



# THE AGGIE EXPRESS

## School Board Officers Elected

The following school board officers were chosen at the annual Organizational Meeting held on Monday, January 15, 2018.

Denise McBride	President
Rod Cole	Vice President
Curt Gottschalk	Secretary
Robert Pasch	Treasurer
Ron Neyer	Trustee
Heather Curtiss	Trustee
Tom Gross	Trustee

The School Board meetings are held on the third Monday of every month unless otherwise noted. The start time for this year's meetings will be at 7:00 p.m. This year's meeting schedule is as follows:

Monday, February 19, 2018	7:00 p.m.
Monday, March 19, 2018	7:00 p.m.
Monday, April 16, 2018	7:00 p.m.
Monday, May 21, 2018	7:00 p.m.
Monday, June 25, 2018 Budget Hearing	6:30 p.m.
Monday, June 25, 2018 Regular Meeting	7:00 p.m.
Monday, July 16, 2018	7:00 p.m.
Monday, August 19, 2018	7:00 p.m.
Monday, September 17, 2018	7:00 p.m.
Monday, October 15, 2018	7:00 p.m.
Monday, November 19, 2018	7:00 p.m.
Monday, December 17, 2018	7:00 p.m.
Monday, January 21, 2019 Organizational Meeting	6:30 p.m.
Monday, January 21, 2019 Regular Meeting	7:00 p.m.

## **\*\*\*Staff Member of the Month\*\*\***



### **\*\*\*Staff Member of the Month\*\*\***

The Beal City Board of Education, in appreciation of the hard work that is done by all members of Beal City Public Schools, would like to honor one staff member each month for their service to the students and community of Beal City. This month's honoree is Mark Pittsley.

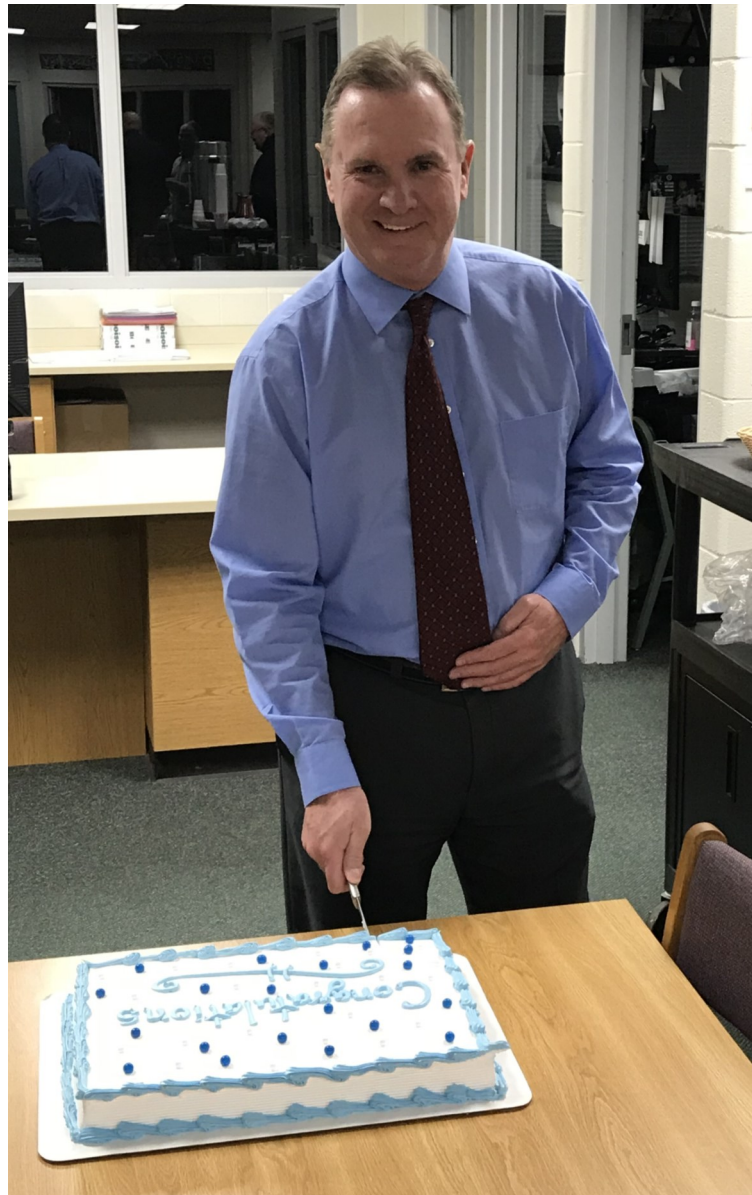
Mr. Pittsley has been a member of the Beal City Public School District for the past 24 years. During his time here he has been a dedicated educator always willing to assist the students as needed. He is a contributing member of the Beal City Educational Community and a loyal staff member. He has been involved with many activities and clubs throughout his tenure. For instance, Mr. Pittsley has been a Driver's Training Instructor and he has headed the Robotics Team as well. Congratulations to Mr. Pittsley for being our featured staff member of the Month! We wish you health and happiness in your retirement!!!

## **Board Briefs**

The following was approved at a regular board meeting on January 16, 2018:

- General Fund payments of \$509,111.19, transfers to Payroll Acct. payments of \$1,020.47, Hot Lunch payments of \$8,678.37 and Athletic Fund payments of \$3,377.77, Capital Projects 2017 checking payments of \$46,972.92, Capital Projects 2017 Money Market ACH transfers of \$30,000.00 and \$650,000.00 CD purchase.
- The 2<sup>nd</sup> reading of the Fall 2017 NEOLA Policy updates as presented.
- The Bond Issue Bid Awards for Phase 1 as presented.

To locate the Beal City Board of Education agenda and minutes from the monthly Board meetings, please see the Beal City website. Click on District Info, Board of Education, then click on the Board of Education on the left hand side to receive a menu. From there click on Meeting.



The Beal City Board of Education honored Mr. Jackson at a recent board meeting. They wished him health and happiness during his retirement and thanked him for everything he has done for them and this school district. Congratulations and enjoy your retirement, Mr. Jackson!!!

## Literacy Night

Beal City Elementary will be hosting a Literacy Night on Tuesday, February 6th at 6:00 p.m. This event will focus on the five components of reading and we will be providing valuable strategies to help our young readers. We have many books to give away and refreshments will be provided as well. All Beal City and St. Joe students and families in Kindergarten through 3rd Grade are invited to attend. Please come out and help us promote literacy in our community!

# *Beal City Elementary*



## *Students of the Month*



**Back Row (L to R):** Mylie Kent, Ella Strong, Ellyianan Middlesworth, Jack Lesage, Bradley Bellinger  
**Front Row (L to R):** Mykelh Kent, Rylinn Pastotnik





# FEBRUARY | 2018

## Beal City Schools Breakfast Menu

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>5 HOT ITEM</b> Sliders (egg, sausage, cheese) Fruit, juice and milk <b>COLD ITEMS</b> Donuts, uncrustables, muffins, cereal, cheese sticks, Fruit, juice and milk	<b>6 HOT ITEM</b> Eggo chocolate chip french toast french brown fruit, juice and milk <b>COLD ITEMS</b> Donuts, uncrustables, muffins, cereal, cheese sticks, Fruit, juice and milk	<b>7 HOT ITEM</b> Breakfast boscon stick (egg, turkey bacon, cheese) Fruit, juice and milk <b>COLD ITEMS</b> Donuts, uncrustables, muffins, cereal, cheese sticks, Fruit, juice and milk	<b>1 HOT ITEM</b> Pancakes maple-flavored with brown Fruit, juice and milk <b>COLD ITEMS</b> Donuts, uncrustables, muffins, cereal, cheese sticks, Fruit, juice and milk	<b>2 HOT ITEM</b> Egg & sausage sandwich on a bagel Fruit, juice and milk <b>COLD ITEMS</b> Donuts, uncrustables, muffins, cereal, cheese sticks, Fruit, juice and milk
<b>12 HOT ITEM</b> Breakfast boat (egg & cheese) Fruit, juice and milk <b>COLD ITEMS</b> Donuts, uncrustables, muffins, cereal, cheese sticks, Fruit, juice and milk	<b>13 HOT ITEM</b> Freshly baked cinnamon rolls, waffle, patty Fruit, juice and milk <b>COLD ITEMS</b> Donuts, uncrustables, muffins, cereal, cheese sticks, Fruit, juice and milk	<b>14 HOT ITEM</b> Egg & cheese omelet with brown fruit, juice and milk <b>COLD ITEMS</b> Donuts, uncrustables, muffins, cereal, cheese sticks, Fruit, juice and milk	<b>15 HOT ITEM</b> Pancakes maple-flavored with brown Fruit, juice and milk <b>COLD ITEMS</b> Donuts, uncrustables, muffins, cereal, cheese sticks, Fruit, juice and milk	<b>16 HOT ITEM</b> Egg & sausage sandwich on a bagel Fruit, juice and milk <b>COLD ITEMS</b> Donuts, uncrustables, muffins, cereal, cheese sticks, Fruit, juice and milk
<b>19 HOT ITEM</b> Sliders (egg, sausage, cheese) Fruit, juice and milk <b>COLD ITEMS</b> Donuts, uncrustables, muffins, cereal, cheese sticks, Fruit, juice and milk	<b>20 HOT ITEM</b> Eggo chocolate chip french toast french brown fruit, juice and milk <b>COLD ITEMS</b> Donuts, uncrustables, muffins, cereal, cheese sticks, Fruit, juice and milk	<b>21 HOT ITEM</b> Breakfast boscon stick (egg, turkey bacon, cheese) Fruit, juice and milk <b>COLD ITEMS</b> Donuts, uncrustables, muffins, cereal, cheese sticks, Fruit, juice and milk	<b>22 HOT ITEM</b> Sausage gravy pizza Fruit, juice and milk <b>COLD ITEMS</b> Donuts, uncrustables, muffins, cereal, cheese sticks, Fruit, juice and milk	<b>23 HOT ITEM</b> Breakfast burrito (egg, ham and cheese) Fruit, juice and milk <b>COLD ITEMS</b> Donuts, uncrustables, muffins, cereal, cheese sticks, Fruit, juice and milk
<b>26 HOT ITEM</b> Breakfast boat (egg & cheese) Fruit, juice and milk <b>COLD ITEMS</b> Donuts, uncrustables, muffins, cereal, cheese sticks, Fruit, juice and milk	<b>27 HOT ITEM</b> Freshly baked cinnamon rolls waffle, patty Fruit, juice and milk <b>COLD ITEMS</b> Donuts, uncrustables, muffins, cereal, cheese sticks, Fruit, juice and milk	<b>28 HOT ITEM</b> Egg & cheese omelet with brown fruit, juice and milk <b>COLD ITEMS</b> Donuts, uncrustables, muffins, cereal, cheese sticks, Fruit, juice and milk		

Menus are subject to change. USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer.

**News**  
 We have a hot option  
 available every day! ☺

Breakfast is served every  
 morning in the cafeteria for  
 only:

**\$1.50 full pay students**  
**\$ .40 Reduced students**  
**from 7:35-8:00.**

7-12 grade students can  
 still take as a grab-n-go  
 option. We will have to-go  
 containers ready!

**Did you know?**  
 Research shows that  
 students who skip  
 breakfast have shorter  
 attention spans and don't  
 perform as well on test.  
 Make sure your youngster  
 gets up in time for a  
 nutritious breakfast. If it is  
 crazy trying to feed them  
 breakfast in the morning, let  
 us! ☺



# FEBRUARY | 2018

## Beal City Schools Lunch Menu

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>5</b> macaroni and cheese (9-12 cheese-its) Or Pepperoni calzone peas strawberry cups juice and milk	<b>6</b> tangerine chicken/rizze or corn dog nuggets stir fry vegetables mandarin oranges juice and milk	<b>7</b> chicken patty sand or hamburger (cheese) sweet potato fries pineapple juice and milk	<b>1</b> twisty chicken Alfredo (6-12 garlic breadstick) or chicken tenders (K-5 cinn graham cracker) broccoli Aggie apples (sliced) juice and milk	<b>2</b> Sausage pancake wrap or breakfast pizza hash brown & cold carrots fresh fruit juice and milk
<b>12</b> calloped potatoes/ham dinner roll or hamburger (cheese) cookie x-ray vision carrots mixed fruit juice and milk	<b>13</b> meatball sub or corn dog nuggets cauliflower strawberry cups juice and milk	<b>14</b> heart-shaped nuggets or fish sandwich (cheese) heart-shaped pretzels potato smiles oranges juice and milk	<b>8</b> hot turkey sandwich (9-12 2nd slice bread) or mashed potatoes and gravy or chicken tenders w/bread broccoli perfect peaches (cup) juice and milk	<b>9</b> walking tacos or cheese pizza refried beans (9-12 cold carrots) fresh fruit juice and milk
<b>19</b> Philly beef sub with choice of cheddar or queso cheese sauce or pepperoni calzone corn peas juice and milk	<b>20</b> grilled ham & cheese sandwich or corn dog nuggets potato soup green beans applesauce cups juice and milk	<b>21</b> Aggie Café your way Italian bar pasta meatballs or grilled chicken alfredo or spaghetti sauce broccoli tropical fruit juice and milk	<b>15</b> Salisbury steak (6-12 bread) Or chicken tenders cinn graham cracker mashed potatoes & gravy broccoli perfect peaches juice and milk	<b>16</b> cheese quesadilla or pepperoni pizza refined beans (9-12 cold carrots) fresh fruit juice and milk
<b>26</b> macaroni and cheese (9-12 cheese-its) Or Pepperoni calzone peas strawberry cups juice and milk	<b>27</b> tangerine chicken/rizze or corn dog nuggets stir fry vegetables mandarin oranges juice and milk	<b>28</b> chicken patty sand or hamburger (cheese) sweet potato fries pineapple juice and milk	<b>22</b> hot dog (9-12 cheese-its) or hamburger (cheese) tropical fruit baked beans sweet potato fries juice or milk	<b>23</b> cinn French toast w/ sausage links or breakfast pizza hash brown & cold carrots fresh fruit juice and milk

### News

**Happy Valentine's Day on the 14th! Celebrate with heart shaped nuggets and pretzels!**

**This month we our Aggie Café your way day is, Italian Bar, on the 21st. Come and join us! ☺**

**6th-12th grade additional daily lunch options:**

**Turkey sub, ham sub, crispy chicken wrap, grilled chicken wrap, chef salad, grilled chicken salad, a berry burst parfait and strawberry parfait.**

**All grains are whole grain  
A vegetable salad bar is available daily (except breakfast for lunch day) and is included with all meals.**

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- Saturday, February 24<sup>th</sup>
- 3pm-7pm
- Beal City High School
- Concessions (Hot Dogs, Popcorn, Pretzels, Nachos, Cotton Candy, Snowcones, Candy, and Refreshments)

# WINTER



Carnival Games

Inflatables

Raffle

Silent Auction

**Congratulations to Gabby Breuer!!!**

**Her picture is being used for advertising this  
year's school carnival!!!**

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## **STUDY SESSIONS FOR SAT**

□ The BCEF is very happy to announce that we will be opening the computer labs to study for the SAT test again this year. We will post the dates on Mrs. Millerov's door and we will need the students to sign up so that we can make sure students will be there. If no one signs up to attend, then we are not going to ask the volunteers to come and open the computer lab. These are self-study sessions, but, it is so important to get ready for the SAT test!!! Below is the list of dates that we expect to have the computer lab available.

The BCEF is working with some teachers to come in and help with studying. A BCEF member will proctor sample tests based on the section the teacher worked on the week before. You must sign up so we know how many tests to print. This schedule will be posted at the school after we have teachers confirmed.

February 3, 2018 - 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

February 11, 2018 – 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

February 17, 2018 - 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

February 25, 2018 – 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

March 3, 2018 – 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

March 11, 2018 – 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

March 17, 2018 – 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Spring Break - March 24, 2018 – April 1, 2018

April 7, 2018 – 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

April 8, 2018 – 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

**SAT Test Date April 10, 2018**