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# BISHOP BROSSART HIGH SCHOOL

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## Calendar for September

6	Mon	Labor Day – No Classes
8	Wed	All School Mass
13	Mon	PTU Meeting – 7:00 PM
15	Wed	Junior Service Day
16	Thur	Diocesan Senior Mass
17	Fri	Academic Awards
22	Wed	Sophomore Service Day
24	Fri	Homecoming Dance
29	Wed	Freshman Service Day

## From the Principal's Desk

Another school year is up and running! We welcome all of our new families, and wish our graduates from last year well as they begin their new adventures in college and elsewhere. We know that you will make us very proud!

Thanks to everyone for helping to get the year off to such a smooth start, and thanks in particular to all of the parents who showed up for the mini-class night and the opening PTU meeting. Parent support and involvement is an absolute necessity for the smooth operation of a small Catholic school like ours and, given that, I want to encourage all of you to follow up that wonderful attendance at mini-class night with your continued presence at our monthly PTU meetings. I truly hope to make PTU an important forum for you to seek information from me and the school, and for me to reach out to you for input. The September meeting will take place on Monday the 13<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM in Hegenauer Hall. As I mentioned at mini-class night, we are currently in need of officers for PTU. If you are willing to serve, please contact me prior to the opening meeting and I can meet with you to talk through the duties involved.

Also, please know that you are always welcome at our monthly school Mass. Mass starts at 9:45 at St. Mary's (weather permitting), and this month will take place on Wednesday, September 8. We hope to see you there.

Please keep our teachers, students, staff and all of our families in your prayers.

God bless,  
Richard L. Stewart

## Freshmen Orientation

Both freshmen and their parents experienced a day of orientation to begin the school year. Parents took part in a program on the Sunday before school began designed to equip them with much of the practical knowledge they need to understand how things work here at BBHS. Mr. Stewart, Mr. Grosser, Mr. Phirman, Sr. Tereze, Mr. Kinne, Mrs. White and Mr. Heiert all did brief presentations on aspects of the parent experience here at Bishop Brossart and in high school generally.

The following day, the freshmen themselves took part in an expanded orientation program. Each freshman homeroom rotated through a series of stations in which they learned about how the daily schedule works, received their locker assignments and lock combinations, learned the ins and outs of the lunch line and lunch procedures, and were given a tour of school facilities. They then went through an abbreviated version of a regular daily schedule. Following that they were treated to lunch, and in the afternoon Student Council and the Seniors welcomed them with an afternoon of, quite literally, fun and games.

Please note that these events are the only school sanctioned orientation programs. Bishop Brossart does not sponsor any other activities away from school, such as parties at the home of upperclassmen, etc. Attendance at any such events is not sanctioned or encouraged by the school, and if parents allow their children to attend such events, they should understand that, as the school has no role in these events, it can not be held responsible for the oversight or monitoring of the event.

## Nathan Seiter Memorial Scholarship

Applications for the Nathan Seiter Memorial Scholarships are now available in the BBHS main office and on-line at [www.bishopbrossart.org](http://www.bishopbrossart.org) ALL BBHS STUDENTS (Grades 9-12) ARE ELIGIBLE TO APPLY for one of the FOUR \$1,000 financial aid grants.

For more information call 859.635.2108.

Application deadline is Monday, SEPTEMBER 13.

## Doors Open

The school doors will be opened each morning by at least 6:25 AM and will be locked at 3:00 PM.

The school day (i.e. first bell) starts at 7:25 AM.

The school day (i.e. final bell) ends at 2:05 PM.

## **Counselor's Corner**

### **Guidance Department**

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#### **Senior Information Night**

Mark your calendar for October 17 at 7:00 PM. This is an information night for Senior parents – plan to attend.

#### **Graduation Announcements**

Orders for Graduation Announcements will be taken on September 16<sup>th</sup>. **Announcements are optional!** Caps & Gowns have been paid for in Senior Fees.

A campus visit is recommended especially for out of town colleges/technical schools. Sources: Guidance Office, Internet (at school or home).

Several colleges make lunchroom visits – this is a good time to get information.

#### **Sign up for October 23 ACT NOW!!**

Register on line @ [www.ACT.org](http://www.ACT.org) (registration deadline is September 17<sup>th</sup>)

**Juniors and Seniors** – if you **anticipate** participating in sports in college check out [www.ncaaclearinghouse.net](http://www.ncaaclearinghouse.net).

**Everyone, and especially Seniors** – check KEES Money at [www.kheaa.com](http://www.kheaa.com)

#### **Note from Brian Kinne, Counselor**

Dear Bishop Brossart Parent/Guardian Family,

I hope that things are well with you. My name is Brian Kinne and I am the personal/individual counselor at Bishop Brossart. I am usually at the school on Wednesdays and Fridays. (The rest of the week, I work at Catholic Charities in Latonia.) This is my fourth year in the school. I am very excited to get to work at Bishop Brossart again this year and to interact with the students. I went around and spent a few minutes with them all this week in Religion classes (there are two more Religions classes that I need to get to on Friday) and it was a lot of fun to see their faces again, to interact with them, and to feed off of their energy!

I just wanted to take a few minutes at the beginning of the school year to let you know that if you child is having any issues that you think a counselor may be able to help with, I am available during school hours. I generally meet with students as needed (sometimes once per week, sometimes once every two weeks, etc.) Often times the students find it helpful to be able to talk to an adult and not have to worry about a bunch of people finding out about what they are talking about. Sometimes it's good just to get things off of their chest and to begin to think about ways to improve whatever it is that's bothering them. I try to contact parents of students that I am working with as needed (or a minimum of every two months)

just to touch base with you and see how things are going. If you are ever concerned about a student or about your child and you would like for me to talk to them, please send me an email or give me a call (581-8974). Obviously, it's very important that we all do our part in supporting the students at Bishop Brossart. I look forward to having a wonderful year with the students, staff and the entire Bishop Brossart family.

God bless you all,  
Brian

#### **Asbestos Warning**

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Federal law requires that occupants of buildings containing asbestos be notified periodically. Even though most of our asbestos was removed when the old building was eliminated, we still have some asbestos in rooms 204, 205, 206 and 207 and the door to the boiler room on the 200 level of the new building. None of these pose any threat.

Regular monitoring/inspection is done in order to determine any changes that might affect the health and safety of students, staff and visitors to the school. We are in compliance with Federal and State regulations regarding asbestos.

#### **Cafeteria/Lunch Program Reminder**

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Please note – lunch price for 2010/11 is \$2.75 per day - \$13.75 per week. Information regarding the Lunch Program was given out to each student on the first day of school. Please refer to this if you have any questions regarding the Lunchbox payment system.

#### **Lunchroom Workers – Update**

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Enclosed in this newsletter is the latest update of Lunchroom Workers for 2010. If you have not signed up for a day, there are still a few openings. Contact Kim Seibert at 635-5306 or 635-3790 if you can fill one of the open spots.

Remember – the fee for not volunteering one day per month is \$45.00 per year.

#### **Recycling Efforts**

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If you have any empty ink or toner cartridges, or old cell phones, drop them off in the school office. We recycle these and get \$\$ for them for our technology department.

We also have a paper recycling bin in the parking lot. Please feel free to drop off newspapers, magazines, etc.  
Note: The paper recycle bin does not accept cardboard.

## Beta September News

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If your son or daughter is interested in serving the community, the Beta Club is for them. We have monthly service projects including: the Boys and Girls Club, HONK (Housing Opportunities of N.KY), Echo Soup Kitchen, and Active Day Adult Day Care. In addition, we help out with many school, church and community events through out the year.

Within the next couple of weeks, we will be recruiting new members. Our Officers will go to the freshmen and sophomore homerooms to explain what the Beta Club is all about. The juniors will also be invited in their religion classes to join. Students must be able to participate for two years, so seniors are not eligible for membership. First year new membership dues are \$17.00, because we are members in the National Beta Club. Current member dues are \$3.00.

The officers for this school year are: Ryan Beck, Alex Good, Erin Hertenberg, Lauren Kremer, Michael Krutzkamp, Lilly Cook, Kendall Kramer, Mary Beth Schack, Julia Steffen, Alanna VanBenschoten, Courtney Neltner, and Amanda Pfefferman. We are all very excited about our new school year and eager to help those in need.

Following is a list of the activities planned for September:

- Wed., Sept. 8 Active Day Adult Day Care
- Tues., Sept. 14 Boy's and Girl's Club
- Tues., Sept. 14 Mayerson Leadership Day
- Sun., Sept. 19 K of C Opportunity Day
- Mon., Sept. 20 Echo Soup Kitchen
- Sat., Sept. 25 HONK

Look on Edline for upcoming activities and further information regarding our work. If you have any questions or would like to participate in any of our activities, feel free to call or email me. - Ms. Glaab

*"God's commandment is this: we are to believe in the name of his Son, Jesus Christ, and are to love one another as he commanded us." 1John 3:23*

## Campus Ministry

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*All students are welcome to participate in Campus Ministry!  
Sign up in Room 201 or Mrs. Heim: [dheim@bishopbrossart.org](mailto:dheim@bishopbrossart.org)*

- Sept. 4 Bagging County Market 11 -5
- 15 Junior Service Retreat
- 16 Diocesan Senior Mass
- 19 Diocesan XLT
- 22 Sophomore Service Retreat
- 29 Freshmen Service Retreat

### Service Retreats

Driver/chaperones needed!!

Sign up on the permission forms that were sent home with students.

### Training for Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers

Registration for mandatory training sessions: Call your parish office.

### Diocesan XLT (exalt!)

Gather for praise and worship through song and adoration around the Blessed Sacrament! Gather for fellowship with young people from all over our Diocese! Come and experience XLT!!!

Sept. 19 at Thomas More College

5:00 free pizza & drinks

5:30 – 7:30 XLT

BBHS students make an impact as Big Brothers-Big Sisters Sign up in Room 201 for a weekly after school commitment to make a difference in a child's life!

## Athletic News

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### Website:

Don't forget to check out the Athletic Website at [www.mustangathletics.org](http://www.mustangathletics.org) for the latest game results, scores, pictures and athletic news. There are links to other sports sites as well as forms and information

### Physicals:

You need to get physicals completed prior to the first tryout date to start. You will also need proof of insurance and if this is your first sport there is a \$75.00 participation fee per year. Winter sports begin October 15. Any student athlete who does not have a physical on the first day of tryouts will be sent home. No exceptions.

### Fall Wrap-up:

**Football:** The boys varsity football team won their second straight Bobcat Bowl Title beating Betsy Layne 34-19 at Betsy Layne to open the season and then beat Trimble County at Bedford, Ky. 42-6 last week to begin the season 2-0. The junior varsity opens Monday night at Dayton. The Middle School Colts opened the season with a 51-0 win over Holy Cross and a 42-0 win over Ludlow.

**Volleyball:** Coach Pennie Wiseman's varsity team ran their season record to a perfect 8-0 heading into Thursday's home match with Highlands winning their second consecutive Touchstone All "A" Championship Saturday beating Silver Grove 25-18, 25-22. They will play at ECU September 10-11 in Richmond, Ky. in the State All "A."

**Boys Golf:** The boys varsity golf team won the 10<sup>th</sup> Region Touchstone All "A" Region Championship beating second place Paris. The Mustangs will advance as a team to play in the All "A" State Tournament in Richmond September 11. They are currently 4-4 on the season.

**Girls Golf:** The girls varsity golf team also qualified for the Touchstone All "A" State as 10<sup>th</sup> Region Champions. The Lady 'Stangs will advance as a team to play also on September 11 in Richmond, Ky. Lauren Seiter was medalist for the girls tournament.

**Boys Soccer:** The boys varsity won the Scott Christian Memorial Tournament beating Madison Southern 2-0 and Conner 5-1. They lost to St. Henry in the All "A" Cup semifinals after beating Calvary Christian 7-0.

**Girls Soccer:** The girls varsity opens play today in the All "A" Soccer Cup Tournament. They lost to Holy Cross 2-1 in regular season play and beat Holmes 10-0. They also participated in the tough SON Tourney where the junior varsity finished 4<sup>th</sup>.

**Boys Cross Country:** The varsity boys cross country team opened their season Saturday in the tough St. Xavier Invitational finishing 15<sup>th</sup> out of 33 teams.

**BBHS FOOTBALL BENEFIT...** The BBHS Football "Horsepower Club" will host a special benefit and concert from 6:30 – 11:30 with former Journey lead singer Steve Augeri at the Syndicate Banquet Center in Newport on Friday, SEPTEMBER 10th. Show starts at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$30 per person...\$50 /per couple and can be obtained by calling 859-743-0582 or email at [rorth@sibcycline.com](mailto:rorth@sibcycline.com)

**BBHS PRODUCT SURVEY....** The Bishop Brossart High School cheerleaders will sponsor a Product Survey SEPTEMBER 15th from 1-7 p.m. in Hegenauer Hall. To schedule an appointment please email [bkramer@bishopbrossart.org](mailto:bkramer@bishopbrossart.org) or call 803-7741.

**DEVELOPMENT OFFICE NEWS**  
**Opinions / Comments!! Email... [rheiert@bishopbrossart.org](mailto:rheiert@bishopbrossart.org)**  
**Contact: 635-2108 Ext. 124**

**WELCOME BACK...** Everyone here at Jefferson & Grove is excited about the upcoming school year for 2010-11. We extend to each and every family member the opportunity to visit with us at anytime and to witness first-hand the very special "BBHS Spirit" in action.

**ANNUAL APPEAL... End of 2009-10 Campaign Totals...**

PLEDGES	COLLECTED	DONORS
\$83,655.36	\$82,855.36	490

We extend our deepest appreciation to everyone who supported this year's Annual Appeal. On behalf of Amanda (Kuntz) Henry, our campaign chairperson, THANK YOU for your generous support to the school. This year's campaign will be even more important especially during these critical economic times. The announcement of our upcoming Annual Appeal leadership team and related materials describing this year's intentions will be arriving soon.

**MUSTANG MONTHLIES...** Congratulations to Mrs. Lenora Krift, winner of the \$525.00 June drawing that completed last year's raffle. Other winners include \$25.00 Each... Joe & Pat Bremke, Judy Schilling, Jack & LeAnn Ward, Jeff Bertram, Shirley Humphreys, and Megan Eifers. **THIS YEAR'S MUSTANG MONTHLIES TICKETS ARE NOW AVAILABLE.** Renewal letters have been mailed out to everyone who participated over the years. The \$25.00 donation is your ticket for the NINE monthly drawings. Proceeds benefit the BBHS PTU. Winners will receive a minimum of \$25.00 (October – June)... \$50.00 (October, January, April) and \$525.00 (October and June). The first drawing will be held Monday, October 11<sup>th</sup> at the PTU meeting. **NO TICKETS WILL BE SOLD AFTER THAT DATE.**

**BBHS CLASS REUNIONS....** Bishop Brossart High School proudly announces the following class reunions...

**BBHS Class of 1965....Saturday, OCTOBER 2** at Stonebrook Winery.

Call Tom Holtz at 635-4657 or John Nehus at 635-3494.

**BBHS Class of 1975....Saturday, OCTOBER 23** at Seven Well Winery. Call Debbie Kuntz at 635-3651.

**BBHS ALUMNI SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT...** The annual Mens Alumni Softball tournament will be held Saturday, SEPTEMBER 11<sup>th</sup> at Penderly Park and St. Philip's ball fields. ALL BBHS alumni and spouses of alumni are invited. A meeting for all team captains will be held Tuesday, September 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. at BBHS. For more information call Ron Schultz at 635-3231.

**DISTRACTIVE DRIVING CLASSES....** Plans are underway again for qualified BBHS students to participate in the FREE Distractive Driving classes sponsored by BBHS, Liberty Mutual Insurance and the Alexandria Police Department. The tentative dates scheduled are Monday, SEPTEMBER 20<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday, SEPTEMBER 22<sup>nd</sup> from 3:00 – 6:00 p.m. at the Alexandria Community Center annex facility. Students are now eligible as soon as they receive their regular driver's license. Parents, this course has caught the attention of many organizations that are committed to protecting the lives of our young drivers. Please consider this FREE opportunity for your son or daughter. Call the Alexandria Police Department at 635-4126 to for more information and registration.

**EMERALD GALA.... SAVE THE DATE!!!** Our 8<sup>th</sup> annual Emerald Gala entitled "**GROOVIN' through the 60's, 70's, 80's**" will be held at St. Philip Parish Center **FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19th**. I'm pleased to introduce our chairperson for this year's event....**MR. MARK BAUMANN** who has already organized a tremendous committee for the event. **ALL OF THE EXCITING DETAILS WILL BE ARRIVING SHORTLY IN THE FORM OF OUR ANNUAL PROMOTIONAL MAILING. GET YOUR TABLE GROUP TOGETHER NOW!**

**A NOTE FROM MARK BAUMANN, Emerald Gala Chairperson....** "To all of our BBHS parents and friends"! Please consider when contacted your options to support this year's event; attending the event, gift donations for the auctions, purchase and selling of raffle tickets and sponsorships for the program booklet. The Emerald Gala is the school's most important social fundraiser since it benefits all BBHS families through its financial support to the General Operations and Tuition Assistance funds."

**BBHS STUDENTS RECEIVE COF AWARDS....** St. Peter's Court 1492 is pleased to announce that each of the following Youth Forester members has been awarded a \$200.00 grant towards his or her tuition at Bishop Brossart High School.

MacKenzie Bertram  
Alexandra Hinkel

Emily Holtz  
John Schack

Andrew Callahan  
Austin Hinkel

Michael Krutzkamp  
Heath Schmidt

## 2010-2011 LUNCHROOM SCHEDULE

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>WEEK 1</b>	TAMMY VERST 635-4813	BRENDA STEELMAN 635-3749	ROGER NELTNER 635-1541	NANCY FLAUGHER 635-2194	NATALIE POWELL 441-0049
	RHONDA HICKMAN 635-4322	DONNA WOESTE 441-8987	JULIE WAGNER 694-3026	SHARON ZALAC 1(513)312-8525	KATHY VANBENSCHOTEN 635-1986
	CINDY CALLAHAN 635-1191	PHILIP ENZWEILER 635-2925	BARBRA GODERWIS 781-9513	CHRIS HEHN 635-3251	GINA TRENTMAN 635-7835
	CINDY PFEFFERMAN 288-3796	JENNIFER LEDONNE 635-4818		JULIE FINN 1(513)907-9007	BECKY SANSOM 472-7311
	BEV JENNINGS 635-9466				LESLIE HERTZENBERG 635-1737
<b>WEEK 2</b>	CHRISTI KRAMER 635-1668	DEBBIE GERNER 635-7781	MICHELLE MEYER 781-0861	LAURA KEUPER 694-3323	KIM DUNAY 635-3965
	KELLY EISENMAN 635-7695	GAIL ANSTEAD 635-9703	BECKY ORTH 635-3181	PAT BREMKE 635-5543	THERESA BEZOLD 635-1466
	IRMI NELSON 635-0383	SCOTT HEHMANN 781-2456	DAWN TIEMAN 635-4303	CARRIE HAMBERG 441-1985	TERRI BOESCH 635-9228
	JULIE JENNINGS(ALICE) 781-1882	LINDA WILLIAMS 781-6141	BEV CROWE 635-6350	CATHERINE DEMOSS 448-9920	NANCY ICARD 635-6657
	DANNY BERKEMEYER 635-8868	JOHN HUMPERT 448-9127	LORI FREY 694-6125		ANGIE PELGEN 635-7220
<b>WEEK 3</b>	JONI LANDWEHR 635-5012	RUTH GROTHAUS 781-0629	MICHELLE SEITER 635-0432	DEBBIE WHITTLE 694-1173	SANDY BURKHARDT 250-8813
	GAYE FISCHESSEYER 635-0085	GARY PERKINS 781-4754	THERESA BRUGGER 635-6080	JOAN KRAMER 635-5741	TRISHA FROMMEYER 635-5831
	MARIA SCHWARTZ 635-7384	CATHERINE DEMOSS 448-9920	ANNA SCHALK 781-2234	CAROL WARD 635-9669	JANET AVILES 635-9723
	BONNIE NIENABER 694-1347	KYUNG SEE 694-1422	CYNDI BEZOLD 635-7312	DEBBIE CAMPBELL 635-3634	CANDY ARTHUR 513-910-4967
	KAREN SAUNDERS 816-4007				GINA HEEG 448-9952
<b>WEEK 4</b>	SHELLY KRAMER 635-0519	BARB GEIMAN 781-2797	KATHY WOESTE 635-3782	JANE HEIL 441-6275	CAROL BIRKENHAUER 441-3997
	JOYCE BEZOLD 635-9742	JULIE FINN 513 907-9007	JENNIFER HOLTZ 635-4331	MARYANN WECKBACH 441-1384	TRACEY MACDONALD 635-6137
	BILLIE KRAMER 635-7906	MARGIE NEISER 635-4970	MARYJO SCHMIDT 441-1993	PAT BREMKE 635-5543	DIANE BERTRAM 635-7417
	LINDA YOUNG 635-2404	TAMMY SCHNEIDER 635-3836	WALTER SANDFOSS 781-1148	JOANNA BARNETT 441-7386	JEAN NELTNER 441-2890
	CARLA MARTIN 448-0507		MARY SMITH 635-5355		CHAR WHITE 448-9447
<b>WEEK 5</b>	SANDI RITTER 694-3140	KYUNG SEE 694-1422	MARIA SCHWARTZ 635-7384		GINA HEEG 448-9952



## **MUSTANG MONTHLIES**

*Monthly drawings with \$3,000 in prizes*

*October – One \$525 winner*

*October / June – Six \$25.00 each – 54 total winners*

*October / January / April – Four \$50.00 each – 12 Total winners*

*June – One \$525.00 winner*

Drawings held in Hegenauer Hall during monthly FTU meetings  
Proceeds benefit Bishop Crossart FTU (Lic. 0204)

**Mustang Monthlies tickets are now available in the  
school office or call 635-2108.  
\$25.00 each**