

# **NEWS RELEASE**

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### **BCPS** events for July 2023

Towson, MD – The following is a schedule of Baltimore County Public Schools' events, meetings, and other important dates for July 2023.

#### **Throughout July**

#### **Summer Food Service Program continues**

Monday to Friday until Friday, August 18 (closed on Tuesday, July 4) Sites and times of meal service available online

BCPS will offer free breakfast and lunch meals at more than a dozen schools to all youth 18 years of age and under. Free lunch meals will also be offered at nearly a dozen branches of Baltimore County Public

#### Dates of note

#### **2023 BCPS Summer Art Enrichment Camp begins**

Monday, July 3, through Friday, July 14, from 10 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. (except for Tuesday, July 4) Perry Hall High School, 4601 Ebenezer Rd., 21136

Students from across the county will participate in an art enrichment camp where they will find opportunities to build visual arts skills, continue their training, add to their portfolios, and meet new friends. (Enrollment is closed.) An open house/reception will be held in the evening on Thursday, July 13, to give students, families, and teachers an opportunity to see the artwork created during camp. Each participant will receive a portfolio for safekeeping their artwork.

## Press availability with Superintendent Dr. Myriam Yarbrough and Board Chair Jane Lichter Monday, July 3, at 10 a.m.

BCPS headquarters/Greenwood, 6901 N. Charles St., Building E, 21204

Incoming Baltimore County Public Schools Superintendent Dr. Myriam Yarbrough will hold a media availability to discuss priorities for the 2023-2024 school year. Dr. Yarbrough will be joined by Jane Lichter, chair of the Board of Education of Baltimore County. Members of the media are asked to contact Gboyinde Onijala, director, Department of Communications and Community Outreach, at oonijala@bcps to RSVP.

Independence Day observed – Schools and offices closed

#### Tuesday, July 4

#### Community meeting in Catonsville with BCPS Superintendent Dr. Myriam Yarbrough

Wednesday, July 5, from 6-7 p.m.

Catonsville High School – Cafeteria, 421 Bloomsbury Ave., 21228

Community members are invited to learn about and meet Dr. Myriam Yarbrough, the new superintendent. During the event, Dr. Yarbrough will share key priorities for the upcoming school year, hear from members of the Team BCPS community, and answer questions. Spanish interpretation will be provided.

#### Community meeting in Perry Hall with BCPS Superintendent Dr. Myriam Yarbrough

Thursday, July 6, from 6-7 p.m.

Perry Hall High School – Cafeteria, 4601 Ebenezer Rd., 21236

Community members are invited to learn about and meet Dr. Myriam Yarbrough, the new superintendent. During the event, Dr. Yarbrough will share key priorities for the upcoming school year, hear from members of the Team BCPS community, and answer questions.

#### Summer academic programs begin

Monday, July 10, to Friday, August 4

BCPS summer academic programs will involve several thousand BCPS students. Each school will host at least one of the following programs: 5<sup>th</sup> Quarter Algebra, English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL); Extended School Year; Extended Year Learning Program; Math Pioneers; or School-Based Summer Program.

#### **Inaugural BCPS Broadway Theatre Connection summer camp begins**

Weekdays, Monday, July 10, to Friday, July 14, from 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

George Washington Carver Center for Arts and Technology, 938 York Rd., 21204

BCPS students in Grades 2-12 will participate in the inaugural Broadway Theatre Connection summer program, a musical theatre intensive. The entire faculty consists of Broadway performers, directors, and choreographers who will offer top musical theatre training, mock auditions, Q & A opportunities with the faculty including a NY casting director, and the opportunity to perform in a showcase at the end of the week. Family and friends are invited to attend the BTC Showcase on Friday, July 14, at 2:30 p.m.

#### Community meeting in Essex with BCPS Superintendent Dr. Myriam Yarbrough

Monday, July 10, from 6-7 p.m.

Kenwood High School – Cafeteria, 501 Stemmers Run Rd., 21221

Community members are invited to learn about and meet Dr. Myriam Yarbrough, the new superintendent. During the event, Dr. Yarbrough will share key priorities for the upcoming school year, hear from members of the Team BCPS community, and answer questions. Spanish interpretation will be provided.

#### **Board of Education meeting**

Tuesday, July 11, at 6:30 p.m.

#### Community meeting in Towson with BCPS Superintendent Dr. Myriam Yarbrough

Thursday, July 13, from 6-7 p.m.

Loch Raven High School – Cafeteria, 1212 Cowpens Ave., 21286

Community members are invited to learn about and meet Dr. Myriam Yarbrough, the new superintendent. During the event, Dr. Yarbrough will share key priorities for the upcoming school year, hear from members of the Team BCPS community, and answer questions. Spanish interpretation will be provided.

### Community meeting in Randallstown with BCPS Superintendent Dr. Myriam Yarbrough Tuesday, July 18, from 6-7 p.m.

Randallstown High School – Cafeteria, 4000 Offutt Rd., 21133

Community members are invited to learn about and meet Dr. Myriam Yarbrough, the new superintendent. During the event, Dr. Yarbrough will share key priorities for the upcoming school year, hear from members of the Team BCPS community, and answer questions. Spanish interpretation will be provided.

### Parent University Lunch & Learn Session: "Positive parenting: What is it and why is it important?" Friday, July 21, at 12:30 p.m.

The Center for Family Success is partnering with BCPS Parent University to offer monthly Lunch & Learn sessions on parenting hacks, early learning, and health-related topics. Please <u>register online</u> for the virtual workshop.

COMING UP:

#### BCPSfest 2023

Saturday, August 19, from 11 a.m. – 1 p.m.

George Washington Carver Center for Arts and Technology, 938 York Rd., 21204
Please mark your calendars and save the date for the biggest and best back-to-school festival in
Baltimore County. This systemwide event is free and will feature family-friendly, fun learning activities, a
Storytime tent, student entertainers, face-painting, school mascots, and community resources. Please
join us to celebrate the start of the new school year and the exciting learning opportunities BCPS offers.

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