BENTON HIGH SCHOOL Thursday, August 31, 2023

STUDENTS

REGULAR SCHEDULE

Do you want a chance to win \$50 CASH? Friday, September 1st is the BHS Blood Drive. The Student Council is recruiting students to participate this year. The Student Council member with the most recruits that donate blood on Friday, September 1st will win a \$50 gift card. Plus, they will draw a name from their recruitment list to also win \$50!

Every donor will receive a spooky t-shirt and one free ticket to the Little Rock Zoo. To donate blood you must:

- 1. Be at least 16 years old.
- 2. Weigh at least 125 pounds.
- 3. Sign up in the office by Thursday, August 31.
- 4. Bring a photo ID with you to donate.

Students giving blood need to make sure to eat a well-balanced breakfast and drink plenty of fluids. If you have any questions, ask your student council representative at lunch!

The BHS Drama Department will be having auditions for its Fall production of "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow" on September 5th and 6th after school in Room 228. These auditions are open to all students at Benton High School. You only need to attend one day of auditions. For more information or to pick up audition materials, please see Mr. Chambers in Room 228.

SENIORS

If you have not had your Senior Portraits taken for the yearbook, the final make-up day will be Wednesday, September 20. Please come by Mrs. McClain's room (220) to sign up for your senior picture by Friday, September 8!

COUNSELORS CORNER

Future college students! To ensure you have your transcript, please make use of the current student transcript request form:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1Xq6PVFRg-Xu0W31hWzvnTpuSZTyl_yRACH31tGBpves/viewform?e dit_requested=true.



We will send your transcript, test scores, and immunization records. Kindly follow these steps:

- Fill out the online college application
- Request your transcript
- Exercise patience, as it may take 2-4 weeks for colleges to process your application.

Congressman French Hill and Senators John Boozman and Tom Cotton invite you to attend Central Arkansas's 2023 Congressional Service Academy Information Session.

Who: Our Service Academies and ROTC Programs are looking for talented young people with an interest in serving their country while earning a college education. You are invited to attend an information session to learn more about your Service Academies.

What: An information session for students, parents and school officials about the free educational opportunities offered by our Service Academies and the ROTC college scholarship program:

- US Military Academy: West Point, NY
- US Naval Academy: Annapolis, MD
- US Air Force Academy: Colorado Springs, CO
- US Coast Guard Academy: New London, CT
- US Merchant Marine Academy: Kings Point, NY
- ROTC Scholarships at most major national universities

When: Wednesday, September 13, 2023; 6:00-8:00 pm

Where: Academics Plus Charter School Cafeteria - 9701 White Oak Crossing Maumelle (NLR) 72113

Questions: LTC Joe Volpe at (501) 454-9034 or by email at joe.j.volpe@gmail.com

CLUB NEWS

Dungeons and Dragons Club, officially known as D&D BHS, is going to have its first official informational meeting on Monday, September 11th from 3:10-3:45 pm in Mrs. Bass' room (216). No matter how experienced you are at D&D, you are welcome. Whether you have played for years or just want to learn a little about the

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game, we are here for you. Come and see what we are all about. Email Ms. Bass at ebass@bentonschools.org for more information.

Attention students – are you interested in joining the Future Business Leaders of America? Next Wednesday, September 6th, will be our first meeting in Mrs. Bauer's room (223) at 7:30 am. All are welcome!

SPORTS

GOLF:

August 31: Bryant Tourney (Girls) @Longhills @9:00 a.m.

TENNIS:

August 31: @Pine Bluff CC

VOLLEYBALL:

August 31: vs El Dorado (JV/V) @5:00 p.m.

September 2: @Ft. Smith (JV/V)

