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## Buchholz High School Daily News

### Thursday, April 22, 2021

#### GENERAL

- 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.
- Senior Prom Ticket Purchase for Seniors only. For additional information please go to the Buchholz Website [BHS 2021 Prom](#) and scroll to bottom of page to see 2021 Senior Prom icon under BHS news. Ticket price the first week is \$50. Prices will go up \$5 each week until tickets are sold out. Steps to purchase a prom ticket:
  - Complete Screening form. Must be signed by the parent and student. The screening forms will be distributed through English class, will be available in the front office and on our school website.
  - Senior debts must be cleared. It is possible that you are on the debt list even if you did not receive an email. When you come to the mall we will notify you and find the best solution.
  - Return overdue media and textbooks from past years or pay for lost books and any other outstanding debt (cash or check made out to Buchholz High School).
  - Upon submitting completed Screening Form and clearing debts students will receive a special access code required to purchase a ticket. Tickets will be purchased through [www.gofan.co](http://www.gofan.co)
- Brick and Mortar students will bring completed Screening Form and clear debts from Monday, April 19<sup>th</sup> – Thursday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> during both lunches.
- Digital Academy students will bring completed Screening Form and clear debts from Monday, April 19<sup>th</sup> – Thursday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> from 3:15pm-4:15pm.
- Both will take place in the BHS mall area.
- Updated COVID-19 vaccination information for students ages 16-18:
  - ❖ The dates vaccines will be provided are April 22<sup>nd</sup> and May 13<sup>th</sup> from 9:00am – 11:00am in the auditorium.
  - ❖ Students will receive the Pfizer vaccine. Students can get both doses of the vaccine (spaced three weeks apart).
  - ❖ Students who are 16 and 17 will not receive the vaccines unless they have signed parent consent forms. 18-year-old students can have a signed parent consent form or may sign their own form.
  - ❖ This schedule will also be available at [www.sbac.edu/vaccines](http://www.sbac.edu/vaccines)
  - ❖ Students must wait 15 minutes after the vaccination before returning to class (or leaving campus if a DA student).
  - ❖ Here are copies of the parent consent form, COVID vaccination information, and privacy information [COVID consent form](#) [COVID information](#) [Privacy information](#) Parents should only turn in one consent form at this time (just for the April 22 first vaccination opportunity). We will ask parents to submit the second consent form in May.
  - ❖ Students can bring the form with them the day of their school's clinic. However, we ask that the form be returned to the school's front office ahead of time to help organize the clinics. Again, the consent form must be signed for a student to receive the vaccine.
  - ❖ A hard copy of the consent packet is located in the clinic and in the front office.
  - ❖ If you have any questions, please contact Assistant Principal Julie Smith: [smithje1@gm.sbac.edu](mailto:smithje1@gm.sbac.edu) or Nurse Brown: [nurburnsbrownm@gm.sbac.edu](mailto:nurburnsbrownm@gm.sbac.edu). You can also call the school at 955-6702
- Starting TODAY: Marion, or the True Story of Robin Hood: Presented by Buchholz Players, streaming on demand. Thursday – Saturday, April 22-24. See Posters for QR code or visit [www.onthestage.com/buchholz-players](http://www.onthestage.com/buchholz-players) for details.
- 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.

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- April 23-25: Tyler's Hope Crawfish Boil, Volunteers needed. Need to earn volunteer hours? Students can help with set up on April 23, actual activity on April 24, and tear down on April 25. Sign up at the following link to choose date, time, spot, etc. [Volunteer Sign Up Link](#)
- SAC Meeting: Tuesday, April 27<sup>th</sup> @ 3:30pm in the Media Center.
- Thursday, April 29<sup>th</sup> during both A & B Lunches: Junior rings and Senior Graduation Announcements available for pick up by Herff Jones.
- Santa Fe Dual Enrollment website <https://www.sfcollege.edu/hsde/index>. Applications for dual enrollment open now @ [SF Dual Enrollment Application](#)
- Big Future Days: NOTE, Schedule Updates. 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 act on the most important steps for college. Big Future Day Southeast, Thursday, April 29<sup>th</sup>. Go to [Big Future Days](#) to register and learn more.
- 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.
- 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

- *Education and Teaching Scholarships*: 10 different teaching scholarship 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.
- *ACEA Marjorie Stoneman Douglas Memorial Do Good Scholarship* will give \$1000 to an eligible recipient. Applications are available in the front office. Due date is Monday, April 26, 2021.
- *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](#)

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- *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/>.
- *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.

- 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.
- *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!

## 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 18 – April 24:**

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- Monday - Boys Baseball vs. Chiles – 7:00pm  
Girls Softball vs. Chiefland – 5:00pm
- Tuesday - Boys Baseball @ Keystone Heights – 7:00pm  
Girls Softball @ Fort White – 6:00pm  
Boys Tennis Regionals @ Creekside – 3:00pm
- Wednesday - NO EVENTS
- Thursday - Boys Baseball vs. Eastside *Senior Night* – 7:00pm  
Boys Tennis Regional Final – TBA
- Friday - NO EVENTS
- Saturday - NO EVENTS

#### MENU

Line I & Line II: Choice of One: Choice of One: Chicken and Waffle, Chicken Garden Salad, BBQ Pulled Pork Sandwich  
Choice of Sides: Sweet Potato Fries, Garden Side Salad, Applesauce Smoothie, Fresh Fruit

Galley: Pizza or Poppers

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