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WINNERS FROM THE 2016 BOILER GOLF CLASSIC

The BBCHS Academic Foundation and Athletic Department invite you to enjoy a round of golf while supporting a great cause. Funds raised at the outing help provide student and teacher scholarships! Registration & lunch begin at 11 a.m. followed by a shotgun start at 12 noon. Registration forms can be found on the BBCHS website under Communication, Academic Foundation. Questions? Please call Laurie (815)937-3707 x 6003.

**14TH Annual
BBCHS BOILER
GOLF CLASSIC**
Friday, July 14th
Kankakee Elk's Country Club

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You have a chance to win some great prizes. A Florida getaway in October, to name just one! Dinner, awards, silent auction and much more! Golf with the newly retired, Mike Lehning! Cool off with an ice cream treat hosted by James Stevens in memory of one of our dedicated supporters, Doug Barclay. Don't delay, spots are filling quickly.



BBCHS held their second **ANNUAL TOP 10% DINNER** on April 23rd at the Hilton Garden Inn. Fifty-four senior students were asked to write a 1 page essay about an employee from BBCHS that had impacted their life in a positive way during their tenure here. Every essay was heartfelt. Here are some of the words that these students used to describe the staff members they chose to honor at the dinner. *“open minded, positive & accepting”, “each lesson intrigued, captivated and left me anticipating the next”, “he cares so much about his students that he is not afraid to tell them what they need to hear”, “kindness, enthusiasm, & intelligence were among the most significant characteristics”, “an outgoing personality that never ceases to make me energetic and engaged”, “she has changed the lives of so many people with what she does daily”, “someone who believed in my dreams & passions and gave me the confidence to dive head first into the pursuit of my goals”*. The students’ praises could go on and on. As one student noted, John Quincy Adams once said, “If your actions inspire others to dream more, learn more, do more and become more, you are a leader.” Hats off to the mentors at BBCHS who have helped shape these Top 10% students into the young adults they are today and our future leaders of tomorrow.



Student Service Projects



Park Beautification



Words of Wisdom



Annually the Academic Foundation awards Student Service Project Grants to student groups with a passion for a project that will “Make a Difference in Their Community.” This year the Foundation awarded funds to two student groups: **Tree Planting & Words of Wisdom**. Students Emily & Andrew Phelps, Dylan Rattin, Baylor Billings and Lilee Falkenhan wanted to restore the beauty of the local parks, while helping our environment. Trees were chosen locally and brought in from Tennessee and Michigan. Using the grant funds and through the generosity of donors, a total of 112 trees were planted at Bonnaire, Granger, Meadowbrook, Meadows, and Thirteen Acres Parks. Enjoy a walk through one of these local parks and enjoy the fruits of this team’s labor. The BBCHS Academic Foundation would like to thank these students and their parents for giving freely of their time, talents and for their dedication to making a difference in the community.

Freshman students Allison O’Gorman, Faith Quigley and Connie Vi want to provide a library for an underfunded nursing home to help educate and entertain a small but very important part of our community. The girls spent time reading to the A shelf filled with a variety of books and audio books were brought to the nursing home for the senior citizens to enjoy. residents.

The Maria Arseneau Memorial Scholarship for World Language Students was established this year by Maria’s husband Tim Arseneau, their family, BBCHS family and friends to encourage in others her love of learning language. Maria spent 18 years teaching Spanish at Bradley-Bourbonnais Community High School. In her time here, she brought her love of language, culture and life into her classroom. Both as a teacher and Spanish Club sponsor, she positively influenced thousands of students to be successful and realize their full potential. For Senora, her students were her life. She lived each day to the fullest and loved with an open heart. Even though she died suddenly in 2017, her legacy will live on. Each



“I would like to thank the family for this honorable scholarship for Mrs. Arseneau. I’ll keep in touch as a Spanish minor.”

After Maggie shadowed nurses at a camp at ISU her sophomore summer, she was confident in her decision to pursue a career nursing.

Margaret Goodman
Maria Arseneau Memorial Scholarship
 Illinois State University, majoring in Nursing.



“Thank you times three! For supporting me, believing in my future & helping me reach my highest dreams and aspirations.”

Blake would ultimately like to get into Politics. He’s open to wherever the world takes him.

Blake Bradley
Maria Arseneau Memorial Scholarship Indiana University majoring in International Business

"Thank you so much for this scholarship to enhance my learning. I will give back to the generations that will follow me. This scholarship will help me become an innovator of today to inspire the next generation of tomorrow."

Anthony learned reverse engineering from Coach Hampton. And "how to make it personally your own."



Anthony Nepomuceno
BBCHS Academic Foundation Scholarship
University of Illinois majoring in Computer Engineering

"I would like to graciously thank the Foundation for their support. I will work hard to make you proud of your decision in awarding me this scholarship."

Corbin plans to follow in his mom's footsteps and become an Elementary or Middle School teacher.



Corbin LaGesse
Donald K & Dixie M. Turner Memorial Scholarship
Ball State in IN to pursue a degree in Teaching

"Thank you so much for all of your efforts to help me further my education."

Danielle enjoyed her AP classes at BBCHS. She loved the teachers' enthusiastic approach and drive. Their enthusiasm was contagious. The students looked forward to every class.



Danielle Kennedy
Marvin J. Gereaux Memorial Scholarship
Kankakee Community College studying Physical Therapy

"I would just like to thank you for the scholarship and helping me further my education and reputation."

Frankie Ann has always been interested in Science. She has set her sights high and would like to establish a non-profit run by engineers to help build the world.



Frankie Ann Schripsema
BBCHS Academic Foundation Scholarship Worcester
Polytechnic Institute in MA
Majoring in Mechanical Engineering

"Thanks!"

Nicholas' favorite subjects in high school were Math & Science. Mrs. Capriotti had a huge influence on Nicholas. He's always had a need to learn new things and she helped push him to gain more knowledge. There's always more to learn.



Nicholas Blanchette
BBCHS Veterans' Appreciation Scholarship
University of Illinois studying Physics

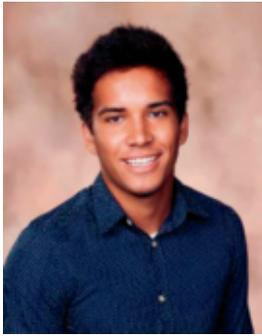
"Thank you! This scholarship will help tremendously with my move and help to get this career going."

Sydney's favorite subjects in school were math and anatomy. She earned her CAN at the career center. Sydney comes from a family of nurses and will join the ranks soon.



Sydney Jennings
Joseph H. Wertz, Class of 1960 Scholarship
Polk State in FL majoring in Nursing

Academic Foundation Scholarship Recipients



"A huge thank you to Anna Hildebrand for selecting me as the first recipient of this scholarship. Mr. Hildebrand was like a second father to me and a huge role model."

Justin's decision to pursue a career in the medical field came soon after shadowed his uncle, an anesthesiologist.

Justin Fritz
Todd A. Hildebrand Memorial Scholarship
 Olivet Nazarene University studying Nursing.
 Justin is the first recipient this scholarship.



"Thank you for the opportunity the help me further my education and make a difference in the world."

Nolan played varsity Soccer for 4 years for BBCHS and will continue playing soccer at ONU. Nolan professed, "Mr. Hampton is the Best Math Teacher!"

Nolan Wade
Kenn Klette Memorial Scholarship
 Olivet Nazarene University studying Architectural Engineering



"I would like to thank the Foundation profoundly for giving so many students a chance to advance their education."

Ravina enjoys reading books and watching movies. While at BBCHS she participated in Varsity Tennis, Badminton, Mathletes, Natural Helpers and Spanish Club.

Ravina Vasawala
Vietnam Veterans' Scholarship Classes of 1966 & 1967
 University of Illinois studying Molecular & Cellular Biology or Aerospace Engineering.



"I can't believe I won this scholarship! I just want to say thank you."

Thuy was a member of NHS and the Cheerleading team. She entered college at KCC in the spring of 2017. She's studying to be a doctor or pharmacist.

Thuy Le
Vietnam Veterans' Scholarship Classes of 1966 & 1967
 Kankakee Community College pursuing an Associate's Degree.



"Winning this scholarship means more to me than anyone can imagine. Thank you for the opportunity. It will help me do big things."

Kali likes to write, enjoys adventures and the outdoors. She hopes to go on some mission trips when attending college.

Kali Latty
Joines Family Scholarship for Business Majors
 University of Missouri majoring in Business

2017 Scholarship Recipients

BBCHS 2017 RETIREES



- Julie Ebersole
- Michael Lehning
- Dave Lystila
- Kevin McNulty, Sr.
- Cathy Messer
- Cindy Mullinax
- Ginger Sturm

THANK YOU for sharing your time and talents with our BBCHS family of students and faculty. You'll be missed!

Thank you

We appreciate YOU!

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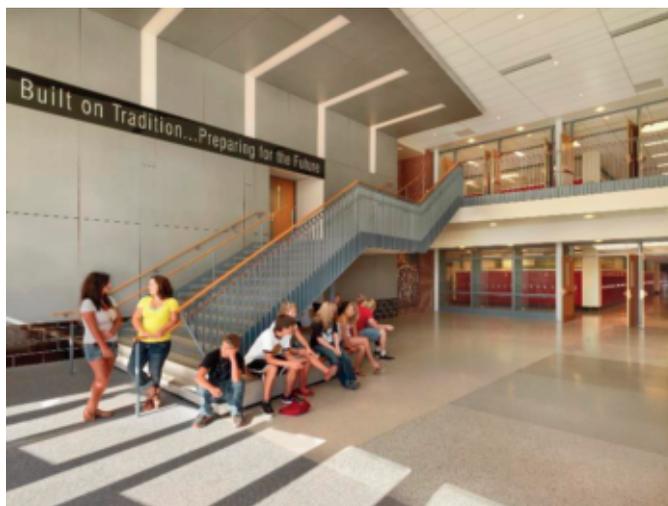
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2017 REUNION NEWS! Once a Boilermaker Always a Boilermaker

Class	Event Information	Contact
1957	60 Year Reunion! Friday, July 28 th 5:30 p.m. - Pizza at Aurelio's in Bourbonnais Saturday, July 29 th 9:30 a.m. - Breakfast at Coyote Canyon Saturday, July 29 th 6 p.m. - Dinner at Tucci's in Bourbonnais	Marilyn (Bass) Rosenboom (815)471-7915 rosenboomfarms@gmail.com
1962	55 Year Reunion Friday, June 24 th - Dinner & Dancing at the Elk's Club Saturday, June 25 th - Bourbonnais Sportsman Club	Karen Tuteuiler Skopik (815) 932-5530
1967	50 Year Reunion! Friday, September 8 th - Dinner at BBCHS & Football Game Saturday, September 9 th - Kankakee Boat Club	Madonna (Maxfield) Raiche Raiche.madonna@gmail.com Karen (Wagner) Rivard Karenrivard49@aol.com
1976 & 1977	40 Year Reunion! Friday, September 15 th - Homecoming Game at BBCHS Saturday, September 16 th - Bourbonnais Sportsman Club	Jennifer Edmonds (815) 933-9042 jenniferedmonds@ymail.com
1987	30 Year Reunion! Friday, October 13 th - Football Game at BBCHS Saturday, October 14 th - Majestic Theatre in Kankakee	Details on Facebook Facebook.com/BBCHSclassof 1987 BBCHSclass1987@gmail.com
1997	20 Year Reunion! Friday, August 25 th - Football Game & Tour at BBCHS Saturday, August 26 th - Boat Club	Abby Magruder abby@abbymagruder.com



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2017 BOILER GOLF CLASSIC

Friday, July 14th-Shotgun Start Noon
Registration & Hot Dog lunch 11 a.m.
Dinner & Awards 4:30 p.m.
Silent Auction

Elk's Country Club
Kankakee

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Pictured here is our dear friend Doug Barclay who will be dearly missed with Kelly, Laura, Abby & Kaelyn