



## Bishop Brossart High School September 2022

### SEPTEMBER

2	Fri	First Friday Mass
5	Mon	Labor Day - No School
7	Wed	All School Mass 9:45 am Mini Class Night 6:30 pm
9	Fri	Duds Day
13	Tues	Class Mass C Period
19	Mon	FAFSA Meeting 6:30 pm School Board Meeting 7:00 pm
20	Tues	Class Mass D Period
23	Fri	Private Transportation \$2 Duds Day
24	Sat	Mustang Mania (7th/8th grades)
26	Mon	PTU Meeting 6:30 pm
27	Tues	Class Mass E Period



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[September Lunch Menu](#)

### FROM THE PRINCIPAL

The start of the school year has been great. Having the students back in the building gives us all energy because they are why we are here working so hard everyday. Having sporting events, service opportunities, and most importantly being able to celebrate Mass regularly as a community helps build that energy.

As we continue to move forward I wanted to share a few reminders and items to consider:

We will continue this year having our First Friday Mass in our St. Francis Chapel at 6:45 am. It is a great way to start the month and an opportunity to bring families, alumni, and students together.

We will have our first PTU meeting on Monday, September 26 at 6:30 pm in the school library. The PTU is a great organization designed to bring parents and teachers together. Throughout the years the PTU organization has undergone some changes. This year we are reducing the number of times we meet. We will try to bring more information in each meeting to make a more valuable experience for all. In our September meeting we will discuss how these changes will affect other parts of the organization. We will also be discussing the use of smart watches in the classroom. We would love your input to help us make decisions on how we will address them moving forward.

We are also looking forward to seeing many of our parents on Mini-Class Night on Wednesday, September 7th. We will begin in the Munninghoff at 6:30 pm with a brief introduction and you will then go through your child's schedule to meet all of their teachers.

Finally I wanted to share some information on Homecoming this year. The Homecoming game will be on Friday, October 7th and the dance will be on Saturday, October 8th from 7:00 pm - 11:00 pm. The dance will be here on campus in the gym. Student Council along with Mr. Goller will have things decorated and it will be a great evening. We will be providing dinner in what we call the "Taste of Alexandria" with food from various local restaurants.

We look forward to all of these upcoming events.

Chris Holtz

## COUNSELORS CORNER

On Monday, August 29<sup>th</sup> we had a school wide assembly to watch a short video "More Than Sad." We will continue to discuss the topics covered as part of our continuing efforts to destigmatize mental illness and encourage our students to seek appropriate resources when needed.

We provided students with the following ways to reach out for help: dial 988 (Suicide & Crisis Lifeline), text 741741 (Crisis Text Line), and, of course 911. We also encourage students to talk to a trusted teacher, counselor, coach, clergy if they are having any feelings of depression, anxiety, stress, or suicidal thoughts.

### Testing Day October 18, 2022

**Seniors** Will take the ACT

**Juniors** Will take the Practice ACT (a select few have requested to take the ACT)

**Sophomore** Will take the Pre ACT

**Freshman** Will take the Pre ACT

**\*\*Testing will begin after homeroom and will take place in the classrooms. Students may bring water and a light snack to eat during the break. **Dismissal will be at approximately 12:15. NO LUNCH WILL BE SERVED ON THIS DAY.****

**Seniors** – Remember to check the Class of 2023 Google Classroom for important information regarding scholarship opportunities and special programs offered by colleges.

FAFSA Parent Meeting – September 19, 2022 at 6:30 pm in the Munninghoff Family Performing Arts Center. The Free Application for Student Aid (FAFSA) will be available to families beginning October 1<sup>st</sup>. Join us on this evening to learn how to complete the FAFSA.

If you are requesting letters of recommendation, please allow a minimum of two weeks advanced notice. You also need to provide your High School Resume to your recommender. It is available in Google Classroom or on our website under the Guidance tab. If you have questions, please see Mrs. Steffen.

As you begin to receive college acceptance letters and scholarship offers, please give Mrs. Steffen a copy of each so she can keep track of everything for the end of the year Senior Awards and Recognition Mass and Awards Night.

The Northern Kentucky Regional College Fair will be held at Thomas More University on October 11<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm. <https://www.thomasmore.edu/nkycollegefair/>

**If you will be taking a Dual Credit Course through NKU in the spring, please let Mrs. Steffen know no later than September 30th.**

**Juniors** – juniors who have requested to take the PSAT will take the test on October 25<sup>th</sup>. If you have not submitted the payment yet, please send that in as soon as possible. Checks can be made payable to Bishop Brossart, please put your child's name and PSAT

in the memo.

**If you will be taking a Dual Credit Course through NKU in the spring, please let Mrs. Steffen know no later than September 30th.**

**Sophomores** - sophomores who have requested to take the PSAT will take the test on October 25<sup>th</sup>. If you have not submitted the payment yet, please send that in as soon as possible. Checks can be made payable to Bishop Brossart, please put your child's name and PSAT in the memo

**Freshmen** – freshmen will create their KHEAA accounts over the next couple of weeks. This will allow them to keep track of their KEES money that they earn each school year.

**BBHS ACT Prep** – ACT Prep classes will be held for the October ACT. The prep classes are held after school. Registration forms will be available on Sycamore and are below. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Greely at [agreely@bishopbrossart.org](mailto:agreely@bishopbrossart.org).

**NKYTutoring ACT test Math prep classes** - visit their website at [nkytutoring.com](http://nkytutoring.com).

**Torchprep ACT test prep classes** - visit their website for more information – [torchprep.com](http://torchprep.com) Take full-length, timed ACT practice tests. Students will learn strategy, and how to apply the strategies in a proctored testing environment the same day.

## DEVELOPMENT OFFICE NEWS

*Opinions / Comments!!*

*Email... [tharden@bishopbrossart.org](mailto:tharden@bishopbrossart.org)*

*Contact: 635-2108 Ext. 7704*

**FIRST FRIDAY MASS...** The next Mass will be Friday, September 2 at 6:45 am in the St. Francis of Assisi Chapel. A light breakfast will be available following the Mass. All are welcome!

**MUSTANG MANIA...** BBHS will open its doors to **7th and 8th graders** for a night of fun from 6:30-8:30 pm on Saturday, September 24th. We will provide the 7th and 8th graders with pizza and a drink. Then they will have the opportunity to participate in numerous activities such as video games, a movie, basketball, volleyball, or board games. If you have any questions, please contact Tony Harden at [tharden@bishopbrossart.org](mailto:tharden@bishopbrossart.org). Please register at [this link](#) by Thursday, September 8th to ensure your child gets a t-shirt.

**MUSTANG MONTHLIES...** THIS YEAR'S MUSTANG MONTHLIES TICKETS ARE NOW AVAILABLE! Renewal letters have been mailed out to everyone who participated last year. The \$25.00 donation is your ticket for the NINE monthly drawings. Winners will receive a minimum of \$25.00 in the months October thru June, \$50.00 in October, January and April, and \$525.00 in October and June. The first drawing will be held Monday, OCTOBER 24th at the PTU meeting. **NO TICKETS WILL BE SOLD AFTER THAT DATE.** Call the main office at 635-2108 for tickets.

**BBHS ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME...** This year's Hall of Fame ceremony will take place on Saturday, October 15th in the Seither Center. Cocktail hour begins at 6:00 pm and dinner and ceremony at 7:00 pm. The 2022 class includes: Michael Bartlett '09, Matt Hartig '94, Jarrod Schmidt '00, Jasmine Vogelpohl Tiller '04, Katie Walz Smith '10, Katie Wright Funk '99, Larry Livingston (Thomas Seither Community Service Award), and the 1991 Boys Basketball Team (Team of Distinction). Cost is \$30 per person. Please contact Ann Greely [agreely@bishopbrossart.org](mailto:agreely@bishopbrossart.org) to make a reservation.

**20th ANNUAL EMERALD GALA...** SAVE THE DATE! This year's Emerald Gala will be held on Saturday, November 12th in the Seither Sports Center from 7 pm to Midnight. The night will feature live music from Stranger and dinner is provided by Brick's Catering. More info to come.

**BBHS SHADOW DAY ...** Any prospective students interested in a shadow day at BBHS or a tour of Bishop Brossart after school hours can contact Tony Harden at 635-2108 ext. 7704 or email at [tharden@bishopbrossart.org](mailto:tharden@bishopbrossart.org).

### **MINI CLASS NIGHT RETURNS!**

Would you like to take your son/daughter's place for a "typical" school day? If so, please plan on joining us for Mini Class Night! It will be held on **Wednesday, Sept. 7 at 6:30 pm.**

A copy of your son's/daughter's schedule will be available that night and you will have the opportunity to go through a "day in the life" of your student. While this night is not meant for parent/teacher conferences (which take place at the end of October), it will give you an overall view of course offerings and requirements.

### **Scripts**

Don't forget to use our scripts program for gift cards, birthdays, weddings, etc. We also carry gas cards and Kroger cards for your everyday purchases. Order forms are available on the school [website](#) or contact Pat Bremke at [pbremke55@gmail.com](mailto:pbremke55@gmail.com).

**10TH ANNUAL  
BISHOP BROSSART HIGH SCHOOL  
HALL OF FAME INDUCTION CEREMONY**

**2022 ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME CLASS**

Michael Bartlett '09  
Matt Hartig '94  
Jarrod Schmidt '00  
Jasmine Vogelpohl Tiller '04  
Katie Walz Smith '10  
Katie Wright Funk '99

**TEAM OF DISTINCTION**

1991 Boys Basketball Team

**THOMAS SEITHER COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD**

Larry Livingston

Ceremony Will Be Held

October 15, 2022

In the Seither Sports Center

Social Hour 6:00 PM

Dinner and Ceremony 7:00 PM

\$30 includes dinner and drinks

For reservations contact Ann Greely at

[agreely@bishopbrossart.org](mailto:agreely@bishopbrossart.org)

Or call (859)448-9434



Please support the Bishop Brossart Girls' Cross Country Team on Tuesday, September 13th, at the Alexandria Skyline from 10:30 a.m. to 11 p.m. When you pay your bill, just let them know that you are there to support BBHS Girls' XC and a percentage of your bill will go back to the team.





# Bishop Brossart High School



Invites  
7th & 8th Graders



## MUSTANG MANIA



**Saturday,  
September 24  
6:30 - 8:30 P.M.**

**Pizza, Drinks,  
Basketball, Volleyball,  
& Games**

Please register by September 8th at  
[www.bishopbrossart.org/page/events](http://www.bishopbrossart.org/page/events)  
to ensure your child gets a t-shirt.

For questions, contact Tony Harden at 859.635.2108 Ext.  
7704 or [tharden@bishopbrossart.org](mailto:tharden@bishopbrossart.org)

# ACT Prep Classes for the October 2022 tests

Each class is \$50 per subject. Please check which classes you will be attending. Attendance is required at all 3 sessions in the subject unless worked out with the instructor.

Date	Subject	Attending? (Please check)
Tuesday, September 20 Tuesday, September 27 Tuesday, October 4	SCIENCE 2:10-3:10	
Wednesday, September 21 Wednesday, September 28 Wednesday, October 5	MATH 2:10-3:10	
Friday, September 23 Friday, September 30 Thursday, October 6	READING/ENGLISH 2:10-3:10	

If a check is written, please make them payable to the following:  
Science – Daniel Hunter  
Math – Ann Greely  
Reading/English – Ben Darby

\*\*Students must sign up by Monday, September 19. A minimum of 3 students need to sign up for the class to be offered.

STUDENT'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_

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