

BYRON NELSON ANNOUNCEMENTS

Tuesday, January 15, 2019

BNHS CHOIR MEMBERS EARN ALL-STATE HONORS

This past Saturday, members of the BNHS choir department competed in the last round of the TMEA All-State Choir competition. Four BNHS students were selected to all-state ensembles. Earning a spot in an all-state ensemble is the highest honor a high school musician can earn in Texas. We congratulate:

Melanie McBride, 2nd chair Soprano 2 All-State Treble Choir

Jacky Seal, 3rd chair Bass 2, All-State Tenor Bass Choir

Rebekah Wells, 3rd chair Alto 2 All-State Treble Choir

Whitney Stonecipher, 4th chair Soprano 1 All-State Treble Choir

These students will perform at the Texas Music Educators Association Convention in San Antonio on Saturday, 2/16. Congratulations Melanie, Jacky, Rebekah, & Whitney!

FIRST SEMESTER AP GOVERNMENT STUDENTS RETURN TEXTBOOKS TO AC324

If you took AP Government last semester and have not returned your textbook, please stop by AC324 & return that textbook to Elaine Van Houten. We don't have extra for the students wanting to check them out 2nd semester. Thank you!

AP EXAM REGISTRATION

College Board Advanced Placement exam registration is open. **Total student cost per exam is \$68 if the student is registered/paid for each exam by 1/31/18.** Prices rise to \$78/exam beginning 2/1/18. Please see the BNHS website. Click on Our School, then Academics, and then Advanced Placement to access the PowerPoint and parent letter for information on how to register and pay for these exams, including deadlines and costs. The link to the AP registration/payment site (Total Registration) can be found in both the PowerPoint and the parent letter.

VOTER REGISTRATION INFORMATION

The next Election day is May 4, 2019. Students & employees, provided you have already turned 18 or will have your 18th birthday by May 4, 2019, you have the opportunity to register to vote and cast your ballot in the May 4, 2019 election. Voter registration forms are available in the BNHS front office. Students and staff who complete the registration form in pen & seal it, may drop it in a U.S. mailbox or give it to Mrs. Huizenga in the BNHS front office and she will mail it for you. Don't miss out, complete the voter registration form & mail it today. The last day to register to vote for the May election is Thursday, April 4th. It's your right to vote in local, state, and national elections! If you have any questions, see Mrs. Huizenga in the BNHS front office.

TIE-DYE T-SHIRTS DESIGNED BY NATIONAL ART HONOR SOCIETY

Hey Bobcats! National Art Honor Society will be selling tie-dye T-shirts that they made for \$10/shirt. To purchase a shirt, please bring \$10 (cash or check written to BNHS) to Mrs. Wilbur in the BNHS Library. Once you have paid, Mrs. Wilbur will give you a receipt for the shirt(s). Please bring that receipt to Mrs. Bungler in AR103 to exchange for the tie-dye T-shirt(s)! Shirts are available now through February or until sold out!

GForce RETURNS TO BNHS THIS THURSDAY 11-1 PM

Students, if you have questions or need assistance with college applications, scholarships, trade school opportunities, or researching post-high school educational or training options see Mrs. Harrell in the BNHS Counseling Office. She'll schedule you an appointment with GForce members who are trained to help you.

BASEBALL TRYOUT MEETING 8 AM NEXT WEDNESDAY

If you are interested in trying out for Baseball this year, there will be a tryout meeting at 8 AM next Wednesday morning, 1/23, in Coach Killian's classroom ATH151. Please see Coach Killian or Coach Trotter if you have any questions.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FOR CURRENT 11TH GRADE STUDENTS

The Coolidge; A Full-Ride Presidential Scholarship, covers tuition, room, board, & expenses for 4 years of undergraduate study at ANY accredited American university. Applicants must be current high school juniors (Class of 2020). Access the scholarship application at: www.coolidgescholars.org. Applications must be completed online & submitted by 4 PM on 1/23/19. If you have questions contact Rob Hammer at the Coolidge Foundation by email at: coolidgescholars@coolidgefoundation.org or by phone (802)672-3389 ext. 114. The top 100 applicants are invited to participate in the Coolidge Senators Program which includes an all-expenses-paid Summit Weekend in Washington, D.C. & a one-time \$1,000 scholarship. Applicants who move forward to the finalist level each receive a one-time finalist scholarship award of \$5,000 (if they are not selected as one of the full 4-year scholarship award recipients).

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE – SENIORS GRADUATING IN 2019

Seniors: Information about these scholarship applications has been provided to BNHS & is available in the BNHS Counseling Office Go Center:

- 1) **Texas Student Housing 2019-2020 Scholarship** application (If you are attending a college in Austin, College Station, or Denton, TX.) Application deadline 01/31/19.
- 2) **EECU Scholarship** for graduating seniors whose parent/legal guardian is a member of the credit union may apply. Access the application: www.eecu.org/EECU/media/pdfs/2018-scholarship-application.pdf Applications are due 1/31/19.
- 3) **Trophy Club Women's Club 2019 Scholarship** is available in the BNHS Counseling Office. Applicants must be a BNHS senior who is a current Trophy Club resident & meet other criteria stated on the application under eligibility. The application deadline is 2/28/19.
- 4) **2019 Barbara West Memorial Scholarship Application (through Trophy Club Women's Club)** is available in the BNHS Counseling Office. This scholarship is awarded to graduating seniors in culinary, horticulture, or the hospitality program who continue these studies at an accredited institution of higher learning. Application deadline is 2/28/19.
- 5) **The Northwest ISD Council of PTAs Scholarship** application is now available in the BNHS Counseling Office & on the BNHS website under Counseling, Seniors, Class of 2019 Scholarship Opportunities. Completed applications are due in the BNHS Counseling office by 12 PM, 3/1/19.
- 6) **Metroport Rotary Club Scholarship** is available in the BNHS Counseling Office. This scholarship application is open to 2019 graduating seniors who demonstrate academic achievement, financial need, & involvement in extra-curricular activities/community service/other activities. The application deadline is 3/1/19.
- 7) **Fort Worth Scottish Rite Foundation Scholarships** application available in the BNHS Counseling Office or at fwsroffice@fortworthscottishrite.org>foundation>scholarships. Application packets must be mailed/postmarked by 3/1/19 or delivered to the Fort Worth Scottish Rite office by 3/1/19.
- 8) **Tri-County Electric Cooperative, Inc Scholarships** (8) \$4,000 scholarships & (8) \$2,000 scholarships. Pick up the application in the BNHS Counseling Office if your family is a member of Tri-County EC. Applications due 3/1/19.
- 9) **Byron Nelson High School PTSA – Senior Scholarship** applications available in the BNHS Counseling Office. Applicants must be a member of the BNHS PTSA by noon 2/28/19; join at

www.bnhspta.org (annual dues are \$10). Applications are due by 4 PM in the BNHS Counseling Office by 3/25/19.

- 10) **Lakeview Elementary PTA Scholarship** application is available in the BNHS Counseling Office. This scholarship is a \$500 award for a BNHS Class of 2019 student who attended Lakeview Elementary School in Trophy Club. This scholarship application is available in print form only. Due 3/25/19.
- 11) **Gerald Kendrick Memorial Scholarship** application is available in the BNHS Counseling Office. Two \$1,500 scholarships will be awarded. Completed scholarship applications are to be emailed to scholarship@CollinCountyTAAO.org or mailed to the Pounders Law Firm in Dallas prior to 3/15/19.
- 12) **Abbott and Fenner Scholarship** application available online at <http://www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.htm>. There is an information sheet available in the BNHS Counseling Office. The deadline is 6/14/19.
- 13) **BigSun Scholarship** application & information is available at <http://www.bigsunathletics.com>. The successful applicant will be a high school senior who has participated in athletics as a player, coach, or official. This application deadline is 6/19/19. The award is \$500/scholarship.

SENIORS TURN IN YOUR COLLEGE/MILITARY DOCUMENTATION

As you receive college acceptance letters & military enlistment papers please bring a copy to Mrs. Huizenga in the BNHS Front Office. Please submit your **scholarship offers** by bringing scholarship letters, emails, and documentation (from your student college portal) to Mrs. Huizenga in the front office. She will make a copy of each scholarship offer you receive from each university or merit-based award. We want to honor YOU on the Scholarship Wall outside the Counseling Office and in print in the BNHS Royal Awards program.

SENIORS ORDER YOUR CAP, GOWN, TASSEL, & STOLE

- Cap, gown, tassel, and stole are the four pieces required for the graduation ceremony.
 - Please order your cap and gown TODAY.
 - **Orders can be placed at www.Jostens.com or by calling 1-800-Jostens.**
 - Orders will be delivered to students during all lunches on Tuesday, 3/5/19.
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NO FOOD DELIVERIES FROM RESTAURANTS OR SERVICES FOR STUDENTS

Please remember we do not accept deliveries for students from any restaurant or convenience delivery service. Only items that are brought in by parents and guardians are allowed to be dropped off for BNHS students. Also, students may not order items under a teacher's name for delivery to BNHS. This is our campus policy.

DRESS CODE GUIDELINES

Students, please wear your BNHS IDs at all times when you are on campus. Please, do not bring blankets to school. It is against school practice; we consider blankets a health hazard. When choosing clothing to wear to school please keep the weather in mind, dress in layers if needed, and follow the NISD Dress Code Guidelines in the Student Code of Conduct on the NISD website.

RETURN TEXTBOOKS / FINES ASSESSED

Students: See Mrs. Van Houten in AC 324 to turn in textbooks from prior school years. Fines for these books have been placed on the student's NISD account. Please turn in these overdue textbooks.
