## Brush Creek Panther Pluses 2021-2022

Our Books are Fun BookBlast put over 1500 books in our students' homes.

Chelsey Davis was voted the Brush Creek Teacher of the Year!

Camryn Brooks and Coraline Stevens represented BCE at the county-wide spelling bee.

Our students and families raised thousands of dollars for our PTO through our online fundraiser, book fairs, and through ordering food from local restaurants.

We celebrated the 12 days of Christmas with special themed days.

Students donated food items to support local families in need.

Celebrated Veteran's Day and Christmas through virtual programs. Our 5th and 6th graders performed in our first live concert in two years!

Celebrated Red Ribbon Week with dress up days and special announcements.

As a school, we raised over \$2,500 for our PTO in our Penny Wars competition. It was super fun! 4th grade earned a pizza party and were able to pie Ms. Jones because they were the Penny Wars winners!

4th grade was able to visit the Indianapolis Motor Speedway after 2 years of not being able to go. It was a wonderful day of fun and education. We also were able to see cars practicing on the track!

The Production of Aladdin Jr. and our talented BCE Drama Students returning to the stage at the historic Park Theater.

Blue Ticket Drawings to reward good deeds and random acts of kindness.

The Usborne Book Fair was a huge success.

We welcomed our incoming kindergarteners with a "Western Themed" Round-up,

The Positive Affirmation signs/Posters in the halls.

The seasonal and holiday decor in OUR cafeteria make lunch-time 'feel special".

Our PTO Drive-in movie was a great activity for our families.

Some BCE staff and JCHS National Honor Society students helped paint outdoor interactive games on the playground sidewalks.

We had after-school sports and activities including basketball, archery, drama, spell bowl, and math bowl.

BCE guest speakers and the return of FIELD TRIPS. Several of our students were able to go on field trips this year. Their smiles and excitement were contagious!

Our FANTASTIC PTO that goes above and beyond!!!

We welcomed a student teacher, Ms. Kristin Jahn into one of our 2nd grade classrooms. She is a phenomenal person and will be a great addition to JCSC!

The Brush Creek Archery Team placed 3rd at the NASP State Tournament and competed at the National Tournament in Louisville.

Math Bowl working hard and getting to finally compete at an in person competition!! Great learning experience!!

3rd grade had a wonderful field trip to Muscatatuck Wildlife Refuge and to Tripton Mill Park and did an AMAZING job and represented Brush Creek wonderfully!!

5th and 6th grade did an amazing job at their Spring Performance with some great songs from across a couple generations!! Their hard work paid off and they had an excellent performance!! Some very talented singers in their group!!

Tatiana Hicks is the 2022 state champion for the 8 and under women's freestyle wrestling competition. She also came in first place in several other wrestling competitions throughout the school year.

Brush Creek PTO awarded several scholarships to graduating BCE alumni.

We celebrated our amazing staff during teacher appreciation week, complete with a wonderful sign we won!

Music classes had a "March Music Madness" competition and the song "I Want It That Way" submitted by Mrs. Roll was the overall winner.

Read Across America was celebrated by fun Dr. Seuss dress up days and reading marathons.

We honored our amazing counselor, administrative professionals, and nurse this year.

Our PTO bought Brush Creek a NEW SIGN!

We were able to have our first Kindergarten Graduation in two years.

Students were honored with several awards for academics, athletics, and activities at our annual award program.

Our 6th grade students celebrated their final days as Brush Creek students with outdoor activities, a dance, and a special ceremony.

Students and staff participated in field day and had a blast!

Second graders put on a special play titled "The Box" for their families and fellow students.

Extension Homemakers read books to our kindergarten students throughout the year.

We were able to welcome our foster grandparents back into the building.

Kindergarten and first grade students celebrated Polar Express day complete with hot chocolate, paiamas, and bells!

Kiwanis Club recognized our K-Bug winners in grades 3-6 throughout the year.

3rd grade students studied owls and enjoyed a live presentation of owls from the DNR from Hardy Lake.

Officer Minton presented D.A.R.E. lessons to our fifth grade students.