



## Weekly Wednesday 12/3-12/10

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ACCEPTING  
APPLICATIONS  
FOR 26-27  
SCHOOL YEAR



**School Lottery Coming Soon!**

Dear Baden Academy Families,

Applications for next school year are now available on our website should you need to apply for any **new siblings**. **Current enrolled students do not need to reapply!** Please read our policy on lottery and preference for applicants.

As a public charter school, our admissions process includes the completion of a digital and random lottery, through which we identify students to be offered a slot for the upcoming school year. The lottery for *Kindergarten* will be conducted on January 23, 2026. Students in older grades will form a wait list until the end of the current school year until we see how many available spots we have.

Should we receive more applicants than the number of expected open seats for the upcoming school year, students who were not selected in the initial lottery are placed on a waitlist and offered admissions as seats become available.

During the lottery, the nature of our charter requires that we give preference to applicants for the lottery (for the upcoming school year) in the following order:

- **Siblings of existing BACS students from the Ambridge Area School District**
- **Siblings of existing BACS students from all other districts**
- **Family members of BACS founders - in the Ambridge Area School District**
- **Family members of BACS founders - from all other districts**
- **Students from the Ambridge Area School District**
- **Students from all other districts**

During open enrollment (for the current school year, or for the upcoming school year after the lottery has been completed), admissions are handled on a first-come, first-serve basis.

To apply, please complete an application on our website  
<https://www.badenacademy.org/admissions>.

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## **Week at a Glance**

**12/3-12/10**

**Wednesday, December 3rd - C Day**

*Musical Auditions (grades 4-6) 2:45pm-4:30pm*  
*Chess Club*

**Thursday, December 4th- D Day**

*PTP Meeting 5pm (Atrium)*

**Friday, December 5th - E Day**

**Monday, December 8th - A Day**

*Kindergarten Christmas Carol Concert 10am*  
*Take Action Club*  
*Stained Glass*

**Tuesday, December 9th - B Day**

*Winter Showcase (1-2 grade) 10am - Auditorium*  
*Future City Club*  
*Anderson's Candy Pickup 4-5pm (Breezeway)*

**Wednesday, December 10th - C Day**  
*Winter Showcase (3-4 grade) 10am - Auditorium*  
*BACS Review*  
*Winter Showcase (5-6 grade) 6pm - Auditorium*

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### **A Message from Ms. Bittner**

Hey families,

This month in guidance students will be working in a program called Smart Futures during guidance. This month's topic will be focused on cooperation in group settings. It is so important that our students understand their roles in the community that they belong to. Working with others is a life skill that we try to practice and develop every day here at Baden. Here's more info on how you can help your child with these skills at home too.

All my best,

**Ms. Bittner**

**Relationship Skills**

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**College & Career Day Volunteers Needed!**  
Baden Academy is hosting College & Career Day on Feb. 19, 2026, and we're inviting parents and community members to share their careers with our 3rd-6th graders!

If you're passionate about what you do, this is a great chance to inspire students with a quick hands-on activity and real-world insight into your profession.

RSVP by Feb. 6

Use the Google Form or the QR code on the flyer.

# COLLEGE & CAREER DAY

BADEN  
ACADEMY  
CHARTER  
SCHOOL

## WE NEED YOU TO INSPIRE THE FUTURE!

Are you enthusiastic about your profession? Want to inspire curiosity in young minds? We invite parents and community members to volunteer for College and Career Day! Share your career with eager students in grades 3 through 6.

## WHAT WE NEED FROM VOLUNTEERS:

**Host a Table:** Set up a station that highlights your profession.

**Engage with students:** Hands-on activity to give students a glimpse into your career. Giveaways/tokens leave a lasting impression!



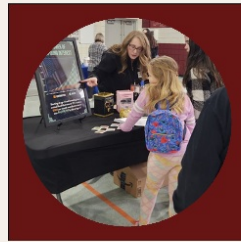
Capture students' attention with an engaging, real-world look at what you do every day!

JOIN US NOW!

[raechelle.boy@badenacademy.org](mailto:raechelle.boy@badenacademy.org)

724-390-0342

BADEN ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL, 1016 W STATE STREET, BADEN, PA 15005



## EVENT DETAILS

19 FEBRUARY 2026

### ARRIVAL/ SETUP TIME:

8:00 AM- 8:30 AM

### WELCOME BREAKFAST:

8:30 AM- 9:00 AM

(PROVIDED BY BACS)

### LUNCH:

12:00 PM- 12:30 PM

### CLASSROOM VISITS:

9:15 AM - 2:00 PM



Questions? Contact Raechelle Boy  
[raechelle.boy@badenacademy.org](mailto:raechelle.boy@badenacademy.org) | 724-390-0342

Help us inspire the future!



## Mobile Dentist is Coming!

The dentist will be here on December 16th and 17th. If you would like your child to see the mobile dentist, you can sign up here:

Mobile Dentist  
Registration

## Wizard of Oz Musical Auditions

Grades 4-6

Auditions: Wednesday, December 3 - 2:45 - 4:30 in the Auditorium

Performance Dates: April 9 - 11, 2026



Permission  
Slip



## 2025 WINTER SHOWCASES

*Kindergarten Carol Concert Monday, December 8 at 10am\**

*Grades 1 & 2 Tuesday, December 9 at 10am\**

*Grades 3 & 4 Wednesday, December 10 at 10am\**

*Grades 5 and 6 Wednesday, December 10 at 6:30pm*

All 5th and 6th grade  
parent/guardians,  
please complete this QR form



\*Please use the shuttle provided at the Baden Wal-Mart Garden Center starting at 9:30am.

Students are to wear something nice. All showcases will be livestreamed on our Baden Academy Facebook page.

‘Tis the season to be jolly and joyous!”





# NEXTREX RECYCLING CHALLENGE

REVEUR HOUSE PRESENTS...

## A BENCH FOR BADEN ACADEMY!



Join us in protecting the planet while giving back to our school community.

Reveur House is leading the Nextrex Recycling Challenge to collect eligible plastic items (see list at [nextrex.com](http://nextrex.com))



**Goal:** Gather enough plastic film to be transformed into a beautiful recycled bench for Baden Academy Charter School!

### COLLECTION LOCATION:

Main Office, Cafeteria,  
Breezeway between  
Gymnasium and Atrium

### DATES:

Until we collect 1,000 pounds of plastic

### WHAT TO BRING:

- Grocery bags
- Newspaper sleeves
- Bread bags
- Bubble wrap
- Case overwrap
- Plastic shipping envelopes
- Newspaper sleeves



**EVERY BAG COUNTS! TOGETHER, WE CAN TURN WASTE INTO SOMETHING WONDERFUL FOR OUR SCHOOL.**



Looking Ahead

# BACS PTP Meeting

Many hands make light  
work, please join us!

**December 4**

5:00 pm in the Atrium or  
online via Google Meet.

Link at [badenacademyptp.weebly.com](https://badenacademyptp.weebly.com)





SAVE THE DATE! 12/14/2025

# Family Night & Holiday Shop

RSVP - VOLUNTEER - DONATE



**FAMILY NIGHT**

**SUNDAY, DEC. 14, 2025 • 6-8 PM**

[badenacademyptp.weebly.com/events](https://badenacademyptp.weebly.com/events)

Featuring Compass Point Coffee, a Photo Booth, and a special visitor from the North Pole!

<u>FAMILY NIGHT</u>	<u>STUDENT SHOPPING</u>	<u>VOLUNTEERS* NEEDED</u>
	<u>DAYS</u>	
Sunday, December 14th 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM BACS Gymnasium	Monday Dec. 15th and Tues. Dec. 16th	Help students shop and wrap gifts!
Shop with local crafters and visit with Santa Claus!	{during school hours} Shopping lists coming home.	Monday, December 15th from 9:00 AM – 2:30 PM & Tuesday, December 16th from 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM
Enjoy cookies and cocoa while you browse.	Send cash or check payable to "BACS PTP" to your student's teacher.	*Volunteer Clearances Required
Fun Raffle and 50/50!		

Amazon Wishlist  
for Santa Shop Supplies



SCAN ME

Sunday Volunteers  
Register Here



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RSVP Family Night  
Here



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Monday & Tuesday Volunteers  
Register Here



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# December 2025 PTP NEWSLETTER

## Important Dates for December!

Join the Parent-Teacher Partnership (PTP) and make a meaningful difference—not just in our school community, but in your child's experience too. Your involvement shows them that their education matters!

### Next PTP Meeting

12/4 @ 5:00 pm in the Atrium AND online via Meet. Get the link: [badenacademyptp.weebly.com](https://badenacademyptp.weebly.com)

### BACS PTP Santa Shop Donations Needed!

Our most needed items are:

- Tissue Paper
- Small Gift Bags
- Scotch Tape
- Gift Labels
- Donations sent in with students should be labeled "PTP Santa Shop"
- Donations purchased from our Amazon Account Wish List are set to delivery to the school during business hours.
- QR Code below takes you to the BACS PTP Santa Shop gift list.



- ★ 12/4 @ 5pm PTP Meeting
- ★ 12/14 Santa Shop Family Night
- ★ 12/15 - 16 Santa Shop Student Shopping Days
- ★ 12/19 Staff Holiday Lunch
- ★ 12/22 RCA Reindeer Games
- ★ Winter Break: Dec 23 thru Jan 4

## Looking ahead to January

- 1/8 @ 5pm PTP Meeting
- 1/20 thru 23 Student Appreciation
- 1/23 Snow Ball (Dance 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> grade)
- 1/29 Science & Engineering Showcase
- Nothing Bundt Cakes sale

### Clearances

To get started:  
Complete a membership form &  
send your clearances to  
**Melissa.Golden@  
badenacademy.org**

### CONTACT US:

**BADENACADEMYPTP@GMAIL.COM**  
**BADENACADEMYPTP.WEEBLY.COM**

Scan here to  
purchase tickets



ADULTS-\$15  
KIDS-\$10



Sponsored by the Beaver County Career & Technology Center

# BREAKFAST with SANTA

Saturday, December 6th  
9:00AM - 12:00 PM

Beaver County Career & Technology Center  
145 Poplar Avenue  
Monaca, PA 15061



Laughlin Memorial Library  
99 11th Street, Ambridge, PA 15003

JOIN US FOR

## Pictures with Santa

Saturday, December 6, 2025  
11:00 am - 2:00 pm

Santa is coming to...  
the library!  
Stop by to snap some pictures  
for the holidays!

Free Holiday Crafts!  
Hot Chocolate & Cookies!  
Musical Entertainment!

Depending on weather, Santa may be outside on the porch or inside.



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