### VIPER NATION NEWS







-MISSION STATEMENT-

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





Space Coast Jr/Sr High School and the Area Titusville Chamber is proud to announce Alyssa Leighton as the Rising Star for the month of February. She is a varsity swimmer and the senior caption. She participates in Audition Show Choir, Outside of school, Alyssa volunteers at the YMCA's Camp Winona, where she is a program director and camp counselor. She interns at the local elementary schools. Her goals for the next five years are to attend Eastern Florida State College to become a Registered Nurse. She will then transfer to UCF and earn her Bachelor's degree in nursing. To Alyssa, community is the people she loves and even those she doesn't know. Its place where someone smiles at you at the gas pump, its home. Congratulations







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!

PEBRUARY 7TH

MARCH 6TH

APRIL 3RD

MAY 1ST

LOCATION: MEDIA TIME: 5:30-6:30



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The next School Advisory Council meeting will be on Tuesday, February 27th at 3:45 to 4:45pm in the Media Center.

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FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK

ENSURE THAT EVERY SPACE COAST STUDENT

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



SPACE COAST HIGH SCHOOL VIPERS - COCOA, Alabama - Sideline Store -**BSN Sports** 

Check out the online VIPER STORE. They offer many different brands and styles. Sign up and they will email a coupon for 20% off your first purchase.



Laundry detergent, fabric softener, bleach and all expenses for washing and drying will be provided. All you have to do is bring your laundry and YOU! We are showing love to the community one load at a time.

#### 3 Convenient Locations

616 S. Park Ave.

ECKERD CONNECTS, THE REAL CHURCH AND MY COMMUNITY CARES ARE PARTNERING TO PROVIDE ALL OF YOUR LAUNDRY NEEDS.



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#### Trip Information

- Friday, May 3, 2024
- From 3:00PM 1:30AM (15/1)
- Busses leave at 3:00PM Students will meet in the cafeteria before departure.
- Students must **be in groups of at.** least three AT ALL TIMES.
- Students will not be required to stay with their chaperones, but stay with their chaperones, but they will be required to have dinner as a group and check in with their chaperone throughout the night.
- Parents MUST be on time to pick up students in the bus loop at the end of the right.
- COST: \$150.00
- INCLUDES: charter bu admission, meal (included in the ticket price), and a T-shirt.
- for extra drinks or <u>snacks</u>

Contact Information Dr. Jocetyn Baldridge |dridge.jocetyn@brevardschools

#### Behavior, Attendance, and Academic Requirements

You must be a **current 8<sup>th</sup> arade** student in good standing.

- NO suspensions second semester
- 2. No more than 3 referrals 2<sup>nd</sup> semester

Medical Permission slips must be notarized. We do have notaries at school, but parents or <u>auardians</u> be present to sign. Forms may also be notarized locally and turned in. Forms must be in before to a ticket may be purchased.

#### Parent Chaperones

- If your parent is a REGISTERED chaperone and would like to chaperone the trip, <mark>please email</mark> Dr. Baldridge. Parent Chaperones will need to buy a
- We will not be able to take chaperone requests after Friday, March 1th

#### <u>Dates to Remember</u>

and permission slips will be the week of Feb uary 19 to :

26th to 29th. All money and forms must be in by February 29th at the latest.

After money and permission slips are collected, you will be informed on how and when to sign up for groups and get your t-shirt.

#### Points to Remen

 Dress Code: Students MUST wear the Gredverture t-shirt provide and appropriate shorts or pants.

> T-shirts cannot be altered in ANY way.

- If a student does not meet dress code, they will not be allowed to attend.
- nd passes **CANNOT** be used ise Gradventure is a s
- You must be at school all day on May 3rd.
- Dou't forget to put your t-shirt slip. T-shirts are in ADULT sizes.
- nail Dr. Baldridge or s as soon as ssible with any questions.

Ms. Lund sets, maintains, and improves learning standards to empower students. Our students have soared in expectations under her guidance. Ms. Lund humbly credits her students' abilities for their successes, even though her creative and caring methods strengthen them.



Laci Lund HOMEBASE TEACHER SPACE COAST JR./SR. HIGH SCHOOL



HealthFirst

#### Become a Bright Star volunteer.

Make a meaningful difference





#### Neighborhood Partnership Program



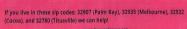
#### Reach out to someone that C.A.R.E.S.



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!



I with than others. If you find your need of help, reach out to C.A.R.E.S.



WITH THE END IN MIND What's your path?

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

REGISTER https://tinyurl.com/startconf2024



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



#### 2024 Lifeguard Training

MCLARTY PARK AQUATIC CENTER
790 BARTON BOULEVARD, ROCKLEDGE, FL 32955

SESSION 1: MARCH 1 - 3, 2024

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Parks & Recreation



#### \*\*PARENT VOLUNTEER\$ NEEDED\*\*

If you are interested in volunteering at Space Coast please contact Tiffany Bevel at Bevel, Tiffanv@brevardschools.org. Mrs. Bevel will be able to check volunteer status and let you know what opportunities there are to volunteer.

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

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## COLLEGE, CAREER, AND MILITARY OPPORTUNITIES







Direct Metal Roofing is awarding two \$500.00 scholarships for a Space Coast senior. The requirements are minimum of a 2.0 GPA. The prompt for the essay is:

"How will this scholarship help you and what are your academic and/or career goals after high school?"

The deadline is April 15<sup>th</sup>. Please send all submission to Mrs. Weeks at weeks.keri@brevardschools.org.

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

\*\sqrt{\*} SCHOLARSHIP MONEY is available from the Schools' Foundation.

Create an account and get your money. <a href="https://">https://</a>

brevardschoolsfoundation.awardspring.com/

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

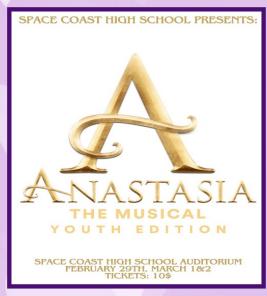
# Space Coast School Counseling Team Kayli Shear Department Chair Keith Ward Cindy Kirk Cindy Kirk Grades 7-8 (last names A-K) Cindy Kirk Grades 7-8 (last names L-Z) Patti Okeefe Grade 9 (class of 2027); 504 Contact Kim Leonard Grades 10-12 (last names A-K) Amy Williams Grades 10-12 (last names L-Z) Magi Leon Registrar Keri Weeks Guidance Clerk Jenny Clark Data Clerk

#### 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.

### ACTIVITIES/ATHLETICS





### Please Help Us Get To Nationals DONATIONS NEEDED!!!

The Space Coast Jr./Sr. High School Bowling Vipers have qualified for the U.S. High School Bowling National Championship!

June 8 - 10, 2024 Lancaster, PA

#### **Donation Options**

<u>Checks Written To</u> Space Coast Vipers Bowling Booster Club, Inc.

5955 Fisherman Ln.

Cocoa, FL. 32927

#### Online Apps

Zelle: scvbowlingbooster@gmail.com
CashApp: \$VipersBowling
Venmo: @VipersBowling





FELLOWSHIP OF CHRISTIAN ATHLETES

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#### & 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.



### **CLASS OF 2024**

### SAVE THE DATE

Space Coast Fr./Sr. High

### CLASS OF 2024 GRADUATION



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

### GRAZO 24ASH

Date April 26th Time 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

\*\* checks can be made



#### Senior Superlatives results are in! CONGRATULATIONS SENIORS!

Mr. & Mrs. Space Coast: Corbin Crissman and Olivia Banachoski
Dynamic Duo: Kayla Bissland and Morgan Beam
Best dressed: Tristan Werring and Addison Oenbrink
Most spirited: Rusten Clark, Tyler Sabato and Brianna McGlashan
Most likely to be successful: Caden Perry and Ellie Youngman
Best athletes: Woodrow Smith and Taylor Hill
Worst case of senioritis: Chloe Roberts and Alynza Sladik
Most comedic: Reagan Kelchner and Gage Wolfe
Most likely to be late to graduation: Sienna Robey and Logan Thurston
Most likely to serve our country: Jonathan Isaacs, Jonathan Barnes,
Kaden McMillan
Teacher's Pet: Tori Bradford
Most artistic: Leanna Kilburn and Tayla Jones

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 or on our facebook 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



All meetings are in the Media Center at 6pm

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

#### PROJECT GRADUATION BOARD MEMBERS

Angela Crissman-President
Melissa Mack—Vice President
Kitsie Ferguson—Treasurer
Nancy Smith—Secretary



### CELEBRATE GRADUATION NIGHT AT VIPERS PROJECT GRADUATION!

#### **ATTENTION VIPERS CLASS OF 2024!**

Ready to celebrate the biggest night of your high school career in an EPIC way? Join us for Vipers Project Graduation, an unforgettable night of food, music, fun, games, HUGE prizes, and memories that will last a lifetime!

When: I0:30 PM, May 22nd - 5:00 AM, May 23rd (Graduation Night!)
Where: Sky Zone Rockledge

Cost: To Be Determined (But with your help, it could be FREE!)

Stay tuned for fundraising opportunities and volunteer sign-ups!

Don't miss out on the ultimate graduation celebration! #SCVipersPG

Follow us on Facebook (or tell your adults to) at Viperspg2024 for updates and sneak peeks!



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 <u>NOT</u> 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.

# VIPER NATION LOVES THEIR PARTNERS!

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!!

















































