



# The Weekly Growl

**Brown Elementary School**

**Byron Center Public Schools**

**September 5, 2025**

## **Message from Principal Mysliwiec**

Dear Brown Families,

We are off to a fantastic start! The first six days of school have gone so well, and it has been such a joy to see all of our students' smiling faces each day. Everyone is working hard to learn the routines and procedures for both the classroom and the building, and we are already seeing great progress.

Thank you so much for your partnership and support as we begin this school year together. We are looking forward to all the learning and growth ahead and are excited for what this year will bring!

Warmly,

Tina Mysliwiec

Principal, Brown Elementary

## **Parent Pick-Up Reminder**

To ensure the safety of all students, we kindly ask families to follow our dismissal procedures each day:

- Please use the parent pick-up line.
- Have your placard hanging from your rearview mirror.
- Remain in your car during dismissal.
- Please remove the placard from your rearview mirror once your child is in the car. This helps us confirm your child has been safely picked up.

If the person picking up your child does not have the official placard, we will require a photo ID and will check it against the emergency contact list before releasing your child. Thank you for helping us keep all of our Bulldogs safe!

### **PUP Meeting**

Join us for our first PUP meeting of the year on **Tuesday, September 9 at 6:30 PM** in the **Brown Elementary cafeteria**. Children are welcome—please bring something to help them stay occupied!

### **Brown Elementary Tailgate**

Brown Elementary Tailgate Night is coming up on **Thursday, September 12 at 5:00 PM**! Join us on the practice field for pizza, face painting, and fun before the BC Varsity Football game. Admission to the game is included, and students will get to run the field before kickoff! Please RSVP by September 10 at [givebutter.com/q27Kz8](https://givebutter.com/q27Kz8).

### **Youth Soccer Night**

Join us Thursday, September 11, 2025 for youth soccer night. More information [here](#)!

### **Code Red Robotics' FIRST LEGO League (FLL) 2025 season**

In FLL, students explore the engineering process, learn to design and code, and use creative thinking to develop solutions. This year's theme is **UNEARTHED**. Working in teams and using LEGO technology, students will explore coding concepts through the lense of archeology.

### **Program Details**

- **When:** Sessions will be on Thursdays from 6 to 8 pm, starting September 25th. We will have 7 to 8 sessions in the fall and another 7 to 8 sessions in the winter/spring.
- **Where:** We meet in the [Nickels Intermediate School](#) cafeteria
- **Register to join** the 2025 FLL season.
- More information can be found in the [FLL Informational Flyer](#)
- **Parent Involvement:** A parent (or other adult) must accompany their student to sessions

If you have any questions, contact Scott Keith at [keithsmcorp@gmail.com](mailto:keithsmcorp@gmail.com) or 269-364-1407

### **Car Placards**

If you would like to order additional car tags please use this [link](#).

### **Attendance**

If your student will be absent or needs to leave early for an appointment please contact the teacher along with our attendance email: [brattendance@bcpsk12.net](mailto:brattendance@bcpsk12.net)

### **Stock The Lounge**

With the start of school underway, let's keep our teachers fueled and appreciated! If you'd like to help stock snacks, drinks, and treats for our amazing teachers and staff, please sign up to bring an item here:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C45AFA623A3F58-58248972-staff>

### **District Calendar**

Click [here](#) for the 2025/2026 District Calendar.

### **Important Dates**

Please see the following important dates: [25-26](#) and [26-27](#)

### **Upcoming Dates**

**September 6:** Dirt Dash

**September 9:** PUP Meeting 6:30pm

**September 12:** [Brown Tailgate 5:00pm](#)

**September 15-18:** [Vision/Hearing](#)

**September 24:** [Jets Pizza Fundraiser](#)

