

George A. Buljan Middle School



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Dear Buljan Family,

Hello Bulldogs! I hope you have had a great summer vacation and are ready for the 2018-2019 school year! The staff at Buljan is really excited about the return of students on Thursday, August 9th! We have many things planned this year starting with the first couple days of school. Our goal is that students will leave the first day of school energized, motivated and ready to have a fantastic school year.

School begins Thursday, August 9th, at 9:00am and will dismiss at 3:15pm.

6TH GRADE STUDENTS: See insert for information about our Step Up Day on Friday, August 3rd, for incoming 6th grade students from 8:00am to 12:00pm.

New 7th and 8th grade students will also receive an invitation in August.

NEW STUDENT/PARENT ORIENTATION, for all sixth grade students and new incoming seventh and eighth grade students, Tuesday, August 7th at 6:00pm in the Buljan gymnasium.

English Language Learner Student/Parent Meeting at 5:30pm in Room #26, prior to Orientation on Thursday, August 7th.

Students and parents are highly encouraged to attend this very important night! Maps of the campus will be available so students and their family become acquainted with the campus, and school items listed below will be on sale at various locations around campus from 5:30pm to 7:30pm.

Cash or Checks Only

Gym Clothes: \$25.00 per set or \$14.00 for shorts and \$12.00 per shirt.

Yearbooks: \$40.00 (with increases throughout the year). Other features such as; engraving, plastic covers, etc. will be available at an additional cost.

Buljan Planners: All students are required to maintain a planner for their academic classes to log their daily assignments. Planners are available, for your convenience, specifically designed for Buljan and are sold for \$6.00.

Buljan Binders: To make it easier for incoming Buljan 6th grade students, binders and contents to prepare your student for success will be available for purchase. Cost is \$20.

Buljan Apparel: T-shirts, sweatshirts, gym bags, etc. of various styles are available for purchase.

Bus Passes: Bus passes may be purchased at Orientation (**6th grade and new 7th and 8th students only**) or the school office between the hours of 8:00am to 4:00pm, beginning Tuesday, July 31st.

Returning students may purchase items listed above beginning Thursday, August 9th.

Basic School Supplies: Backpack, one 2½” 3-ring binder, dividers, binder paper, pencils, colored pencils, erasers, pens (red and blue or black), highlighters, glue sticks, dry erase marker, ruler and a planner.

****Student Schedules (New)**

Starting this year, student schedules will be available and viewable on PowerSchool beginning Tuesday, August 7th. Physical copies of student schedules will be available upon request only.

****Schedules will not be available if: Returning Student Registration is Incomplete, Immunizations Missing or Verification of Residence needs updating.**

Buljan Athletics: Athletes in the Roseville City School District must maintain grades above 70% in all of their classes at all times. Our district and school stress “academics before athletics”, and we want students to understand the meaning of a “student-athlete”. A student must also have a minimum of 85 merits to participate and must not be on a probationary contract. Merits and grades carry over from the previous year. **Students must have the blue “After School Athletic Participation Clearance Form” completed prior to tryouts for any after school athletic program.** Forms are available from the coaches, in the school office, or from the P.E. department. Once the team has been selected, a Field Trip Permission Form will be provided to all students. We are also asking that you consider making a \$50 donation from students who are participating in each season of sport to help cover the costs of participation.

Fall Sports

Tryout Dates

Girl’s Volleyball 7th / 8th: Tryouts will begin on or around Tuesday, August 14th.

Flag Football 7th/8th: Tryouts will begin on or around Tuesday, August 14th.

Cross Country 6th/7th/8th: Cross Country is **not a tryout sport**; however, athletic eligibility must still be met. **Cross Country practice** begins on or around Thursday, August 16th.

Please note that 6th grade students are eligible to participate in Cross Country.

Coaches will inform students of tryout times through the daily bulletin, school emails, School Website or Facebook.

Students will be informed of practice times after teams are chosen.

School hours for the coming year will be as follows:

Monday: 9:00am with dismissal at 1:53pm.

Tuesday through Friday: 9:00am with dismissal at 3:15pm.

The school office is open daily from 8:00am to 4:00pm.

Again, we are looking forward to an outstanding 2018-2019 school year! If you have any questions prior to Orientation or the first day of school, please call the school office, beginning July 25th, at 916-771-1720. Enjoy the rest of your summer!

Sincerely,

Ryan Hartsoch
Principal