



MAY 25, 2017



PHOENIX NEWS

Soaring to New Heights

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IMPORTANT DATES

MAY 25—LAST DAY OF SCHOOL;
OFFICE CLOSURES @1:00PM

MAY 26—GRADUATION AT STRAZ
@2:00PM; END OF 4TH GRADING
PERIOD; NO SCHOOL

MAY 29—MEMORIAL DAY; SCHOOL
CLOSED

MAY 30—TEACHER WORK DAY;
POST PLANNING DAY

JUNE 30-JULY 7—SCHOOL CLOSED

AUGUST 7—GRADE 10-12 OPEN
HOUSE @12:30PM

AUGUST 8—GRADE 9 OPEN HOUSE
@4:00PM

AUGUST 10—STUDENT'S FIRST DAY
OF SCHOOL 2017-2018 SY

AUGUST 21—HCC FALL TERM
BEGINS

Spotlight on Student Success

Congratulations to Angela Jones for being named as the Temple Terrace Student Citizenship Award recipient. This award recognizes outstanding students who have excelled in academics, school activities, leadership, as well as service for their schools. Thank you for your service to others and your leadership.



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Principal's Corner



It is hard to believe we have come to the end of the 2016-2017 school year. I am so proud of everything our students have accomplished and how much they have grown academically, socially, and developmentally. I appreciate the community of individuals who provide care, support, and quality instruction to our students. On behalf of all of the staff at Brooks DeBartolo, thank you for choosing Brooks DeBartolo for your student. We hope that you have a wonderful, safe, and fun summer. Please be sure to check the BDCHS website and the Student Services page for summer updates and information. Go Phoenix and yay for summer!
Your Principal,
Kristine Bennett

Office Hours: 7:15am-3:30pm
School Day: 7:25am-2:40pm

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Athletic Booster News

The Spring Athletic Banquet was a huge success!!
 Thank you to the many athletes, families and volunteers who participated.
 Special thanks to Coach Diel for his video work and to Coach Maggje and Coach Atkinson for all they do on behalf of our athletic community.

Please consider liking us on Facebook at Brooks DeBartolo Booster Club and becoming a Booster Club member.
 For more information, email phoenixbooster1@gmail.com. Your support is appreciated.

CONGRATULATIONS ATHLETES!

Please join the Boosters in celebrating all athletes who have signed with a college:

Kyndall Fry – Girls Soccer, Eastern Nazarene College
Craig Hall – Boys Basketball, Clark Atlanta University
Maria Summerville – Girls Volleyball, Washington College
Alyssa Nieves – Girls Basketball South Georgia Technical College
Xavier Rodriguez – Baseball, Lake Sumter State College
Aaron Oliphant - Boys Volleyball, Warner University

CONGRATULATIONS ASA SCOTT SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS!

Kyra Swain - She will be attending Florida Gulf Coast University.
 A BDCHS staff member says of Kyra, "Kyra embodies all of the qualities that would make Asa Scott proud."

O.J Young - He plans on attending HCC then attending FGCU to study Forensic Accounting.
 A former teacher had the following to say about O.J., "O.J is a great young man who is a pleasure to have in class and as part of the BDCHS community."

Making Student Success Possible

Congratulations to all of our stellar volunteers and contributors to student success who were recently recognized at the Hillsborough County Public Schools 2017 Volunteer Awards. The following individuals have helped our school be a better place through their dedication of time and talents:

- Dan Allen, LINK and CLIC Student Leadership Program, Tony Dungy Honorary Award
- Ivelisse Dorta, Community Volunteer Coordinator of the Year
- Sarah Mead, Are You Collegiate Program, Department of Education Family and Community Involvement Exemplary Program Award
- Daniel Casas, Department of Education Outstanding Student Volunteer of the Year
- Vicky Phares, Department of Education Outstanding Adult Volunteer of the Year
- Helen Williams, Department of Education Outstanding Senior Volunteer of the Year
- Amanda Yelvington, Warrior Student Volunteer Award
- Vicky Phares, Family/Community Involvement Award
- Fifth Third Bank, Foundations in Personal Finance, Partners in Education Award



Straight from the Phoenix Action Crew



2017-2018 PAC Coordinator
Ms. Maryanne Funai

2017-2018 Parent Representative to the Board
Mr. Dale Kimball

*Congratulations to both individuals!!
We look forward to working with you and
to an amazing school year!*

A Big Thank You goes out to our 2016-2017
PAC Coordinator - Vicky Phares,
Parent Representative to the Board - Maryanne Funai,
Volunteer Coordinator - Sherie Glow,
Hospitality Chair – Candy Persechino!
We appreciate all the time, energy, and support you gave this year to
the Phoenix Action Crew and BDCHS!!

*Your hearts are big, you cast rays of sunshine wherever you go, and
you truly make a difference with all that you do!!
Thanks for just being YOU!!*



Thank you to Bonita Pullido for 10 years of service to Brooks DeBartolo as a founding board member and extraordinary school partner.

BDCHS School News



An Evening of Denim & Diamonds which took place on Saturday, May 6th was a great success!! With the generous giving of sponsors, attendees, and other donors, the event raised \$19,000 for the BDCHS Phoenix Fund which helps to support instructional tools/resources, technology enhancements, student assistance programs, and equipment for classrooms, athletics, and performing arts. All of us here at BDCHS, appreciate all who supported and attended the event. We want to thank the Denim & Diamonds planning committee members for their efforts in planning and organizing the event:

Vicky Phares, Maryanne Funai, Sara Leonard,
Brenda Menendez, and Judy Anderson.

We also want to say thank you to all the volunteers who assisted with delivery, set-up, tear-down, and running the various activities during the evening!! None of this could happen without our parent/family volunteers!!!! You truly make a difference in all we do!!

Give Day Tampa Bay took place on Tuesday, May 2nd. BDCHS participated in this 24-hour giving period by asking for donations to help purchase equipment for our Health & Wellness programs like P.E., fitness & weight training, H.O.P.E., etc. During Give Day, online donations were accepted. The total amount raised and therefore going towards the programs mentioned above was \$895!!!! Thank you to all who made a gift on May 2nd, we greatly appreciate your support and generosity!



BROOKS DEBARTOLO COLLEGIATE HIGH SCHOOL

BDCHS could not do what it does without the generous support of both our school and Tampa Bay communities. The total amount raised for the Phoenix Fund through various fundraising campaigns and events throughout the 2016-2017 school year is over \$142,000. This is AWESOME!!!! We appreciate all who supported our school and mission this year –

Thank You

Our Students Stay “Fiit”

Fiit Team is a fitness club at Brooks-DeBartolo Collegiate High School that was founded during the 2017 school year by Sarah Metayer (c/o 2018). The focus of the Fiit Team is on improving cardiovascular health and endurance, muscular strength and endurance, and flexibility, along with promoting positive social interactions and mental health.

The club meets weekly after school, where free snacks and music begin each meeting of the Fiit Team. This year the club has conducted fun physical activities, while promoting positive social interactions like: Ultimate Frisbee, Volleyball, Handball, Yoga, running and even some less traditional games and activities that promote exercise.

For school next year, Fiit Team hopes to recruit more members and to do more fun physical activities that all students will enjoy. If you are interested in the activities and comradery of this club, feel free to talk to any of the committee members.

- President: Sarah Metayer
- Vice President: John Pama
- Historians: Echo Stewart and Lauren Gonzalez
- Manager: Demaris Acree
- Treasurer: Giovanni Augusto
- Executive Adviser: Jacqueline Mendez
- Executive Photographer: Erica Burkhardt



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Ms. Miler’s Class is Taking Math to New Heights

Tension and stress run high the week before exams. Writing essays and late night studying can make students feel overwhelmed. However, Ms. Miller’s students were soaking in the sunshine as they experimented with handmade rockets they made in class. Students in Ms. Miller’s math class created and launched rockets, recorded the distance, and graphed the results to find the line of best fit.



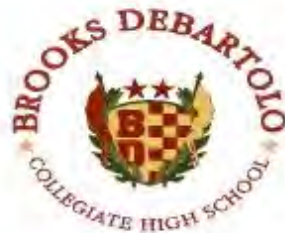
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BDCHS Office Announcements

Thursday, May 25th – Office will close at 1:00 p.m. due to the End of Year Faculty and Staff Luncheon

Friday, May 26th – Office will close at 1:00 p.m. due to the Graduation Ceremony

Monday, May 29th – Office will be closed due to the Memorial Day holiday
We will resume our regular office hours on Tuesday, May 30th.



EMPLOYMENT

Brooks DeBartolo Collegiate High School a SACS Accredited "A" Rated Public Charter School of choice is currently accepting employment applications for the following position(s):

Part-time Health Assistant

POSITION SUMMARY:

- Possession of a valid State of Florida License as a Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) or Medical Assistant (MA).
- Performs a wide variety of personal care activities and accommodative services
- Primary duties involve basic nursing procedures for the comfort and well-being of patients, handicapped children and others, including recording vital signs, administering prescribed medication, and observing patient reactions
- Perform duties under the general supervision and licensors of an RN, ARNP, or a Physician assigned to school site by Hillsborough County School District who evaluates performance through observation of work, periodic conferences, critiques, and/or records and reports to Principal
- Must be dependable, receptive to change and interested in the educational program of the public charter school of choice
- Non-Instructional Part-time Personnel 10-months

Eligible applicants please submit electronic letter of interest and resume including two professional references to jdorta@bdchs.org or jvelisse.dorta@sdhc.k12.fl.us.

Applicants should add in the subject line: **Health Assistant**



Thank You to our Donors & Community Partners

THE "INAUGURAL" PHOENIX NEST PARTNERS (the BDCHS annual fund/giving program)

- * Edward and Candy DeBartolo * Derrick and Carol Brooks * James and Suzin Carr
- * Chad Chronister and Nicole DeBartolo * Tim Davis * Terry Stever and Karen Horii-Stever
- * Richard and Denise Griffin * Geza and Rosario Henni * Jeffrey and Wendy Lancet
- * Richard and Synara Lepper * Norma and Nich Matassini * Donald and Yvonne Moose
- * James and Jean Palermo * Vicky Phares and Charles Owen * Sarah and Clint Randles
- * Tara Spieler * Residential Estimating & Design Services * David and Elizabeth Mallitz
- * John and Jenna Byczek * Rob and Annette Rochlin * Valls Ship Agencies, LP. * Palmetto Beach Line Handlers

PHOENIX FUND INVESTMENT SPONSORSHIPS

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| Kitchen/Cafeteria: Chris Sullivan Foundation | Foreign Language: Nikki DeBartolo & Chad Chronister |
| Fitness Center/Trail: Maney Gordon, P.A. | Foreign Language: Matassini Law Firm |
| Science Lab: Asher DeBartolo Heldfond | Conference Room: Jean & Jim Palermo |
| Band Classroom: Lisa DeBartolo & Don Miggs | West Hallway: Karen & Lawrence Liebers |
| Math Classroom: David Mallitz & Family | Science Lab: Broadrick Family Foundation Inc. |
| Math Classroom: Geza Henni & Family | PE/Health Classroom: McIlwain & Chiarmonte |
| Math Classroom: Anonymous | Dance Room: Royal Sun Park Assisted Living / Smith Family |
| Math Classroom: AnyCar USA Auto Sales & Leasing | South Hall New Wing: Denise Griffin & Family |
| English Classroom: Apheta Family Offices | East Hallway: New Tampa Pediatric Dental |
| English Classroom: Elizabeth & Mike Weems | Student Services/College Resource Center: Wells Fargo |
| English Classroom: PAC 2014 | |
| Terrace: Lee Roy Selmons | |

Through this naming program, the BDCHS and local community can make an annual investment in education and in the futures of BDCHS students.

Available sponsorships include:

- * Gymnasium * Admin Suite * TV Studio * IT Office / Media Center * Clinic
- * Plant / Maintenance Office * Teacher Workroom * Technology Labs (s)
- * Math Classroom (1) * English Classrooms (3) * Social Sciences Classrooms (4)
- * Science/STEM Classrooms (3) * World Language Classroom (1)
- * Teaching / Writing Labs (3) * Hallways (4)

If you're interested in becoming a Phoenix Nest Partner, making an investment through a sponsorship or scholarship, and/or you want to learn about other ways to become involved with BDCHS, please

contact Judy Anderson,
Director of

Development at
janderson@bdchs.org
or 813.971.5600 X204.



COMMUNITY PARTNERS

- * DeBartolo Holdings * Derrick Brooks Charities, Inc.
- * Elder Ford of Tampa * Fifth Third Bank * PDQ
- * Lee Roy Selmons * Wells Fargo Bank
- * Bright House Networks Business Solutions
- * Bright House Networks * Today's Janitorial Service
- * Temple Terrace Chamber of Commerce * HCC
- * USF * UT * Saint Leo University