

Hop Into Summer Picnic FAQ's

What is the Hop Into Summer Picnic?

This community event is an opportunity to join fellow Brickton families for an evening of fun mixed with fundraising and much needed socializing.

Who goes to the Hop Into Summer Picnic?

Due to COVID restrictions, we are limiting this event to current Brickton families.

When and where is it held?

Friday, June 4, 2021
4:00 pm – 7:00 pm
Brickton Parking Lot

What can I do to support the Hop Into Summer Picnic?

Come to the event, participate, and volunteer - that's the most fun way to support the Hop Into Summer Picnic. If you can't attend in person, don't despair, you can sign up to make a donation to the Hop Into Summer Picnic with this [link](#).

What about dinner?

You have two options for dinner:

- (1) Pack a picnic dinner for your family.
- (2) Purchase dinner from the Taco Truck that will be at the event starting at 4:00.
Tacos are \$4 each or 3 for \$10 (cash only)
Chips and water will also be available for purchase for \$1 each (cash only)

And what's a picnic without ice cream? There will be an ice cream truck arriving around 5:00 pm, all treats will be \$2 each (cash only)

Will there be activities?

YES!

Carnival games for the children.

Silent and Live Auction

Silent Auction items will be in the Great Room. You may browse through the Great Room and place a bid on a variety of items. There will be classroom art projects, salon gift certificates, and other exciting items.

Live auction items will be outside at 5:30. We will have two items for the live auction. Principal for the Day, your child and a friend will serve as acting principal for a day, and a VIP Parking space for the 2021-2022 school year.

Heads or Tails

This is a fun, quick elimination game where participants choose their head or their tail, a coin is tossed and if it's heads and you choose your head, you stay in the game. If it's tails and you choose your head, you are eliminated. This continues until there are two people left. One adult will win an Echo Show, and one child will win a \$50 Amazon gift card.

Aren't auction items very expensive?

Our Silent and Live Auctions will feature a wide variety of items large and small. Most items are quite affordable, with many selling for \$200 and under. The most frenzied bidding tends to involve our students' Classroom Art Projects—spectacular, one-of-a-kind items created by our students, most of which close for between \$250 and \$1,000.

What is the cost of the event?

\$10 per child (wristbands will be passed out) adults and children 2 and under are free. Wristband includes: unlimited access to all games, tattoos, face painting, popcorn, cotton candy, and heads or tail game.

Additional costs for all:

Tacos \$4 each or 3 for \$10

Drinks \$1 each

Chips \$1 each

Ice cream \$2

Heads or Tail game \$10

Wine and dine \$25

Wine toss \$5 for one or 3 for \$10

Dunk tank \$5 each or 3 for \$10

What about seating?

BYOB (bring your own blanket) or BYOC (bring your own chair)

What about masks?

As a school, we follow the guidance of the Illinois State Board of Education. There has been no change to their protocols around mask wearing at this time. Additionally, the majority of our student population is still unable to receive a vaccination due to their age. Brickton is committed to the health and well being of all of our students, and, therefore, we will continue mask wearing in all areas of our school for the foreseeable future, including outdoor gatherings.

Sounds great...how do I sign up?

Fill out this registration [form](#).

If you have any questions, contact Kelly at 773-714-0646
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Have a great day,
Kelly