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GENERAL

- Santa Fe Dual Enrollment website <u>https://www.sfcollege.edu/hsde/index</u>. Applications for dual enrollment open now @ <u>SF Dual Enrollment Application</u>
- Big Future Days: Sophomores and Juniors explore your college options in every region by attending any or all of these events to connect directly with college admissions representatives and take action on the most important steps for college. Big Future Day West + Southwest, Saturday, February 6th. Big Future Day Southeast, Tuesday, February 23rd. Big Future Day Northeast, Sunday, March 7th. Big Future Day Midwest, Thursday, March 11th. Go to <u>Big Future Days</u> to register and learn more.
- Juniors and Seniors, if you have not yet passed your FSA ELA for graduation- the next test will take place starting February 16. FSA ELA is a 3-day test (Writing, and 2 days of reading). Please check your SBAC email for testing day and time assignments. If you have any questions email Ms. Nycz at <u>nyczil@gm.sbac.edu</u>.
- JUNIORS: Spring ACT here at BHS have been set. Brick and Mortar March 2nd and Digital Academy March 16th. This exam is free for all juniors.

CLUBS

• German Club has its next meeting on Wednesday, February 17 at 4:00pm via Zoom. We'll be doing cultural presentations and watching a German movie. Frau Luesch will be sending out the Zoom link the day before.

SCHOLARSHIPS

- LAST DAY: The Education Foundation of Alachua County offers 60+ scholarships to students graduating from Alachua County schools each year. While each scholarship has its own criteria set forth by the donor, they all bear one commonality: to help Alachua County students succeed in their pursuit to receive a post-secondary education. These scholarships help pay for college expenses such as tuition, fees, housing, and books. Students' scholarship applications are graded by a grading committee and recipients are notified and invited to an award ceremony at the end of the school year. For more information and to apply visit their website at <u>https://edfoundationac.org/seniorscholarships/</u>. Deadline to apply is February 16, 2021.
- The FASFEPA Vivian Scott Scholarship. This scholarship offers \$1,500 to students interested in becoming a teacher. If interested in applying, please see your school counselor. The application requirements include:
 - Seniors on track to graduate
 - Eligible for Free or Reduced lunch
 - 300-word essay about why
 - 3 letters of recommendation from Principal, Teacher, and a Community Member
- Florida Wild for All Scholarship. With this scholarship award, ACT seeks to amplify and celebrate the existing voices of Black, Indigenous, Latinx, and Multiracial People of Color interested in pursuing a career path in natural resources management or protection of the environment of Florida. Scholarship awards are between \$250 and \$500. For more information visit: https://www.alachuaconservationtrust.org/flwild-for-all Deadline is March 1, 2021.
- The Alachua Audubon Society is offering the John Kintermister High School Scholarship. For additional information visit their website at <u>www.alachuaaudubon.org/scholarship</u>. The deadline to apply is March 31, 2021. The \$300 award will be based on the following criteria:
 - Keen interest in the environment, nature, and/or conservation
 - Involvement in extracurricular environmental/nature activities
 - Academic record
 - Teacher/counselor recommendation
- Clay Electric Cooperative 2021 Youth Scholarship. Clay Electric will award a \$1,500 scholarship to one Buchholz student. To be eligible you must live in a home that is served by Clay Electric, write an essay to explain why you should receive a \$1,500 scholarship, and submit a letter of recommendation. The application is available in the front office. Deadline to apply is April 5, 2021.

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- Anne Ford and Allegra Ford Thomas Scholarships are awarded to graduating high school seniors who demonstrate exceptional academic achievement, engagement in their school and community, and leadership for others with learning disabilities and attention issues. The <u>Allegra Ford Thomas Scholarship</u> is a \$5,000 scholarship (\$2,500/year over two years) awarded to a student who will be enrolled in a two-year community college, a vocational or technical training program, or a specialized program for students with LD and/or ADHD in the fall. The <u>Anne Ford Scholarship</u> is a \$10,000 scholarship (\$2,500/year over four years) for a student who will be enrolled in a full-time bachelor's degree program in the fall. For more information visit <u>National Center for Learning Disabilities</u>. Deadline to apply is April 5, 2021.
- We the Students Essay Scholarship. Write a 500-800-word essay about the prompt: What is the relationship between Equality and Justice? Winners are eligible for up to a \$20,000 scholarship. For more information visit: https://billofrightsinstitute.org/we-the-students-essay-contest Deadline is April 15, 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/.
- 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.

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 February 14 - February 20:

- Monday NO SCHOOL Boys Lacrosse vs. GHS & Newberry – 5:00pm - 7:00pm
- Tuesday Boys Baseball vs. SFHS 6:00pm Girls Basketball Regional Final – 7:00pm Boys Lacrosse @ Lincoln – 7:00pm Girls Softball vs. UCHS – 7:00pm Track @ SFHS preseason – 4:00pm
- Wednesday Boys Baseball @ Atlantic- 4:30pm
- Thursday Boys Tennis/Girls Tennis @ Bartram Trail 4:00pm
- Friday Girls Lacrosse vs. Fleming Island 6:30pm
- Girls Tennis vs. EHS 4:00pm Track & Field @ Mt. Dora – 4:00pm
- Saturday Boys Lacrosse vs. Tampa Jesuit 3:00pm

<u>MENU</u>

Line I & Line II: Choice of One: Beef Soft Taco w/Lettuce Tomato Cup, Fiesta Chicken Soft Taco, Cheese or Pepperoni Pan Pizza

Choice of Sides: Black Beans, Golden Corn, Blueberry Whip Parfait, Fresh Fruit

Galley: Pizza or Poppers

In the Spirit Spot Café: Chicken Sandwich, Twister Fries, Iced Coffee, and Cookies