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## Bernie 5th and 6th Graders to Host Chess Club

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**Bernie, Missouri -** Bernie 5th and 6th grade will have a Chess Club. Meetings start next week on Wednesday, August 31, 2016 at 12:30 in the school cafeteria.

The students that signed up for this club will get permission slips to take home this week that are due back Friday, August 26th.

The chess club will be held every Wednesday during lunch recess for the entire 1st quarter.

Why get your children involved in Chess? It's a game of strategy and help develop a student's mind. The game of Chess improves concentration and memory as well as enhances reading and math skills. It also fosters logic, critical thinking, and creativity.

National Chess Day is Saturday, October 12th. It's a great time to dust off the board or go online and play a game of strategy and logic!

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