

# Bishop Brossart High School October 2023

#### OCTOBER

4	Wed	All School Mass - 9:45 am - St. Mary
6	Fri	Q1 Ends
		1st Friday Mass - 6:45 am - Chapel
7	Sat	Homecoming Dance - 7:00 - 11:00 pm
12	Thurs	Parent/Teacher Conferences
13	Fri	Career Fair - Early Dismissal ~1:00
16-20	Mon-Fri	FALL BREAK
17	Tues	Senior ACT
24	Tues	Class Mass E Period
		Parent/Teacher Conf Back Up Date
25	Wed	Late Start Day - Classes begin at 8:25 am
26	Thurs	Picture Retake Day
27	Fri	\$2 Duds Day
29	Sun	Open House - 1:00 - 3:30 pm
31	Tues	Trick or Treat Duds Day



Lunch Menu

# FROM THE PRINCIPAL

The school year is moving along quickly. Our first quarter comes to an end on Friday and it is Homecoming weekend. We will be eating turkey and celebrating our Lord's birth in a blink of an eye. Please enjoy all of these moments and give thanks for the Lord's blessings on us all.

Speaking of Homecoming, we are looking forward to a wonderful weekend. Things are already going this week with our themes for each day leading up to the game on Friday. The Homecoming ceremony will take place before the game and will begin at approximately 6 pm with the game following at 7 pm. The dance will be at Moonlite Gardens at Coney Island from 7 - 11 pm on Saturday evening. Thank you to Mr. Goller and Ms. Tallarigo for all the work to get everything ready for the events.

The quarter is ending this Friday so remind your child(ren) to finish this week strong and make sure they have everything completed. Everyone wants to start the year off well in the first quarter so this is our last week to make that happen. You will be receiving information tomorrow morning on how to sign up for our Parent-Teacher conferences on Oct 12th. Remember that if our boys soccer team makes it to the regional semi finals, which we could be hosting, we will move this back to Oct 24th. We will send a message as soon as we know if this will be an issue. May everyone have continued blessings as we move into the fall season.

God Bless

Chris Holtz

# COUNSELORS CORNER

**Career Day** - Friday, October 13th - over 50 speakers will be here to share their knowledge about their careers, and 35 colleges and universities will be here for a college fair at the end of the day. **Students will be dismissed early - approximately 1:00 p.m.** 

**Seniors, and some juniors**, will take the ACT here at school on Tuesday, October 17th starting at 7:45 a.m.

## YEARBOOKS 23-24

If you'd like to order a 2023-2024 yearbook, online orders have begun! To lock in a lower price on your yearbook, go to <u>jostens.com</u> and search for Bishop Brossart. Right now, the cost to order online starts at \$63, but that will go up as it gets later in the school year.

Last school year's yearbooks (22-23) should arrive sometime in mid-late October.

If you have any questions, please reach out to Mr. Darby at bdarby@bishopbrossart.org

## **CAMPUS MINISTRY**

Mark your calendars! The campus ministry class would like to invite our parents, grandparents, families, and friends to our all school masses at St. Mary and our first Friday masses in the chapel (6:45am). Our all school masses this semester are as follows:

- Wednesday, October 4 at 9:45am (The Bishop will be joining us)
- Tuesday, November 21 at 10:00am
- Tuesday, December 12 at 9:45am

# ~ SHOE DRIVE ~

We have 70 students joining us for a pilgrimage to Indianapolis this year for the National Catholic Youth Conference in November. In an effort to decrease the cost of the trip, we are conducting a shoe drive through Funds2Org. This organization takes the shoes that we collect and ships them to entrepreneurs who they work with in developing nations. Those individuals get the shoes ready to sell and sell them at an affordable price to people in their country who cannot afford new, retail shoes. We benefit by raising funds for our NCYC trip. Our friends & neighbors benefit by getting rid of their new or gently used shoes. It benefits the environment by repurposing the shoes and keeping them out of the landfills. The entrepreneurs benefit by receiving merchandise they can sell to support their families in economically underdeveloped countries. The people who purchase the shoes benefit from having shoes available for purchase at a cost they can afford. It's a win-win-win!

*So, what kinds of shoes are accepted?* Any new or gently used shoes may be donated. Shoes may be a little dirty, but may not be torn or worn through on the top or soles. Please consider the dignity of those who will purchase the shoes – we don't want to pass on our garbage. Examples of acceptable shoes types: Sneakers, dress shoes, sandals, heels, flip flops, sports shoes including cleats, slippers, moccasins. Items <u>NOT accepted</u>: Ice skates, roller skates, roller blades, or heelies.

There will be a bin in the front office where you can put your worn or gently used shoes. We will be accepting shoes now through October 25. Please contact Abby Hensley at <u>ahensley@bishopbrossart.org</u> if you have any questions. Thank you for your support!



The Lady Stangs play the 1st round of districts on Monday, 10/2 at 5:30 pm at Campbell County Come out and show your support!

Finals are on 10/5 at 5:30 pm

# **DEVELOPMENT OFFICE NEWS**

# Christie Schroder, Director of Advancement

859.635.2108 Ext. 7704

#### FIRST FRIDAY MASS

All are welcome to come and celebrate morning Mass on Friday, October 6th at 6:45 a.m. in the St. Francis of Assisi Chapel at Bishop Brossart High School. Miss Shirley's donuts and coffee provided in the cafeteria after mass.

#### **OPEN HOUSE**

Bishop Brossart High School will host their annual Open House for 7th and 8th graders on Sunday, October 29th from 1:00-3:30 pm.

Click here to sign up for a tour!

#### EMERALD GALA

Come and enjoy the fun at the Emerald Gala, *Casino Nights in Vegas*, in the Seither Center at BBHS on Saturday, November 11th. From 7:00 pm to 12:00 pm, experience the excitement of Casino Games, Live and Silent Auctions, a Grand Raffle and More. Live music performed by Stranger and food from Bricks Catering. For more information, please contact gala@bishopbrossart.org or BBHSGala2023.GiveSmart.com.

#### WAYS TO SUPPORT THE GALA...

Attend this year's event Sell tickets for the \$5,000 Grand Raffle Provide a donation to the SILENT AUCTION or various raffle tables Obtain or provide a corporate sponsorship Participate in the online auction and raffles

#### **ART GALLERY**

The Bishop Brossart High School Art Gallery presents "St. Francis of Assisi", a display of St. Francis statues on loan from St. Mary/Bishop Brossart Alumni. Statues range in size from 3 inches to 4 feet tall and represent both indoor and outdoor statues. Show dates are Sundays only, Oct. 1-29, 2023, noon-4 or by appointment (859.630.2874). 4 Grove St., Alexandria, KY Handicap accessible.

#### MUSTANG MONTHLIES

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 2nd at the PTU meeting. Look for winners' names to be announced in future newsletters!

#### **BBHS SHADOW DAY/SCHOOL TOUR**

Any prospective students interested in a shadow day at BBHS or a tour of Bishop Brossart after school hours please contact, Christie Schroder, 635-2108, Ext. 7704.

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## Academic Team is Looking for Additional Players

It's not too late to join the academic team! In fact, we need more players, especially freshmen and sophomores. Sadly, we currently don't have enough 9th and 10th graders to fully participate in the JV Challenge, a Governor's Cup format competition in November for those two grades only. We understand students are very busy so we will work with other commitments/conflicts.

So, whether you've played before or not, we'd love to have you on the Academic Team! Please see Mr. Phirman (<u>rphirman@bishopbrossart.org</u>) for more information or if you have any questions.

### **Art Department Request**

The art department is running low on a couple items....

**Newspaper** - We always need newspaper. Right now our stack of newspaper is getting pretty low.

**Cardboard** - We do a lot of painting on corrugated cardboard. It needs to be clean, flat and smooth. The thicker the better. For the paintings that we do, the smallest it could be is 12" x 18". We often cut the sides out of boxes. If you get any type of large appliances, they often come in good thick cardboard boxes. The best cardboard we have ever found was a box that a lawnmower came in. Any kind of cardboard could be helpful.

Thank you!! All items can be dropped off in the school office.

## **Bishop Brossart Drama Club Proudly Presents:**

#### The Plot, Like Gravy, Thickens

#### By: Billy St. John

Ever want to commit murder? Walter, the playwright's alter ego in this madcap mystery, demonstrates just how to do someone in, in your imagination, of course. Who killed Edward Worthington III? Can you help the detective solve the mystery? In this full-length, fast-paced romp of twists and turns the audience participates by mingling with and questioning the suspects. Is anyone truly innocent? This in-the-round experience puts you on the stage with action so close you can reach out and touch it. This entertaining evening promises to be a great night out!

#### Saturday November 4th: 7:00pm Show Sunday November 5th: 2:00 pm Show

Tickets on sale at the door. \$7 for adults \$5 for seniors and students (children under 12 are free.)

# **THANK YOU** FROM BISHOP BROSSART BOYS BASKETBALL

THANKS TO ALL FOR SUPPORTING OUR 2023 EUCHRE TOURNAMENT AND HELPING IT BE A HUGE SUCCESS!



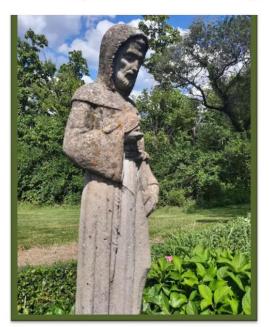


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#### **Bishop Brossart High School Art Gallery presents:**

# St. Francis of Assisi

A display of St. Francis statues on loan by St. Mary/ Bishop Brossart Alumni, shown in the Gallery and Courtyard



# **October 1-29, 2023**

# **Sundays Only** Noon – 4 pm Monday – Saturday by Appointment 859.630.2874

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Art Gallery (2<sup>nd</sup> Floor) 4 Grove St., Alexandria, KY 41001 Handicap Accessible

Show Sponsor: BBHS Class of 1964 Special Thanks to Pilot Lumber

# Scrips/Kroger Rewards

Don't forget to use our scrips 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 <u>website</u> or you can contact Pat Bremke at <u>pbremke55@gmail.com</u>.

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