

Hall's Corner
October 4, 2019

REMINDER - NO SCHOOL

Wednesday, 10/9

Friday, 10/11

Monday, 10/14

Brighton Believes

Integrity, Respect, Responsibility, Kindness, and Self-control
BHS believes that everyone has the right to attend school in an environment that is safe, welcoming, caring, professional, and free from harassment.

Topics this week

- **Students in the News – Check this out!**
- **BHS NOW SERVES BREAKFAST – Snack Line from 7-7:30 AM**
- Free and Reduced Meal Benefits apply for breakfast and lunch!
- \$1.85 for Students
- **VAPING EPIDEMIC – the latest news...**
 - <https://abcnews.go.com/Health/video/vaping-illnesses-increase-country-65907784>
 - <https://abcnews.go.com/GMA/Wellness/video/cdc-reports-spike-lung-illness-vaping-crisis-65898095>
 - *The Vape talk*
 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CietOXm2eU>
- **PTSA Meeting October 23rd at NOON and 7 PM**
- **The SAT and ACT, What Parents Need to Know!**
- **Counseling News – College Visits for next week**
- **Special Education Resource Fair: Creating Opportunities for All Students**
- **Transportation Reminders**
- **Athletic News**
- **Calendar of Future Events – check this out for September!**

STUDENTS IN THE NEWS

2020 National Merit Scholarship Program – Commended Students at BHS!

Congratulations to the following seniors for being recognized as Commended Students in the 2020 National Merit Scholarship Program! Each of these students are being awarded a Letter of Commendation for outstanding performance on the 2018 Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT). These students placed in the top 50,000 students of over 1.5 million students who took the PSAT.

Kaidan Capossere, Nitin Chockalingam, Emilia DeVecchio, Harry Franklin, Charles Hacker, Emily Han, Samiha Islam, Hassan Mohiuddin, Ka-Hyun Nam, Jake Shapira, Liam Smith, and Thomas Xue

YOU MAKE BHS PROUD!

Attention PARENTS of JUNIORS!!!

PTSA MEETING WITH THE PRINCIPAL in Room 262

Wednesday, October 23rd at NOON and 7 PM at BHS!

Please join Dr. Hall for a presentation on the SAT exam and the ACT exam. All parents and interested students are welcome to attend. Mike Bergin of Chariot Learning will be our featured presenter.

TOPIC: SAT vs. ACT: What Do You Need to Know?

Both the SAT and ACT have changed over the last few years, but their importance in college admissions is as strong as ever. Find out what the tests are, why they matter, and what your teen can do about them.

We will also discuss practical steps to assess the right tests and timeline for current 11th graders.

COUNSELING NEWS

COLLEGE AND CAREER MONDAYS FOR SENIORS – CLASS OF 2020!

SENIORS: GET HELP ON YOUR POST-SECONDARY PLANNING

Two BHS Counselors will be available for seniors every Monday afternoon (Tues & Wed after holidays) September – December!

Career Exploration, Application Questions, Essay Revisions, Updating Resumes, Naviance, and more!

Instant Decision Opportunities:

MCC- Oct. 7 & Dec. 2

Roberts Wesleyan College- Oct. 21

Brockport- Oct. 28

FLCC- Nov. 4

Canisius College– (Tues.) Nov. 12

Keuka College - Nov. 18

St. Bonaventure University- Nov. 25

MCC-Dec. 2

Alfred University-Dec. 9

St. John Fisher-Dec. 16

Please use this link for access to the Counseling Department

page: <https://www.bcsd.org/Page/2070>

Special Education Resource Fair

We need your input! What do you want to learn about? Please let us know if you would attend a Community Connections Resource Fair with a focus on Creating Opportunities for All Students from 6:30 to 8 p.m. Monday, Oct. 21 in the Twelve Corners Middle School Cafeteria.

Our goal is to create an opportunity for families of students with disabilities to connect with each other and at the same time learn about community agencies and District resources that are available to support students' social, emotional, behavioral and academic needs.

We will use your input to design our event. [Click here to provide input.](#)

TRANSPORTATION REMINDERS

If your child rides the bus, we encourage you to put their name on their belongings. During the winter, many hats, gloves, and jackets are left behind on the bus. If the item has a name on it, our Transportation Department will have an easier time returning it to you. Transportation keeps items left behind for 30 days in a lost and found at the Administration Building, 2035 Monroe Ave.

Please do not use the BHS bus loop off South Winton Road for drop-off or pick-up at the beginning and end of the school day. It is closed so that buses can park there. If you arrive slightly before the buses, you run the risk of getting stuck in the bus loop until the buses leave.

ATHLETIC NEWS

For the latest student athletic news, honors, and achievements, and recertification dates for FALL SPORTS, please click on the following athletic webpage:

<https://www.sectionvny.org/public/genie/783/school/1607/>

UPCOMING EVENTS

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Time</u>
October 5	SAT Test	8:00 AM
October 8	Family Flu Clinic, Cafeteria	4:00-5:00 PM
October 9	School Closed, Yom Kippur	
October 10	Financial Aid Night – for all parents with kids heading to college!!!! At TCMS Auditorium	6:00 PM
October 11	School Closed, Superintendent’s Conference Day for Teachers	
October 14	School Closed, Columbus Day	
October 16	PSAT for Juniors during school day!	7:45 AM to Noon
October 21-25	Red Ribbon Week	
October 23	Picture Retakes, Main Foyer	All Day
October 23	PTSA Meeting with the Principal for PARENTS, Room 262 SAT & ACT – What you need to know!	Noon and 7 PM
October 24	9th Grade Parent Night – TCMS Auditorium	6:30 PM
October 26	ACT Test	8:00 AM