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From the Desk of Dr. Skinkis



Dear Parents/Guardians,

Wow, it's already August and the 2008-09 school year is just around the corner. I hope everyone has been enjoying their summer and taking some personal time for rest and relaxation.

I am impressed by the commitment and work ethic that has been demonstrated this summer by the students and staff. Several faculty members from various departments have been coming in this summer to work on curriculum and Learning Targets for the upcoming school year (Goal 1: Raise the Academic Performance of Every Student). Our students and coaches have been working hard with summer camps, summer leagues, and off-season training (Goal 2: Build a First Class Student Activities Program). Great job everyone!

Returning students and incoming freshmen, registration is August 14 and August 19 (1-7 pm) in the BHS Cafeteria. Families that completed and submitted the mail-in registration packets by the July 11 deadline can go directly to the express lines on August 14 or August 19. If you have any questions concerning registration, please contact the Main Office.

Reminder to students who have summer packets that need to be completed, you can find these on the home page of the website (www.u-46.org/bhs). Do not wait until the last minute to complete your assignments. Use your last few weeks of summer vacation wisely.

Inside this month's Hawk Talk, you will find the calendar for the 2008-09 school year. This should provide families with an outline of important dates and events for the upcoming year at BHS. Please take into consideration that some events/dates may change and we will update the Events Calendar on the webpage regularly.

Enjoy the next few weeks and I look forward to seeing all the students on August 27, for the first day of school.

Remember to check the website for news, updates, and announcements (www.u-46.org/bhs).

GO HAWKS!!!

Dr. Skinkis
Principal
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GOALS FOR BARTLETT HIGH SCHOOL:

- 1. RAISE THE ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE OF EVERY STUDENT**
- 2. BUILD A FIRST CLASS STUDENT ACTIVITIES PROGRAM**
- 3. PROVIDE A SAFE AND RESPECTFUL LEARNING ENVIRONMENT**
- 4. FOSTER A PROFESSIONAL LEARNING COMMUNITY BASED ON CREATIVITY, COLLABORATION, AND COLLEGIALITY**

MONTH	DATE	EVENT	TIME	LOCATION
August				
	14	BHS Registration - Mail-In & Walk-In	1 - 7 PM	1st & 2nd floors
	19	BHS Registration - Mail-In & Walk-In	1 - 7 PM	1st & 2nd floors
	20	Freshman & New Student Parent Night	7 - 9 PM	
	21	Freshman & Transfer Student Orient. & Dance	4:30 - 9:00 PM	Gym & Cafe'
	26	Fall Target Meeting	7 - 9 PM	Auditorium
	27	Classes Begin	7:40 AM	
	29	Sophomore Class Assembly	1st Pd.	Auditorium
	29	Junior Class Assembly	2nd Pd.	Auditorium
	29	Senior Class Assembly	3rd. Pd	Auditorium
	29	Freshman Class Assembly	8th Pd.	Auditorium
September				
	1	Labor Day - No classes		
	2	Market Day Pick-up	5 - 6 PM	Cafeteria
	3	Underclass & Staff Picture Retakes	Lunch Hours	Faculty Lounge
	3 & 4	Herff Jones Ring Orders	Lunch Hours	Main Concourse
	10	Back to School Night	7 - 9 PM	Building
	12	Guidance Video/"Things to Know" Seniors	1-8 periods	Civics & Econ.
	13	Used Musical Instrument Sale	9 AM - 1 PM	Cafe' & Annex
	15-26	Freshman Guidance Presentation		Bio Classes
	17	College Start-up (for Seniors)	7 - 9 PM	Auditorium
	23	Write Your Way into College	7:00 AM	Career Cnt.
	23	Academy Parent Night	7 - 9 PM	Aud/Academy
	24	NCAA Presentation	7:00 AM	Guidance Office
	25	Principal Advisory Board	1st Pd.	
	9/28-10/4	Homecoming Week		
	28	Homecoming Parade	1:00 PM	Bartlett Dwntrwn
	29	Hawkfest	5 - 9 PM	BHS Pkg Lot
	30	Market Day Pick-up	5 - 6 PM	cafe'
October				
	1	Powder Puff Football	6:00 PM	Millennium Field
	3	Homecoming Assembly	1:40 - 2:55 PM	Gym
	3	Homecoming Game vs. EHS	7:00 PM	Millennium Field
	4	Homecoming Dance	7 - 10 PM	Gym
	6 & 7	Academy Open House	7 - 10 PM	Auditorium/Acad.
	8 & 9	PLAN Test	7:40 - 10:20 AM	Entire Building
	13	Columbus Day - No Classes		
	15	Distinguished Hawk Breakfast	7 - 7:30 AM	Hungry Hawk
	18	Fine Arts Booster Craft Fair	All Day	1st floor
	18	PSAT Testing	8 - noon	LA Wing
	22-23	Announcement & Cap & Gown Orders	Lunch Hours	Main Concourse
	23	Principal Advisory Board	2nd Pd.	
	23-25	Fall Play	7 - 10 PM	Auditorium
	24	End of 1st Quarter		
	25	ACT National Test Date	8 AM - 12 PM	LA Wing
	25	PSAE Retake Testing (day 1)	8-12:00 PM	Career Center
	28	PSAE Retake Testing (day 2)	8-12:00 PM	Career Center
	28	Market Day Pick-up	5-6:00 PM	Cafeteria
	29	Honor's Night Rehearsal	3rd. Pd.	Auditorium
	29	Honors Night	7 - 9 PM	Auditorium
November				
	1	Academy Interviews	8:00 AM-Noon	Academy Wing
	3 - 7	Student Council Food Drive		Building Wide

	5	National Honor Society Induction Rehearsal	2nd. Pd.	Auditorium
	5	National Honor Society Induction	7:00 PM	Aud/Café/A130
	8	Academy Interviews	8:00 AM-Noon	Academy Wing
	10-14	Curriculum Week		All School
	11	Veteran's Day Observed - No Classes		
	13	Mr. Hawk Rehearsal	3:00 PM	Auditorium
	14	Course Selection Video/Alt Schedule	3rd Pd.	All School
	14	Mr. Hawk Contest	7:00 PM	Auditorium
	18	ASVAB Testing	1-4 Pd.	A307
	19	Winter Target Meeting	7:00 PM	TBA
	19	Orchestra Concert	7:00 PM	Auditorium
	20	Principal Advisory Board	3rd Pd.	
	11/21-12/9	Student Council Giving Tree		
	24	SIP Day - No Classes		
	25	P/T Conferences (No Classes)		
	26-27-28	Thanksgiving Holiday (No Classes)		
	11/21-12/9	Student Council Giving Tree		
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December				
	1	Classes Resume		
	2	Market Day Pick-Up	5 - 6 PM	Café'
	4	Band Concert	7:00 PM	Auditorium
	9	Women of Note	7:00 PM	Auditorium
	10	Distinguished Hawk Breakfast	7-7:30 AM	Hungry Hawk
	11	Choir Concert	7:00 PM	Auditorium
	16-18	Madrigal Feast	PM	Bartlett Hills
	18	Principal Advisory Board	4th Pd.	
	19	Graduate Visitation Day	All Day	Divisional Offices
	19	Holiday Recess begins end of the school day	2:55 PM	
	12/20-1/4	Winter Break		
January				
	5	Classes Resume		
	8	January Graduate Meeting	3rd Pd.	Auditorium
	13	Market Day Pick-Up	5 - 6 PM	Cafeteria
	14-16	Final Exams		
	16	End of Semester 1		
	19	Dr. Martin Luther King Day Observed	No Classes	
	20	Second Semester Begins		
	21	Financial Aid Night (for seniors)	7:00 PM	Auditorium
	23	Winter Assembly	2:25 PM	Gym
	23	Dad & Daughter Dance		Bartlett Hills
	24	SAT Testing	8:00 AM	Lang. Arts Wing
	1/26-2/5	Guidance Visit 10th LA Classes PLAN Results The Scoop on College Entrance Exams (for juniors)		
	28		7:00 PM	Auditorium
	29	Principal Advisory Board	5th Pd.	
February				
	3	New Academy Orientation-Registration	7-10:00 PM	Café'
	3	Market Day Pick-Up	5:00 PM	Café'
	5-7	Winter Play	7:00 PM	Auditorium
	6	Institute Day - No Classes		
	11	Orchestra Concert	7:00 PM	Auditorium
	16	Presidents' Day - No Classes		
	19	Band Pasta Dinner & Pops Concert	5-10:00 PM	Aud/Cafeteria
	20	Battle of the Bands	7:00 PM	Auditorium

	21	Turnabout Dance	7:00 PM	Gym
	24	Yearbook/ID Pictures LA Classes	All Day	Auditorium Stage
	25	SODA -Faculty Student Basketball Game	7:00 PM	Gym
	25	Yearbook/ID Pictures LA Classes	All Day	Auditorium Stage
	26	Principal Advisory Board	6th Pd.	
	26	Fine Arts Boosters Floral Show	7:00 PM	Auditorium
	27	County Institute - No Classes		
March				
	3	Market Day Pick-Up	5:00 PM	Café'
	4	Vision and Hearing Screening #1	All Day	Nurse's Office
	4	Distinguished Hawk Breakfast	7:00 AM	Hungry Hawk
	5	Choral Concert	7:00 PM	Auditorium
	11	Vision and Hearing Screening #2	All Day	Nurse's Office
	11	Books Alive	1-4 Pd.	Auditorium
	11	College Blast-Off Juniors Only	7:00 PM	Auditorium
	12	Talent Show Rehearsal	3 - 6:00 PM	Auditorium
	13	Talent Show	7:00 PM	Auditorium
	17	Prom Fashion Show Rehearsal	3:00 PM	Auditorium
	17	Spring Target Meeting	7:00 PM	Auditorium
	18	Prom Fashion Show	7:00 PM	Auditorium
	19	Principal Advisory Board	7th Pd.	
	20	End of 3d Quarter		
	20	Spring Assembly	2:25 PM	Gym
	20	Spring Recess Begins end of the school day		
	21-29	Spring Holiday - No classes		
	30	Classes Resume		
	3/30-4/3	Key Club Food Drive		
	31	3rd Quarter Grades Due	12:00 PM	Registrar
April				
		ALCOHOL AWARENESS MONTH		
	TBA	Senior Class Assembly		
	TBA	Physics Great America Day		
	TBA	Safe & Drug Free Assembly		
	4	ACT National Testing Date	8:00 - 12PM	LA Wing
	7	Market Day Pick-Up	5:00 PM	Café'
	10	Spring Holiday - No Classes		
	13	Classes Resume		
	16	Pre-AP Meeting (complete answer forms)	3rd. Pd.	Auditorium
	16-19	Musical	TBA	Auditorium
	21	Academy Dinner	7-10:00 PM	Off Campus
	22-23	PSAE Testing		
	29	Picture Retakes Staff and Student	10 AM-2 PM	Faculty Lounge
	30	Band Concert	7:00 PM	Auditorium
May				
	TBA	Graduation Rehearsal	TBA	BHS
	1	SIP ALL DAY - No classes		
	1	Rock-Nach-Deutschland	7:00 PM	Café'
	2	SAT Testing	8:00 AM	LA Wing
	2	Prom	6 - 11:00 PM	Elk Grove
	4-13	Senior Exit Survey & Guidance Portfolio		Civics & Econ.
	5/4-5/15	Advanced Placement Testing Window	All Day	
	5	Market Day Pick-Up	5:00 PM	Café'
	5	International Thespians Induction	7:00 PM	Auditorium
	6-7	PSAE Make-Up	AM	Career Center

	6-7	Senior Cap & Gown Pick-Up	Lunch Hours	MO Lobby
	7	Principal Advisory Board	8th Pd.	
	7	Choir Concert	7:00 PM	Auditorium
	8	Visual Arts Show	7:00 - 9:00 PM	Fine Arts Wing
	11	World Language Honor Induction	7:00 PM	Auditorium
	13	Distinguished Hawk Breakfast	7:00 AM	Hungry Hawk
	13	Orchestra Concert	7:00 PM	Auditorium
	15	Senior Panoramic Photo	7:45 AM	Gym
	15	Senior Recognition	9:00 AM	Gym
	15	Parent Sponsored Senior Luncheon	Lunch Hours	Mobile Lot
	18 - 20	Senior Finals		
	23	Graduation	TBA	Sears Centre
	25	Memorial Day - No Classes		
June				
	2	Market Day Pick-Up	5:00 PM	Café'
	2-5	Underclass Finals		
	5	Last Day Of Second Semester		
	12	Last day of school if 5 emergency days are used		