



# Brookside School

## Year-At-A-Glance

2010-11

August		
8/19	BUC	2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade Orientation (BUC Bear's Lair, 9:00am)
8/20	BLC	Kindergarten Ready-Set-Go (BLC Kindergarten Classrooms, 9:00am)
8/23	**	First Day of School
8/23 – 9/3	**	K-5 Intake Conferences (early release days)
8/26	BUC	Back-To-School Night (6:30 – 8:00 pm)
September		
8/23 – 9/3	**	K-5 Intake Conferences (early release days)
9/1	**	Parent Club Meeting (BLC Multipurpose Room, 8:45am)
9/1	BLC	Back-To-School Night (6:30 – 8:00pm)
9/6	**	Labor Day Holiday – NO SCHOOL
9/23 – 9/24	**	Picture Day
9/24	**	Brookside Bears BBQ (BLC Blacktop, 5:30 – 8:30pm)
October		
10/6	**	Parent Club Meeting (BLC Multipurpose Room, 8:45am)
10/9	**	OCTOBERFEST
10/18	**	Staff Development Day – NO SCHOOL
November		
11/1–11/4	BUC	Outdoor Education Trip at Walker Creek (5 <sup>th</sup> Graders)
11/2	**	ELECTION DAY – Get Out The Vote
11/3	**	Parent Club Meeting (BLC Multipurpose Room, 8:45am)
11/11	**	Veteran's Day Holiday – NO SCHOOL
11/25–11/26	**	Thanksgiving Break – NO SCHOOL
11/29–12/3		
11/29–12/10	**	Parent/Teacher Conferences (early release days)
December		
11/29–12/10	**	Parent/Teacher Conferences (early release days)
12/1	**	Parent Club Meeting (BLC Multipurpose Room, 8:45am)
12/20 – 1/2	**	Winter Break – NO SCHOOL

January		
1/3	**	Staff Development Day – NO SCHOOL (Monday)
1/5	**	Parent Club Evening Meeting (BLC Multipurpose Room, 6:00pm)
1/12	BLC	Kindergarten Orientation (BLC Multipurpose Room, 6:30pm)
1/17	**	Martin Luther King Day – NO SCHOOL
1/19	BLC	Variety Show – Part 1
1/26	BLC	Variety Show – Part 2
February		
2/2	**	Parent Club Meeting (BLC Multipurpose Room, 8:45am)
2/5	**	YES GALA
2/16	BUC	Science Fair
2/21 – 2/25	**	President's Week – NO SCHOOL
March		
3/2	**	Parent Club Meeting (BLC Multipurpose Room, 8:45am)
3/4 – 3/6	**	Brookside School Play – ANNIE (San Anselmo Playhouse)
3/21	**	Teacher Work Day – NO SCHOOL
April		
4/6	**	Parent Club Evening Meeting (BLC Multipurpose Room, 6:00 pm)
4/11 – 4/15	**	Spring Break – NO SCHOOL
May		
5/2 – 5/6	**	STAR TEST WEEK
5/4	**	Parent Club Meeting (BLC Multipurpose Room, 8:45am)
5/9 – 5/13	BUC	Gold Rush Camping Trip (4 <sup>th</sup> Graders)  Note: The 4 <sup>th</sup> graders will be split into two groups for the Gold Rush trip this year. Group 1 will camp from 5/9 – 5/11. Group 2 will camp from 5/11 – 5/13. More details will be provided at a later date.
5/15	**	YES FEST – White Hill Middle School
5/18	BLC	Open House (6:30 – 8:00pm)
5/27	BLC	Multi-Cultural Day
5/30	**	Memorial Day Holiday – NO SCHOOL
5/31 – 6/3	BUC	Book Fair
June		
5/31 – 6/3	BUC	Book Fair
6/1	**	Parent Club Meeting (BLC Multipurpose Room, 8:45am)
6/2	BUC	Open House (6:30 – 8:00pm)
6/3	BUC	Field Day
6/7	BUC	Talent Show
6/8	BUC	5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Promotion (BUC Multipurpose Room, 5:00pm)
6/9	**	Last Day of School
<b>BLC</b>	<b>Brookside Lower Campus</b>	
<b>BUC</b>	<b>Brookside Upper Campus</b>	
<b>**</b>	<b>Applies to both BLC and BUC students and/or their families</b>	
<b>TBD</b>	<b>To Be Determined</b>	

## School Contact Information

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## Brookside Parent Club Executive Committee for 2010-2011

**Co-Presidents:**

Lisa Graham ([birdygraham@yahoo.com](mailto:birdygraham@yahoo.com), 482-8489)

Kim Lear ([lear\\_kim@yahoo.com](mailto:lear_kim@yahoo.com), 457-4849)

**Treasurer:** Gary Harrington

**Secretary:** TBD

**Volunteer Coordinator (BLC):** Cynthia Kula and Mary West

**Volunteer Coordinator (BUC):** Sarah Sanders

**BLC Principal:** Marci Trahan

**BUC Principal:** Tracy Smith

**Members-At-Large:**

Diane Campbell, Maureen Corr, Michelle Cox,

Pascale Gregory, Meghan McCarthy, and Julie Mozena

The 2010-2011 Year-At-A-Glance Calendar has been provided by the **Brookside Parent Club**. Dates and times for the key events and activities shown in the calendar may change as planning for the school year continues. Please check *Bear Necessities* (i.e., the school newsletter) and *Bear Bytes* (i.e., the weekly e-mail message from our principals) regularly for up-to-date information on these and other school events and activities.

As noted in the *Year-At-A-Glance* calendar, the Parent Club will meet the first Wednesday of every month. Most meetings will be held in the BLC Multipurpose Room, immediately following "morning meeting." In January and April, the meetings will be held in the evening. All Brookside parents are encouraged to attend these meetings. The Parent Club Executive Committee (see box) welcomes your input as we discuss important school and district issues and events, budget expenditures for school site improvements at Brookside, and much more.

In addition to attending Parent Club meetings, all parents are welcome and encouraged to attend RVSD Monthly Board Meetings and Brookside Site Council Meetings. These meetings will provide parents with a broader perspective as to district-wide school issues and other site-based initiatives. More information about these meetings is provided below.

- RVSD Board Meetings for the 2010-11 school year will be held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays of each month in the District Office, which is located at 100 Shaw Drive (directly behind Redhill Shopping Center). Please call the RVSD office at 454-2162 or visit the district website at [www.rossvalleyschools.org](http://www.rossvalleyschools.org) for specific meeting dates and times, as they may vary.
- Brookside Site Council Meetings will be held monthly at either Upper or Lower Campus. All parents are welcome to attend. Please contact Tracy Smith at 454-7409 or [tsmith@rossvalleyschools.org](mailto:tsmith@rossvalleyschools.org) for specific meeting dates and times.