DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS BULLETIN Thursday, September 2, 2021 A-DAY

TODAY'S EVENTS

Advisory Class Bell Schedule [After first period] Class Meetings during English classes in the auditorium Fitzpatrick, Nichols, Meserth, Gulledge, Schmidt JV Football Team Meal, Cafeteria, 2:30pm JV/Varsity Volleyball @ Wakefield, 4:30/6:00pm JV Football @ Heritage, 6:30pm

Important Links and Resources:

FYI: The Daily Announcements Bulletin [DAB] is posted on Broughton Magnet High School Homepage. Visit https://www.wcpss.net/broughtonhs, or use the QR code below.

QR Code for the DABs

QR Code for the Scholarship Bulletins:







PARENT ANNOUNCEMENTS

This year, Broughton will be conducting the Meet the Teachers Night through asynchronous video presentations that families will be able to watch at their convenience. Videos will be posted on the Broughton website on the date that we initially had hoped would be an in-person event.

Seniors and Parents of Seniors: You are invited to attend a virtual Senior Information Night on Thursday, Sept. 9th at 6pm. We would love for our seniors and their parents to attend this presentation by our counselors on what to expect for senior year as well as cover a lot of information on the college application process, senior meetings, sending transcripts to universities, and much more. Please see below for the link to access this live presentation. We will also record the meeting for parents and students to view later if they are unable to attend.

BHS Senior Info Night (Virtual) Thursday, September 9 · 6:00 - 7:00pm

Google Meet joining info

Video call link: https://meet.google.com/bwh-dxhb-zev

Never been to the WELL? TODAY, from 4-6pm , the WELL will be open for parents and those from the community to come inside, meet staff, get a brief tour, ask questions. No RSVP necessary.

Important Links and Resources:

- *PTSA Linktr.ee: https:/linktr.ee/BHSCapitals
- *PTSA Memberhub Link
- *BHS Staff Directory HERE
- *Harris Teeter Vic Card: BHS # 1936: https://forms.gle/Mu3ow6QH52FHpUs96 with your first and last name
- *Broughton High School: 919-856-7810

GLOBAL POINTS OF PROGRESS - United States:: American Paralympic athletes now make as much money per medal as their nondisabled counterparts. Previously, Paralympian gold medalists received \$7,500 while Olympians who won gold received five times as much. The U.S. Olympic Committee adjusted payments after the 2018 Winter Games, and retroactively paid Paralympians for their 36 medals earned in Pyeongchang, South Korea. With the prizes now matched across the Olympic and Paralympic competitions - \$37,500 for each gold medal, \$22,500 for silver, and \$15,000 for bronze - the Tokyo Games are the first to pay athletes equally from the start.

STUDENT ANNOUNCEMENTS [GENERAL]

Powderpuff is October 14th!! If you are interested in playing please register through the google form and bring your money on the appropriate day to the cafeteria during advisory https://forms.gle/FZ128Sno56b9ZM887. Questions? Contact Ms. Graves bgraves@wcpss.net.

PRELIMINARY SAT/NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARSHIP QUALIFYING TEST ADMINISTRATION: We will be administering the Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT/NMSQT) on Wednesday, October 13th a "B" day. Registration opens on Monday, August 30th and will close on Wednesday, September 15th so that we have time to order all testing materials and have them arrive on time for testing at school. We have not received any information from WCPSS regarding the Grade Point Average (GPA) threshold for students who WCPSS will pay for the administration of the PSAT/NMSQT. Register here and if applicable payments can be made thru the OSP Portal - If you have any questions regarding the PSAT/NMSQT administration, please reach out to Ms. Daughety, our testing Coordinator, at ndaughety@wcpss.net.

Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors considering attending one of the U.S. Service Academies: Congresswoman Deborah Ross will be holding a Virtual Service Academy Day, Wednesday, September 8, 2021, 3:00-5:00pm. Families will have an opportunity to meet representatives from the Service Academies to learn more about the Academies, their admission processes and how to apply for nomination. RSVP to Clarissa O'Quinn at clarissa.oguinn@mail.house.gov by Sunday, September 5.A Zoom link will be provided following the RSVP.

WHAT'S NEW AT THE WELL: Free tutoring officially started yesterday. Become a member at the WELL [no cost] and then sign up for tutoring. And we have virtual tutoring still available for those who live farther away from the WELL.

The WELL is hosting an interactive Book CLub for students with **Virtual and In-Person Sessions.** The club will meet virtually on Thursdays and In-Person on Fridays starting September 16th. Register at bit.ly/2UHBES9 [in-person] or bit.ly/3zhXCKD [virtual]. The WELL's **Web Development Class** will start September 11. If you are a junior or a senior starting to plan for what you'll be doing after high school, then **LEAP [Life Expectations and Planning]** is for you. Participating in LEAP means you are making a commitment to a once-a=month meeting [in-person, virtual or on Saturday]. Contact Pierce Watson at achievement@wade.org to enroll.

STUDENT ANNOUNCEMENTS [JUNIORS & SENIORS]

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Seniors interested in Wake Tech: Wake Tech is going to be offering in-person campus tours resuming September 7th! Students and families can sign up for group tours here: <u>visit.waketech.edu</u>. Students can also make appointments with Ally Pearsall, Recruitment & Outreach Officer, personally to check their application status at this link here: https://outlook.office365.com/owa/calendar/WakeTech763687@WakeTechEDU.onmicrosoft.com/bookings/s/CLtsicQDjUK2c3ipaho.sog s3iPAbO-SO2.

College & University Reps Visiting Broughton

Seniors and Juniors may sign up to meet with college representatives who visit Broughton throughout the year. Sign-up sheets are posted in a notebook outside the Guidance Resource Center [Room 1209]. See Mr. Rudder in the Guidance Resource Center if you have questions.

Queens University of Charlotte [NC]	Monday, September 13	B-Day	8:15AM
University of Alabama [AL]	Friday, September 17	A-Day	9:45AM
Campbell University [NC]	Friday, September 17	A-Day	1:15PM
Wofford College [SC]	Monday, September 20	B-Day	9:45AM
Auburn University [AL]	Tuesday, September 21	A-Day	9:45AM
Appalachian State University [NC]	Tuesday, September 21	A-Day	1:15PM
UNC-Greensboro [NC]	Tuesday, September 28	B-Day	8:15AM
University of Richmond	Tuesday, October 9	B-Day	1:15PM
Sewanee University [TN]	Monday, October 18	A-Day	9:45AM

Seniors & ACT: If you are a senior and you did not get a chance to take the state administered ACT offered through school last year, you are eligible to take the exam this year free of charge. We will administer the ACT at school on October 5, 2021. To do this, you will need to email Test Coordinator Nan Daughty ndaughety@wcpss.net on or before September 13.

Juniors & Seniors interested in Harvard, Princeton, UVA, Wellesley & Yale: Representatives from these schools will host the following prospective information sessions for students and families: Sunday, August 29, 20217pm EDT/6pm CDT Event Registration, Sunday, September 12, 20217pm EDT/6pm CDTEvent Registration, Sunday, September 19, 20217pm EDT/6pm CDTEvent Registration, Monday, September 20, 20217pm EDT/6pm CDTEvent Registration, and Sunday, September 26, 20217pm EDT/6pm CDTEvent Registration. Advance registration is required. Seniors interested in Vanderbilt University [TN]: Go to their visit page to connect with them virtually or plan a campus visit. As always, your admissions officer can answer any questions.

Seniors interested in Smith College [MA]: Women of Distinction is a program for high school seniors that highlights the opportunities at Smith for African American, Latina, Asian American, and Native American students. Due to our commitment to providing a safe community for our students, our program will be virtual for the year 2021. The deadline to submit an application for Women of Distinction is Friday, September 3. I hope you encourage eligible students to apply!

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to reach out (tkalinisan@smith.edu).

SUMMER OPPORTUNITIES

Job Opportunities