



THE BROOKVILLE BEEHIVE

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NEWS FROM THE HIVE!

News from Deputy Glass

Deputy Glass has submitted the following Spring Driving Tips:

Buckle Up Correctly...every time, on every trip – and insist that all passengers do likewise. Properly restrain children in appropriate safety seats in the back seat. Most crashes occur within 25 miles of home and the greatest numbers of deaths occur in crashes at speeds of less than 40 mph. For more information on proper restraint use, please refer to your Vehicle Owner's Manual, child restraint manual or go to www.preciouscargo.com.

Do Not Drive While Drowsy. On long trips, factor in ample time for breaks and, if possible, share driving responsibilities.

Make Sure Your Car is in Good Shape. Worn out tires and windshield wiper blades are symptoms of neglected vehicle maintenance that put drivers and passengers at serious risk during the typically rainy months of spring. Rainy weather also affects driver visibility. Because 90% of driving decisions depend on good vision, a clean windshield is imperative. Streaking and smearing impair vision and are caused by worn windshield blades. One out of every five vehicles usually has worn wiper blades.

Be Prepared. Keep emergency supplies in your car such as flares and hazard signs in case of a breakdown or flat. If your car overheats, let the engine cool and call for service; otherwise you risk damaging the vehicle. Make sure there is a jack in the car and that the spare is properly inflated. Pull completely off the road and avoid exiting the side of the vehicle facing traffic.

If you are in your car during a lightning storm, the vehicle's metal cage will conduct a charge into the ground and help protect you. Do not attempt to leave the vehicle and run for cover.

With the weather finally warming up, motorists share the road with bicyclists, motorcyclists and pedestrians. When changing lanes, keep in mind that motorcycles can be difficult to see. Anticipate that children will dart into the roadway without warning.

Lock your vehicle at all times. Park in well-lighted areas and be aware of your surroundings when you are getting in or out of your vehicle in a parking lot.

Pre-Arranged Absences

Requests for pre-arranged absences must be submitted in writing at least **two** (2) school days prior to the first day of the absence. A student's attendance record will be a primary consideration in determining whether a pre-arranged absence is excused or unexcused.

National Honor Society Induction

The National Honor Society will hold their induction ceremony, Thursday, April 10, beginning at 9 am.

Suicide Prevention

Efforts in Campbell County

Did you know that suicide is the third leading cause of death with teens between the ages of 15 and 19? Or that suicide has been declared a major public health issue by the World Health Organization, The National Institutes for Health and the U.S. Surgeon General?

In Campbell County, we are making an effort to address this trend through education. As the result of a partnership with the Crisis Line of Central Virginia and the Virginia Department of Health, all middle school and high school health teachers have undergone training to implement a suicide prevention curriculum titled, **SOS**.

The purpose of this curriculum is to arm students with knowledge about the signs of depression and suicide and to provide them with a plan of action if they do suspect that a friend is suicidal. Through discussion and video vignettes, students are taught to **A.C.T.** :

Acknowledge there may be a problem

Care by showing your concern

Telling a responsible adult

All students in 8th and 10th grade health classes will be exposed to this lesson as part of their health curriculum. Accompanying newsletters for parents and students with information on suicide and depression will be distributed at this time. In addition, if any student feels they need help or assistance with this issue, a confidential method for referral will be made available.

Our intent with the SOS curriculum is prevention, which is in line with the county commitment to helping our students develop healthy coping skills for life. If you have any questions about the curriculum, you may contact your child's school or Linda Grubba, the Supervisor for Guidance and Counseling @ 993-2257.

Prom News

The Prom will be held at the Kirkley Hotel on Saturday April 26, 2008!

Attention Parents: Prom is a really exciting event that all students should be able to attend! Unfortunately, it can also be very costly. Becca's Closet is a non-profit organization whose purpose is to give deserving students the opportunity to attend their high school prom by providing formal attire. They have a huge selection of dresses for girls in need and will arrange a time to bring them to our school for the girls to try. There is no cost and any deserving girl can have the dress she chooses. If you are interested, please send an email to Mrs. Ewers (lewers@campbell.k12.va.us) as soon as possible. Prom is right around the corner!

News from the Choral Department

Congratulations to Sarah Poindexter and Anna Dongweck for being selected to the 2008 All-Virginia Chorus!

Also congratulations to our Brookville High School choral students for their outstanding performances at the 2008 District Choral Festival on Friday, March 14. The Concert Choir received an Excellent rating and the Women's Chorale received a Superior rating.

From the Library

The library has been a busy place this past six weeks with students completing research projects for Mrs. Thurman, Mrs. Reid, Mr. Hogsed, Mrs. Tate, Mrs. C. Brown, and Mrs. Short. Topics of interest included the Holocaust, historical and contemporary authors, periods in history, and infectious diseases. In the process of honing their research skills, students have been busy using both book and internet resources to locate information for their papers. Kudos to teachers and students for their great use of the library!

Many thanks to Lynne Mays and Diane McNeil for bringing the architects' rendering of the "Proposed Brookville High School" to my attention. This rendering dates from the 1960's and shows in detail how the new building (this building) would look when completed. It is a true work of art and a very special addition to the library thanks to senior Kyle Cole who made a beautiful custom frame for it in Mr. Ferguson's shop class. It is now hanging in the library for all to enjoy. Please stop by the library to see it. I am sure you will admire it as much as I do.

The upcoming month of April will be a fun time in the library. We will be celebrating School Library Media Month and National Library Week. National Library Week is observed April 13-19, 2008, with the theme "Join the circle of knowledge at your library." The 50th anniversary of National Library Week will be a week for celebrating the contributions of libraries and to promote library use. Please come by sometime during this special month and join the circle of knowledge by checking out and reading a great book! We recently received a brand new order of about 100 books that will soon be ready for circulation thanks to Mrs. Gryder's hard work. Many of the titles were especially requested by some of our students.

The Book Club has undertaken a special springtime community service project with the Summit Retirement Community. Club members made small baskets of goodies to share with a dozen of the residents who have

few visitors. The baskets include socks, lotion, a book, and some goodies. Baskets will be delivered to the Summitt residents by club members on Wednesday, March 19, 2008.

Please remember that the library is always open before and after school and Mrs. Gryder and I are eager to see you and help you. You are always welcome. Keep in mind that Spring Break is a great time to relax and read a good book so come by soon and make your selections. Break is just around the corner.

Regional Science Fair

On March 15 students from all over the region competed in the Central Virginia Regional Science Fair. Eleven 9th grade Biology students, the 11th grade Governor's School students, and 1 team of Biology II students competed: Laura Glickman, Alyx Reinhardt, Nick Segard, Peter Sohn, Wil Parsons, Brandi St. John, Connor Hoffman, Tina Song, Stacey Houston, Justin Watts, Amber Compton, Sara Riddle, Chelsie Turner, Taylar Cannaday, Jake Roark, Julian Stilling, Ann Carroll, Kaytei Busse, Olivia Harris, and Kelsey Jones. All the students did very well on their projects earning them the right to compete at the regional level.

Sara Riddle won 2nd place in the Civil Engineering Award. Stacey Houston won the Sustainable Development Award and the National Biology Teacher Award. The Scientific American Award was given to Nick Segard, Peter Sohn, and Taylar Cannaday. Wil Parsons and Connor Hoffman won the Dental Award. Alyx Reinhardt placed 3rd in Animal Sciences. In the Chemistry category, Brandi St. John won Honorable Mention and Wil Parsons won 2nd place. Connor Hoffman placed 2nd in the Energy and Transportation category. Stacey Houston won 1st in the Environmental Sciences category. In Medicine and Health, Amber Compton placed 3rd. Taylar Cannaday was awarded Honorable Mention in the Physics and Astronomy category. Kaytei Busse, Olivia Harris, and Kelsey Jones were awarded Honorable Mention in the Team category.

Congratulations to all the students for participating!

To see all of the 9th graders' efforts on their science projects, all students, family, friends, faculty, and staff are invited to attend Science Night. Science Night will be held in the cafeteria the evening of the 5th 6 weeks parent-teacher conferences. Come out and see what these students have learned!

Cultures Combine at BHS

On Thursday, March 13, students who are enrolled in English as a Second Language (ESL) classes in Campbell County's public schools were treated to a dinner honoring them and their families. This is the third year that International Night has been sponsored by the ESL teachers who serve between 70 and 80 elementary, middle school, and high school students.

Parents were invited to bring their families and friends, as well as a dish from their native country to share with others. About 120 guests were in attendance at the Brookville High School cafeteria, which became a true "melting pot" of languages and cultures for the evening. The BHS Key Club supplied volunteers who served as guides and assisted with registration and serving. Translators for Spanish and Korean were on hand to help with any questions parents needed to ask.

Food was served buffet-style. Tables were laden with main dishes and yummy desserts from El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, China, Korea, and the US. All in attendance were happy to see native foods from their countries, including Chinese noodles, spring rolls, pupusas, tortillas, salsa, and chocolate creations.

A display of student work was set up as parents first entered the cafeteria, and a continuous-play slide presentation of ESL students at work and play was available for viewing all evening as well.

At the close of the evening, names were drawn for door prizes, and parents reluctantly headed

home with their children. Mrs. Joan Woodson, Supervisor of Federal Programs for Campbell County Schools, oversaw the festivities and enjoyed meeting the parents and students. "We plan well-ahead to make this bigger and better each year," she says. "The parents really enjoy getting together with other families who share their culture and language."

Basketball Camp

Brookville High School will hold Basketball Camp beginning June 23 through June 27, 2008. The camp times will be 9 am until 1 pm. Boys entering grades 1-10 in August of 2008 will be eligible. Girls entering grades 1-3 in August of 2008 will be eligible. The cost is \$85 per camper if paid in full by June 2, 2008. Cost will be \$95 if paid after June 2, 2008. A \$25 non-refundable deposit per camper must accompany the registration form (available in the main office or online at www.bhsbees.com). **To receive the \$10 discount, the \$60 balance must be received by June 4.** No deposit will be refunded after the registration form has been accepted.

To register, return the registration form and deposit or full payment to:

Brookville High School
Attention: Chris Young
100 Laxton Road
Lynchburg, VA 24502

**make checks payable to Chris Young. Campers may register on the first day of camp, with a parent or guardian, from 8:15 to 8:55 am.

2008 After Grad Party

Plans are really coming together for another great after grad party. The decorating committee will be working on decorations Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings from 7 pm to 9 pm. If you can help, please come up to the school at these times or contact Kym Foutz at kymfoutzavon@msn.com. The fundraising committee has sent out several sponsorship letters and is working extremely hard to raise

funds to support the many activities, prizes, games and food for this great party. Please consider making a donation to this spectacular event. The personal and business donations are what make this party happen.

The fundraising committee will also be manning the concession stand at all the home baseball games. We are asking parents to donate canned drinks (prefer Coke or Pepsi products) and bottled water to be sold at the concession stand. Any drinks left over will be used the night of graduation. Students can drop off the drinks at the office.

ATHLETIC BOOSTER NEWS

The BHS Athletic Boosters will be creating a Senior dedication section for the Class of 2009 in the fall sports program. If you or a relative would like to include your special senior, please send a picture of your child along with the wording of the dedication you would like to appear to the school or drop it in the Athletic Boosters' box in the main office. Please mark the envelope "Attention: Program Committee". Be sure your child's name is on the back of the picture and include a self-addressed stamped envelope for the return of your photo. The cost of the Dedication is \$25.00. This offer is only valid for the Class of 2009.

The 14th Annual Paul "Bear" Brewer Golf Classic will be held on May 3, 2008 at Ivy Hill Golf Club and will tee off at 9:00AM. A BBQ lunch (by Dickey's) and awards ceremony will immediately follow. The cost is \$280.00/team (\$70 per player) and includes golf, lunch, tournament prizes, door prizes and FUN! Registration forms are available by visiting
























































www.bhsbees.com. Sponsor opportunities are also available so come out and support the Bees.

As a reminder to all Booster Members, the next General membership meeting will be in May 2008. A specific date/place/time will be announced soon.

Congratulations to Larry Kidd as the new Athletic Director effective July 1, 2008. The Athletic Booster Club is looking forward to working with Coach Kidd and continuing the success of Brookville High School athletics. If you have any questions, please contact David Deacon at ddeacon@vacul.org or (434) 525-2773.

Name Plate Mark Options

If you are buying a package that includes a Mark, please select the Mark you would like on your Name Plate by checking the box to the right of the Mark. If you are buying a package that includes two Marks, check two boxes.

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NINTH GRADE HONOR ROLL AS OF 03/19/08

***INDICATES ALL A'S**

AdauGyamfi	Kwabena*
Allen	Suzanne*
Beahm	Andrea
Beede	Madison
Blanks	Kelsey*
Brown	Emily
Cannaday	Taylor*
Cannon	Seth*
Caswell	Joshua*
Cho	Ha Eun
Cho	Seokjin*
Christian	Nisha*
Coleman	Justin
Collins	Amber
Collins	Joseph
Compton	Amber
Conrad	Marcus*
Dawson	Jordan
Deacon	Kathryn
Deal	Nicholas*
Dingman	Melissa*
Dobyns	Hilary
Drewry	Rebecca*
Drumheller	Matthew
Duncan	Lauren
Durham	Leah*
Elliott	Janel
Epperson	Aaron
Fuller	Sarah
Gerringer	Megan*
Gillespie	Kimberly
Glickman	Laura*
Harris	Henry*
Hatcher	Jared
Hedrick	Travis
Herzog	Benjamin
Hoffman	Connor*
Holt	Robert
Hutchinson	David
Hyles	James*
Jackson	Uniquequa
Johnson	Hope
Lindsay	William
Madden	Joshua*
Martin	Katelyn
Maxwell	Jeffrey
McCarron	Cathleen
Metz	Amanda*
Mix	Katherine

Murtha	James*
Nunn	Katie
Otey	Bianca
Parrish	Ashley
Perminov	Maxim*
Pettyjohn	John K*
Pleasants	Jessica
Roark	Ray*
Segard	Nicholas
Simmons	Benjamin
Smith	Ashleigh
Smith	Kaitlyn
Sohn	Song jae*
St.John	Brandi*
Stevens	Linwood
Stewart	Elias
Sumner	Deborah*
Sung	Samuel*
Tardy	Timothy
Thompson	Olivia
Toth	Robert
Walton	Nicole
Watts	Justin*
Watts	Talisha
Whirley	Olivia
White	Felicia*
Yarber	Jonathan
Yates	Erin*
Yu	Tammy*

TENTH GRADE HONOR ROLL AS OF 03/19/08

*INDICATES ALL A'S

Abell	Kelsey
Anderson	Brittany
Anthony	Tanita
Arellano	Alejandro*
Arthur	Christine
Ashwell	Benjamin*
Britt	Andrew
Broadus	Barbara
Broady	Raven
Brooks	Blair
Brooks	Randy
Clowdis	Elliott
Coleman	Christopher
Collins	Nicholas
Dunn	Gloria
Dunton	Emily
Enloe	Tanner
Everett	Brandon*
Fernandez	Adriana
Harris	Jared
Hawkins	John
Hesson	Jessica
Ji	YeWon
Kelly	Harrison
Laughlin	Philip
Leebrick	Jennings
Lennon	Daniel*
Liming	Lauren
Long	Jordan
McCormick	Allison
McCormick	Erin
Meritt	Melinda
Mitchell	Anna
Mitchell	Shian
Moon	Maquale
Norman	Adam
Perkins	Teneshia
Price	Laken
Rader	Lauren
Reid	Allison*
Renfro	Kyle*
Richardson	Eve
Sharman	Lindsey
Shockley	Jason
Simms	Amber
Stanley	Erica
Stephenson	Laurel
Stokes	Tatjana
Thompson	Alec
Tyree	Zachary*
Van Liere	Rachel

Warrender
Watson
Wendt
Wilson
Yeaples
Yeatts
Ziehr

Jacob
Lisa*
Mary
Nicolette
Meagan
Brittany
Kirstin

**ELEVENTH GRADE HONOR ROLL
AS OF 03/19/08**

***INDICATES ALL A'S**

Adkins	Brittany
Ashwell	Matthew
Baldino	Briana
Barksdale	TeeAl
Bise	Amber
Blanks	Meghan*
Blanks	James
Bolling	Mary
Brame	Jason
Buck	Amber
Campbell	Loriel
Cannon	April
Carroll	Ann
Carwile	Justin
Comparetta	Vincent
Cox	Ashley
Cox	Caleb
Creasey	Jessica
Deacon	Brittany
DeFilippo	Nicole
Dooley	James
Evans	Robert
Gibson	Lauren*
Goh	Christopher
Hawkins	Amanda
Houston	Stacey
Hunt	Melissa
Hyman	Katelyn
Johnson	Jason*
Jones	Zachariah
Lloyd	Thomas
Mann	Amelia
Marshall	Travis
Marshall	Dominique
Matherly	Taylor
Mattox	Christopher
Montalbano	Danielle
Moorman	Kayla
Murphy	Amanda
Musgrove	Morgan
Ochoa	Jesus*
Owen	Jamie
Parker	Breana
Parker	Shelley
Patel	Ankit
Payne	Daniel
Peters	Joshua
Prosper	Joshua
Radar	Kara
Reeves	Janel
Regan	Kevin

Reinhardt	Alyxandra*
Riddle	Sara
Rosser	Amber
Sahadak	Jerica*
Schamerhorn	Ashley
Scoles	Aaron
Scruggs	Trevor
Shuler	Nathan*
Smith	Genelle
Smith	Kimberly
Sung	Ting-yuan
Thomas	Logan
Thompson	Steven
Tinsley	Denee*
Tordoff	Dylan
Torres	Ashley
Truxell	Sarah
Turner	Chelsie
Villasana	Jose
Wendt	Barbara
Wheeler	Kara
Williams	Alissa
Wilson	Emily
Witt	Cody
Wright	Brittany

TWELTH GRADE HONOR ROLL AS OF 03/19/08

*INDICATES ALL A'S

Alfers	Bradley
Avery	Caitlin
Barmore	Brittany
Bates	Elizabeth
Blankinship	Celeste
Boehner	Emily
Booth	Savannah
Borovsky	Liesel*
Brooks	Travis
Brooks	Michelle
Burnett	Lauren
Campbell	Brittany*
Coleman	John
Coles	Thomas
Conrad	Collin
Crews	Jonathon
Cruz	Caylyn
Deacon	John
DeWitt-Rickards	Lauren
Dill	Jessica
Erby	Christian
Exum	Melody
Finamore	Kristina
Garbee	Hailey
Gregory	Desiree
Grubbs	Devin
Habermas	Courtney
Harris	Samuel
Harvey	Courtney
Hedrick	Bryan
Hicks	Ashlee
Hickson	Kaitlyn
Hildreth	Mark
Hill	Mark
Hobbs	Jessica
Jackson	Jenna
James	Ashley
Jones	Samantha
Jones	Summer
King	Brittany
Kosac	Pavol
Lewis	Candace
Light	John
Maddox	Lauren
Matthews	Amy*
Metzler	David
Morse	Ian
Moser	Jacob
Nguyen	My
Owen	Justin
Pettyjohn	Anna

Query	Michelle
Ragland	Patrick
Reedy	Taylor
Ribaric	Rachel
Richards	Catherine
Riddle	Jason
Rose	Jennifer
Samuel	Hakhiem
Shockley	Hillarie
Simpson	Johnathan*
Spear	Josie*
Stanley	Nicole
Staples	Lauren
Stilling	Julian
Sullivan	Lindsey*
tenPas	Erika
Tharrington	Joyous*
Thomas	Robert
Thurman	Kelcey
Toler	Corey
Tolle	Kristofer
Tordoff	Stephanie
Turner	Nathan
Usgaonkar	Pooja
VanNoordt	Ryan
Waddell	Elisabeth
Wilder	Drew
Williams	Sabrina
Wilson	Jacob
Wolff	Nathan
Yuille	Chantalle