



HOOFBEAT



OCTOBER 12TH – OCTOBER 16TH

THIS WEEK IN BROOKESMITH

Monday 10/12

No School

Tuesday 10/13

Breakfast:

Cheese Omelet

Lunch:

Grilled Cheese &
Tomato Soup

**JH Volleyball Game
Home @ 5:00pm
Varsity Volleyball
Game Home @
6:00pm**

Wednesday 10/14

Breakfast:

Power Breakfast

Lunch:

Chicken Nuggets &
Mashed Potatoes

**District Cross Country
Meet in Zephyr**

Thursday 10/15

Breakfast:

Muffins & Sausage

Lunch:

Spaghetti

**Pep Rally @ 7:30am
Theme: Western**

**JH Football Game
Home @ 6:00pm**

Friday 10/16

Breakfast:

French Toast & Bacon

Lunch:

Corn Dogs & Potatoes

**Varsity Football Away
@ 7:30pm**



Stress, Sweat, and Silver Linings

When school pressures and daily expectations pile up, finding a way to reset is essential. Students across grade levels rely on personal anchors, like Aryn (11th) who finds strength in "Philippians 4:13 I can do all things through Christ who gives me strength," to keep their perspective grounded. Navigating tough moments also takes careful reflection, as Robert (11th) evaluates how his choices will affect both his future and those around him. When stepping back is necessary, physical resets make a difference—whether it's Mia (11th) experimenting with hair and makeup styles or Anna (8th) relying on sleep to clear her mind. Brody (11th) reminds us that letting go of fear is key to moving forward, while Hagen (8th) points out that there is always another day ahead. No matter how overwhelming the moment feels, leaning on your anchors and trusting in your community ensures you will always find the strength to shine through.

Announcements

- Fall Festival Saturday October 17th @ 6pm
- School Improvement Meeting October 20th @ 5:30pm
- Mums are being sold at pep rallies and football games for \$20



Leaders in Ink

A message from your academic leaders.



In my five years at Brookesmith ISD, I have never felt a stronger sense of unity among our team than I do this year. Our administration, teachers, and support staff share a commitment to educating, encouraging, and uplifting our students, both inside and outside the classroom.

Reaching our goals as a school will take hard work, dedication, and perseverance. With the staff and students we have, I look to the future with confidence and hope. I have no doubt that our best days are ahead of us.

Sincerely,

Mr. Graves- Assistant Principal, Coach, and Teacher

This Week in Pictures



5th grade built prototype t-shirt catapults.



4th grade built nests that could survive an 8-foot drop.

"We did good. We got first place!" - K'lynn and June (5th)
"I think I did pretty good and it was so fun" - Braelynn (4th)
"I think we were ok but it didn't break!" - Finn and Abby (4th)
"I think we did good but also it was really stressful" - Ben and Hayden (4th)



8th grade attended the Texas FFA Area IV Greenhand Leadership Conference



FCA meeting with guest speaker Duct Tape.

This Week in Sports



JH Volleyball was working on blocking with coaches.

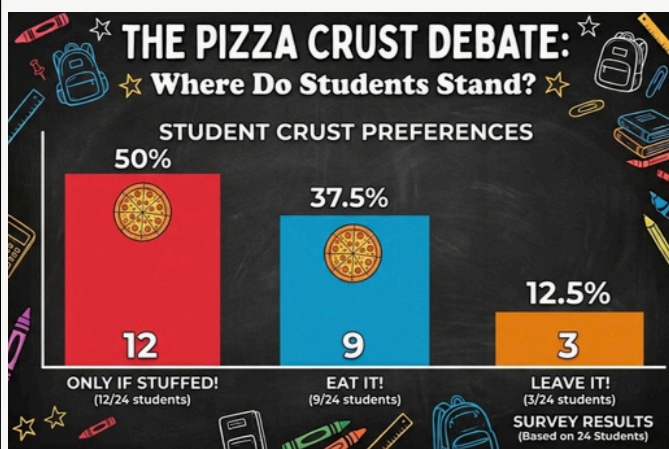


JH Football has been practicing hard with Coach Mickelson

Mustangs in 3rd Grade Featuring Mrs. McClure



With over 20 years of teaching experience under her belt, and four officially certified, this 3rd grade teacher brings both heart and wisdom to her classroom, where her top message to students is, "We do hard things, but we do them together!" Her love for writing was sparked back in high school journalism, where she enjoyed crafting editorial and human interest stories. A former small business owner who still runs her business alongside teaching, she also holds a surprising past: in her early twenties, she was offered a chance at a music career in Branson, Missouri, but chose to stay home to raise her infant son instead.



Building a Stronger School Community Together

Brookesmith ISD invites parents, staff, and community members to our School Improvement Meeting, held in conjunction with SHAC (School Health Advisory Council), on **October 20th at 5:30pm.** This is an opportunity to share ideas, celebrate successes, identify areas for growth, and help shape the future of our school. School improvement is a team effort, and every voice matters! We encourage everyone to participate, ask questions, and share their ideas as we work together to make Brookesmith ISD an even stronger place for students to learn and thrive. We look forward to seeing you on October 20th!