



# Burlington Blazer – January 2015



**Happy 2015!** Good cheer and great fun were had by all at December’s Smashburger spirit day, holiday lunch, our first ever book swap, the MESA field trip, first grade music program and BAC Holiday Potluck! Thanks so much to the Keene’s for hosting an evening of relaxation and story swapping in the midst of the holiday hubbub (and flu season – ugh)! It all seems like ancient history now though, because **Jammin’ January** is here and the Trailblazers kept sharp over break by reading on MyON and are back to work and busy preparing for Science Fair! We are introducing the fabulous ModMarket as our newest fundraiser this month and there is LOTS on the way for February. Check out the new comprehensive school-wide volunteer Sign-Up Genius – the best way to see at a glance where you are most needed in the school! As always remember to use & reload your King Soopers and Safeway gift cards. Questions, Comments, Suggestions? Email [bacbox@gmail.com](mailto:bacbox@gmail.com).

## MODMARKET SPIRIT DAY!

Tuesday 1/27 - ALL DAY!!



**“Eat food that makes you happy and healthy”**

Fresh, seasonal soups, salads, brick oven sandwiches & pizzas, entrees!

Just mention Burlington & we get 20%!

287 and Ken Pratt Blvd  
(right next to Lucky’s Market)

## Science Fair Notes

- ✓ All are encouraged to participate!
- ✓ 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade participation is required
- ✓ Display boards for sale in Mrs. Hixson’s class for \$5
- ✓ Projects must be registered by Monday Feb. 9<sup>th</sup>.
- ✓ Visit the Science Fair page under Hot Topics on Burlington’s home page for more details!

Send yearbook photos to:  
Jamie Martin  
[misswamie@centurylink.net](mailto:misswamie@centurylink.net)

## BAC MEETING

TUESDAY FEBRUARY 3  
8:45 AM

IN THE BAC ROOM  
(NEAR 3RD GRADE)

CHILDREN WELCOME!

## NEW! BURLINGTON VOLUNTEER SIGN-UP

We now have a new all-encompassing, school wide volunteer sign-up engine! Classroom needs, schoolwide events, grade level events, special events, ongoing volunteer positions, parent/teacher conferences, you name it, it’s included! Go there at any time and sign up for an event or a volunteer position or just to keep in touch with the needs of your child’s teacher. It will even remind you what you signed up for! GENIUS!

Special thanks to Lydia Moy for this amazing organizational tool!

On the website under B.A.C./PTO, [Volunteer Sign-up](#)

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### MONDAY JANUARY 19

MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY – No SCHOOL

### FRIDAY JANUARY 23

5<sup>TH</sup> GRADE FIELD TRIP TO LONGMONT SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

### TUESDAY JAN 27 - MODMARKET SPIRIT DAY!

Place: Modmarket, 700 Ken Pratt Blvd

Time: All Day 8 am – 9 pm (breakfast 8-11 am!)

### FRIDAY JANUARY 30 – MRS. HILL’S LAST DAY!

Your excellence and smile will be so missed!

### NOW THRU FEB 12 – SIGN-UP FOR

### PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCE MEALS

On the website under B.A.C./PTO, [Volunteer Sign-up](#)

### FEBRUARY 10-12 – PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES AND MEAL DROP-OFF

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 13 – VALENTINE’S DAY PARTIES! Sign up to help spread the love!


### TUESDAY FEBRUARY 17 –

### SCIENCE FAIR PROJECTS DUE

Set-up in the gym after school

### WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 18 – SCIENCE FAIR

### THURSDAY FEBRUARY 26 – THE LION KING PERFORMANCE

 As the winter weather continues, please remember courteous use of the drop-off lane! Resist the temptation to drop your students as close to the doors as possible. Go ahead and pull forward to avoid cars backing up into the street and parents dropping off in two lanes which creates a situation far more dangerous than a few extra steps to the door. And if you need to park and get out with your child, PLEASE use the parking spots to the left of the drop off lane. THANK YOU!

## < THANK YOU CORNER >

Special thanks to... Kristy loerger for organizing the smashing book swap... The Keenes for hosting the festive and fun BAC holiday open house... Michael Vaughn for his tireless work on our ever-improving website... and Burlington Families for earning us \$330 at Smashburger plus \$100 in coupons!

Prez quote of the month! – “Mark Twain says that the two most important days of your life are: The day that you are born, and the day you figure out why.”