

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 17, 2010

ACHIEVE YOUR DREAM SCHOLARSHIP RACE:

Bangor Township Schools, in conjunction with the Bay Area Runners Club, will be hosting its first annual “Achieve Your Dream” scholarship race. There will be a 5k run, a 2 mile Fitness Walk and a Fun Run for Kids in Grades K -5. The event will be held on Saturday, April 17, 2010 at the Bay County Community Center. Registration forms can be downloaded from the Bangor Township Schools website at www.bangorschools.org. Whether you choose to run the 5k, walk the 2 mile, or have your child participate in the “Kids Fun Run”, we just want folks to come out and enjoy themselves. Each participant will receive a raffle ticket and prizes will be raffled off after the race. All 2 Mile Fitness Walkers and Kids Fun Run participants will receive a “Participation Ribbon.” Prizes for the 5k run will be awarded to the first and second place overall male and female as well as the first and second place male and female in each age group. The objective of this event is twofold. First, we hope to raise enough money to be able to award four \$500 scholarships to graduating seniors from John Glenn. The second part, and the most significant, is the wellness component. Bangor Township Schools are committed to promoting wellness, not only for our staff but for our students as well. Obesity rates in the United States are reaching epidemic proportions. 78% of all American’s are not meeting basic activity level recommendations and 25% are completely sedentary. We’re hoping we can help to change those statistics. If you have any questions regarding this event, please contact Lynne Moore or Tina Rogers at 989-684-8121.

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If you would like to receive electronic announcements, you can e-mail Mrs. Taylor at taylorj@bangorschools.org.

ATHLETICS:

The information on Track & Field apparel is now available. [CLICK HERE](#) to view the information.

BLOOD DRIVE:

The spring blood drive is taking place on **Wednesday, March 24**. The library will be closed to students that day.

COLLEGE 101:

The College 101 PowerPoint presentation is now available online. To view the PowerPoint in PDF format [CLICK HERE](#).

COLLEGE TOUR OPEN HOUSE DATES:

Please click on the link to access Michigan College Open house schedule [CLICK HERE](#).

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

The Community Center is providing a volunteer opportunity for our Riverwalk-Railtrail cleanup on **Saturday, April 24 from 9 a.m. - noon**. Registration and refreshments will be at the Community Center. See Mr. Tuck for more information.

The United Way is looking for volunteers to do some office work, visit with the elderly, do scrapbooking, and do basic home repair. For information about these and other volunteer opportunities, contact the Volunteer Resource Center at the United Way of Bay County at 893-7508, ext. 17 or www.unitedwaybaycounty.org and click on the volunteer link.

APPOINTMENT SETTERS: Volunteers are needed to help take appointments during the income tax season for our FREE tax program. This volunteer will be volunteering at the United Way office. Volunteers are needed M-F from 12-5pm. Training will be provided.

SCRAP BOOK VOLUNTEER: Volunteers are needed to gather and sort old newspaper articles from previous years and put them in photo albums.

OFFICE/CLERICAL: Many non-profits are looking for volunteers who want to volunteer in their organization. Volunteers must want to learn new things, file, data entry, making and answering phone calls, bulk mailing, and other tasks that have to be done.

FRIENDLY VISITOR: Volunteers are needed to spend some time with elderly residents at local nursing homes in Bay County. Age requirement is 14 years old and must get a TB test through the volunteer agency.

HOSPICE VOLUNTEER: Volunteer will assist or lead activities in facilities that have hospice patients. Crafts, bingo, gardening, scrapbooking, singing, and playing music.

TUESDAY TOOLMEN: Volunteers are needed to help out with minor home repair program. You must like to work with tools or build and repair around home. Volunteers need to be at least 18 years of age.

If you need community service and are interested in being on the John Glenn High School Green Team, please sign up with Mrs. Kipfmiller.

The United Way is in need of 10 student volunteers the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month from 4:30 – 7:30 p.m. Volunteers would set up for dinner and eat if they would like and after dinner, they would watch the children in the day care area. This program is for the children of teenagers who are in a support program. You must be at least 16 years old to volunteer for this position. If interested, call Cindy Miller at 893-7508, ext. 17.

RELAY FOR LIFE:

Dress up days for Relay for Life week are as follows:

Monday, March 22 – Stop Light Day

Tuesday, March 23 – Tropical Tuesday

Wednesday, March 24 – Would you still be my friend if I wear this day

Thursday, March 25 – Opposite sex day

Friday, March 26 – Purple day (Relay for Life signature color)

If you were unable to attend the Relay For Life meeting but would still like to participate, you can pick up a sign up sheet in room F1.

SCHOLARSHIPS:

New scholarship 3/12/10:

The U of M Club of Bay City

Deadline: Thursday, April 15, 2010

Criteria: Graduating senior who will be attending U of M this fall; compose an essay responding to the following question: “State your future plans, who or what influenced those plans, and the reason you are seeking this

scholarship.” Two reference sheets completed; submit counseling form to your counselor

Dollar amount of scholarship has not yet been determined

Applications available in the counseling office

Scholarships that will be expiring in March:

Ayn Rand Essay Contest - Saturday, March 20, 2010

Bay Medical Foundation Nursing Scholarship - March 20, 2010

Sunrise Credit Union Scholarship - Friday, March 26, 2010

Scholarships that will be expiring in April:

Michigan Oil and Gas Producers Education Foundation (MOGPEF) - Thursday, April 1, 2010

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Michigan Retailers Association - Thursday, April 1, 2010

Michigan State Trooper Assistance Fund, Inc., 2010 MSTAF Scholarship - Thursday, April 1, 2010

United Bay Community Credit Union Scholarship – Tuesday, April 6, 2010

The U of M Club of Bay City - Thursday, April 15, 2010

The Bangor Township Friends of the Arts Scholarship - Friday, April 16, 2010

Michigan Sugar Company - Albert Flegenheimer Memorial Scholarship and Phil Brimhall Memorial Scholarship - April 21, 2010

Ayn Rand Essay Contest - Monday, April 26, 2010

Donald C. and Helene Marienthal McCabe Charitable Foundation – Friday, April 30, 2010

SEAMPLINER’S PROM FASHION SHOW:

Sempliner’s will hold auditions for juniors and seniors who wish to participate in the prom fashion show on **Thursday, March 18** during lunch hour. The fashion show will be on **Wednesday, March 24** at the State Theatre.

SENIORS:

Any Senior who has not yet turned in your application to SVSU; you are still guaranteed admission through **Friday, April 2**. Please bring your application to your counselor and the \$25 fee will be waived.

Just a reminder that the Senior Exam Exemption guidelines began on **Monday, January 25**. To view the exemption guidelines, [CLICK HERE](#).

Seniors - Trying to finance your college education? Remember to look at the John Glenn Counseling Scholarship website for local, state, and national websites. You may have updates e-mailed directly to you - ask your counselor for details.

SPRING BREAK:

Spring Break will be **Saturday, March 27 through Sunday, April 4**. School will resume on **Monday, April 5**.

SUMMER CAMP:

LITE (Lives Improve Through Engineering), Kettering University, Flint MI

During LITE you will be introduced to what engineers do and how they significantly improve lives by applying math, science and technology to human problems. There will also be numerous activities such as a trip to Cedar Point; a Dance; Go Karts; Putt Putt Golf; a visit to the Children's Museum and more

Deadline to register is April 13, 2010; Camp will be July 18 - July 30

Criteria: Open to Female Students who will be seniors in fall of 2010. The application process is competitive and you must have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher.

Applications are available at www.kettering.edu/lite

There is a \$500 cost to attend - financial aid is available

TALENT SHOW:

The mandatory dress rehearsal will be **Wednesday, March 24**. The evening Academy Awards/Talent Show is **Thursday, March 25**. The school performance is **Friday, March 26**. If you have any questions, see Ms. Hoffman.

YEARBOOKS:

Get your pictures in the yearbook! The Yearbook Staff invites students and parents to submit photos for the yearbook. If you've got great photos of school and community events or you and your friends just having fun, we'd like to see them. Our photographers can't be everywhere. Help us get as many photos as possible to create a terrific book everyone will want to have.

Here is how you can submit photos online:

- Go to: <https://images.jostens.com/login>
- If it does not automatically log you into the site, enter username: **400001234** and password: **bobcats**
- Browse to select the photo(s) you wish to upload.
- Enter information about the photo and provide contact information in case the staff needs additional information.
- Click "Save Details".

It's that easy! Submit your photos today! The last day to submit photos is **Friday, June 11, 2010**.