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Soaring to New Heights

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Congrats to Our Grads!

Class of 2019

Your Phoenix family salutes you on your achievements and looks forward to hearing about the amazing impact you will have on this world.



Continue soaring to new heights and show your PRIDE!

IMPORTANT DATES

- 5/23/19- GRADUATION-11:40 DISMISSAL
- 5/24/19-END OF YEAR AWARDS CEREMONY-8 PERIOD DAY
- 5/27/19-MEMORIAL DAY/NON-STUDENT DAY
- 5/28/19-SEMESTER EXAMS (1,2)
- 5/29/19 -SEMESTER EXAMS (3,4)
- 5/30/19-SEMESTER EXAMS (5,6)
- 5/31/19-SEMESTER EXAMS (7,8)
-END OF FOURTH GRADING PERIOD-LAST DAY OF SCHOOL

Principal's Corner



It is hard to believe that this is the final edition of the Phoenix News for the 2018-2019 school year. I want to thank all students who wrote, created, and produced the Phoenix News through the Journalism class under Mrs. Kelly Catania's direction. And thank you to Mrs. Jamie Ervin for making final edits and to Ms. Linda Sustakoski for overseeing delivery of the newsletter to our families.

We are shedding tears of joy and sadness as we say goodbye to our seniors and to staff members who are moving on to their next endeavor. With personal, career, and educational growth comes change. Although change is inevitable, our mission statement unites our school in a common purpose. As we close out the school year with remaining assessments and celebrations, we know that our school is all about continuous improvement and our amazingly dedicated faculty and staff work tirelessly to provide the very best education to our students.

On behalf of the faculty and staff, thank you for your support of our school. Teacher Appreciation Week was fantastic, and we are so grateful to all who donated items and volunteered.

Thank you for soaring with us!

Important Cheerleading Information

CHEERLEADING IMPORTANT INFORMATION!

Thank you for your consideration in joining the cheer team! On this flyer you can find all the important information you will need. If you choose to come to the **Parent Information Meeting on June 3rd** you will be given a comprehensive packet with detailed explanations, requirements and schedules.

Coach Isaac Contact Info:

Email: misaac@bdchs.org or maryannisaac@mail.usf.edu

Phone: 941-979-7971 (primary form of contact)

IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES:

**Parent Information Meeting:
June 3rd – 4:00pm In the BDCHS Café**

Tryout Days & Times

Day 1: June 10th 10:00-12:30

Day 2: June 11th 10:00-12:30

Day 3: June 12th 10:00-12:30

Day 4: June 13th 10:00-12:30

Fitting Day: June 14th 9:00-10:00

Requirements:

Technically there are no requirements to be on the Cheer Team. However the following items are the key elements we will be working on during tryouts. You will be judged on your ability to do the following:

- Cheers & Chants
 - Stunts (no prior stunting skill is required)
 - Dance
 - Jumps
 - Conditioning
- If you can tumble (not required) I will ask to see your skills.

IMPORTANT TEAM INFORMATION

- Please be aware that this is a sideline/competitive cheer team. We cheer exclusively for girls and boys basketball. This season we will also be doing competitions starting in December. If you are a part of the team you **MUST** also be a part of the competitive season..
- There will be 16 girls/boys on the team.
- You must have updated physical and consent and liability forms turned in to Coach Isaac on or *before* the first day of try-outs. You can find the Physical on www.bdchs.org under the Athletics tab or on the FHSAA website. You will be given all consent and liability forms at the Parent Information Meeting on June 3rd.

TIME & MONETARY COMMITMENT

- Being a part of this team is a huge time commitment. We have a strict attendance policy that will be elaborated on during the parent meeting.
- Dues for the team will be paid on Fitting Day. Official amount will be discussed at the parent meeting.
- Please be advised that additional costs **NOT OBTAINED THROUGH FUNDRAISING** will be needed as the season progresses for competitions. Competitions are *typically* \$20 per athlete but official costs cannot be determined until registration season begins in December.



Anne Frank Humanitarian Award

Congrats to Farrah Alkhatib for being awarded the **Anne Frank Humanitarian Award** from the Florida Holocaust Museum.



Turnaround Student Award



Bridget Kimball is our **2019 Turnaround Student**. Bridget has made significant improvements and has overcome many challenges. We are so proud of her! She also made Honor Roll this past quarter.

A+ Teacher

One of Mr. Moore's students submitted a nomination to the **Bay News 9 A+ Teacher Award** site and **Mr. Moore was selected**. Al Reuchel from Bay News 9 surprised Mr. Moore. The story will air some time in July.



Student Awards



Marine Gerlein- Selected as a member of the **Temple Terrace Mayor's Youth Council**

Temple Terrace Citizenship Award-
Paul Fernandez



Note from Mr. Kimball

Oh what are year!

Thank you to all our parents, students, teachers, staff, administrators, and Board of Directors for making this school year a most memorable one for all involved!

Please watch for upcoming communications and requests. Your contributions and/or services during the summer will go toward parent volunteer hours for 2019 –2020 school year.

Have a restful summer!

Dale Kimball

PAC Thank You

Thank you to all of our families and the Board for a wonderful **Teacher Appreciation Week!**



PAC Updates

Dale Kimball volunteered to remain Parent Representative to the Board of Directors and ran uncontested at the last PAC Meeting. Thank you, Mr. Kimball, for serving again for the 2019-2020 school year!

Thank you to the following parents their amazing help throughout the school year!

- Retina Johnson: PAC Committee Coordinator
- Sherrie Glow: Volunteer Coordinator
- Sarah Martin: Are You Collegiate Coordinator
- Melanie Trask: Hospitality
- Jennifer Bloomfield: Hospitality
- Michael Ritchie: Teach In
- Trina Johnson: Carpool Coordinator
- Anicette Richardson: Alumni Engagement Coordinator
- Miryam Chazares: Teacher Appreciation Coordinator
- Ashley Spurling: Spring Event Parent Coordinator
- Renee Fordyce: PDQ Parent Coordinator
- Andrea Barreto: Phoenix Fund Parent Coordinator

We are looking forward to working with the Phoenix Action Crew Coordinators for the 2019-2020 school year. Thank you to our parents for stepping up to these volunteer leadership positions or for returning to serve in these positions. We are shifting oversight of these key areas to dedicated volunteers, and we still need help in filling committee positions for each of these areas. Please contact proudphoenixparent@gmail.com if you would like to volunteer for any of these committees and please mark your calendars for the 2019-2020 PAC Town Hall and Parent Workshop meetings found on the Family Portal of the BDCS website.

Awards

Congratulations to Mr. Mark Makhholm for being honored as the Tony Dungy Award recipient for the entire county. The Phoenix family sincerely appreciates all Mr. Makhholm does to support this community.

Congratulations to the BDCS Mechanical Engineering Club for their recognition by the Florida Department of Education as a Family and Community

