

What's Happening at The Hive

Bartow High School

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Yellow Jacket News & Announcements

The FINAL discounted yearbook price of \$70 has been extended until 2/17/17!! See Mrs. Webster in room 05.005 or order today at www.jostens.com!

The BHS Parent-Teacher-Student Association (PTSA) is hosting a Casino Night fundraiser on February 10, 2017 at the Bartow Civic Center. Tickets can be purchased at <http://ua.polk-fl.net>, or email bhspts16@gmail.com for more information!

Grade Recovery for the 2nd 9 weeks is underway on Wednesdays in room 05-003.

BHS has partnered with the American Cancer Society to host Relay for Life on April 28, 2017. We will host a community meeting on 2/16 at 6 pm for those who are interested in registering a team. Contact kerry.brown1@polk-fl.net for more information!

Our annual Pasta for Pennies collection starts in February, and we want to beat last year's total of \$2,400! Save your spare change to compete with your 5th period for a chance to win an Olive Garden pasta party!

BHS will be hosting a Spring Fling dance on Friday, March 10 at the gym from 8-11 pm. All proceeds go to our Relay for Life team! It's sure to be a fun night! Tickets on sale soon!

The Summerlin Academy Rifle team won the 2016-2017 Polk County Rifle Championship, and finished 6th in the nation at the US Army Air Rifle National Championship at Ft. Benning, GA. Awesome job!

The Summerlin Academy Raiders male varsity team, led by Senior Harley MacDonald, placed overall 6th at State Raider Competition, and the female varsity team, led by sophomore Fabian Vieira, placed 9th overall at State.

Testing

Next SAT test day: March 11, 2017.
Registration deadline is 2/10/17.
Register at www.sat.collegeboard.com

Next ACT test day: April 8, 2017.
Registration deadline is 3/3/17.
Register at www.actstudent.org

BHS will offer the ACT during the school day on February 28 for all seniors needing the reading requirement for graduation. Contact Mrs. Black in guidance for more information (kaley.black@polk-fl.net).

Academies and Clubs

Check out our band website at yellowjacketsband.com

The Criminal Justice Club meets the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month from 2:15-3:00 in Mr. Craven's room (02-010). Come learn more about Criminal Justice related jobs and duties associated with the profession!



Tutoring Schedule

FSA Math--Mondays & Thursdays 2:15-3:15

ACT Tutoring--Tuesdays and Thursdays 2:15-3:15

Grade Recovery--Mondays and Wednesdays, 2:10-4:00, Room 05-003

ESOL tutoring--Mondays 2:10-2:40, Room 14-038

Scholarships & College Info

TOP 5 SCHOLARSHIP SEARCH SITES:

1. Zinch.com
2. Fastweb.com
3. ScholarshipPoints.com
4. Cappex.com
5. Scholarships.com

NEW!

Brooks Law Group Scholarship--<https://www.brookslawgroup.com/community-involvement/community-outreach/>
Deadline is 4/10/17

Polk Retired Educators Scholarship--See website or visit guidance for application. **Deadline 3/17/17.**

The Abbott and Fenner Scholarship Program is continuing its program for the 10th year! Go to <http://www.abottandfenner.com/scholarships.htm> for full details and application procedures. **Deadline is 6/12/17.**

The Hispanic Club of Lakeland is offering several scholarships to seniors in Polk County! Applications in guidance. Deadline March 1, 2017.

Spectrum Sports Scholarship--www.myspectrumsports.com, click on "Scholarship" link

BHS Engineering Academy Scholarship
<https://www.fleng.org/scholarships.cfm>

2017 GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program
ge-reagan@scholarshipamerica.org

Florida PTA Scholarhsip floridapta.org

Lakeland Choral Society and Tuesday Music Club Scholarships Available--Applications in Guidance

Seniors should be checking their Fastweb account for scholarship links. Complete your applications and pay attention to the deadlines!

The Sports Section

Boys Basketball district tournament begins on Tuesday, February 7 at home. Game time is 7 pm.

There will be a **home track meet** on February 9 at 5 p.m. Students are \$2 with ID, adults are \$4.

The annual **JJ Corbett track meet** will be held on Saturday, 4/1/17 at 9 am.

On February 1, **NATIONAL SIGNING DAY**, Bartow High School celebrated **FIFTEEN** athletes who signed commitments to attend college! These athletes signed their letters of intent:

LJ Cummings, Football, UCF
Timothy Jordan, Football, University of Tennessee
Jeremy Henderson, Football, Merced College
Jonté Frederick, Football, Merced College
Chris Jones, Football, FL Institute of Technology
Ka'Mel Smith, Football, Alabama State University
Tori Osborne, Volleyball, Webber
Brady Godwin, Golf, Palm Beach Atlantic
Nicky Gibbs, Baseball, Florida Southern College
Kensie Green, Florida Southern College
Olivia Pope, College of Central Florida
Brooke Olinger, Warner
Destiny Breden, Polk State College
Jalen Miller, Track & Field, Webber
George Valentine, Track & Field, St. Vincent College



Senior Information

Cap and gown can still be ordered online at www.herffjonestampabay.com. The ordering deadline is 3/31/17! Don't wait, get yours now!

Prom will be held at Sea World Orlando on 4/1/17 from 8:00 p.m. to 12:00 a.m. Tickets are on sale during all lunches starting 2/21.

Grad Bash at Universal Studios is on Saturday, April 29. Busses leave Summerlin Academy at 3:00 p.m.

Senior shirts will be on sale this week during all four lunches. Shirts are \$10 or \$12 for extended sizes. Get yours today!

