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Week of February 26 – March 1, 2024

GENERAL

- Congratulations to the BHS wrestlers! The boys wrestling team won our traditional tournament last week. Qualifying 13 out of 14 boys for this week's upcoming regional tournament. Champs: CJ L. & Jed B., followed by, Runner ups: Laine S., Aiden St.C., Finn B., Gabe R. & Gabe B, next in line, 3rd place: Hugh D., Braedon McG. & Will B., and finally, 4th place: Stefan B., Gabe M & Derryl G.
- February is African American History Month. We have a variety of activities that we are conducting during the month to celebrate African American History.
 - Daily Fact of the Day on WCAT - led by Pre-Collegiate
 - Daily Trivia Question on WCAT - led by Dean Jenkins
 - African American History Display in Media Center and Hallways - led by the Black Student Union (BSU), STUCO and Media Specialist
 - Fashion Show on February 29th during each lunch - led by BSU
- Dress Up Week for Black History Month: February 26th-29th
 - Monday, February 26th **Unity Day** – Wear Colors Green, Red or Black or African Colors
 - Tuesday, February 27th **Excellence Day** – Wear your favorite African American figure on your shirt (Artist, Musician, Poet, Politician, Historical Figure, etc.)
 - Wednesday, February 28th **Soul Train Day** – Dress 70s, 80s, 90s attire
 - Thursday, February 29th **HBCU Day** – Students wear collegiate clothing representing historically Black Colleges and Universities.
- February 28: Career Fair in the BHS Mall during both A and B lunches for students to visit over 50 participants. This is a great opportunity for students to discover many fields and career paths available after high school graduation.
- Spirit Spot: Will be closed on Thursday, February 29th and Friday, March 1st. Will reopen on Monday, March 4th.
- Buchholz Dance Marathon: Friday, March 1st from 6:00PM - 10:00PM in the Gym. Join us for a night of food, games, and philanthropy. All proceeds raised support local children and their families battling pediatric illness at UF Health Shands Children's Hospital. Tickets are \$10 at the door or free with \$50 or more fundraised via [Donor Drive](#). Students are eligible for up to 4 hours of community service for attending the event.
- Complete the FAFSA: Buchholz High School on Wednesday, March 6th from 5:30pm – 7:00pm. To register visit <https://bit.ly/3CashforCollege>. How to Create an Account and Username (FSA ID) for StudentAid.gov – <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iTb7hMVtzco>.
 - What to bring:
 - STUDENT & PARENT FSA ID (USERNAME & PASSWORD)
 - STUDENT AND PARENT(S)' SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER(S)
 - STUDENT AND PARENT(S)' DRIVER'S LICENSE NUMBER(S)
 - PARENT(S)' DATE(S) OF BIRTH
 - YOU ARE REQUIRED TO CONSENT TO THE IRS DATA RETRIEVAL TOOL TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR FEDERAL AID
 - (ALIEN REGISTRATION NUMBER IF YOU ARE NOT A U.S. CITIZEN)
- Spring Break: Monday, March 11 – Friday, March 15
- Santa Fe College Open House: Saturday, March 23 from 9:00am – 1:00pm. Learn about all the opportunities available at Santa Fe College. Register today at sfcollege.edu/openhouse.

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- Santa Fe College Achieve: this program provides students with robust mentoring and scholarship opportunities. To find out more, make an appointment with the BHS representative from Santa Fe College, David Durkee @ [Santa Fe Achieve Link](#).
- Class of 2024: We are collecting pictures for senior projects all year long! Please send pictures of you and your senior friends throughout your senior year from you non-SBAC email account to: Buchholzclassof2024@gmail.com
- Bobcat Branch bank, a branch of the Florida Credit Union, is open before school from 7:50am – 8:20am and during both lunches. If you do not have an account with the Florida Credit Union, come see us for details on how to open an account and receive \$25. There will be lots of promotions this year when you come and make a deposit or withdrawal. Hope to see you soon!
- Follow student government on Twitter: buchholz_high or Instagram: buchholz.high.
- After School Tutoring in the Media Center on Monday and Wednesdays from 3:00pm – 4:00pm. Transportation is not provided.

○ MONDAY: 3-4pm	○ WEDNESDAY: 3-4pm
○ Foreign Language	○ ELA
○ Math	○ Math
○ Science	○ Social Studies

CLUBS

- [BHS Club Website Link](#)

SPORTS

- Tickets exclusively on sale for \$10 through GoFan.co website/app for paperless tickets. Be ready to show your electronic ticket at the gate for entry.
- Coach Contact Information is located under the Sports tab on the Buchholz Home page.

Buchholz High School Athletic Schedule – Week of February 25 – March 2:

- **Monday -** Girls JV/V Lacrosse @ Bolles – 5:30PM
Boys/Girls Varsity Tennis @ Ponte Vedra – 3:30PM
- **Tuesday -** Girls Varsity Softball vs Eastside – 6:30PM
Girls JV Tennis @ St. Francis – 3:30PM
Track JV @ Santa Fe Mini Meet #1 at Santa Fe High School – 4:00PM
- **Wednesday -** Boys JV Baseball vs North Marion – 6:00PM
Boys Lacrosse vs Oak Hall – 7:30PM
Girls Varsity Lacrosse vs Oak Hall – 5:30PM
- **Thursday -** Boys Varsity Baseball vs Fleming Island – 6:00PM
Boys Lacrosse vs Maclay – 6:00PM
Girls JV/V Softball vs PK Yonge – 5:00PM
Girls JV Tennis vs GHS – 3:30PM
Wrestling @ Kissimmee *for State*

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- **Friday -** Boys JV Baseball vs Suwannee – 4:00PM
Boys Varsity Baseball vs Palmetto – 7:00PM
Girls Varsity Flag Football vs Atlantic Coast @ BHS Top Field – 7:00PM
Boys/Girls Varsity Tennis @ Vero Beach – 4:00PM
Track Varsity @ Bolles for Bulldog Classic – 4:00PM
Wrestling @ Kissimmee for State
- **Saturday -** Track Varsity @ River City Relay Classic at UNF – 9:00AM
Wrestling @ Kissimmee for State

SCHOLARSHIPS

- **Southern Scholarship Foundation is Accepting Applications Now for Fall 2024!** Southern Scholarship Foundation (SSF) provides **rent-free** cooperative living housing scholarships for students with financial need, good character, and strong academic merit. SSF provides housing scholarships, not monetary support. We operate large, dorm-style houses on or near the campuses with a leadership development focus. More information can be found at <https://southern scholarship.org/> Application deadline March 15, 2024.
- **Clay Electric Cooperative Scholarships:** The Clay Electric Cooperative Scholarship application is now available in the front office. If your primary residence is served by Clay Electric, you are eligible to apply. Deadline to apply is April 1, 2024.
- **Five Pearls of Scholarship Awards:** Applications are now being accepted for the Five Pearls of Scholarship Awards sponsored by Zeta Phi Beta Sorority. This scholarship is open to females in Alachua county with at least a 3.0 unweighted GPA who will be attending a four-year university. For more information and to apply contact dszscholarship5@gmail.com. Deadline is April 1, 2024.
- **Big Futures Scholarship – College Board:** No essay, no minimum GPA or test score, just follow the steps for chances to win! The more steps you complete and earlier you start, the more chances you have to win: <https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/pay-for-college/bigfuture-scholarships>

Custo Line: Build Your Own Meal: Choose from daily special items or build your own salad or nachos daily! All meals can be topped with fresh items from our cold bar!

Monday, February 26: Mandarin Orange Chicken, Bok Choy Fried Rice & Steamed Broccoli
Salad of the Day: Sweet Mandarin Orange Asian Salad w/ Breadstick
Choice of Sides: Apple Juice 4oz, Fresh Fruit

Tuesday, February 27: Chicken Adobo, Tortilla Chips, Savory Sweet Potato Fries & Warm Salsa
Salad of the Day: Sweet Mandarin Orange Asian Salad w/ Breadstick
Choice of Sides: Blueberry Sunshine Smoothie, Fresh Fruit

Wednesday, February 28: Artisan Chicken Fillet, Southern Biscuit & Seasoned Spiral Fries
Salad of the Day: Sweet Mandarin Orange Asian Salad w/ Breadstick
Choice of Sides: Fruit Juice Blend, Fresh Fruit

Thursday, February 29: Crispy Popcorn Chicken, Eggoji Waffle & Baked Beans
Salad of the Day: Sweet Mandarin Orange Asian Salad w/ Breadstick

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Choice of Sides: Juice Frozen Orange Pineapple Cherry, Fresh Fruit

Friday, March 1: BBQ Pulled Pork, Mac n Cheese & Vegetable Medley

Salad of the Day: Sweet Mandarin Orange Asian Salad w/ Breadstick

Choice of Sides: Frozen Strawberry Cup, Fresh Fruit

Galley: Pizza or Poppers

In the Spirit Spot Café: Chicken Poppers, Chicken Sandwiches, Fries, Cookies, Iced Coffee, and Chips.