

# PANTHER EXPRESS

OCTOBER 19<sup>TH</sup>-26<sup>TH</sup>

*The latest news and updates from Bruton High School*

## THIS WEEK AT BHS

**MONDAY October 19<sup>th</sup>**  
A Day

**TUESDAY October 20<sup>th</sup>**  
B Day  
PreSeason Conditioning

**WEDNESDAY October 21<sup>st</sup>**  
STUDENT SUPPORT DAY  
2AB 9:15-9:45 AM

**THURSDAY October 22<sup>nd</sup>**  
A Day  
PreSeason Conditioning

**FRIDAY October 23<sup>rd</sup>**  
B Day  
**TABB STRONG!**  
Reflections Contest Due



## REFLECTIONS CONTEST

BHS Students... It's time!! Our annual Reflections Contest is in full swing. This year's theme is: ***I Matter Because...***The categories are: dance choreography, film production, literature, musical composition, photography, or visual arts. Student Entry Packets (attached) contain an abbreviated category description and the **required** Student Entry form. Refer to the [VAPTA website](#) for additional information such as program rules.

- Follow [this link](#) to watch the national call for entries video.
- Three different types entry forms are available:
  - o a printable PDF you can write on,
  - o scan/photograph,
  - o and return or fillable Word and PDF forms you can complete electronically. : [BHS Reflections Entry Packets](#)

Email Dr. Kingan ([rkingan@ycsd.york.va.us](mailto:rkingan@ycsd.york.va.us)) or Meghann Velazco, BHS PTSA Reflections Chair, ([BHSReflections@gmail.com](mailto:BHSReflections@gmail.com)) to request a printed packet or to ask questions. Entries can be submitted to [BHSReflections@gmail.com](mailto:BHSReflections@gmail.com) or to the BHS main office by **Friday, October 23, 2020 at noon EST.**

**\*Larger files (video and audio) should be shared through Google Drive with the Google address above, rather than emailed.**

## SENIOR POWER

Congratulations to the 2021 Senior Class Officers!

President: Jay Jones

Vice President: Ryley Stoutingberg

Treasurer: Aleigh Custer

Co-Spirit Coordinators: Ashley Baldwin and Linda Gist

Sponsor: Ms. Kimbro



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## JUNIOR CLASS

Congratulations to the following  
Class Officers for the class of 2022:

Amari Randall- President

Chloe Anderson- Vice President

Faith Lohr- Treasurer

Amaya Millner- Spirit Coordinator

## Sophomore Officers: Congratulations to the following Class Officers for the class of 2023:

President - Sarah Mitchell

VP - Jane Cadwell

Treasurer - Addie Miller

Spirit Coordinator - Ayanna  
Moore



Class Officers

President: Abigail Lee

Vice President: Gabriella Townsend

Treasurer: Mina Rizk

Spirit Coordinator: Kyndal Askew

Sponsor: Mrs. Gist

Join our Remind!

Text 81010 to @2024gist

## CLASS OF 2024

### FRENCH CLUB/ HONOR SOCIETY

The interest meeting will be Thursday the 8th from 2-2:20. Please contact Mme. McGuckin at [IMcGucking@ycsd.york.va.us](mailto:IMcGucking@ycsd.york.va.us)

### ANIME CLUB:

Please contact Sra. Feigenbaum if you are interested in joining this year.  
[nfeigenbaum@ycsd.york.va.us](mailto:nfeigenbaum@ycsd.york.va.us) or Teams.

### SPANISH HONOR SOCIETY:

Please contact Sra. Feigenbaum if you are interested in joining this year.  
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### MATH HONOR SOCIETY

Contact Mrs. Schleif  
[eschleif@ycsd.york.va.us](mailto:eschleif@ycsd.york.va.us) or Teams  
Application for membership:  
<https://forms.gle/Cfh2hVQemSMh8NH98>

### IMAGO DEI

Imago Dei Christian Interest Group will be Thursday the 8th from 2:25-2:45 pm. Please contact Mme. McGuckin at [IMcGucking@ycsd.york.va.us](mailto:IMcGucking@ycsd.york.va.us)

### SPECTRUM CLUB

(formerly the Gay Straight Alliance): Please contact Sra. Feigenbaum if you are interested in joining this year.  
[nfeigenbaum@ycsd.york.va.us](mailto:nfeigenbaum@ycsd.york.va.us) or Teams.

## **TABB STRONG!**

**This Friday, we want to wear our ORANGE to show our support for Tabb High in remembrance of last year.**

## **ATTENDANCE**

**PLEASE remember to send student absence notes and messages to Karen Sasway at**

[jsasway@ycsd.york.va.us](mailto:jsasway@ycsd.york.va.us)

**Feeling like you're the only one struggling with parenting?**

**WE HEAR YOU!**

**PARENT SUPPORT GROUP**  
FREE, OPEN TO THE PUBLIC



Mondays 6-7 p.m., 247 McLaws Circle  
Williamsburg, VA 23185  
[baconstreet.org/parenting](http://baconstreet.org/parenting)  
or call 757-253-0111

Can't make this time or location? Check [www.baconstreet.org](http://www.baconstreet.org) for more options!



NCAA Eligibility Center

## Navigating Initial Eligibility During COVID-19

### A Webinar for College-Bound Student-Athletes

#### Share this Copy in Your School's Newsletter

Did you miss the NCAA Eligibility Center webinar in October? Join the EC for a repeat webinar on Saturday, November 7 at 2 p.m. Eastern to learn about initial-eligibility requirements you must meet and how COVID-19 impacts those requirements. [Click here to register.](#)

The banner features the NCAA Eligibility Center logo in the top left corner. The main title, "NAVIGATING INITIAL ELIGIBILITY DURING COVID-19", is displayed in large, bold, blue letters on an orange background. Below the title, it says "Webinar for College-Bound Student-Athletes". At the bottom, there is a dark blue bar with three elements: a blue button with the text "REGISTER TODAY", a calendar icon with the text "DATE Saturday, November 7", and a clock icon with the text "TIME 2 p.m. Eastern".

#### Retweet from Your School's Twitter

[Click here to retweet this message](#) from the NCAA Eligibility Center's Twitter account.

#### Post from Your School's Instagram

[Click here to share this message](#) from the NCAA Eligibility Center's Instagram page.

#### Re-Share from Your School's Facebook

[Click here to re-share this message](#) from the NCAA Eligibility Center's Facebook page.

# 2020 VACRAO COLLEGE FAIR

The Virginia Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Counselors (VACRAO) is proud to present the

## Virtual College Exploration program,

for all Virginia students

September 14-November 5

The eight-week program consists of hundreds of opportunities for students to learn about the college search process and about many different colleges through panel presentations and weekly Virtual College Fairs. Students will gain a wealth of college knowledge, get exposure to a variety of colleges, and have the opportunity to ask questions of admission counselors, all in a safe, flexible, online environment.

All high school students, transfer students, parents, and counselors throughout Virginia are all welcome to attend. Participation is free.

Students should participate live so they can ask questions and interact with the college admission counselors. If students are unable to attend live, we still encourage them to register for the sessions they are interested in and recordings will be available later.

### College Admission Panel Presentations

**October 27-29 11:00 AM-2:45 PM**

**REGISTER ONLINE AT <https://www.strivescan.com/virginia/>**

## CAREER CONNECTIONS:

I am here to assist you navigate your career exploration through school and into your future career choice. Starting in October, we will spotlight a *Career Cluster of the Month*.

### Credit for Work

Are You Working? Did you know you could earn Course Credit?

**Credit for Work Experience Applications** are now being accepted for present work experience. Program

Overview: The program is designed to allow students to earn graduation credit for real-world experience by working at a part-time job. This is a pass/fail course offering students in grades 11 & 12 working at an after school job, an opportunity to earn additional .5 credit for every 70 hours worked. That is not to exceed a total of 2 credits or 280 hours during their high school experience. Enrollment in this course requires the submission of a completed Credit for Work Experience application:

- Academic school year applications for afterschool jobs must be submitted by Sept. 30, 2020.
- Students will not receive credit for hours worked prior to application approval.

*If you would like to enroll in this course, please email Julie Warlick, Career Coach at [Jwarlick@ycsd.york.va.us](mailto:Jwarlick@ycsd.york.va.us) for an application.*

### EngagedIN YCSD

*Parents/Guardians – Be EngagedIN YCSD. Share your experience. Make a difference.*

YCSD believes students are more engaged when they understand how their academic and technical coursework aligns to their career interests.

To become involved simply go to [YORKCOUNTYSCHOOLS.ORG/ENGAGEDIN](http://YORKCOUNTYSCHOOLS.ORG/ENGAGEDIN) for more information or to register.

**Julie Warlick**

BHS Career Coach

[Jwarlick@ycsd.york.va.us](mailto:Jwarlick@ycsd.york.va.us)

# PANTHER ATHLETICS

Pre-season Conditioning: Tuesday 10/20 and Thursday 10/22

Participation: If you have pre-registered, with appropriate forms

POD assignments: once set, are permanent, unless on wait list

## FREE NASA OPPORTUNITIES FOR VIRGINIA HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS!

Virginia Space Grant Consortium (VSGC) provides the following **FREE** STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) opportunities for Virginia high school students in grades 10 through 12. Our student application deadline is almost here! Please remind your students to apply by **October 25, 2020!**

### 10<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

*Virginia Space Coast Scholars (VSCS)* – Online course for 10<sup>th</sup> grade students focusing on missions flown or managed by NASA Wallops Flight Facility on Virginia's Eastern Shore, with a week-long summer academy program at NASA Wallops Flight Facility. <http://vsgc.odu.edu/spacecoast/>

### 11<sup>TH</sup> AND 12<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

*Virginia Aerospace Science and Technology Scholars (VASTS)* – Online course for 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grade students focusing on NASA's human spaceflight missions and the Journey to the Moon and on to Mars with a week-long summer academy at NASA Langley Research Center. Students can earn up to four free dual enrollment college credits. <http://vsgc.odu.edu/VASTS/>

### 11<sup>TH</sup> AND 12<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

*Virginia Earth System Science Scholars (VESSS)* – This interactive online earth system science course for 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grade students features NASA scientific research and data. Students can earn up to five dual enrollment college credits and can also be selected to attend a summer academy program at NASA Langley Research Center. <http://vsgc.odu.edu/VESSS>

Our online course applications are **OPEN UNTIL OCTOBER 25<sup>th</sup>** for 10<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grade students to apply.

**Teachers:** Each of our programs also hires a cohort of Master Teachers to grade student work in our virtual environment from December through April. Teachers, please refer to each program's website for details on becoming a **paid** Master Teacher for one of these programs!

# BLAST

Building Leaders for  
Advancing Science  
and Technology

<http://vsgc.odu.edu/blast/>



Your interest in **Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM)** could make *you* a perfect fit for **BLAST**!

BLAST participants are immersed in the college campus experience for 3 exciting summer days packed with STEM activities and demonstrations led by university faculty. BLAST will ignite your curiosity and give you insight about what a career in STEM is like.

Qualifications needed:

- Currently in 8th or 9th grade
- C+ or better grade average
- Interest in STEM!



Scan for video!

BLAST is **FREE** of charge for students who are selected to participate. Transportation to and from the university is the responsibility of each family.

The program is a partnership between the Virginia Space Grant Consortium, Old Dominion University, the University of Virginia, Virginia Tech and the Commonwealth of Virginia.

**Application Opens Online  
November 13, 2020!**

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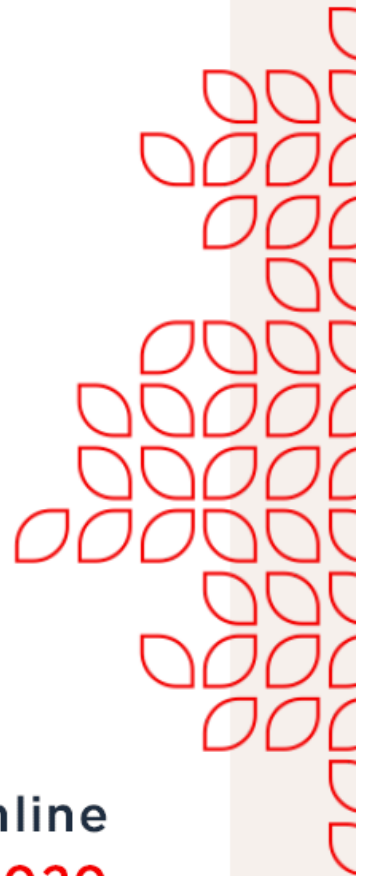
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# MCEC<sup>®</sup> Parent to Parent<sup>™</sup> Workshop

## High School-aged Parent Workshop

### FAFSA and CSS Profile

Hosted by YHS Guidance Dept.

All YCSD parents of high school students are invited to attend.



**Tuesday | October 27<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm**

Registration Link:

<https://tinyurl.com/YHSFAFSAandCSSProfile>

All Parents and Students are Welcome!

The MCEC Parent to Parent<sup>™</sup> workshops share practical ideas, proven techniques and solid resources to support military-connected families.

Please email [ptop.tidewater@militarychild.org](mailto:ptop.tidewater@militarychild.org) for questions or support.



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