DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS BULLETIN Friday, February 19, 2021 B-Day Cohort 2 Green Wrist Bands

TODAY'S EVENTS Advisory - 7:25 - 7:50 Varsity Girls/Boys Basketball vs Millbrook - 5:00/6:30 Football Scrimmage Home vs Apex Friendship - 6:00

Saturday Event Varsity Boys Lacrosse Home vs Sanderson - Noon

#### Important Links and Resources:

\*View the Daily Announcement Bulletin <u>HERE</u>
\*Contact a counselor <u>How to Contact Your Counselor During Remote Learning</u>
\*Read Principal Asburn's Weekly Message <u>HERE</u>
\*BHS Staff Directory HERE
\*Learn about BHS Community Service requirements <u>HERE</u>
\*Support the BHS Academic Booster Club <u>HERE</u>
\*Join the PTSA <u>HERE</u>
\*Buy Spiritwear <u>HERE</u>
\*Card: BHS # 1936: <u>https://forms.gle/Mu3ow6QH52FHpUs96</u> with your first and last name
\*Family and Student Resources and Support: Advocacybhs@gmail.com
\*Broughton Sports Blog: <u>http://broughtonsports.blogspot.com</u>
\*Broughton High School: 919-856-7810
\*Class Weekly Emails: Class of 2021: <u>HERE</u> Class of 2022: <u>HERE</u> Class of 2023: <u>HERE</u> Class of 2024: <u>HERE</u>
FYI: The Daily Announcements Bulletin [DAB] is posted on Broughton Magnet High School Homepage. Visit

https://www.wcpss.net/broughtonhs, click on Our School and then Daily Announcements Bulletins.

#### PARENT ANNOUNCEMENTS

BHS Family Support Sign-up: As students return to campus, we need help stocking the on-campus pantry for our Broughton families in need! Click this <u>LINK</u> to help and THANK YOU for your generosity and support of our BHS family!

What a year to remember!!! Make graduation special for your student with Shutterfly and Tiny Prints. There are great gifts such as photo books, personalized frames, graduation announcements and invitations. Let Shutterfly take care of all of your graduation needs and help the Broughton PTSA earn 8% back!! All you have to do is use the <u>BHS.ShutterflyStorefront.com</u> to order all of your graduation cards and personalized gifts and Shutterfly will give 8% back to Broughton's PTSA. It's easy AND fun!!!

Remember to use your Amazon Smiles when you place your Amazon orders! On your first visit to <u>smile.amazon.com</u>, you need to select PTA North Carolina Congress Broughton Community High School PTSA before you begin shopping. Amazon will remember your selection and then every eligible purchase you make through AmazonSmile will result in a donation to the Broughton PTSA! Happy Shopping!!!

Let Broughton PTSA Memberhub Givebacks help you! There are many gift card options as well as Flower and other deliverables. The Memberhub Givebacks has you covered AND a portion of your purchase goes back to the Broughton PTSA! You can find the Broughton PTSA Giveback shop on the Broughton PTSA Memberhub website. https://bhs.memberhub.store/

Scholarship Bulletin #19 has been posted on our homepage and can be found by going to Students/Seniors/Scholarship Information/Scholarship Bulletins. It has also been posted on the Student Services Webpage <u>www.broughtonstudentservices.weebly.com</u>.]

<u>2021-2022 Course Registration Information</u>: It's almost time to choose classes for next year. Please review the information and timeline at the <u>2021-2022 Course Registration Homepage</u> to get details on course registration for next year for Rising 10th-12th grade students.



## 2021 Course Registration Timeline

Rising 10th Grade Information Rising 11th Grade Information Rising 12th Grade Information

Please check the <u>Broughton Student Services Registration Homepage</u> for more information, including links to course listings and slides to the video presentations

February 8-26 - Rising 11th-12th individual conferences with counselors (virtually in English classes) March 1 - March 12 - Online Registration Window Open (*Rising 10th-12th grade students can enter courses in PowerSchool*)

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Whom Should I Contact? To best support your student and your family as we kick off the year, we want to provide you the fastest response time on your questions as possible. To this end, we've created a <u>Whom Should I Contact document</u> that provides contact information for commonly asked questions. You can find this on our website under "Our School" at "Contact Us."

# Keep Learning [at the WELL]. Not for teens, but maybe their grandparents? Our partner <u>Senior TechEd</u> has some great classes scheduled for February. Print their calendar <u>HERE</u>.

**GLOBAL POINTS OF PROGRESS - Romania: The International AUnion for Conservation of Nature has moved the European bison from vulnerable to near threatened, reflecting decades of dogged conservation work.** Europe's largest land mammal only survived in captivity in the early 20th century. Reintroduction efforts began in the 1950s, and the Continent's bison population more than tripled to 6,200 between 2003 and 2019. The largest subpopulations now graze in Poland, Belarus, and Russia. Cozens of bison have also been released into Romania's Southern Carpathian Mountains as part of the area's largest rewilding program.

## STUDENT ANNOUNCEMENTS [GENERAL]

Feb. 18 was an Asynchronous Learning Day for All Students. All WCPSS in-person instruction, school activities and athletics were canceled. No makeup day is required. There was no live instruction. Instead, teachers communicated assignments to students to complete on their own. See <u>Changes to Inclement Weather Guidelines</u> on WakeConnect for additional information.

The SAT will be administered at Broughton March 13th. Students registered to take the test should report by 7:45 am with an Admission Ticket, acceptable photo id, two No. 2 pencils and a soft eraser [No PENS or MECHANICAL PENCILS], acceptable calculator, and a snack. Your photo ID must be a physical valid [unexpired], original, government- or school- issued, and bear your full legal name. The name on your ID must exactly match the name on your Admission Ticket. Health screenings will be conducted outside prior to entry so plan for inclement weather if needed.

Broughton dance is proud to present In Good Company: Essence. This show features 43 dancers, 13 student choreographers and 2 guest artists. Students are performing LIVE for the first time in almost a year for family and we are creating a virtual experience that will make those at home feel like they are here! Join us February 28th at 6:30 by purchasing tickets below. A portion of proceeds will go to the Cancer Research Institute.

Ticket Link:

https://essence-igc2021-virtualshow.cheddarup.com

Interested in writing for Broughton's student newspaper? Apply to be a staff member on The Hi-Times! Fill out the application through this link by February 26th: <u>https://forms.gle/Ka2y2SGadNYYxkEC6</u> Contact Ms. Sheehan with any questions.

Tutoring Is Free [at the WELL]. Sometimes students need more academic help than they can get in the classroom. Our talented, trained tutors offer free one-on-one sessions in high-demand subjects. Tutoring services are available by appointment only, so fill out a request form today. Sign up for Tutoring!

Fun Friday [at the WELL]. Do the thing, gain the glory! Fun tasks, funner prizes! For one hour students will take on a cornucopia of strange tasks, hopefully utilizing their creativity and a useful bit of lateral thinking to create, achieve, and stay COVID-safe for a Fun Friday evening! Students showcase their achievements and vote for their own winner; and one student will walk away with a gift card and a sense of accomplishment. <u>Register today!!!</u>

For the remainder of the school year, spectator attendance at athletic events is only open to immediate family members of the home team members and cheerleaders. In consultation with medical and public health guidance, WCPSS has determined that, under the current pandemic conditions, it is critical that all student-athletes wear face coverings at all times when engaging in practice or competitions.

BHS Sports & Entertainment Marketing students are so excited for our 4th annual Play4Kay fundraiser event after we raised more money for the Kay Yow Cancer Fund than any other high school in the country last year! Although we're unable to host a Play4Kay basketball game this year, we'll be carrying on two our favorite traditions by selling commemorative t-shirts and hosting an online silent auction. We are also adding a couple of new elements this year - "flamingo flocking" and a series of restaurant spirit nights. Spirit nights are not only a way to raise money for the Kay Yow Cancer Fund but also a way to help our local restaurants who have been heavily impacted by COVID restrictions. Visit our <u>Play4Kay event website</u> for more information on all of our upcoming events.

The City of Raleigh is currently hiring for many summer camp job opportunities including the Raleigh Summer Youth Program.

- The Raleigh Summer Youth Programs hires staff ages 15-18 in a wide variety of jobs all over the city. https://raleighnc.gov/Community/content/CommServices/Articles/SummerYouthEmployment.html
- Parks and Recreation hires staff from 15 years old in positions such as lifeguard, camp counselor, interns, cashiers, score keeper, and camp directors. <u>https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/raleighnc?keywords=</u>

In Recognition of Black History Month, students can read from the BHS Library Collection of African American biographies. To locate a book, please do the following:

- log into Wakeid
- Click on the Follette/Destiny icon
- Scroll down to Collections
- Click on African American Biographies
- Click on a title
- Click on hold
- Pick up your book at the media center circulation desk

## Happy Reading!

We invite all 10th graders to consider joining the International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme! On the Broughton IB website (<u>www.tinyurl.com/BroughtonIB</u>), interested students and families will find a video presentation, live (virtual) meeting details and link, the IB application, and program/course information. Programme applications are due by 3 PM on March 12, 2021.

College Board is hosting BigFuture Days, which will be a series of virtual events for high school students to connect directly with college reps split up by region. The Southeast Region alone will have representatives from Appalachian State University, Elon, NC State, Wake Forest among other NC schools as well as other schools in the southeast. Students can attend other regional events as well and connect with college reps all over the US.

**BigFuture Days** 

College Board is hosting virtual events for high school students to connect directly with college admissions representatives and take action on the most important steps for college.<u>https://pages.collegeboard.org/big-future-days?SFMC\_cid=EM424052-&rid=47471044</u>

Juniors will take the ACT for free at Broughton on Tuesday, February 23rd. To help support student preparation, the WELL is offering an ACT Test Prep session IN PERSON on Saturday, February 20th from 9:00am-4:00pm. Class is limited to 10 and all attendees must wear a mask. Register <u>HERE!</u>

Broughton High School 2021 Spring Driver's Education Classes are full. For registration information about 2021 Summer Driver's Education Classes at Broughton, students and parents should check the <u>Jordan</u> <u>Driving School website</u> around the first of April.

## **STUDENT ANNOUNCEMENTS [JUNIORS & SENIORS]**

Juniors. Broughton has been asked to nominate current juniors as Wofford Scholars. Qualified candidates are eligible to compete for scholarships ranging from \$15,000 per year up to a full scholarship. <u>The deadline for nominations is</u> <u>June 15, 2021.\*</u> Any nominations submitted after June 15 will be considered on a case-by-case basis. The criteria for nomination are as follows:

- Students must rank in the top 10% of the class. (If your school does not rank, you may be asked to send transcripts)
- Students must have achieved a minimum score of 1300 (critical reading and math combined) on the SAT or 28 composite on the ACT.
- Students must, in your opinion, demonstrate qualities of scholarship, leadership, and potential for success. Students should also have an interest in attending Wofford College.
- All students who are nominated for this program must apply by either our Early Decision or Early Action deadline.

Nominees are screened by the Wofford Scholars Selection Committee. S<u>tudents who meet the criteria</u>, will be invited to participate in Wofford Scholars Day in November. This program includes interviews for the students and various information sessions for nominees and their parents. If interested in being considered for nomination, email Mr. Rudder at <u>JRudder@wcpss.net</u>.

Broughton has been asked to make sure our current junior girls are aware of an opportunity offered by the American Legion Auxiliary called Tar Heel Girls State. This summer the event, designed to provide rising high school senior girls an opportunity to study citizenship in a democracy with a "hands-on" approach, will be held virtually June 14-18. For more information, visit <u>www.alathgs.com</u>. Then, girls who are interested must visit <u>www.legion.org</u> to get an endorsement by the local Unit in Wake County.

## ACT On-Campus for Juniors

The ACT is scheduled on-campus for all 11th graders on Tuesday, February 23. All 11th Grade students must go to <u>my.act.org</u> to create their MyACT account prior to test day. Once the account is created, students will need to login to complete their profile and demographic information. Students do NOT need to register for the February 23 test. Students are already registered for the test, but they still need to create their own MyACT account so that they can receive their scores electronically. Once students create their login and they sign into the MyACT site, they should click their name at the top right corner of the screen and complete the "About Me" section to complete their test profile. More details about test day and directions for students will be shared closer to test day.

Seniors: Scholarship Bulletin #19 has been posted on our homepage and can be found by going to Students/Seniors/Scholarship Information/Scholarship Bulletins. It has also been posted on the Student Services Webpage www.broughtonstudentservices.weebly.com.]

Davidson College is offering an Admission Intensive series this year with workshops <u>designed for juniors and their families</u>. We'll start with the basics of the application and financial aid process, discuss how to interact with colleges virtually, and how to approach college essay writing. Workshops will be offered between February 6th - February 13th and there is no cost to participate. You can view the full schedule and registration information <u>here</u>. Please reach out to us at intensives@davidson.edu with questions.

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The University of Georgia has resumed conducting virtual visit opportunities. Interested students looking for an opportunity to attend an admissions information session given by someone for the admissions office as well as a student-led virtual campus tour may click on <u>Virtual Campus Visit Experience</u>.

Virtual College Rep Information Sessions

Wake TechTuesday, February 91:30pmhttps://meet.google.com/vuk-exhc-udeThe link will not work until the specified time.

UNC-Charlotte Wednesday, February 10 1:00pm

https://uncc.zoom.us/j/91862334420

Appalachian State Wednesday, February 24 3:00pm <u>https://appstate.zoom.us/j/93288623109?pwd=Wit3dVF4N0J0VytrL0V3MUJ3OTJ0QT09</u> Meeting ID: 932 8862 3109 Students are asked to pre-register with this link