

## Newsletter

September 2019

## **COLLEGE LIFE**

College Academy at Broward College is where a high school goes to college.

Going to college is very different then going to high school. Here are a few differences:

#### FULL TIME COLLEGE DOESN'T MEAN

CLASSES EVERYDAY---- Indeed, our students are full time Broward College students. As such, students are not required to be on campus unless they have a scheduled class or related purpose.

#### APPROPRIATE USE OF CAMPUS TIME--

Students are encouraged to use any independent time on campus (such as time between classes or a period when they do not have a class) by appropriately engaging as college students in academic research in the college library, engaging in tutoring in the Academic Resource Center, meeting with professors during office hours and/or involvement with student life activities.

FRIDAY LIMITED CLASSES—Broward College has initiated a "recess day" with limited classes being offered on Fridays. Students who rely on SBBC transportation to and from campus on Fridays may have extended times without scheduled classes. It is very important that students report to supervised areas of the campus such as the college library for academic purposes and/or student life for socialization and student activities. Many students use this time for a mixture of purposes: club meetings, working out in the gym, or study groups.

# **Counseling Corner**



PSAT: 10/19/19

Register now https://www.estore.bro wardschools.com \$18

PSAT is great prep for the SAT and provides a link to Khan Academy for practice in the areas that you need.

PSAT: qualifying test for the National Merit Scholarship Program.



**SENIOR** APPOINTMENTS – Currently the guidance department is conducting

NO ONE EATS ALONE: September 27<sup>th</sup>

Each year faculty and students join together for a festive lunch time discussion. It is a chance to get to know your faculty members. A list of locations will be circulated prior to the lunch event.

## **National Honor Society**

Mrs. Brown our NHS North Advisor welcomes new members and is ready to start the membership drive. The drive starts in September, with a deadline of September 27<sup>th</sup>. Membership certificates and membership cards for those that are current members will be accepted. For more information visit Mrs. Brown in Bldg. 47 (CA North Office).

The College Academy at Broward College Central Campus National Honor Society strives this month to encourage all students to want to become a part of this 2019-2020 Chapter. We are focusing on the four pillars of NHS: scholarship, leadership, service, and character. To accomplish each of these pillars, we have been getting involved as a chapter in many volunteering and service opportunities to give back to our community. The current events and drives we are participating in is the Hurricane Dorian Relief Effort, Back to School Supply Drive, Park and Garden Clean Ups with Hands-On Broward, and creating Postcards for Refugees.

Watch out for our new North Co-Presidents- Allen Yang and Gabriella Molina! They've been working very hard over the summer with their team to make the NHS experience memorable and exciting!

## **Congratulations!**

We are very pleased to announce the winners for Teacher of the Year and School Related Employee of the Year. This program honors outstanding classroom teachers who inspire students to excel and recognizes outstanding noninstructional support personnel for their significant contributions to our schools. The award honors individuals who have demonstrated exceptional skill and dedication in the performance of their jobs thereby earning respect and admiration.

## 2019-2020 Teacher of the Year... Jason Aiken





2019-2020 Staff Related Employee of the Year... Chalin De Los Santos





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## **IMPORTANT DATES**

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Septer	nber	
	3	Labor Day – No School
	5 & 6	
	6	NHS Meeting – 12pm (Both campuses)
	6	Staying Safe on Campus (North)
	10	SAC/SAF/PTSA Meetings (Central)
	13	Yearbook Meeting
		11am-12pm (Central)
	18	Campus Safety Day
		10:30am – 1pm (Central, Bldg. 19)
	19	Financial Aid Workshop
		6:30pm – 8:30pm (North)
	20	Yearbook Meeting
		11pm – 12pm (North)
	20	College App/SARR Workshop
		12:30 – 3:30pm (Central)
	23	BRACE Ambassadors Meeting
		12pm – 1pm (Central, Bldg 9 Rm 105)
	25	Campus Safety Day
		10:30am – 1pm (North)
	26	Financial Aid Workshop
		6:30pm – 8:30pm (Central)
	27	NHS Application Deadline
	30	No bus transportation/lunches

# **Senior Spotlight**

### Cap & Gowns - ORDER ONLINE NOW

Herff Jones will be in the CA office November 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> between 11:00 – 1:00 to take orders for cap & rental gowns, and graduation announcements. Cap & gown rental is \$50. Prices will increase, as we get closer to graduation. A cap & gown must be ordered before seniors can purchase a Grad Bash or Prom ticket. Central campus location - Bldg 2, North campus -Bldg 47.

#### Senior Portraits -

Please schedule an appointment with Foxmar ASAP. Call 954-653-1700 or go online to foxmar.com/sessions to make your appointment.

# National Merit Semifinalists at College Academy!

- Nathaniel Foo (Central)
- Mason Tutko (Central)
- Anthony Infantino (North)
- Maria Villegas Botero (Central)

In accordance with Florida Statute 1012.34, parents have the right to provide input into the performance evaluations of instructional and/or administrative employees. Each year parents are provided an opportunity via the School District's Customer Survey.

## BRACE... Class of 2020, welcome back!

Class of 2021, welcome! This year will be a great year for CA so let's get connected! Please read all newsletters and visit the BRACE and the CA websites weekly. You can also set up an appointment online and come visit Ms. Davis on North campus and Mrs. Engestrom on Central campus. BRACE Ambassadors are back again! Be part of this group of students who know everything about college.