



DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS BULLETIN

Friday, September 30, 2016

B-Day

TODAY'S EVENTS

Early Release Bell Schedule

Interim Week [distributed throughout the week]

Rep from University of Rochester will be at BHS, 8:30am

Rep from Washington College will be at BHS,

[Football- Varsity vs Leesville \(Band Night\) 7:00 pm](#)

PARENT ANNOUNCEMENT

Do you like pizza? Do you like to volunteer? **Students and parents** are invited to join the Buildings & Grounds committee and help BHS look its best for Fall festivities. Pizza will be served at the conclusion of the work event. Meet in front of Holliday Gym **on Saturday, October 1, from 7:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.** Please bring rakes, pitch forks, blowers, shovels, wheel barrows or any yard tools. This is a great opportunity for students to earn community service hours. Contact Allison Jourdan at allisonjourdan@gmail.com for additional information.

STUDENT ANNOUNCEMENTS [General]

October is bullying prevention month. On Monday, October 3rd we're asking students and teachers to participate in **Blue Shirt Day**- World Day of Bullying Prevention by wearing a blue shirt. Please join us in a show of solidarity to stop bullying and cyberbullying by wearing a blue shirt on October 3rd.

Broughton has been asked to honor one senior as DAB [Daughters of the American Revolution] Good Citizen. The student is then eligible, if he/she wishes, to enter the DAR Good Citizens scholarship contest. Each state winner receives a \$250 award, eight national winners receive \$500, and two national winners will be invited to Washington, DC to attend Continental Congress and will be awarded \$5,000 scholarships. If interested in being considered, see Mr. Rudder in the Guidance Resource Center.

The **National Security Language Initiative For Youth Scholarships To Study Language Abroad** provides merit-based scholarships for high school students and recent high school graduates to learn other languages through overseas immersion programs. Eligible students who earn the scholarship will learn less commonly taught languages and cultures. Candidates must have a GPA of 2.5 or above. They must have a desire to learn Arabic, Chinese, Hindi, Korean, Persian, Russian, or Turkish. Eligible students may study abroad at one of the following locations: China, Estonia, India, Jordan, Korea, Latvia, Moldova, Morocco, Russia, Taiwan, Tajikistan, Turkey and other locations. Interns stay with host families and also enjoy cultural excursions. This scholarship is for students who are passionate about learning foreign languages and culture. The program is designed to foster more interest among American youth that will lead to a lifetime of interest in foreign languages and cultures. **The deadline for this scholarship is October 27, 2016, and the award amount VARIES. For more details, visit www.nslifoyouth.org/.**

Broughton students are invited to create a new, original piece of artwork for submission to the 2016-17 PTA-sponsored Reflections Contest. Broughton's deadline for submissions is **Tuesday, November 1**. Visit the Wake County PTA' Reflections website for more information about the contest: www.wakepta.org/reflections.html. All students must submit a completed Student Entry Form signed by the student and a parent/guardian. Read the general or special artist rules, as well as the rules for the art category in which you wish to submit an entry. Any 3D pieces must come in some sort of container with a lid and wrapped in some sort of material to protect it if it can be easily damaged. This year's theme is "What is your story?" Submit entries to Ms. Aker in Room 258.

STUDENT ANNOUNCEMENTS [JUNIOR & SENIORS]

North Carolina Central University is proud to host the annual 2016 Ultimate Homecoming Experience, **October 9 - 15**. This year, the Department of Student Engagement and Leadership and the Student Activities Board will **host A Day with the Eagles**, Monday, October 10, 2016, 9:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. This free event is open to high school juniors and seniors from across the state of NC. High school attendees will participate in a campus tour, hear from student leaders and administrators and see performances from NCCU's drumline, cheerleaders and greeks. This year, we will also provide an opportunity for students to apply and receive a fee waiver. Lunch and prizes will be provided. To attend A Day with the Eagles, contact the Student Activities Board at 919-530-7846 or email kwil122@nccu.edu or sab@nccu.edu.

Juniors: Broughton has been asked to nominate three juniors to represent our school at the **Rotary Youth Leadership Award Conference** scheduled for the weekend Friday, April 21st through Sunday, April 23rd. The Conference will be held at Camp Oak in Oxford, NC and participants will be housed at the facility. Delegates will be selected because of their scholastic, athletic and civic achievements as well as their desire to improve their leadership tools. If you would like to be considered for nomination from Broughton, see Mr. Rudder in the Guidance Resource Center, Room 1209.

Seniors who did not get their pictures taken during the summer: MAKE UP Day for seniors will be Monday, October 3rd during the school day.

The registration deadline for the November 5th SAT is October 7, 2016.

COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Jeffreys Grove Elementary would like volunteers to help by reading to children or assisting with school technology. If you are interested in helping, please contact David Brooks, the Broughton Magnet Coordinator, in room 156, and he will put you in touch with the Jeffreys Grove Magnet Coordinator.

COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY REPS VISITING BROUGHTON

Seniors & Juniors may sign up to meet with college/university representatives who visit Broughton throughout the year. Sign-up sheets are posted in a notebook in the Guidance Resource Center [Room 1209]. Teachers must give permission for students to attend these meetings. See Mr. Rudder in the Guidance Resource Center if you have questions.

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Hampden-Sydney College [VA]	Monday, October 3	A-Day	1:30PM
Elon University [NC]	Tuesday, October 4	B-Day	10:15AM
American University [DC]	Tuesday, October 4	B-Day	Noon
Vanderbilt University [TN]	Thursday, October 6	B-Day	8:15AM
Salem College [NC]	Friday, October 7	A-Day	8:15AM
University of Colorado – Boulder	Friday, October 7	A-Day	9:30AM
University of Chicago [IL]	Friday, October 7	A-Day	1:30PM
UNC-Chapel Hill [NC]	Monday, October 10	B-Day	9:30AM

College & University Open Houses/Information Sessions

[Not held on the Broughton campus]

Savannah College of Art & Design

September 29, 7:00pm
Omni Charlotte Hotel
132 E. Trade Street
Charlotte, NC 28202

Washington University in St. Louis

Saturday, October 1, 3:00pm
Marriott at RTP
4700 Guardian Dr.
Durham, NC

Virginia Military Institute	October-14-15 [an overnight] Students must bring sleeping bags & pillows Register online at http://admissions.vmi.edu/visit/
NC State University	Saturday, October 15, 9:00am-2:00pm RSVP: ncsu.edu/openhouse
NC State University Textiles	Saturday, October 15, 9:00am-2:00pm Centennial Campus RSVP: textiles.ncsu.edu
Champlain College	Saturday, October 15 RSVP: champlain.edu/fall16
Wellesley	Overnight: Noon to Noon Sunday-Monday, October 16-17 RSVP: Wellesley.edu/admission/discover
UNC-Greensboro	Monday, October 17, 7:00pm Double Tree by Hilton Raleigh RTP RSVP: admissions.uncg.edu/firstlook
Salem College	Sunday, October 23
Duke Arts & Humanities Open House	Saturday, November 12 Baldwin Auditorium, Duke Campus RSVP: admissions.duke.edu/aandhopenhouse

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UNC-Chapel Hill [NC]	Monday, October 10	B-Day	9:30AM
University of Richmond [VA]	Tuesday, October 11	A-Day	10:15AM
East Carolina University [NC]	Tuesday, October 11	A-Day	1:30PM
Occidental College [CA]	Wednesday, October 12	B-Day	8:15AM
University of Southern California [CA]	Wednesday, October 12	B-Day	9:30AM
Texas Christian University [TX]	Wednesday, October 12	B-Day	11:30AM
High Point University [NC]	Wednesday, October 12	B-Day	1:30PM
Bates College [ME]	Monday, October 17	A-Day	1:30PM
University of Tennessee [TN]	Tuesday, October 18	B-Day	10:15AM
Brandeis University [MA]	Friday, October 21	A-Day	8:30AM
Davidson College [NC]	Monday, October 24	B-Day	9:30AM
University of Southern California [CA]	Monday, October 24	B-Day	1:30PM
Duke University [NC]	Tuesday, October 25	A-Day	1:30PM
Wesleyan University [CT]	Tuesday, October 25	A-Day	1:30PM
Wake Forest University [NC]	Wednesday, October 26	B-Day	1:30PM
Wittenberg University [MA]	Friday, October 28	B-Day	8:15AM
Earlham College [IN]	Friday, November 4	B-Day	9:30AM

RECURRING ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Each Broughton student must perform 25 hours of community service per year; and students who perform an additional 25 hours during their four years at Broughton will receive a silver honor cord at graduation. The community service form may be downloaded from the BHS website.

Jeffreys Grove Elementary would like volunteers to help by reading to children or assisting with school technology. If you are interested in helping, please contact David Brooks, the Broughton Magnet Coordinator, in room 156, and he will put you in touch with the Jeffreys Grove Magnet Coordinator.

Stough Elementary School We need volunteers to help run our pumpkin patch sale on **Friday, Oct. 7th** right after school until about 6pm and the sale continues until the next day from 10am-3pm. The global carnival is also on Saturday, Oct. 8th from noon-3pm. We will need volunteers in all different positions. If students are interested, please contact carolynbg@msn.com. She can then email them the sign up genius.

Looking for flexible after-school service hours in a place of encouragement and hope? Help local families transitioning from homelessness at The Green Chair Project. Sign up online whenever you need hours (open Tues-Fri, 10-5). No experience necessary ---greet visitors, process donations, or help with Front Desk closing duties. Only a 7 minute drive from BHS or take the Go Raleigh bus to the Greyhound stop on Capital Boulevard (Green Chair is across the street, next to the Salvation Army). For orientation information and to sign up, go to <http://www.volunteerspot.com/login/entry/1112345638957882069>

Parent volunteers are needed for the "Reality of Money" event on Friday, November 18. The Reality of Money financial simulation allows students to make financial decisions about paying for housing, transportation and other monthly expenses as they are "transformed" into young adults with jobs and other responsibilities to manage. Volunteers will direct students as they move through various expense stations. There are three sessions and 30 volunteers are needed for each session. This is a very fun event for both students and parents, and it will not be possible without volunteers, so please consider volunteering for one or all three sessions! Lunch will be provided. Contact the Career Development Coordinator, Rebecca Davis (rdavis9@wcpss.net) with questions. Please sign up using this link: <http://tinyurl.com/realityofmoney2016>. Thank you for your support!

The Class of 2017 has worked hard over the past 3 years to raise money to keep our Senior Dues fee as low as possible for all. The \$40 fee will cover all school supported events for your Senior year including the Senior Breakfast, Senior T-shirt, Senior Assembly, Senior Lunch, the student meal at the Senior Family Picnic, Graduation, Graduation Reception, Cap, Gown, Tassel, AND Diploma Cover (Announcements, jewelry, etc. are OPTIONAL and are not covered by this fee). Please pay your \$40 dues fee as soon as possible so that we can ensure that the correct size Senior T-shirt and Cap & Gown are ordered for your child. **If you do not pay by the October 14th deadline, the only t-shirt size option for your child will be a Large.** There are two ways to pay this fee. You can pay online at <https://seniordues.cheddarup.com> (there is a credit card processing fee) or you can complete the Senior Dues Form available on the Broughton website (click the Parents tab and then Forms) or at <http://tinyurl.com/zfwjx8f>. Please send the completed form and check to the Harris Mason at the address on the form or turn in to the Guidance office. If you have any questions, please contact Harris Mason at harrishcm@gmail.com.

Broughton has been asked to nominate two sophomores, juniors, or seniors we feel are prepared for the University of Alabama Early College Program. Nominees should have a 3.0+ GPA [cumulative since 9th grade. Visit usearlycollege.ua.edu to learn more about UA Early College or call 1-877-823-8759. If interested in being considered for nomination, see Mr. Rudder in the Guidance Resource Center.

Student registration for Duke Splash opens on October 3rd at 7:00pm! Please remember to register for Splash before October 24th at 11:59 PM to participate in this wonderful program where students can learn anything from College 101 to Swing Dancing! The event takes place on Saturday, October 29, 2016 at Duke University and is completely FREE for all participants! Lunch will be provided and the students will be able to enjoy a day of fun and learning with friends! Again, please sign up by 11:59 PM October 24, 2016!! For more information and to sign up, visit <https://dukesplash.learningu.org/>.

The **Drivers Education program** is offered at Broughton during the school year after school. Beginning in October, there is a class every month. Classes meet for 10 days after school from 2:25-5:25pm. Students must be at least 14 ½ by the first day of class. There is a required \$65 fee that must be paid by the first day of class. Parents may go on-line at Jordandriving.com to print off a registration form or pick one up outside Room 1215. Completed registration forms should be returned to Beth Parson via email [Eparsons@wcpss.net], at the front desk in the main office or to Room 1215. Once notified of a class assignment, go to Jordandriving.com, find BROUGHTON, CLICK ON THE CLASS DATE AND PAY FOR THE CLASS. Classes may also be paid for with money orders/cashier's check [made out to Jordan Driving School] or cash [paid directly to Beth Parsons]. Personal checks are not accepted. Once the classroom portion of Drivers Ed is completed, parents will be contacted by the driving instructor to schedule the driving portion. The \$65 fee includes both classroom and behind-the-wheel instruction. The whole process usually takes about 3-4 months to complete so plan accordingly.

Remember that the college reps visiting Broughton are usually the ones who will be processing your applications and reading your essays. Take advantage of these visits and sign up in the Guidance Resource Center [[Room 1209] to meet with them. It does mean that you will be missing some class time [never an entire period] so be selective! If you can't attend because of a scheduled test or lab, see Mr. Rudder afterwards to get copies of the handouts.

Don't let **test fees** hold you back from taking the SAT/ACT or applying to college. Fee waivers are available to students for whom payment of SAT & ACT fees may be a barrier to testing and applying for college. Check with Dean Sauls in Student Services to see if you qualify.

To receive the Daily Announcements Bulletins by e-mail, join the PTSA Yahoo Group. To join, e-mail broughtonptsa-subscribe@yahoogroups.com.

SAVE THE DATE: Plan now to attend the Homecoming Barbecue Dinner sponsored by the Junior Class, Friday, October 14, at Holliday Gym, 3:30-6:30pm. Tickets \$10.00. Forms were included in the PTSA Newsletter.

PARENTS: Link you shopping cards and help Broughton earn thousands of dollars! Last year, BHS received almost \$5,000 from merchants who generously donated a percentage of your purchases. Link your cards online or in the store. You only have to do this one time per year. Once you link your cards, BHS will begin earning money. Harris Teeter: Code 1936 [Simply give the cashier the code and your VIC card when you check out. Your card will be linked for the entire school year]. Kroger: Code 10000080758 Ask Customer Service to link your Kroger Plus Card to the "Needham Broughton High School" code and participate in the "Kroger Plus Card for Education" program. You must relink your cards every school year.

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES FOR UNDERCLASSMEN

College Jump Start Scholarship is held every year for high school students in grades 10 - 12, current college students, and non-traditional students. The scholarship can be used at any college the student wishes to attend. Eligibility requirements are for students to be planning to attend or currently attending a U.S., accredited 2-year, 4-year or vocational or trade school. Students must also be motivated to use their education in some way that will better their lives and their communities. When applying, students must answer an essay question regarding their career goals, how their education will them attain those goals, or their experience with work or volunteering in their communities. The scholarship is sponsored by the College JumpStart Scholarship Fund in Los Altos, California. It is funded through corporate donations. **The deadline for this scholarship is OCTOBER 17, 2016, and the award amount is usually \$1,000. For more details, visit www.jumpstart-scholarship.net/**

DAR's Christopher Columbus Essay Contest. The DAR sponsors this contest with the National Italian American foundation [NIAF] in honor of Christopher Columbus. Each academic year, an essay topic is chosen and contest instructions are made available online at <http://www.dar.org/natsociety/essays.cfm>. The contest is open to students in grades 9-12. One winning essay from each participating chapter is submitted for judging on the state level. Each state winner is judged on the divisional level and the divisional winners move on to the national level, where the winner is announced. The contest winner will receive \$1,200 plus a trip to D.C. to present their essay at the Columbus Memorial on Columbus Day, Monday, October 12, 2015. For more information on the contest, please visit <http://www.dar.org/national-society/education/essay-contests>. . October deadline.

Applicants for **The Don't Text and Drive Scholarship** must be a high school freshman, sophomore, junior, or senior or a current or entering college or graduate school student of any level. Home schooled students are also eligible. There is no age limit. You must also be a U.S. citizen or legal resident. Applicants must complete the application form and write a 140-character message about texting while driving. The winner will receive a **\$1,000** scholarship! The due date for The Don't Text and Drive Scholarship is **September 30, 2016**, which coincides with September's No Texting while Driving Day. To apply, go online at <http://www.digitalresponsibility.org/dont-text-and-drive-scholarship/>.

The **Doodle 4 Google** scholarship is one of their most popular programs from the big G. This scholarship is open to students from Kindergarten to grade 12—students in elementary, middle, and high school are all eligible to apply! This scholarship is primarily an artistic competition—the winning student will **receive a \$30,000 college scholarship**. And that is not all! In addition to the college scholarship, students will receive a \$50,000 technology grant for their school! The application can be found online at <https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/all/doodle-4-google/1003922>. Deadline: December 7, 2016. .

The **Shout It Out Scholarship** is your chance to win \$1500 for telling the world what's on your mind! The folks at Unigo want to hear what you have to say, so let them hear you loud and clear! **Applicants must be:** Thirteen (13) years of age or older at the time of application; legal residents of the fifty (50) United States or the District of Columbia; and, currently enrolled (or enroll no later than the fall of 2021) in an accredited post-secondary institution of higher education. **This is an easy essay scholarship!** **All you have to do is submit an online short written response (250 words or less) for the question:** "If you could say one thing to the entire world at once, what would it be and why?" The winner of the Shout It Out Scholarship will receive \$1500! All applications for the Shout It Out Scholarship must be received by September 30th, 2016. To apply, go online at <https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships/shout-it-out-scholarship>.

ScholarshipPoints.com offers scholarships for high school freshmen, sophomores, juniors and seniors. Members earn scholarship points for doing what they already do online: shopping, reading blogs, playing games, searching the web, taking surveys, and more! The more you do – the more points you earn – the more chances you have at winning a scholarship. ScholarshipPoints is free to join online at www.scholarshippoints.com. **Deadline: Final day of each month.**

Veterans of Foreign Wars' Voice of Democracy Scholarship Program. Students compete by writing and recording a broadcast script on an annual patriotic theme. Prizes and scholarships are awarded at the local, district, state and national level. State winners receive an all-expense paid trip to Washington, D.C. in April to tour the city, meet our nation's leaders, be honored by the VFW and its Ladies Auxiliary and receive their portion of \$148,000 in national awards, the top scholarship being \$30,000. The theme for 2016-2017 is: "**My Responsibility To America**" Applicants should record their reading of the draft to a CD. The recording can be no shorter than 3 minutes and no longer than 5 minutes [plus or minus 5 seconds]. Entries begin at the Post level. Once the applicant creates their essay and completes burning the audio version to a CD, they can submit their typed version, CD and the Voice of Democracy entry form to their local participating VFW Post by the **November 1 deadline**. For more information and to get an application, visit https://www.vfw.org/uploadedFiles/VFWorg/MY_VFW/VoiceofDemocracyEntryFormandBrochure.pdf or see Mr. Rudder in the Guidance Resource Center..

Writers of the Future-Science Fiction Writing Contest is open to high school students, college students and other new and amateur writers. Four awards are given each year for short stories or novelettes that are either science fiction or fantasy. Stories can be up to 17,000 words in length. All stories must be original work and represent stories that have not been previously published. Also, candidates must not have professionally published a novel or short novel, or more than one novelette, or more than three short stories. The Contest will award four prizes, which includes third, second and first place, plus a grand prize. Candidates may submit one story during each of the four quarters, beginning on October 1, January 1, April 1 and July 1, with the final submission date on September 30. **The deadline for this scholarship is usually in SEPTEMBER of each year, and the award amount is usually \$500 - \$5,000. For more details, visit www.writersofthefuture.com/enter-writer-contest/.**

