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## Buchholz High School Daily News

### Friday, April 30, 2021

#### GENERAL

- Buchholz Math Team wins State Championship at the 2021 Mu Alpha Theta Florida State competition: Congratulations as they claim the title for the 13<sup>th</sup> time in the past 16 years. There were more than 40 schools and some 1,100 students competing in categories ranging from probability and statistics to limits and deviations. Buchholz will go on to compete in the national championship in July.
- Only one Alachua County High School – Buchholz – made it into the top 100 list of U.S. News and World report rankings of Florida high schools, coming in at No. 95! Schools on this list have been ranked based on their performance on state-required tests, graduation rates and how well they prepare students for college. Way to go Bobcats!
- Academic Team Week is Monday April 26 thru April 30
  - Monday -- Play Loud, compete strong, any question we won't answer wrong - to celebrate Band, DECA and Quiz Bowl day.
  - Tuesday -- Take a stand, show what you know, helping each other is the way to go - to celebrate ROTC, Science Club & STUCO,
  - Wednesday -- Sing loud, prove you're right, solve that problem with all your might - to celebrate Chorus/Orchestra, Debate & Math Team
  - Thursday -- Some run the bank and some are in plays, either way they always amaze! - to celebrate Drama & FBLA
  - **Friday** -- Kahoot with Trivia questions about the Academic Teams with information from WCAT News video clips.
- State testing starts on Monday, May 3, please make sure you arrive at school on time for your assigned testing days.
- AP TESTING: In-Person at Living Faith Fellowship Church at 5510 NW 39<sup>th</sup> Ave. Please arrive on time.
  - May 3: US Government – 7:30 to 11:30
  - May 3: Physics C – 12:30 to 4:15
  - May 4: Calculus – 7:30 to 11:45
  - May 4: Human Geography – 12:30 to 3:45
  - May 5: English Literature – 7:30 to 11:30
  - May 5: Physics 1 – 12:30 to 4:30
  - May 6: US History – 7:30 to 11:45
  - May 6: Computer Science A – 12:30 to 4:30
  - May 6: Art History – 12:30 to 4:40
  - May 7: Chemistry – 7:30 to 11:40
  - May 7: Physics 2 – 12:30 to 4:30
  - May 7: European History – 12:30 to 4:45
- Senior Prom Ticket Purchase for Seniors only. Senior Prom Ticket Purchase for Seniors only. Prom Access Codes this week will be available for Seniors on Tuesday & Thursday April 27 & April 29. Tickets are \$55.00 this week. Brick & Mortar students can receive codes during both lunches. DA students can receive codes after school from 3pm-3:30pm. Please be sure to bring your completed screening form and clear your debts in order to receive an access code to purchase a ticket on GoFan.com.
- PROM Screening Form: The screening form that was sent out to Juniors and Seniors on April 28th CAN be used for both grades for Prom tickets. An updated screening form has been sent out as well.

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- We are going to begin implementing tardy sweeps starting the week of April 19<sup>th</sup>. Students out in the halls during class time MUST have a pass, if not you should be in class. NOTE: there is a 10-minute rule at BHS; no student should be out of class the 1st or last ten minutes of the period. In addition, students are to remain in their classrooms each period until the dismissal bell. Let's keep BHS safe for everyone.
- BHS After School FREE in-person Tutoring, Mondays - Thursdays from 2:45pm - 3:45pm in the Media Center. Students will sign in and sit one per table while teachers rotate to assist students as needed. (Note that all COVID protocols must be followed - masks, social distancing, etc.). Students will sign out when they leave for the day. Areas of focus will be math, English, and science, but teachers will work to assist with general homework questions, too. Students will also have computers so they can access their Canvas classes, complete research, etc. Digital Academy students can register at [Zoom link](#). Students must provide their own transportation.
- Santa Fe College is holding an Open House on Saturday, May 8<sup>th</sup> from 09:00am – 2:00pm. For more information visit [www.sfcollege.edu/openhouse](http://www.sfcollege.edu/openhouse).
- Volunteer Opportunity: Keep Alachua County Beautiful! KACB follows a practical approach that unites citizens, businesses, and the government to find solutions that advance our core issues of preventing litter, reducing waste, and beautifying communities. Free shirts and community service credit available. Visit [www.kacb.org](http://www.kacb.org) to register and get more information.
- TOMORROW: The Young Leaders for Wild Florida Summer Program: The Young Leaders for Wild Florida program is a three-week environmental leadership summer camp this July hosted by the Alachua Conservation Trust. No specific experience in the outdoors or environmental work is needed, and the program is donation-based. The program aims to guide participants to become Florida's next generation of environmental leaders through educational outdoor adventures, workshops with leaders in our community exploring local issues and career paths, and student-led advocacy projects. Students can look forward to discovering incredible places with new friends and mentors while gaining skills, experiences, and inspiration they can take to college, careers, and a lifetime of leadership and stewardship. For more information and to apply visit <https://www.alachuaconservationtrust.org/young-leaders-for-wild-florida> Applications are due May 1.
- The Santa Fe College Achievement Program: (CAP) is a free six-week bridge program that prepares students for college. The program is designed to motivate students, enhance their college experience, and propel them to successful completion of their college degree. The CAP program was established to increase the number of underrepresented minority students. The summer program will be virtual and run from June 21, 2021 to July 30, 2021. Applications are available online at [sfcollege.edu/cap](http://sfcollege.edu/cap).

## CLUBS

## SCHOLARSHIPS

- *DUE TODAY: The Zeta Phi Beta Sorority - 5 Pearls Scholarship:* Five scholarships will be awarded to current female high school seniors. A resume, essay, and two letters of recommendation are required. Deadline is Friday, April 30, 2021. For more information and to apply, visit [Zeta Phi Beta - 5 Pearls Scholarship](#)
- *DUE TODAY: The Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Scholarship:* The Gainesville Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority will award 4 \$1,000 scholarships to deserving African American seniors in Alachua and Columbia County. Applicants must write a 750-word essay describing their most meaningful achievements and how that relates to their chosen field of study and their future goals. Applications are available in the front office. Postmark deadline is April 30, 2021.
- *Brooks Law Group Scholarships.* First place will earn a \$1,000 scholarship and second place will earn a \$250 scholarship. Applicants may write a 700 to 1400-word essay on the topic: *Why do you think the student debt crisis has gotten so extreme? How has the debt problem affected your education plans? If you were in charge, what would you do to fix the student debt crisis?* Deadline May 7, 2021. For more information visit <https://www.brookslawgroup.com/about-us/community/scholarship/>.

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- *The Alachua County Farm Bureau Scholarship:* is open to high school seniors with a parent or guardian that is a member of the Farm Bureau. Students must complete an application, provide two letters of recommendation, provide a resume of extracurricular and community service activities, and write a 500-word essay on the topic, "My Career Goals and How I will Reach Them." Application Deadline is May 8, 2021 at 4:00 pm. More information is available at <http://www.alachuacountyfarmbureau.com/scholarships2021/>.
- The Lota Lambda Chapter of Alpha Kappa Sorority at the University of Florida plans on rewarding a scholarship to an accomplished high school senior who meets the requirements of the scholarship and completes the application process. Applicants must have a 3.0 GPA. The application process requires a 500-word essay answering ONE of the following questions.
  - ◆ "When you have challenges, you have to measure up to them." -Coretta Scott King, Civil Rights leader, wife of Dr. Martin Luther King, and Honorary member of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated. Describe a challenge you've come across in your life that has made you who you are today. How has this experience influenced your future goals?
  - ◆ Describe how you have demonstrated leadership skills both in and out of school.
  - ◆ Describe your most meaningful achievements and how they relate to your field of study and your future goals

The printed application is available in the front office. The complete applications must be emailed to [ILAKAscholarship@gmail.com](mailto:ILAKAscholarship@gmail.com) and the application deadline is May 9, 2021.

- Santa Fe College Counselor-in-Training (CIT): Interested students must apply by May 17, 2021 applications can be found at [www.sfcollge.edu/cied/communityed/](http://www.sfcollge.edu/cied/communityed/). The CIT program is designed to help motivated rising 10th through 12th grade high school students receive leadership training and earn volunteer hours while assisting with **College for Kids**, a summer program for middle school students. This unique experience gives participants an understanding of commitment and the need for positive relationships with peers and adults as it correlates to teamwork. Students will have the ability to earn 65 volunteer hours. Students **must commit to all three weeks of camp**, which are July 12-July 16, July 19-July 23 and July 26-30. Camp will meet daily, Mondays through Fridays from 8:30 am – 12:30 pm **Interviews will be scheduled via email for May 24 - May 26 from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. via ZOOM.** If selected for the CIT Leadership Program, the applicant must participate in a **mandatory training program on June 23rd from 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm via ZOOM.** The training consists of team building, conflict resolution, other leadership skills, safety, and College for Kids policies. The cost is \$100.00 for the 3-week session, which will include 2 camp shirts.
- The *Elevate Mental Health Awareness Scholarship* offers a \$500 scholarship that is open to any student who has personally experienced challenges with mental health or have had people close to them who have experienced mental health challenges. Applicants must submit a 500 to 1000-word essay on the following topic: *How has your experience with mental health influenced your beliefs, relationships, and career aspirations.* For more information and to apply visit: <https://calvinrosser.com/scholarships/mental-health-awareness/> Deadline is May 31, 2021.
- *Education and Teaching Scholarships:* 10 different teaching scholarships available. If interesting in becoming a teacher, check it out here: <https://www.affordablecollegesonline.org/degrees/education-and-teaching-programs/scholarships/>
- Florida Elks Youth Camp: Now hiring staff members and camp counselors who want to change the lives of 9-13-year-old campers. Camp dates: June 13 – August 7<sup>th</sup>. Meals and lodging are provided at NO cost. Each cabin has a/c, hot water & bathroom. College scholarships are available. Visit [www.feyc.org](http://www.feyc.org) to apply today. Contact Elliott Gilbert at [elliott@feyc.org](mailto:elliott@feyc.org) or 352-552-0786 with questions.
- *6th Annual Epic Flight Academy Aviation Scholarship Awards:* We are awarding **\$65,000** this year! Full details and links to the online application forms are available at: <https://epicflightacademy.com/aviation-scholarship/>
  - Open to current high school juniors and seniors for flight training and seniors for aircraft mechanics
  - Awarding 4 scholarships (**\$20,000** and **\$5,000** for flight training; **\$20,000** each for 2 aircraft mechanics)
  - Deadline to apply is October 1, 2021
  - Read about scholarship recipient [Ryan Groel](#) who completed his Commercial Pilot License just 7 weeks after graduating from high school!

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#### SPORTS

- Tickets exclusively on sale for \$10 through GoFan.co website/app. Be ready to show your electronic ticket at the gate for entry.

#### Buchholz High School Athletic Schedule – Week of April 25 – May 1:

- Monday - NO EVENTS
- Tuesday - NO EVENTS
- Wednesday - Boys Baseball Districts – 6:30pm
- Thursday - NO EVENTS
- Friday - ~~Boys Lacrosse Regional Finals – TBA~~  
Boys Baseball District Championship @ Chiles – 7:00pm
- Saturday - NO EVENTS

#### MENU

Line I & Line II: Choice of One: Ravioli Marinara w/Breadstick, Fresh Baked Cheese Pizza Slice, Chicken Bacon Ranch Salad  
Choice of Sides: Garden Side Salad, Green Beans, Frozen Fruit Treat, Fresh Fruit

Galley: Pizza or Poppers

In the Spirit Spot Café: Closed today, Friday, April 30. Please plan accordingly.