

# BYWOOD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

November 2024 Edition

## A Message from Principal Meehan

Happy November Bywood Families!

What a busy month October was here at Bywood. I love walking around the building and seeing all the learning that is taking place. Teachers are working hard with students and utilizing learning targets in their lessons daily. Learning targets are closely related to the objective of the lesson and also details on how they can be successful.

The next few months will be very busy with lots of events happening at Bywood, as well as many holidays coming up. Please make sure to check out all that is happening below in the events section. This month we are doing a food drive to try and gather food items to help families in the community. If you are able to donate something, please send the item in with your child. If you are in need of help this holiday season, please reach out to Ms. Gillian.

Thank you for sending your child to Bywood each and every day and keeping attendance in the front of your mind! I hope you all enjoy the upcoming holiday season.



♥ Mrs. Meehan ♥

Bywood Elementary School  
330 Avon Road Upper Darby, PA 19082

**Principal:** Kristin Meehan **Assistant Principal:** Janet Newby

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## Spotlight: Pumpkin Decorating



Teachers and Students decorated pumpkins to get ready for the fall season.



Everyone got very creative with their ideas!



Everyone was happy to help out!



Thank you to Home and School for getting the pumpkins!



Thanks Home and School!



Our Scholar Dollar Winner from the Student of the Month Assembly.

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## Looking Ahead: Upcoming Events

Event Information

**Student of the Month Assembly**

When?

**Friday, Nov 22, 2024, 09:30 AM**

Event Information

**Early Dismissal-Conferences (afternoon & evening)**

When?

Monday, Nov 25, 2024, 12:15 PM

Event Information  
**Early Dismissal-Conferences (afternoon)**  
When?  
**Tuesday, Nov 26, 2024, 12:15 PM**

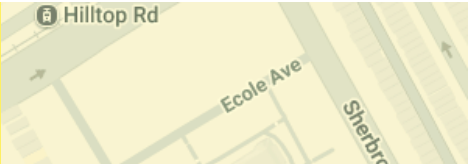
Event Information  
**Early Dismissal**  
When?  
**Wednesday, Nov 27, 2024, 12:15 PM**

Event Information  
**No School-Thanksgiving Break**  
When?  
**Thursday, Nov 28, 2024, 08:45 AM**

Event Information  
**No School-Thanksgiving Break**  
When?  
**Friday, Nov 29, 2024, 08:45 AM**

Event Information  
**Early Dismissal**  
When?  
**Wednesday, Dec 4, 2024, 12:30 PM**

Event Information  
**Winter Concert**

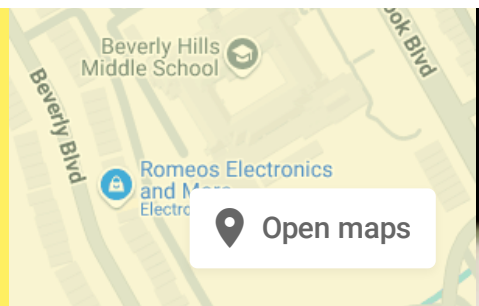


When?

**Wednesday, Dec 4, 2024, 05:00 PM**

Where?

**Beverly Hills Middle School, Garrett Road, Upper Darby, PA, USA**



Event Information

**Early Dismissal**

When?

**Friday, Dec 6, 2024, 12:30 PM**

Event Information

**Reports Cards Available Online**

When?

**Wednesday, Dec 11, 2024, 08:45 AM**

## Home & School

### Home & School Association Information

Please Contact our Home and School Association through our school's e-mail if you would like to join or have any questions:

[bywoodelemhomeandschool@gmail.com](mailto:bywoodelemhomeandschool@gmail.com)

#### Home and School Officers:

President: Troy Medford

Vice President: vacant



## ELL Parent Session Dates

### Bywood EL Parent Sessions

Thursday, January 16th @ 3:30pm

Saturday, April 26th Cultural Fair @ 12 noon





Please reach out to one of the EL teachers with any questions.

Mrs. Gali: [egali@upperdarbysd.org](mailto:egali@upperdarbysd.org)

Miss Riviello: [nriviello@upperdarbysd.org](mailto:nriviello@upperdarbysd.org)

Ms. Woods: [cwoods@upperdarbysd.org](mailto:cwoods@upperdarbysd.org)

Mrs. Dwyer: [jdwyer@upperdarbysd.org](mailto:jdwyer@upperdarbysd.org)

Mrs. Hunter: [mhunter@upperdarbysd.org](mailto:mhunter@upperdarbysd.org)

Ms. Prendiville: [nprendiville@upperdarbysd.org](mailto:nprendiville@upperdarbysd.org)

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## Student of the Month Assembly Pictures!



**A lot of silver awards were given out this month to classrooms**



**Mrs. Peterson's class had the best record of returning books in the library**



**The silver sneaker for lining up outside at recess went to Mr. Maccario's class**



**Silver Spoon Winners for the best behavior in the cafeteria went to third grade!**



**First Grade Students of the Month**



**Second Grade Students of the Month**

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**Third Grade Students of the Month**



**Fourth Grade Students of the Month**



**Fifth Grade Students of the Month**



**Our Minute to Win It Games are always a hit!**



**Mr. Maccario and his student were able to squeak out a win!**



**Mr. Millison starting strategizing with his student.**

### **Nurse's Office Update**

Hello from the Nurses Office,  
 All first grade families please send in an updated physical exam, and dental exam during the school year.  
 All third grade families please send in an updated dental exam during the school year.  
 All NEW families to Bywood your child needs a physical and dental screening sent in throughout the school year!

Please contact Nurse Meg with any questions.  
 Thank you!



### **Important Links**



## Bywood Elementary School / Homepage

The Making a Difference feature recognizes students, teachers and staff who are truly "making a difference" in the lives of our students and impacting those around them with exceptional work and acts of support and care. Students, teachers, staff, Principals and Administrators are nominated by the peers for working to provide Opportunity, Excellence, and Unity for our students and in our District every day.

🔗 [upperdarbysd.org](http://upperdarbysd.org)



## Bywood Elementary School

A collection of videos featuring the students and staff of Bywood Elementary School!


🔗 [youtube.com](http://youtube.com)

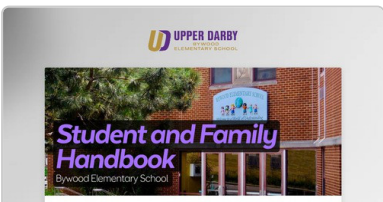
## Schoology Link

<https://udsd.schoology.com/home>

## Home Access Center Link

<https://esp41pehac.eschoolplus.powerschool.com/HomeAccess/Account/LogOn?ReturnUrl=%2fHomeAccess%3fSiteCode%3dupdlive&SiteCode=updlive>

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 Home Access Center



## Student and Family Handbook

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## Reporting an Absence

610-352-6842, Ext. 1

or Ext. 6491

[bes-attendance@upperdarbysd.org](mailto:bes-attendance@upperdarbysd.org)



**Nicole Prendiville**

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