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Buchholz High School Daily News

Friday, February 21, 2020

GENERAL

- Seniors: GradBash tickets will be on sale starting Monday, 2/24 and will continue until 3/06 at the office ticket window during both lunches. Tickets are \$135.00 cash or check made it to Buchholz High School. Permission slips will be given when ticket is purchased. There is limited availability and is a first-come first-serve. Do not wait until the last day to purchase a ticket.
- **Free Flu Shots 3/19** – Due to the severity of the flu season, the Department of Health and ACPS are conducting a second round of flu vaccinations at schools. Permission slips were distributed 2/18 and should be returned by Friday, 2/21. The flu shots will be administered on 3/19 during 1st period. Contact the school nurse for more information.
- Juniors - Your in school ACT is on **February 25th**. Remember to arrive on time- with your photo ID, approved calculator and pencils. This is one day only- no make-ups. All Dual Enrolled students must come in and complete the mandatory pre-exam bubbling on February 19th or 20th @ 3:00pm.
- The Buchholz Band & Aviance Program is hosting their 6th Annual A Taste for Music on **Saturday, April 4**, at the Best Western Gateway Grand. The event features dinner, dancing and an amazing silent auction, all serenaded by the award-winning Buchholz Jazz Band. There's more information on their [website](#) or Facebook page, and tickets are available online now ([click here](#)).
- Chain Reaction is a group of Alachua County students that is raising money for the March of Dimes. They have two events coming up:
 - Join Chain Reaction at PDQ on the corner of University and 34th Street for Spirit Night on **February 25th** from 5-9:00PM.
 - Human foosball hosted by Chain Reaction will take place on **March 7th** at Oak Hall School. Cost is \$10 for spectators and \$15 for players. Players will receive a T-shirt. There will be food for purchase and all proceeds go to March of Dimes. It's from 3:00-7:00PM. Registration can be done by going to <https://wefooz.redpodium.com/balling-for-babies>
- **IMPORTANT Bright Futures Information for SENIORS**: The Office of Student Financial Assistance (OSFA) will begin evaluations of 2019-20 high school seniors in late March. In order for a student to qualify for Bright Futures, all five of the below requirements must be met:
 - Submit a complete Florida Financial Aid Application (FFAA), also known as the state application, no later than August 31, 2020, at <https://www.FloridaStudentFinancialAidsg.org>;
 - Complete the required coursework (by high school graduation 5/29/2020);
 - Achieve the required grade point average in the required coursework;
 - Complete the required number of service hours (by high school graduation 5/29/2020);
 - Achieve the required college entrance exam score (no later than June 30, 2020).
- FTK Fridays are back! Donuts are sold each Friday in front of the school for \$1 each. As always, it's For the Kids and all proceeds go to Buchholz's Dance Marathon organization.
- College Visits - We have a recruiter visiting from the college(s) listed below. You must have over a 3.0 GPA to qualify for a pass. See Ms. Jenkins in Guidance Reception for more information.
 - Florida Atlantic University - Monday, March 2nd - 9:00am
 - Universal Technical Institute – Tuesday, March 17th – 9:30am
- Scholarship Opportunities
 - Senior Scholarship: The Zeta Phi Beta Scholarship is offered to female students graduating in 2020. The deadline to apply is **March 27, 2020**. Additional information is available on the scholarship board located in the Guidance Reception Area.
 - Consider applying for the Peace Scholarship. The eligibility criteria include:
 - You are a high school senior
 - You can provide evidence of leadership and/or personal initiative in activities or in an organization (including volunteer or paid work) relating to peace and social justice and/or conflict resolution
 - You can demonstrate financial need
 - You are a resident of Alachua County
 - Additional information is available at <http://www.vfpgainesville.org/> Application **Deadline: April 24**

CLUBS

- Car Club will be holding a meeting on Feb 27th after school in Mr. Sedgley's Room 2-001.

SPORTS

Winter Sports - Next game/match/meet:

- Wrestling – Saturday, 2/22 – District Tournament – Flagler Palm Coast (Palm Coast)

Spring Sports - Next game/match/meet:

- Baseball – Wednesday, 2/26 vs Bradford (BHS) – 6:00pm – Next: 2/28 vs Villages (BHS) – 7:00pm
- **Boys Lacrosse – Friday, 2/21 @ Gainesville (GHS) – 7:30pm** – Next: 2/25 @ Matanzas (Mantanzas) 7:00pm
- **Girls Lacrosse – Friday, 2/21 @ Fleming Island (FIHS) - 6:30p** – Next: 2/24 vs Creekside (BHS) – 7:30pm
- Softball – Monday, 2/24 vs Columbia (BHS) 7:00pm – Next: 2/25 @ Bradford – 6:30pm
- Boys Tennis – Monday, 2/24 vs Eastside (BHS) – Next: 2/26 @ Deland (Deland)
- Girls Tennis – Wednesday, 2/26 @ Deland (Deland) – Next: 3/04 @ Flagler Palm Coast (Palm Coast)
- **Track and Field – Saturday, 2/22 @ Windermere (Orlando)** – Next: 2/25 @ Santa Fe HS (SFHS)
- Boys Weightlifting – Thursday, 2/27 @ Santa Fe HS (SFHS) – Next: 3/04 @ Columbia (Lake City)

Coach Contact Information and the Athletics Calendar are located under the Sports tab on the Buchholz Homepage.

MENU

Grab and Go: Classy Clarke Salad with tortilla chips, Fresh Baked Pizza

Line I & Line II: Choice of One: Italian Theme: Rotini Pasta, Bolognese Sauce, Marinara Sauce, Italian Medley and "Customize Your Meal!" Choice of Sides: Fruit Parfait, Seasonal Fresh Fruit

In the Spirit Spot Café: Hamburger \$2.25, Calzonettes \$2.25, Twister Fries \$1.25, Chips \$0.75, Cookies \$1.25, Ice Cream \$1.25, Gatorade \$1.25, Plain water \$1.25, Flavored water \$1.25, Ice Drinks \$1.50