PANTHER EXPRESS

NOVEMBER 23rd – DECEMBER 6TH

THIS WEEK AT BHS

MONDAY November 23rd A Day TUESDAY November 24th B Day WEDNESDAY November 25th to FRIDAY November 27th THANKSGIVING BREAK!

MONDAY November 30th A Day TUESDAY December 1st B Day WEDNESDAY December 2nd Student Support Day THURSDAY December 3rd A Day FRIDAY December 4th B Day



The latest news and updates from Bruton High School

CONGRATULATIONS!

Panthers,

Congratulations to all of our BHS Students who chose to participate in the 2020 Reflections Program. Thank you for your thoughtful interpretations of this year's theme "I Matter Because....". We had many beautiful and creative entries for our judges this year. We also appreciate all of you working through the difficulty of adjusting to a virtual Reflections Program this year.

Our First Place Winners have moved on to York County Local Level for judging. We wish all of them the best of luck and will update as the competition progresses.

Our awards ceremony will be in the winter. Time, date, and location TBD. We will reach out when more information becomes available.

Visual Art

1st: Daizjah Whiting, 12th Grade 2nd: Addison Belott, 12th Grade

3rd: Kaileigh Rivers, 12th Grade

Photography

1st: Elijah Smith, 12th Grade 2nd: Braden Coykendall, 11th Grade 3rd: Amber Ellison, 12th Grade

Literature

1st Lilliana Jeter, 9th Grade
2nd: Amelia Garcia, 10th Grade
3rd: Charlie Little, 11th Grade

<u>Music</u>

1st: Ann Goodwin, 9th Grade

Dance Choreography

1st: Jane Cadwell, 10th Grade 2nd: Naomi Postiglione, 9th Grade 3rd: Adeline Miller, 10th Grade & Ayanna Moore, 10th Grade



CONGRATULATIONS!



Custer as she received the Good Citizen Award from the Daughter of the American Revolution.

YEARBOOKS

Yearbooks are on sale! Go to the link below to purchase your 2020-2021 copy of The Brutonian at a sale price of \$65. Payment plans are available via the website.

https://www.jostens.com/apps/store/productBrowse /1119205/Bruton-High-School/2021-Yearbook/ 20200815043915903104/CATALOG SHOP/



KEY CLUB	FRENCH CLUB/ HONOR SOCIETY
Key Club will meet Wednesday,	Tuesday, December 1st at 10:10 am is a
December 2nd at 1:30 via Teams.	French Honor Society meeting.
Please reach out to Mrs. Gist at	All are welcome! Please contact Mme.
<u>sgist@ycsd.york.va.us</u> if you are	McGuckin at
interested in becoming a new	IMcGuckin@ycsd.york.va.us
member.	
SPANISH HONOR SOCIETY:	IMAGO DEI
Spanish Honor Society has kicked off.	Come out for some encouragement!
Contact Sra. Feigenbaum if you need	Thursdays at 10:30 am are Christian
to be added to the team.	Interest Group meetings
<u>nfeigenbaum@ycsd.york.va.us</u> or	Please contact Mme. McGuckin at
Teams.	IMcGuckin@ycsd.york.va.us
ANIME CLUB:	SPECTRUM CLUB
Anime Club meets Thursdays at 2:15	Spectrum meets Mondays at 2 p.m. on
p.m. on Teams. Contact Sra.	Teams. Contact Sra. Feigenbaum for an
Feigenbaum for an invite.	invite.
<u>nfeigenbaum@ycsd.york.va.us</u> or	nfeigenbaum@ycsd.york.va.us or Teams.
Teams.	

SCHOLASTIC BOWL

Due to graduation, the trophy winning SCHOLASTIC BOWL TEAM needs to be replenished! If you could be sorted into RAVENCLAW with a ready mind and nimble brain, contact Mr. Payson at <u>bpayson@ycsd.york.va.us</u>.

PANTIES ATHEFTCS BHS Athletic Conditioning!!

<u>Week of II/23:</u> NO Conditioning ON Tue II/24

<u>Week of II/30</u> Dec Ist / Dec 3rd Pre-Season Conditioning: 315-4pm/ 415-5pm

CAREER CONNECTIONS

CREDIT FOR WORK

Applications will now be accepted until March 1, 2021.

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, with 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:

- Students will not receive credit for hours worked prior to application approval.
- Email Mrs. Warlick for an application.

CAREER EXPLORATION

Schedule a time with me explore careers of interest to you, take a career assessment, or learn more about Work Based Learning experiences available to you.

November's Career Clusters of the Month are Information Technology and Manufacturing. <u>Click here</u> to learn more about these clusters.

Julie Warlick Career Coach jwarlick@ycsd.york.va.us Bookings Appointments



Help us collect Impact Aid by completing your form.

CLICK HERE TO COMPLETE THE IMACT AID FORM





PLEASE link our Harris Teeter VIC Cards to Bruton High School. Our Together in Education number is 8098

ATTENDANCE

PLEASE remember to send student absence notes and messages to Karen Sasway at jsasway@ycsd.york.va.us



BHS PTSA is bringing back the PTSA Student Membership Challenge! The class with the greatest percentage of membership will win \$200 or their class fund!

Game on! More information to come.

Senior Class of 2021!

We need you to please look at the School Counseling webpage for information to begin the College Application Process. This information is also on the "Senior" Team page. All this information is very important to read before you apply to colleges.

Go to Bruton High School webpage, and click on ABOUT, and scroll down to School Counseling, then click 12th grade.

Available is the "Senior Newsletter" and a Powerpoint. All the forms needed to help you with the process: "College Application Process, Authorization to Release Student Transcript, Request for Counselor Recommendation, Transcript Request Form and College Application Deadlines".

We need to have your authorization form on file in the counseling office, before we can send any transcripts to any colleges including Common App., Coalition, SENDedu, etc websites. The Common App. requires a letter of recommendation from your counselor, so we need the "Request of Counselor Recommendation- Brag Sheet" filled out and return to your counselor to complete the letter of recommendation. You can make copies of the form to send to teachers or other recommenders who you wish to make recommenders.

Some seniors have already made request through Common App. and we have not received any of this important paperwork.

Remember, you have to notify the counselor and/or teacher prior to putting their name on application portal as a recommender. As a courtesy, please be sure to ask a teacher if they are willing to write a letter of recommendation on your behalf.

Parchment - senior transcripts have been updated with all your senior courses and are being uploaded in Parchment.

Each of you should have received an email from Parchment with your registration information to log in to Parchment.com. If you don't have a copy, contact Mrs. Tutone at 220-4055. Please take a few minutes to enroll in your parchment account. You will need to have an account to get a copy of your transcript or to send to the colleges. For additional assistance with Parchment, go to: https://www.you.tude.com/user/Parchment videos.

Remember to set up a senior conference with your counselor. You can email or contact your counselor on teams. Mrs Reed has students with last name A-K and T-Z. Mrs Frary-Smith has students from L-S. Please turn the forms at least two weeks in advance to your counselors. Be aware of the college deadlines. Thank you from your counselors.

Better Together BHS!

CLASS OF 2022

SAT O CollegeBoard

Important Update to SAT Practice

College Board is no longer supporting the Daily Practice App for the New SAT®. Some of the printed materials you distribute to students still refer to the mobile application. Please use the following recommendations to guide your students to take full advantage of online and paper practice resources.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

- Students should delete the app and use Official SAT Practice on Khan Academy® at satpractice.org—accessible using a laptop, desktop, or mobile browser. Students who link their College Board and Khan Academy accounts will have access to
 - a. A personalized study plan based on past test results
 - b. Interactive problems and video lessons
 - c. Full-length online practice tests with timing, autoscoring, and essay feedback
- 2. Students who don't wish to link their accounts can unlock their personalized study plan in Khan Academy in one of two ways:
 - a. Take a full-length practice test online on Khan Academy
 - b. Take mini diagnostic quizzes on Khan Academy
- Students who prefer to test on paper can find paper practice tests and answer guide and explanations at sat.org/practicetests.

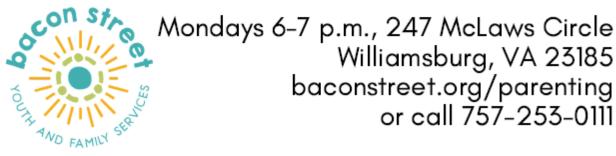
Juniors don't forget to sign up for the <u>College</u> <u>Board</u> <u>Opportunities</u> <u>Scholarship</u> on your <u>College Board</u> account.

New Horizon Career and Technical Education will start their recruiting for the career and technology class for the 2021-2022 school year the week of December 7th.

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



PARENT SUPPORT GROUP FREE, OPEN TO THE PUBLIC



Can't make this time or location? Check www.baconstreet.org for more options!

WILLIAM & MARY Spring 2021 SEP Courses & Focusing on the Future

The William and Mary Center for Gifted Education has a variety of enrichment opportunities planned for 2021!



Spring SEP Session 1: February 13, 20 & 27

Spring SEP Session 2: March 6, 13 & 20

Join us this spring for our Virtual Saturday Enrichment Program. Classes run from

10:00 am - 12:00 pm each Saturday of the session and are \$100 each, including a \$25 non refundable registration fee. Please click below for more information or to register for Spring SEP.

Spring SEP 2021 Classes for 3rd - 12th Grades

- The Magic of Coding
- Statistics: What the Numbers Tell Us
- Introduction to Computer Science
- Create Your Own Pop Up Book
- Web Design Fundamentals
- The Poetry Place
- Worth a Thousand Words...
- Engineering from Home
- The Human Body: A Marvelous Machine
- The World is a Cartoon
- Introduction to Botany...

Apply for Spring 2021 SEP

Focusing on the Future: January 30, 2021

A Virtual Career & Academic Planning Experience

Focusing on the Future exposes high-ability learners to career opportunities related to the arts, humanities, mathematics, and sciences. The program also informs parents of considerations and guidelines for effective career and academic planning. This virtual experience includes sessions for students, parents, and counselors. Parallel sessions are held for students in middle and high school, parents, and counselors.

Early Bird Pricing: Now - January 10, 2021 \$60 per attendee

After January 10th: \$65 per attendee

