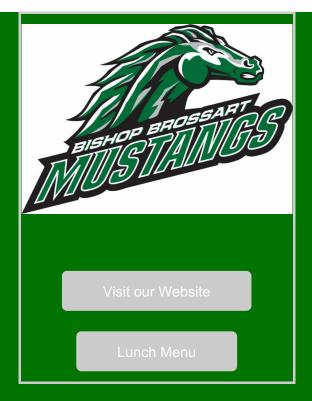


# Bishop Brossart High School May 2024





#### FROM THE PRINCIPAL

The Spring Season and Easter Season go together as we celebrate new life. I hope all are full of the life of Christ in your lives during this time of year. Please enjoy the last few weeks of the school year as the weather has turned and the days are longer. Praying that all of our students can finish the year on a strong note leading into the summer.

Another year is almost complete and we will be wishing our graduating Seniors well. The Class of 2024 has had a unique high school experience and they are stronger because of it. We want to wish them the very best and we know they are going to make us extremely proud.

The month of May is extremely busy and will go by quickly. We are looking forward to Prom on Friday, Senior Academic Signing Day on Tuesday which leads us to AP tests, Final Exams, Senior Mass & Awards, and Graduation to name a few. Just remember to enjoy the moments as they come along and continue to thank our Lord for all of his blessings.

God Bless

Chris Holtz

#### **COUNSELORS CORNER**

#### Seniors

Academic Signing Day – May 7, 2024 Seniors will be recognized for selecting their post-secondary choices during an assembly beginning at 1:00pm in the Munninghoff Family Performing Arts Center. Seniors are encouraged to wear their college/career/military attire that day. Parents are welcome to attend the ceremony.

Senior Mass/Dinner/Awards & Recognition Night – May 16, 2024 – Mass begins at 6:00pm at St. Mary Church with dinner immediately following in Hegenauer Hall. For seniors and their parents only.

Graduation – Sunday, May 19, 2024 at 2:00 pm in the Connor Convocation Center at Thomas More University

#### **Juniors**

Juniors should schedule college campus visits for the summer. Students who wish to visit a campus during the school day are permitted to do so twice during the semester. They should get a College Visit Request Form from the website or the school office.

### **Sophomores**

Mrs. Steffen will have a meeting for those interested in applying for the Governor's Scholars Program on Wednesday, May 8th after school. The meeting will take place in the Munninghoff Theater – an announcement will be made during school.

#### Sophomores and Freshman

Don't take the summer "off" from learning. Find a camp or service opportunity - it is a great way to meet new people and to discover what interests you.

#### **ACT PREP**:

Timothy Ward - See attachment for Free Test Prep Opportunity https://freetestpreponline.com

Torchprep ACT test prep classes - visit their website for more information – 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.

NKYTutoring - visit their website at nkytutoring.com Moving Minds - https://movingmindsprep.com/\

# Development Office News Christie Schroder, Director of Advancement 859.635.2108 Ext. 7704

#### **FIRST FRIDAY MASS**

Our last First Friday Mass for this school year will be held on Friday, May 3rd at 6:45 am in the St. Francis of Assisi Chapel. Donuts and Coffee will be served in the cafeteria afterwards. All are welcome!

#### **SCHOLARSHIPS**

Scholarships are finalized and winners will receive a letter via mail to notify them. Our Scholarship Awards Ceremony will be held Sunday, August 18th at 1:00 pm in the Munninghoff Theatre at BBHS.

Congratulations to all of our recipients!

#### **MUSTANG ALUMNI NIGHTS**

Softball Alumni Night- Wednesday, May 1st Varsity Game at 5:30 pm at the Alexandria Community Park. Alumni Recognition following the game.

Baseball Alumni Night – Thursday, May 2nd at 6:00 pm- St. Mary Ballfield. Alumni recognition before the game.

Track and Field Alumni Night- Tuesday, May 7th at the MAC. Alumni Recognition at 7:00 pm on the field.

#### BBHS MEN'S AND WOMEN'S GOLF OUTINGS 2024

We are excited to announce the dates for the 2024 BBHS Men's and Women's Golf Outings. The Women's outing will be on Thursday, June 20th (starting at 9:00 a.m.) and the Men's outing will be on Friday, June 21st (starting at either 8:00 a.m. or 1 p.m.). Both outings will be held at A.J. Jolly Golf Course.

Ways to register:

1) Online via GiveSmart – https://e.givesmart.com/events/Cs1/

Option #1 is the new preferred method of registration and payment

2) Call: Kristin Calme – 635-2108 ext. 1017 or email – kcalme@bishopbrossart.org for the Men's Golf Outing

Call: Sharon Geiger- 859-781-4337 Women's Golf Outing

#### **BBHS ART GALLERY**

The Art Gallery is proud to present the Senior Art Students Show on Sunday May 5th & 12th from 12-4 pm.

#### ANNUAL APPEAL

Year in and year out, our Annual Appeal funds provide an immeasurable benefit to the countless families that rely on financial assistance in order to send their children to Bishop Brossart. We take pride to carry on one of Bishop Brossart's most cherished traditions that no deserving student be denied the special BBHS educational experience due to financial need. We are currently at \$75,000 of our \$110,000 goal. Will you help us continue to THRIVE?

Annual Appeal donations can be sent directly to BBHS with attention to the Development Office or by visiting the Support BBHS section on our website. Thank you for your prayerful consideration.

Annual Appeal Giving Page



Keep up to date on all things BBHS on <u>Facebook</u> and <u>Instagram</u> @Bishop Brossart High School

You can also visit our website at www.bishopbrossart.org

#### **CONGRATULATIONS**

Congratulations to juniors Luke Bertsch, Ethan Haubner, and Kaitlyn Kramer on being accepted into the Governor's Scholars Program for this summer! Also, congratulations to junior Elly Clift for being accepted into the Governor's School for the Arts Program for this summer! Great work Mustangs!





#### ART DEPARTMENT REQUEST

We are always looking for large cardboard boxes. We use heavy, thick, clean cardboard to paint on. It can't have bends or folds. Boxes that TVs, lawn mowers, furniture, appliances come in work well. We will cut them.

Thank you!

# **BBHS Summer Camps**

Click below to view our current summer camp offerings.

**BBHS Summer Camps** 

# **BBHS Summer Drama Camp Counselors Needed!**

Are you involved in high school theatre and need volunteer hours? Then, look no further!

We are in need of camp counselors to work with kids in grades K-8 to put on the production of *The Lion King Kids* this summer!

#### Dates counselors are needed:

Camp - June 17-21 from 9am-4pm Auditions June 13, 3:30-5:30 and June 15, 10am-12pm Performance June 22 at 3pm.

If you are available and interested, please reach out to Drama Camp Director, Robbie

#### YEARBOOK SENIOR RECOGNITION ADS

We are, once again, offering senior recognition ads for the upcoming 2023-2024 edition of the yearbook. These recognition ads are a great way to show your appreciation for your graduating son or daughter. The online design portal for senior recognition ads is open until May 8th. You can access it here:

Senior Recognition Ad link

Ben Darby bdarby@bishopbrossart.org

#### **Summer Reading**

Over the summer, all Bishop Brossart students have summer reading from their English class. The expectation is for each student to read the novel prior to returning to school in August. Below are the novels selected by the English teachers.

#### Freshmen

Ripper by Stefan Petrucha.

This should be read before the first day of class. It is suggested to read it toward the end of summer, as we will be discussing it and having formal assessments upon return to school in August. Keep notes on the character development as well as chapter highlights. This may be collected for a grade.

#### **Sophomores**

The Secret Life of Bees by Sue Monk Kidd.

This should be read before the first day of class. It is suggested to read it toward the end of summer, as we will be discussing it and having formal assessments upon return to school in August. Keep notes on the character development and how the themes are further developed in each chapter. Keeping summary notes is a good idea to help with assessments when you return. This may be collected for a grade.

#### **Juniors**

AP Language and Composition: Educated by Tara Westover American Literature: Life of Pi by Yann Martel

#### Response Journal Assignment:

Keep response journals in which you record your thoughts on the following characteristics in the text as you read. Ideally, you will record an entry each time you read some of the text. The entries can be as short as a paragraph, but most will probably be about half a page (minimum 100 words). Each entry, even short ones, should have substance to it. Be sure that each entry includes a discussion of why this particular characteristic is significant enough to justify writing about as a journal entry. Label each entry (e.g. "Book Title #4"). In the end, you should have 10 entries. It is not recommended that you wait until you've finished reading to write all the entries. That will be loads of writing work. Rather, write an entry every time you come across something relevant. That way, by the time you're done reading the book, you'll be done with the entries, too.

#### Seniors

British Literature: The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time by Mark Haddon

Dual Credit: The Secret History by Donna Tartt

- --Read other books (not just this book) during the summer
- --Start reading my book about a week and a half to a week before school starts
- --Take notes if it helps your comprehension. Otherwise, read with the knowledge that you will have a test over the book within the first week of school

#### 24/25 TUITION/REGISTRATION

In-Diocese tuition rate for 2024-25 is \$8,640.

No registration fee or class level fee. All included in tuition.

Out of Diocese tuition rate for 2024-25 will be \$9,445. No registration fee or class level fee. All included in tuition.

#### 24/25 REGISTRATION - Due May 15th - NEW PROCESS!

Online registration for 24/25 is now open. We are moving to a 2-step process within Sycamore and FACTS. This will allow you to make updates to the information we have in Sycamore for your family and will allow you make changes to your payment plan in FACTS.

1st Step - Sycamore Enrollment – Please click the link below to enroll your child for next school year. You will need to know your family Sycamore login ID/password. If you do not know this information, please reach out to the office or Mrs. Lester (slester@bishopbrossart.org). There is no need to send a registration check into school, it has been rolled into the tuition amount.

#### Sycamore School

 2nd Step - FACTS - Select your payment plan for next year in FACTS by clicking the link below and selecting the green "Set up a Payment Plan" button.

#### FACTS payment plan

Registration is complete when steps 1 and 2 are submitted.

Online Registration is due May 15th.

#### **FINANCIAL AID FOR 2024-2025**

Bishop Brossart High School will be using FACTS, our tuition collection company, to administer the Financial Aid analysis again this year. The application process is now open and is only available online.

Deadline for the application is May 15th, 2024 for the 2024-25 school year.

If you have any questions please call the office and speak to Rob Braun, Business Manager

# **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 website or you can contact Pat Bremke at <a href="mailto:phremke55@gmail.com">phremke55@gmail.com</a>.

# Bishop Brossart High School Art Gallery presents:

# **Senior Art Students Show**

**Featuring:** Mia Cooney/Emma Ellison/Lily Henry/Kayla Hesse/Madelyn Kremer/ Avery Lachenman/Alex Lonneman/Morgan Lusby/Leah Malay/Quinn Neltner/Cate Reis/ Ava Ritter/Emma Sandfoss/Nicole Saner/Audrey Scharf/Avery Schaeffer/Madisyn Shaffer/ Nadia Shurley/Katelyn Steffen/Molly Twehues/Hailey Webb/Riley Weghorn













Sundays May 5 & 12, 2024 Noon – 4

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

EXHIBIT SPONSOR: Bishop Brossart High School Class of 1966

# BISHOP BROSSART HIGH SCHOOL presents

# SPRING CONCERT

Sunday May 12, 2024 at 2:00pm Munninghoff Family Performing Arts Center



Please join in a celebration of music from the past and present!

Performing works from artists such as:

The Beatles

Simon & Garfunkel

Muse

**The Stray Cats** 

**Billy Joel** 

The Strokes

**Bjorn Skifs and Blue Swede** 





Bring Completed Physical Forms Signed by a Parent or Guardian.



DATE: SATURDAY, MAY 18
TIME: 9AM - NOON

LOCATION: OrthoCincy - Edgewood 560 SOUTH LOOP RD, EDGEWOOD, KY

2024-25 School Year: GRADE 6 - HIGH SCHOOL All Student Athletes Welcome - Kentucky, Ohio & Indiana.

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