

## ANNOUNCEMENTS 11/21/2024

Good morning, Burke High, at this time, please stand, if you are walking the halls please stop where you are. To honor those who have paid the price and continue to pay the price for our freedom, we will say the pledge of allegiance.

**I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation under God, indivisible, with Liberty and Justice for all.**

Today during advisement, students will be working through an optional Wayfinder lesson for each grade.

Educators Rising is partnering with Soles4Souls, a charity that collects new and gently used shoes and uses them to bring education and employment opportunities for those that receive the shoes. To support this charity, Burke Ed Rising is having a shoe drive from November 11th-December 13th. Bring gently used pairs or single shoes to your advisement or room 252. The advisement with the most shoes will win a prize. Shoes can also be dropped off in the guidance office and in the box by the auditorium doors.

Seniors, this is your last week to submit your senior picture, baby picture and create that memorable senior tribute page.

Students - Do you want to take classes at the ZOO next year? Zoo Academy offers amazing life science exploration through a variety of STEM classes. The time to act is now. The 25-26 Zoo Academy applications are LIVE and open until November 30th. Please see your counselor for details today and apply to the Zoo Academy!

Softball girls, this is a reminder your uniforms and equipment need to be turned in to coach by today. Talk to Coach Stern.

**Winter Sports Spirit Week is here!** After the Break

Monday, December 2nd dress in your best tacky sweater.

Tuesday, December 3rd find a partner to match with for twin Tuesday.

Yeekaw, Wednesday, December 4th is Western Wednesday.

Thursday, we all get to dress up as Minions and look for a special appearance from Gru during the pep rally.

Friday, we finish the week with Frat Boy vs Sorority Girl Friday.

**Today's Lunch: Oven Baked Fiery Chicken Thigh or California Burger**

If you need a late bus and ride a bus to school, please stop by the AP office before 1:00 PM daily and sign up. If you have any questions talk to your teacher or Ms. Nyla in the AP office

Just a reminder at 3:05 you are to leave the building. There is no reentry into the building. Once you leave you leave. If you need to wait for a ride, go to TWA and wait. If you are going to TWA, you must go there immediately. There are NO exceptions.

Every student is to attend their scheduled classes and be in their assigned rooms. Any student not in a classroom must always have a pass.

**Bulldogs lead the pack by being proud, accountable, willing, and safe. Have a great day and go Bulldogs!!**

**For your information only:**

Just a reminder, we have a closed campus and that means that you are not allowed to leave the campus at any time. If you choose to do so you will be subjected to a search. Also, no outside food can be brought into the building. This also means that we **do not accept** any deliveries of candy, flowers, or balloons. They will be sent away.

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Sophomores and juniors, the Zoo Academy application is now open and will close on November 30th. Your advisement teacher has more details, or you can contact your counselor.

The first 3 rows in the parking lot are off limits to students. The staff have been painted white and students are yellow. Tickets will be given out if you park in these rows.

Tutoring is available on Tuesdays and Thursday's until 5:15 Starting September 3rd. Night school will start on September 10th. Students need to sign up for late bus if they are not car-riders before 1 pm. Late buses work for students with busing only.

If you are in a club, sports or tutoring after school and need a bus home remember to sign up for a bus ride home in the AP office before **1 PM daily**.

**TWA-North Cafeteria**

A brief reminder about our Transportation Waiting Area (TWA) that has been a trusted expectation for seven years. This is even more important during cold weather:

The Transportation Waiting Area (TWA) is a safe place for all students who are waiting for a ride after 3:05 p.m. and students released from activities prior to 5 p.m. Students will treat TWA as a study hall. Students should report directly to TWA to wait for a ride. Students will wait in TWA until their ride is here and exit the building using the east circle drive doors. Students who choose to leave the building, instead of checking in to TWA, will not be readmitted to the building. All students remaining at Burke High

School after 3:05pm should be supervised by a coach, sponsor, teacher, or report to TWA.