VIPER NATION NEWS











-MISSION STATEMENT-

Ensure that every Space Coast student graduates college, career, or military ready.

The next School Advisory Council meeting will be on Tuesday, January 30th at 3:45 to 4:45pm in the Media Center.



We are looking for parents and guardians who are passionate about working collaboratively with school staff to make Space Coast an even better place for our students. The Parent Leadership Team meets monthly to discuss numerous topics and discuss events going on within the school. It is a great way to get involved. We encourage you to be part of this great team and help us as we continue to make our school the BEST!

FEBRUARY 7TH

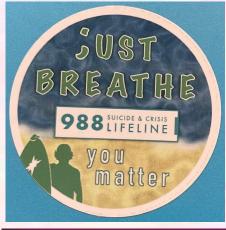
MARCH 6TH

APRIL 3RD

MAY 1ST

LOCATION: MEDIA





Brevard Public Schools is working with the non-profit organization Do It For Hunter to help provide additional resources to students who may need mental health assistance.

Focused on suicide prevention, Do It For Hunter is a local organization that works to encourage young people and their peers to reach out for help if they are struggling.

With that in mind, each BPS-issued student laptop will now include a <u>You Matter sticker with the phone number 988</u>, which is a suicide and crisis lifeline that is staffed by trained professionals. The stickers will be placed on laptops during this month, and we hope they will be a reminder that there is help available for students in need.



SPACE COAST JR SR HIGH SCHOOL

DON'T MISS THIS DEADLINE



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NO YEARBOOKS
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AVAILABLE
AFTER THIS DATE



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FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK

http://www.facebook.com/ SpaceCoastJrSrHighSchool **E-MAIL:** SpaceCoastHigh@brevardschools.org

PHONE: 321.638.0750

FAX: 321.735.9759

OFFICE HOURS: 7:30am - 4:00pm

STUDENT HOURS:

MONDAY-THURSDAY 8:40am - 3:30pm

FRIDAY 8:40am - 2:15pm

PARENT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Registered Parent Volunteers are needed to help proctor tests. Proctors are an extra pair of eyes for the Test Administrator. This is something that is one during the school day only. If interested, please contact Space Coast's Testing Coordinator, Melinda Zinger, at zinger.melinda@brevardschools.org.

If you are not sure if your volunteer status is up-to-date please contact Jenny Clark at clark.jenniferd@brevardschools.org.

To become a registered volunteer please visit District and School Security / Volunteers (brevardschools.org) to sign up!

Space Coast Junior Senior Senior Yearbook Recognition Ads

ok tributes are a great way to celebrate student's milestones and reflect on the person they have become. Visit jostensadservice.com/student to create your tribute. The final day to purchase an ad is January 26, 2024. Don't miss out!

More questions? Call Jostens at (800) 358-0800. www.jostensadservice.com/student



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LAST CHANCE TO ORDER IS 1/26!

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FREE PLANNING FOR LIFE AFTER HIGH SCHOOL

Employment - Day Programs - Agencies - Transition and Community Resources

WHAT YOU'LL LEARN:

- Local support services
- Advocacy organizations
- Resources for all ages
- · Networking with community supports and resources

Saturday, February 24, 2024

8:30am - 12:30 pm School Board of Brevard County 2700 Judge Fran Jamieson Way

Viera, FL 32940





CONTACT TERRY MATSON FOR MORE INFORMATION MATSON.TERRY@BREVARDSCHOOLS.ORG (321) 633-1000 X 11549

Space Coast Jr Sr High School House Teams

Objective: Create a house system where students can academically collaborate, engage socially in positive interactions, and build lasting relationships with their peers.

Each House has a designated school crest. Proud Pegasus



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House Rules				
1	Respect others' ideas, beliefs,	6	Win with humility and lose	
	opinions, and possessions.		with encouragement.	
2	Integrity: Do the right thing	7	Give your best effort in	
	even when no one is watching.		everything you do.	
3	Be kind; everyone is battling	8	Be prepared and punctual.	
	their own obstacles			
4	Resolve issues in a positive	9	Care about our campus and the	
	and mature manner.		people on it.	
5	Be confident in your skills and	10	Be active and engaged in our	
	abilities.		school's activities, culture, and	

Neighborhood Partnership Program



Reach out to someone that C.A.R.E.S.



C.A.R.E.S. is a voluntary program where parents ask for help. A variety of services from different agencies come together to "wraparound" your needs and help prevent child neglect before it starts. CALL US TODAY!



Program Supervisor: Latoya Dukes



lf you live in these zip codes: 32907 (Palm Bay), 32935 (Melbourne), 32922 (Cocoa), and 32780 (Titusville) we can help!



Charge in Florida

UPCOMING PROGRAM

WEEKEND CAMP IN FRUITLAND PARK, FL

- Kids & teens program ages 7-17 Fun, healing camp setting

April 21-23, 2023

Sleepover camp

Comfort Zone Camp serves children who have experienced the death of a parent, sibling, primary caregiver, or friend. All programs are offered at no cost to families. CZC provides a safe, nurturing environment where kids can have traditional camp fun, while at the same time acquiring tools to help them cope with their loss.

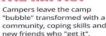
Since 1999, CZC has helped 21,000+ children.

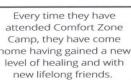




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Activities include games, swimming, arts and crafts, and Healing Circles led by mental health professionals.















COLLEGE, CAREER, AND MILITARY OPPORTUNITIES



COLLEGE TOUR INFORMATION

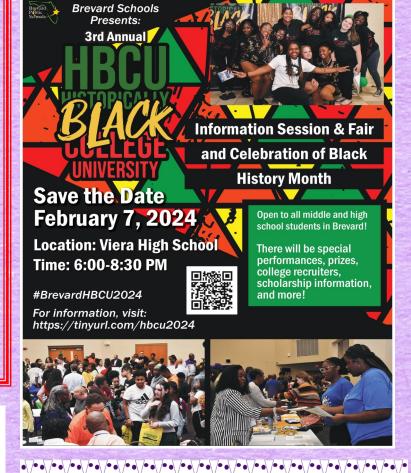
If you are planning a college tour this school year, please see the Front Office or Mrs. Leon (Guidance). College tours can be excused if the proper paperwork is filled out.

Any SENIOR interested in taking the SAT School Day on Tuesday, March 5th, at 8:45am, needs to signup with Mrs. Zinger, ROOM 218, before/after school or during lunches by Wednesday, January 24th. The cost for the SAT is \$60 cash or check payable to SCHS. Payment must be received by Tuesday, February 13th. All 11th grade students will be paid for by the DISTRICT.

Space Coast

School Counseling Team

Kayli Shear	College & Career Specialist		
Department Chair	Counseling Department Chair		
Keith Ward	3		
Keitii waru	Grades 7-8 (last names A-K)		
Cindy Kirk	Grades 7-8 (last names L-Z)		
Patti Okeefe	Grade 9 (class of 2027); 504 Contact		
Kim Leonard	Grades 10-12 (last names A-K)		
Amy Williams	Grades 10-12 (last names L-Z)		
Magi Leon	Registrar		
Keri Weeks	Guidance Clerk		
Jenny Clark	Data Clerk		
Sadie McKinnon	ESE Contact		



Take a moment and check out the guidance website. There are MANY scholarships posted on the page along with A LOT of information for students. If you have any questions please contact our guidance department.

https://www.brevardschools.org/Page/13002

SCHOLARSHIP MONEY is available from the Schools' Foundation. Create an account and get your money. https://

<u>brevardschoolsfoundation.awardspring.com/</u>

The applications will close March 17, at 11:59PM.









• Throwing Program Begins

4:00 pm - 6:00 pm

• Baseball Tryouts January 22, 23, & 24 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm

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*please see athletic director to make sure you are cleared to



SPACE COAST JR./SR. HIGH SCHOOL LADY VIPERS HAVE QUALIFIED FOR THE U.S. HIGH SCHOOL BOWLING NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP!

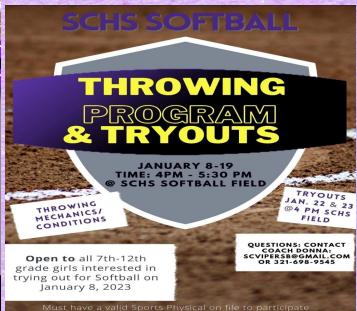


JUNE 8-10, 2024 Lancaster, Pa

DONATION OPTIONS

Zelle: scvbowlingbooster@gmail.com
CashApp: \$VipersBowling
Venmo: @VipersBowling
Checks: Space Coast Vipers
Bowling Booster Club, Inc.
5955 Fisherman Ln.
Cocoa, FL. 32927
**** Booster Club is 501(c)3 ****







CHRISTIAN ATHLETES

The heart and soul in sports*

& Christ On Campus

meets every Tuesday morning at 8:10 a.m. in room 815.

Join us for faith, fellowship, & fun!

Please visit Mrs. Mitsakos in room 815 to receive a permission form to attend!

LETTERMENS JACKET

- *Go to www.Neffco.com
- *Click on upper left-Varsity Jackets.
- *Put in passcode #076858.
- *Follow the prompts to order.





Space Coast Fr./Sr. High

CLASS OF 2024 ADUATIO

Wednesday, May 22, 2024 7pm **Viper Football Field** 6150 Banyan St. Port St. John

9024 April 26th 5pm-3am Price \$145 Details Seniors will enjoy a night at Islands of Adventure & Universal Studios with friends. The charter bus departs SCHS at 5pm & will return to campus around 3am. Money is due to Mr. Bennett in rm 306 by 3/29



GRADUATION

It takes many volunteers to make this special event happen, so we are asking for all parents (not just Graduating Seniors) to step up to keep this tradition going for years to come. Please consider joining one of our meetings or contacting us by email at viperspg2024@gmail.com our facebook on page VIPERSPG2024 to see how you can help! 2024 Project Graduation is an all night alcohol, drug and tobacco free celebration given shortly after Graduation. Did you know that, statistically, graduation night is one of the riskiest nights in a teenager's life? This is why Project Graduation has become a tradition at our high school; to be sure our kids are safe! Project Graduation is run completely by parent volunteers. It is our job to raise the funds each year so that Project Graduation is a "gift" to our students!

IMPORTANT

** checks can be made



All meetings are in the Media Center at 6pm **PROJECT GRADUATION**

- January 24th
- February 7th & 21st
- March 6th & 20th
- April 3rd & 17th

BOARD MEMBERS

Angela Crissman—President Melissa Mack—Vice President Kitsie Ferguson—Treasurer

Nancy Smith—Secretary





If you have any shoes that you are planning to toss, give away, donate, please consider donating to our SCHS Project Graduation 2024 fundraiser. All monies go to help the Senior Class enjoy an amazing and safe celebration after the walk that stage in cap and gown. We will take any type, size or condition of shoes. It helps if you are able to tie/link them together somehow before bagging or boxing them. Ask your family, friends, neighbors, coworkers and even random yard sale people if you can have any shoes they would like to donate to our cause. Drop off locations will be provided as soon as we are able to secure a few options. If you need someone to pick up from you please contact viperspg2024@gmail.com.

2023-2024 TARDY POLICY

THREE (3) TARDIES IN ONE SCHOOL DAY: referral and a consequence.

- ⇒NOTIFICATIONS FOR TARDY REFERRALS ARE COMMUNICATED VIA TEXT MESSAGE USING FOCUS.
- ⇒IF YOU DO NOT receive communication from the school , please contact the attendance clerk.
- ⇒YOU CAN ALSO VIEW ATTENDANCE AND referral information on your parent focus portal.

OUTSIDE MEALS/DELIVERIES

Students who arrive after the start of the school day (8:45am) with drinks or food from an outside establishment/restaurant will not be permitted to enter the school. Students will be allowed to finish eating/drinking in the office, but this could result in a tardy/absence depending on the actual time the student officially enters school.

Students will NOT be called out of class, nor will classes be interrupted to deliver forgotten items or food/drinks. Students may check the front office between classes for deliveries but are still responsible for getting to class on time (passes will not be given to students). Deliveries of balloons, flowers, food i.e.: Dominos, Uber eats, etc. are NOT permitted.

Per our district policy: Individuals on the student contact list are only permitted to bring in or drop a meal for their child. Each school will designate an eating area away from the cafeteria where parents/guardians can eat with their child. Meals dropped off will be held in the front office to safeguard instructional time. At the school's discretion, meals dropped off may be required to be consumed in a designated eating area away from the cafeteria.



SPACE COAST JR. SR. HIGH STUDENT CHECK OUT PROCEDURES & GUIDELINES

Please be advised of the student check-out procedures and guidelines in place for the safety and well-being of your student. WE DO NOT ACCEPT CHECK OUTS FOR STUDENTS VIA EMAIL OR PHONE. In the event of an emergency administration will be contacted to assess the situation.

- The contacts you provide for your student are <u>EMERGENCY CONTACTS ONLY</u>. This means, in an emergency, if parent/legal guardian is NOT able to check out a student, the Attendance Clerk will contact a parent/legal guardian to verify person on the contact list can check out student. They must have proper identification.
- The safety of our students is very important. Only parent/legal guardian can check out a student. If you would like someone on your emergency contact list to check out your student, you may. We ask that you write a note the morning of the checkout day requested; please provide the time, phone number and person checking out the student. Students will give the note to the Attendance Clerk. Attendance will call parent/legal guardian to verify the request. Without a written note, only the parent/legal guardian can check out the student with proper identification. Please make sure all people checking out a student have proper identification.
- > If your contact information should change. Please provide our school the updated information.

STUDENT DRIVER CHECK OUT PROCEDURES (THIS IS FOR STUDENT DRIVERS ONLY!)

- Student must turn in a note to attendance first thing in the morning. The note will be from parent/legal guardian, stating the student may leave at a certain time.
- The Attendance Clerk will fill out <u>Student Release Pass</u> and hand it to the student, reminding student to give to teacher at the beginning of class and have it signed by that teacher.
- · The attendance clerk will call parent/legal guardian to confirm permission of check out.
- At the time of dismissal, the student will give the pass back to the attendance clerk at the time of assigned check out. A student is NEVER allowed to just leave campus without seeing Attendance Clerk first!
- The Attendance clerk will fill out <u>Car Pass</u> and give it to student, this pass will allow the student to be in the parking lot and not be considered out of area.
- The student will sign out on the attendance kiosk.
- In case of emergency or the student is ill, administration will assess the student and determine if the student is well enough to drive home. ALL EMERGENT SITUATIONS MUST GO THROUGH THE CLINIC.

Thank you for following our process to provide our students with a safe check out process. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Attendance Clerk.

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Be sure to thank these local business for supporting our school, administration, teachers and staff. Each and every one of these amazing companies dedicates, donates, and celebrates VIPER NATION!!



















































