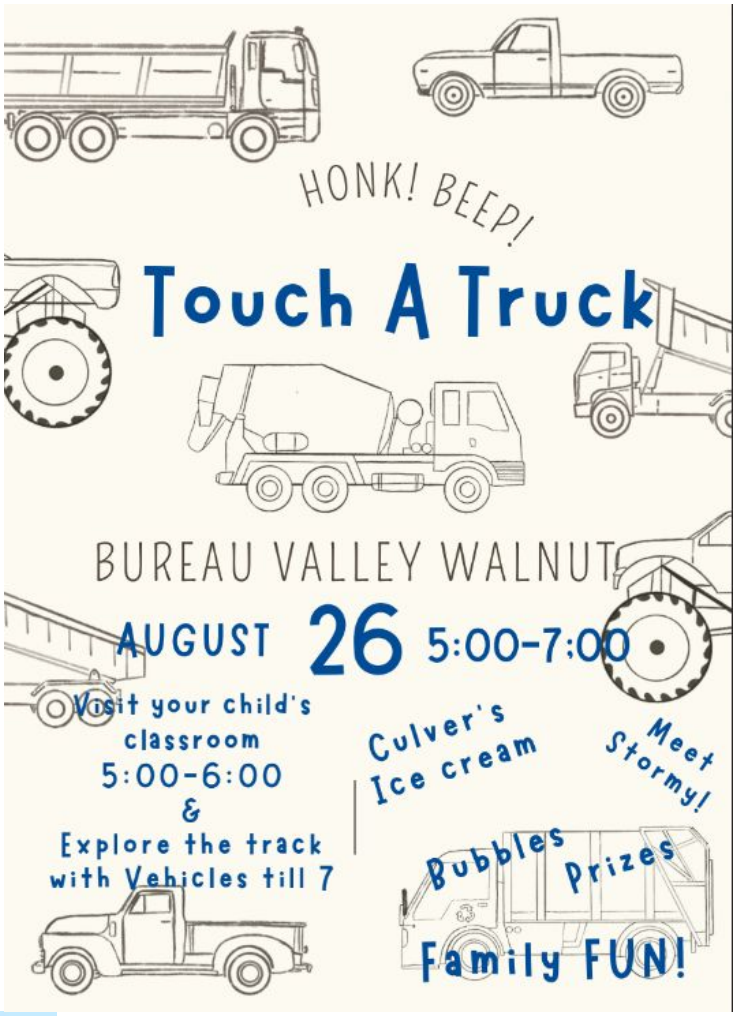




Mark your calendars!

Saturday, October 3rd
Walnut Fall Fest

5K to support the Walnut PTO in creating an accessible playground!





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2026-2027 BV School Calendar of Days Off & Early Dismissals

Below is the list of BV days off and early dismissals that are built into the 2026-2027 school year. Please consider these dates first, if possible, when planning your family vacations, doctor's appointments, etc.

September 7th - NO SCHOOL for Labor Day

September 17th - **11:00 Dismissal** for School Improvement Day

October 9th - 11:00 Dismissal for School Improvement Day

October 12th - NO SCHOOL for Columbus Day

Thanksgiving Break:

November 24th - **2:00 Dismissal** for Thanksgiving Vacation
November 25th - NO SCHOOL Thanksgiving Vacation
November 26th - NO SCHOOL Thanksgiving Day
November 27th - NO SCHOOL Thanksgiving Vacation

Winter Break:

December 18th - **2:00 Dismissal** for Winter Break
December 21st - January 4th NO SCHOOL - Winter Break

January 18th - NO SCHOOL for Martin Luther King Jr. Day

February 11th - **11:00 Dismissal** for School Improvement Day

February 12th - NO SCHOOL

February 15th - NO SCHOOL for Presidents' Day

March 11th - **11:00 Dismissal** for School Improvement Day

Spring Break:

March 25th - **2:00 Dismissal** for Spring Break

March 29th - April 4th - NO SCHOOL Spring Break

April 22nd - **11:00 Dismissal** for School Improvement Day

May 19th - **2:00 Dismissal Tentative Last Day of School**