



Byron Center Public Schools
MARSHALL ELEMENTARY

May 23, 2025

*We dodged some rainy weather this week but unfortunately not for the Whitecaps singing. The kids were able to sing but the game was canceled. Thankfully, we were able to get in on our 4th grade bike trip & field day rain free. A big **THANK YOU** to all our staff parent volunteers for working hard and making all these events a success! We couldn't do it without you!!*

Nurses Corner

Medication Pick Up Reminder! PLEASE pick up ALL student medications (Prescription and OTC) on the **last day of school by 12:00pm, Friday, May 30**. All medications MUST be picked up by a Parent/Guardian in the Marshall office. All medications not picked up by the last day of school will be discarded and disposed of safely/properly by the District Nurse. We cannot store medications in the building over the summer.

Please contact Nurse Vander Veen with any questions or concerns.

Email: lisavanderveen@bcpsk12.net OR Ph: 616-878-6639

Adopt a Fish...

STEM has some exciting news! Our fish had babies this year and they are almost ready to go to their forever homes. There are 18 fish up for adoption this year. Fish will be available to go home the last week of school, May 27-30. Arrangements will need to be made for pickup because the fish will NOT be sent home with students on the bus. The application deadline is next Friday, May 16th.

If you are interested in adopting a fish or wish to learn more, please fill out the attached form or contact Mrs. Belen at kbelen@bcpsk12.net. [Fish Adoption Application](#).

From the Marshall Office, Early Pick-Up

With the end of year events in full swing at Marshall we have a lot of busyness in the school office. Just a friendly reminder, if you are picking up your student(s) early from school, please inform the school office before 3:00pm by calling (616-878-6300) or emailing (meattendance@bcpsk12.net). We do ask that you pick-up no later than 3:15pm as the office gets very busy before we load buses. Thank you, we greatly appreciate it.

Library Close-out

There is still time to turn in your Marshall library books next week. Please bring them to the school office. Thank you!

Kindergarten Registration

If you have a student entering Kindergarten for the 2023-2024 school year, please enroll them online ([here](#)). Please bring all supporting documents to the Administration building (8542 Byron Center Avenue SW). There will be a summer Kindergarten screening, more information to come through email after your child is fully registered.

Yearbooks

We still have a few copies of the 2024-2025 yearbook available for sale in the office. They are \$10 each (cash only, please). If you'd like to purchase one, just have your student stop by the school office and pick one up.

Lost & Found

Marshall's Lost & Found is overflowing. We have put our Lost & Found items on tables outside of the office doors in the covered area. Please stop by in the evenings and look for items that have mysteriously not returned home with your child(ren). We will start packing up items for donation next week on the half days.

Summer Girls Basketball Camp [Girls Basketball Summer Camp Flyer](#)

Summer Swim Lessons

Swim lesson details as well as the link to the website.

<https://www.gomotionapp.com/team/mibca/page/swim-lessons1>

Marshall Garden

Mrs. Kerri Belen, our STEM teacher, is looking to build a volunteer list for helpers in the school garden. Students will be planting over the next few weeks and she will need some help with the watering and weeding over the summer. Mrs. Belen will send out further information about dates and times to those who are interested. If you would like to volunteer to help, please sign up [here](#). If you want to learn more, please email: kbelen@bcpsk12.net



Marshall Calendar

May 26 - **No School** (Memorial Day)
May 27 - 4th Grade Field Trip
May 28 - 4th Grade Battle of the Books
May 28 - Kinder Popsicles Party 10:30am
May 28 - **Half Day**, 12:00pm dismissal
May 29 - **Half Day**, 12:00pm dismissal
May 30 - **Half Day**, 12:00pm dismissal

