BCHS Board Report

May 2023

* Spring Semester Focus:

1. Academics- building a system for intervention, curriculum/ assessment work
2. Attendance- decreasing tardies, increasing family communication & assistance
3. Engagement- organizing more opportunities, establishing procedures

* Academics:
* The BCHS Drama Department presented “The Lightning Thief” April 27th, 28th, and 30th. The house was packed all three performances and the acting and singing were outstanding. Teachers Amanda Barnhill and Jessie Jones directed the students.
* Senior Signing Day 2023 was held Monday, May 1st in Singleton Gymnasium. Our BCHS seniors signed letters of intent and announced their plans for college, the workforce, and the military.
* Our students who participated in Purpose in Action presented their work cell at EKU on April 26th. They left with a very close second place finish but the experience and opportunity was invaluable. We hope to continue this work into next school year.
* On Friday, April 21st all BCHS students participated in a Reality Store, sponsored by Gear Up Opportunity, Full Service, School Climate, and community partners. This was a financial literacy activity which allowed students to learn more about career planning and money management. Each student chose a profession, paid bills, and made important budgeting decisions.
* Senior Peyton Jones and Family Consumer Science teacher Ms. Winburn represented BCHS live on air at Fox 56 News. They spoke about our career pathways and Peyton’s upcoming trip to Nationals this summer in Denver.
* Our entire BCHS community participated in Inclusion Week the week of April 24th- 28th. This event was sponsored by JAG and the Differently Abled Club. The week ended with an Autism Walk on Friday afternoon.
* Athletics:
* Softball Senior night, 5/3
* Senior Billy Strife baseball signing with Georgetown College, 5/5
* Baseball Senior Night, 5/9
* Our BCHS Unified Track and Field Team competed in the Area 8 Regional Track Meet at the end of April. The team is comprised of elementary, middle, and high school students. Several students placed in individual events.
* Senior Yamil Cruz signed a letter of intent to play football at Defiance College on April 14th. Friends and family, as well as local press, joined us to celebrate this accomplishment.
* If you wish to receive weekly athletic updates please email Jerry Bingham @ jerry.bingham@berea.kyschools.us; he sends a weekly email with all events.
* Upcoming Events:
* 5/1, Senior Signing Day, Singleton Gym
* 5/3-5, AP Testing
* 5/8-11, AP Testing
* 5/9, Band & Choir Concert
* 5/9-12, KY State Assessment
* 5/12-13, Senior Trip
* 5/15, District Tournament for baseball & softball @ Madison Central
* 5/15, Board Meeting
* 5/19, Intramurals
* 5/22, Field Day
* 5/22, SBDM
* 5/23, Senior Awards, 9:00 am, Kennedy Theater
* 5/24, FR/ SOPH/ JR Awards
* 5/25, Senior Salute & Senior Run
* 5/26, Senior Walk & Senior Breakfast
* 5/26, Graduation & Project Graduation