

Hall's Corner
October 10, 2019

REMINDER - NO SCHOOL

Tomorrow, Friday, 10/11
Monday, 10/14

Financial Aid Night is Tonight!
At 6:00 PM in the TCMS Auditorium

We are finishing up 5-weeks of school!

Please check the Parent Student Portal for your student's updated grades, progress, etc.

If you have ANY questions, please reach out to your student's teachers through e-mail.

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=C_ietOXm2eU
- **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**
- **9th grade parent night – 10/24 6:30 PM at TCMS Auditorium**
- **Athletic News**
- **Calendar of Future Events – check this out for October and November!**

CHECK THE PARENT STUDENT PORTAL FOR UPDATED GRADES – 5 WEEKS!

We are finishing up 5-weeks of school! Please check the Parent Student Portal for your student's updated grades, progress, etc. If you have ANY questions, please reach out to your student's teachers through e-mail. Thank you!

STUDENTS IN THE NEWS

Drama Club and BHS – They made the news!

The BHS 24 Hour Plays sponsored by the BHS Drama Club Made News 8's Honor Roll this past week!

<https://www.rochesterfirst.com/news/news-8-honor-roll-24-hour-play-with-brighton-drama-students/>

YOU MAKE BHS PROUD!

Kudos to Noelle Nafus for completing the New York State Summer School of the Arts, School of Media Arts program for 2019!

BHS senior, **Noelle Nafus** was one of thirty students selected through a rigorous statewide portfolio review to participate in the School of Media Arts of the New York State Summer School of the Arts, held at Alfred University this past summer. Students worked intensively in one of five disciplines including computer animation, digital photography, 16 mm film, video or electronic sound art. Classroom instruction was provide by artists actively involved in each of the disciplines overseen by Artistic Director, Ghen Zando-Dennis, a nationally known media artist. Congratulations Noelle!

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.](#)

Attention Families of 9th Grade Students

9th Grade Parent Night is October 24, 2019 from 6:30 – 7:30 PM at the TCMS Auditorium

All parents of 9th grade students at BHS are invited to attend the 9th grade parent night on 10/24/19 from 6:30 PM to 7:30 PM at the TCMS Auditorium. This night is an opportunity to meet your child's school counselor and administrator, learn more about high school graduation requirements, what happens during 9th grade seminars/LINK, program planning and course selection process, college and career planning, and so much more! A panel of current BHS students and parents will also share their experiences with our 9th grade families. This is a parent night only, but 9th graders are welcome if you want to bring them. Thank you!

BHS Counseling Department

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 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
November 1	BHS Play “The InComplete Works of Shakespeare: Some Comedy,” TCMS Auditorium	7:00 PM
November 2	SAT Exam	8:00 AM
November 7	First Marking Period Ends	
November 11	Veterans Day, School Closed	
November 12	Varsity and JV Winter Sports Begin	
November 13	BHS and TCMS Joint Meeting with the Principal, BHS Room 262	7:00 PM
November 15-16	NYSSMA Sr. High Area All-State Festival, Letchworth	
November 27-29	Thanksgiving Recess, School Closed	