

# NORMAN BULLETIN



WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2015

## SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Regular Schedule  
Tuesday: Regular Schedule  
Wednesday: Regular Schedule  
Thursday: Early Dismissal Schedule  
Friday: Regular Schedule



**College Monday:**  
Wear your college gear!

[beverlyhighlights.com](http://beverlyhighlights.com)

**Fridays are Norman Pride Days!**  
**Wear your ORANGE and BLACK!**  
**Go Normans!**

If you **DO NOT** have a 2015-2016 BHHS parking permit, you **CANNOT** park anywhere on campus. **NO** exceptions!

## Attention All Students Parking On Campus!!!

- You **must** park in your assigned spot. **PROHIBITED AREAS:**
  - Visitor and Staff Lots
  - Reserved spaces:  
LOT B 1-5  
LOT C 223-228  
LOT PE 260-270 and 273-277
- You **must** have your permit visible and posted in the REAR VIEW mirror (not flipped over nor behind another permit)
- **DID SOMEONE PARK IN YOUR SPOT?**  
Report it to Campus Security or by email to [mbuckley@bhhsd.org](mailto:mbuckley@bhhsd.org) When you report this, be sure to IDENTIFY the car in your spot (make, model, color) and the BHHS parking pass number (if it has one).

## STUDENTS WITH PARKING PERMITS:

**NOTICE: You may NOT go to your cars during school hours.**

- PLAN AHEAD – USE YOUR LOCKER
- Parking lot doors will be locked at the start of period 2.
- If you are in the lot or go to your car, you could receive a 1-day suspension.
- Seniors who go to their cars will lose participation privileges in senior activities.
- You may be subject to a ticket/fine if you violate any of the above rules!

WHAT'S NEW  
AND  
JUST ADDED



The Robotics Team is holding a fundraiser at Souplantation on North La Cienega Boulevard that will take place on **Wednesday, November 25 from 5PM until 8PM**. Come and support us! The fliers will be found in the houses and please remember to bring a flyer with you.

## Reminder about going home ill:

Please remember that the proper procedure for checking out of school to go home ill is to **check out through the health office**. All students must get a pass from their current teacher (or next period teacher) and come to the health office to obtain a pass to go home. Parents will be called from the health office AFTER the students arrive in the health office. Students **MAY NOT** leave campus without a pass or their absences will be **UNEXCUSED**.





### **LOST and FOUND**

If you have found a camera bag with a portable hard drive inside which contained an entire digital portfolio; Please bring it to the Attendance Office. Thank you!

**FUTURE ABSENCE REQUEST** – Students missing school to attend college visits – off campus – need to submit a Future Absence Request to the Attendance Office no later than 5 days in advance of absence.

The **Connecting Cultures Mobile Museum** returns to the Bosse Library with an all-new exhibit, from **Monday, November 16 - Friday, November 20**. Presentations for your classes are still available – contact [kboyarsky@bhusd.org](mailto:kboyarsky@bhusd.org) (or ext. 8144) to schedule!

It's **NATIONAL FRENCH WEEK ! La Semaine Nationale du Francais !! Come celebrate with us on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor patio at lunchtime all week! Special treats ! Music! Vive le francais !**

**NEW hours for Peer Tutoring:** Peer tutoring is in **Room 292, at lunch only**. Thereafter, it will be available every **Monday and Wednesday (lunch)** so come by for help from our great staff of student peers. It is a drop in program, so help in particular subjects on any given day will vary according to who drops in for help and which tutors are there to help. We are consolidating it this year to two days to be more efficient and have more tutors available session. Peer tutors, make sure you are in touch with Yunchao Zhang who will be coordinating the student staff, including a meeting on Monday. [zhynchao@gmail.com](mailto:zhynchao@gmail.com) Others feel free to Contact Cindy Dubin at [cdubin@bhusd.org](mailto:cdubin@bhusd.org) if you have questions.

**Skills USA Competition Information Session in Career Center** - If you would like to learn about competition opportunities in over 20 career tech fields in this national organization, come to the information session on **Wednesday, November 18 at lunch in Room 290**. **Registration is due Friday, November 20 for the Los Angeles regional competition which is at the end of January. So we would have to sign interested students up as members online by Friday, November 20**. So, interested students must come to the meeting in order to apply. Students in Culinary, KBEV, and Robotics, do not need to attend, as they will register with their respective teachers. For a list of the types of categories in which you can compete, go to: <http://www.skillsusaca.org/competitions/contest-updates>. There is a wide range of disciplines (Photography, Web Design, Computer Programming, Architectural Design, Architectural Drafting, Entrepreneurship, Community Service, Robotics). These listings are for the national level and may be far more elaborate than what will actually be required of entrants in our January regional competition. The membership fee to join Skills USA and be eligible to compete is \$15; and then there are basic attire/supply expenses as well. **Cindy Dubin at [cdubin@bhusd.org](mailto:cdubin@bhusd.org) for information.**

**Now is the time to order your yearbook--don't wait, they're selling fast!** Head to [www.jostensyearbooks.com](http://www.jostensyearbooks.com) **NOW** to buy secure your 2015 yearbook today! Make sure to select the correct Beverly Hills High School.

**BHHS Speech and Debate - Students Win Awards at 1st Tournament!** As many of you know, Beverly High has a new Speech and Debate team. Led by Coach David Finnigan, 18 students competed in the team's first tournament this past weekend, earning three awards! Congratulations to Amanda Khodabash and Lara Pastor who took 5th Place in Duo Interpretation (9th graders!), and Samantha Boudaie who took 9th Place in Student Congress (10th grader). We look forward to a wonderful year of spirit and achievement for this amazingly dedicated group of students who have come together to re-establish this outstanding and rigorous BHHS tradition. The team meets after school on Wednesdays and competes monthly in diverse individual events such as Humorous and Dramatic Interpretation, Extemporaneous Speaking, etc., meaning there is something for everyone. All BHHS students are welcome. **Contact [beverlyhillsspeechanddebate@gmail.com](mailto:beverlyhillsspeechanddebate@gmail.com) for Coach Finnigan or Cindy Dubin in the Career Center at [cdubn@bhusd.org](mailto:cdubn@bhusd.org) for more information.**

**Robotics is having a Thanksgiving Drive from November 9 to November 20.** Please donate any type of food can, and drop off your items in the boxes located in each of the houses. All proceeds will go to the Salvation Army. We greatly appreciate your donations.

**Calling all Computer Science Enthusiasts ----** Check out some free and creative activities of this year's October Fest, 2015, a month long celebration of computer science, founded by a BHHS and DECA Alum, who has partnered with Mayor Eric Garcetti to celebrate computer science in Los Angeles. See the link for details. : [bit.ly/hacktoberfest2015?](http://bit.ly/hacktoberfest2015?) and feel free to contact **Cindy Dubin** at [cdubin@bhusd.org](mailto:cdubin@bhusd.org) for more information.

**The Beverly Hills High School Robotics Team** is holding fundraiser at California Pizza Kitchen (CPK) **Wednesday, December 2** on Beverly Drive to raise money that will help us win in our competitions! The flyers for this event are in all the houses. Please remember to take your flyer with you or you can also show it on your phone!

**Graphic Arts Students** – enter context to win cash awards! Visit <http://www.piasc.org/raise/> to learn about entering their packaging and comic book design competitions and also to win a grant to pay for the Skills USA registration fee (if you plan on attending to compete in the graphic arts events). Entries due **February and March 2016**. See site for details or email **Cindy Dubin** at [cdubin@bhusd.org](mailto:cdubin@bhusd.org) with questions.

**TUTORS WANTED!** The BHHS Peer Tutoring program will now be accepting applications for those who want to be peer tutors. Volunteers will work with Beverly students seeking academic help. Being a tutor is not only a great way to help out your fellow classmates, but tutoring also counts towards community service hours and helps strengthen your resume. Applications will be available outside **Room 292**. Feel free to contact **Cindy Dubin** at [cdubin@bhusd.org](mailto:cdubin@bhusd.org) if you have any questions.

**MINI-PSYCHOLOGISTS WANTED!** The Beverly Hills Academic Tutoring Program is seeking volunteers to work with elementary school children having social and/or academic difficulties. You will receive community service hours!  
**For more info contact Adrienne Weise at [adriennetutor@gmail.com](mailto:adriennetutor@gmail.com) or call 310-285-6810**

### Test Prep Workshops and Mock Exams

\*For all workshops and mock exams, go to our school website for registration information or email Mrs. Chi at [achi@bhusd.org](mailto:achi@bhusd.org). All proceeds go directly to our PTSA.

### **All Students: The Wallis Songwriting Class opportunity!**

The Wallis is offering a new course for high school students called “Songwriting for the Theater.” It is a chance to kids to work in collaborative teams to create original “ten minute musicals.” These will be performed by professional artists at the culmination of the course and the pieces will be entered in a national program called “ShowSearch.” The students will also have a chance to interact with several musical theater artists performing here this season. The Wallis is seeking music students interested in composing, as well as lyric writers and book/dialogue writers. For more information and to apply - Here is the link: <http://www.thewallis.org/songwriting.php>.



### PTSA MEETING DATES 2015-2016

**Friday, December 11, Friday, January 8., Friday, February 12., Friday, March 11, Friday April 8** \*Meetings are at **8:30 a.m.** in the EDC.

Please join PTA COUNCIL at their next monthly meeting on **Thursday, December, 10** the district **board room at 9:00 a.m.** Upcoming meeting dates for 2015-2016 are: **Thursday, January, 28, Thursday, February, 25, Thursday, March, 31 and Thursday, April, 28.**



**UCLA Health Volunteer Services:** UCLA will be launching an exciting, new high school volunteer program for next summer. Applications will be available February/March (ages 15 - 17). In the meantime, UCLA has asked that we advise students that in the meantime, they will not be starting any high school student volunteers during this academic year. There are still opportunities for students to volunteer who are invited by a faculty member, as well as other volunteer opportunities for students 18 years of age and older. Go to this site for more information: <http://tinyurl.com/obatmk5> As our Career Education Center has more info, we will post accordingly.

**NEW 10/30 Great Part-Time Paid Position in Local Medical Office:** If you are interested in working 5 days a week, 2 – 2.5 hours per day, doing filing, preparing charts for next day, faxing, copying call Keren at 310-271-6889. 11<sup>th</sup> or 12<sup>th</sup> grade eligible. A very fast paced office. Local Internal Medicine office on Roxbury just north of Wilshire. Compensation (starts at \$9 per hour). If you have questions, feel free to contact **Cindy Dubin** at [cdubin@bhusd.org](mailto:cdubin@bhusd.org). This job just re-opened today so all of you who were interested before, contact Keren again asap!

**NEW 11/2: Part-Time Job for Local Clinical Psychotherapist:** Looking for a senior student who plans to study psychology in college and has good GPA to assist with paperwork and writing notes. Student must be mature, responsible, have excellent typing skills, and good hand witting. Hours are flexible (5-7 per month). If you are interested, please forward your resume, including your gpa, to Hilda Balakhane at [hbalakhane@yahoo.com](mailto:hbalakhane@yahoo.com) noting "BHHS Student Interested in Job" in the subject line. Flexible hours after school or on weekends. Pay is \$12 an hour. Email **Cindy Dubin** at [cdubin@bhusd.org](mailto:cdubin@bhusd.org) with questions.



**College Monday Workshop Topics**

**December 7:** All About **JUNIORS:** Q&A for the Class of 2017

**College Visits:**

We encourage you to attend college visits to BHHS, but 1) you must sign up on Naviance, and 2) you **MUST** have your teacher's **PRIOR** permission. Pick up a gold college conference form from any of the houses or the College Center, get your teacher's approval, and bring the college conference form with you to the college meeting. Your attendance will be verified. Please sign up in Naviance.

College	Representative	Location	Date
Michigan State University	Daniel Seidman	College Center, Room 290	11/18/15 1:10PM

**If you registered to take the SAT in October but were not able to select Beverly Hills HS as your test center, you can now change your test center.** You must call the **College Board** at **(866) 756-7346** to request this change. When you call, please have your Admission Ticket with you, and please ask them to waive the \$28 change fee. Because Beverly Hills HS was not available as a test center at the time that you registered, you should be entitled to a free test center change. Do not make the change online. **Please call ASAP as space on our campus is limited.**

**SAT & ACT Test Dates & Registration Deadlines**

*\*For information regarding college admission tests, go to [www.tinyurl.com/bhhscollegetests](http://www.tinyurl.com/bhhscollegetests)*

SAT & SAT Subject* Tests <a href="http://www.collegeboard.org">www.collegeboard.org</a>	
Test Date	Registration Deadline
December 5, 2015	November 5, 2015
January 23, 2016	December 28, 2015
March 5, 2016**	February 5, 2016
May 7, 2016**	April 8, 2016

\*SAT Subject Tests are not offered on March 3, 2016.

ACT <a href="http://www.actstudent.org">www.actstudent.org</a>	
Test Date	Registration Deadline
December 12, 2015	November 6, 2015
February 6, 2016	January 8, 2016
April 9, 2016	March 4, 2016
June 11, 2016	May 6, 2016

\*\*New SAT



**Video Game Club: Attention all students!** Video Game Club meets every **Friday at lunch in room 284**. We play smash, sonic, star wars, and more. For more info see **Mr. Mroaica** or email: [bhhsvgc2016@gmail.com](mailto:bhhsvgc2016@gmail.com)





**Charlie Award Submissions:** Attention Senior Writers: There will be two informational meetings about this year's Charlie Award for creative writing at lunch in **Room 122 on Monday, October 12.** *The deadline for all creative writing portfolios this year is Monday, January 11;* portfolios must be submitted electronically. Come to the meeting for more information about submission procedures and requirements.



**Winter Sports Families,** Complimentary custom mouthguards are available for all BHHS athletes. *Please contact Dr. Douglas Galen to schedule your appointment (310) 855-1000* to have your student fitted.

The athletic department has a new website: [www.beverlyhillsathletics.org](http://www.beverlyhillsathletics.org)  
Find all the latest scores, schedules, and sports information on our team pages. Sign up for text alerts to keep up with our athletic teams. Go visit [www.beverlyhillsathletics.org](http://www.beverlyhillsathletics.org) **TODAY!**

Those students who have not completed all necessary paperwork should log onto **swol123.net** to access all forms. Directions can be found on [www.beverlyhillsathletics.org](http://www.beverlyhillsathletics.org)

**SPRING SPORTS TRYOUT SCHEDULE:**

**Swimming**  
November 30 – 3:30  
December 3 – 3:30  
Location – Swimming Pool

**Baseball**  
November 19 – 2:30 PM  
Location: Softball Field

**Track and Field**  
December 1 – 3:00 PM  
December 2 – 3:00 PM  
December 4 – 3:00 PM  
Location: Track

**Boys Tennis**  
December 7 – 3:15 PM  
December 8 – 3:15 PM

**Boys Golf**  
**TBD**

**Girls Lacrosse**  
December 1 -4:00 PM  
December 2 – 4:00 PM  
**Location: TBA**

**Boys Volleyball**  
November 23 – 3:00 PM  
November 24 – 3:00 PM  
December 1 - 3:00 PM  
Location: Upper Gyms

**SPORTS ANNOUNCEMENTS AND EVENTS:**  
Link: <http://www.beverlyhillsathletics.org/>

