

BRUNSWICK CENTRAL SCHOOLS

BRITTONKILL

TAMARAC SECONDARY SCHOOL

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Dear Tamarac Families and Students:

As the Interim Tamarac Principal I wanted to take a moment to introduce myself and let you know how excited I am for the year ahead.

The one great thing about September is everything starts new in school. This year is an opportunity to begin afresh. It's a time to set new goals as well as take important steps closer to achieving your bigger dreams.

For students, I'll look forward to greeting you every morning on the front steps, and seeing you throughout the building; in your classes; and school events. Parents, I will try to communicate with you often about what is happening in and around school. As a father of four, now grown, and a grandfather of three, I understand how important it is to be kept up to speed on what is happening in and around your children's' lives.

I respect your time, so I'll be brief as possible whenever I reach out.

The two major items to keep in mind as we prepare for the opening days of school:

1. Get your students mentally prepared to start school. Make sure they are getting their sleep schedule realigned to a 7:30 am start time. Also, students have had access to their schedules since mid-July. Please, if there are any questions, encourage your child to reach out to their guidance counselor if there are any questions.
2. Construction is still progressing around the building. I am so impressed by the commitment the Brunswick Central School District has made to improve the Tamarac facility. However, we still may have some minor inconveniences as the work is finished. We appreciate you and your student's patience. It will be awesome when it is finished!

I encourage all our families and students to make this year count. I am honored to be a part of your lives this year as our students accomplish great things!

Professionally, I am committed to safety and security as the foundation necessary to have a wholesome academic environment. If you or your children have any concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

I look forward to working with and meeting you all.

Sincerely,



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Interim Tamarac Principal

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