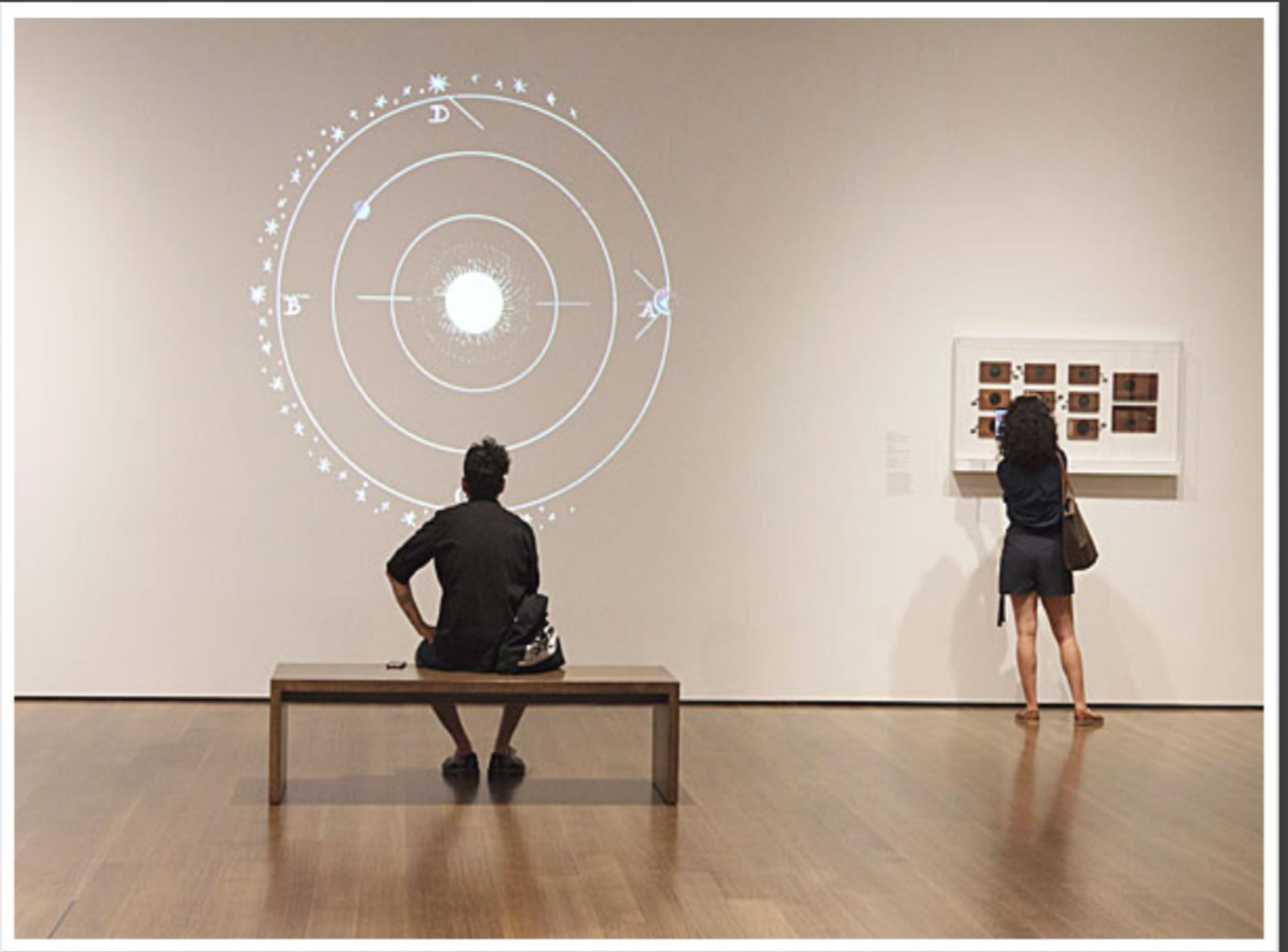


Showcasing the
Performing - Visual Arts
&
Science Research
Programs
at
Briarcliff High School

Debora French, Principal

Daniel Murphy,
Assistant Principal

November 14, 2017



"The most beautiful thing we can experience is the mysterious. It is the source of all true art and science." Albert Einstein

The Enduring Relationship of the Arts & Science

Transferable Skills in
Academics and Life

Creativity
Confidence
Problem Solving
Perseverance
Focus
Communication(Verbal/Non-verbal)
Reflection
Collaboration
Dedication
Accountability



Concert ~ College Band



Concert ~ College Orchestra



Concert ~ College Chorus



College Dance



BHS Concert/College Ensembles



Concert ~ College Band

BHS Concert/College Ensembles



Concert ~ College Chorus

BHS Concert/College Ensembles



Dance Concert

BHS Concert/College Ensembles

Concert ~ College Orchestra



BHS Concert/College Ensembles

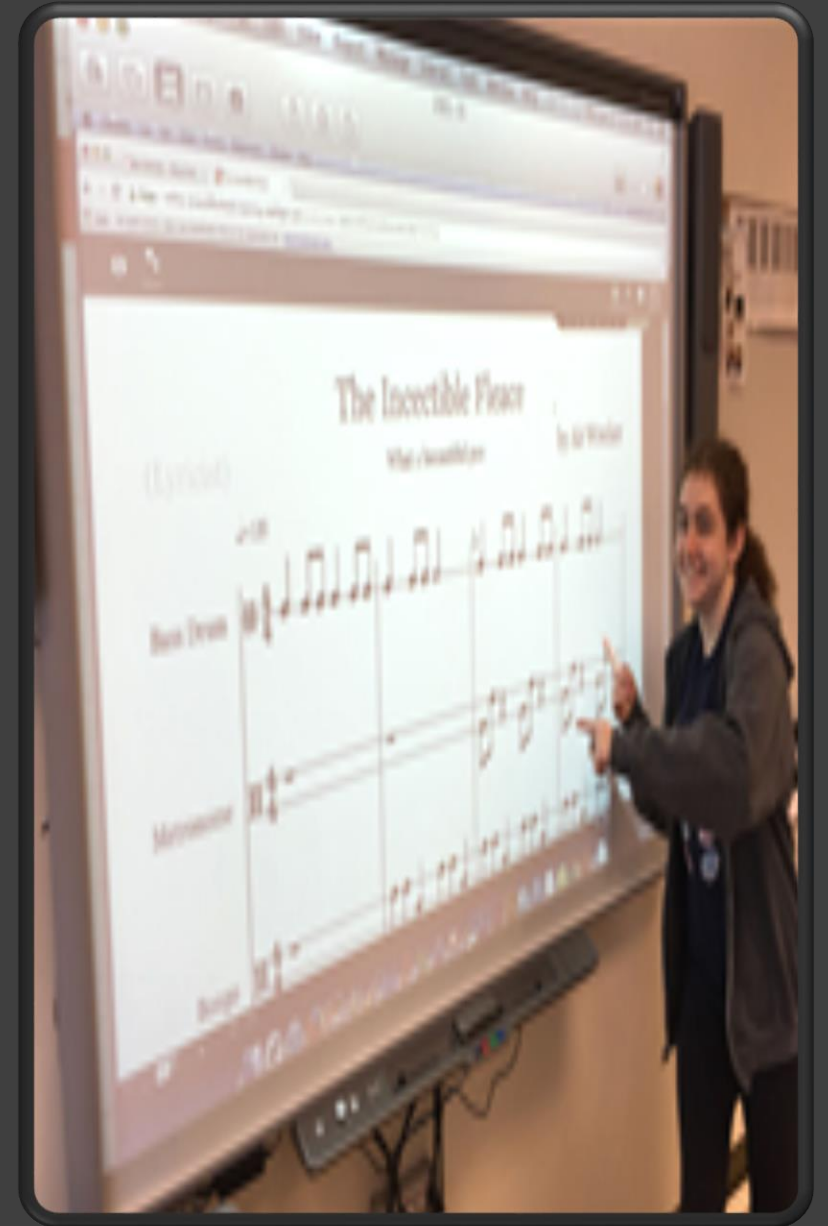


BHS Concert & College Band

DIGITAL MUSIC LAB INSPIRES COMPOSERS

Briarcliff High School music students have been using cloud-based music learning platform MusicFirst to enhance their learning.

“For digital music students in high school, the software empowers them to compose and engage in higher order musical activities even though they may not have traditional musical skills,” teacher Marc Tartell said. “For my high school band, MusicFirst provides resources for listening, recording performances, composition and theory.”



BAND BONDING

- Band Field Trips - West Point workshop and campus tour
- Guest conductor workshops – Curt Ebersole, Director Westchester Symphonic Winds
- Westchester Symphonic Winds concerts - guest invitations for band members and families
- NYSSMA Solo Festival Participation, Area-All State Participation
- Intermediate All County Participation
- Senior High All-County Jazz Band Participation
- Conference All-State Participation
- Jazz Band Club
- High School Musical Pit Band
- BHS Graduation Ceremony





BHS Concert & College Chorus

Self-confidence, Hard work, Resiliency

Creativity | Confidence | Problem Solving | Perseverance | Focus | Communication(Verbal/Non-verbal) | Reflection | Collaboration | Dedication | Accountability



BHS Chorus in NYC & Boston



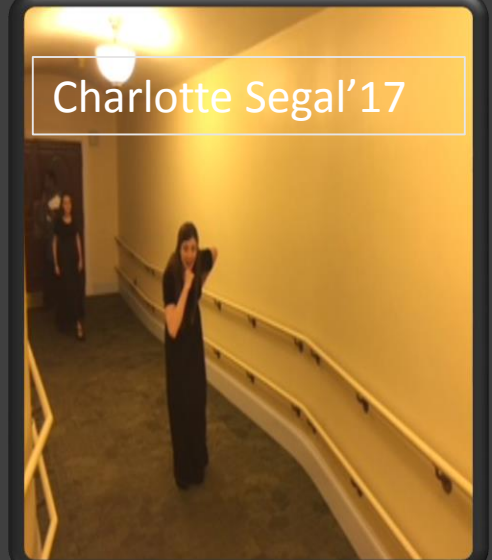
A Night at the Opera: *Madame Butterfly*



BHS choral students selected for ACDA South American Repertoire Choir in Boston's Jordan Hall.



Andres Sanchez'17



Charlotte Segal'17

Tri-M Induction 2017 Modern Music Masters



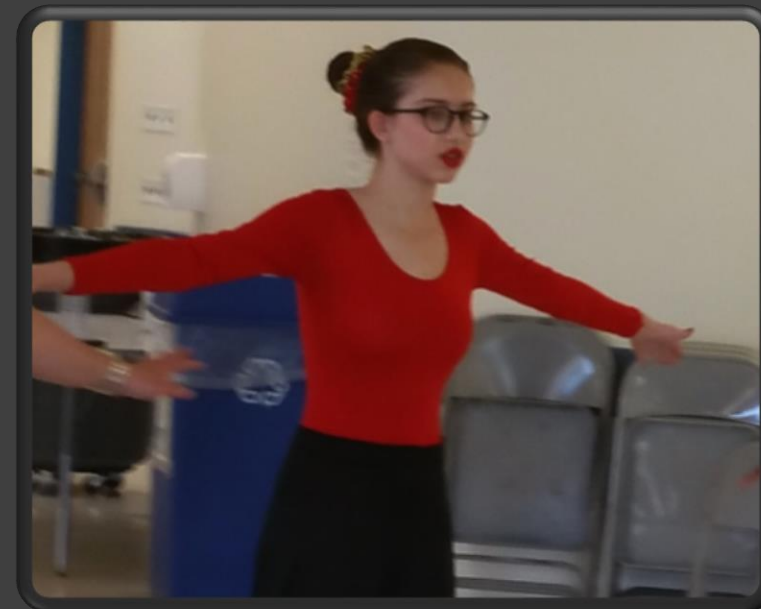
CHORAL ENCORE

- BHS Graduation Ceremony
- ACDA All-National Honors Chorus, Minneapolis, MN , Grapevine TX.
- Annual MLK Performances at BHS and Bethlehem Baptist Church, Ossining, NY.
- NYSSMA Choral Solos
- Briarcliff Singers
- BHS Opera Project (OPAB)
- All-Eastern Orchestra and Women's Choir, respectively, in Atlantic City, NY.
- Area-All State Choral Performances, SUNY Purchase
- Overnight Trips for Spring Music Festivals(Boston, Philadelphia)
- Broadway Musical Enrichment Trips: *Miss Saigon*
- Five 2017 graduates accepted to Music Conservatories

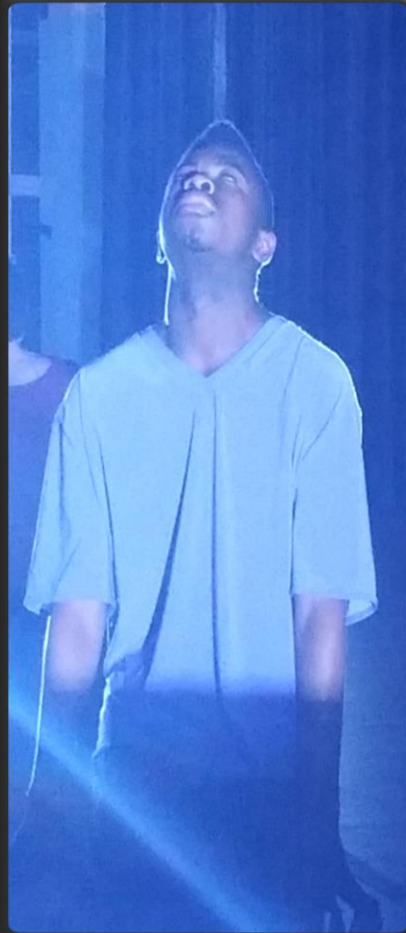


Briarcliff HS College Dance Ensemble

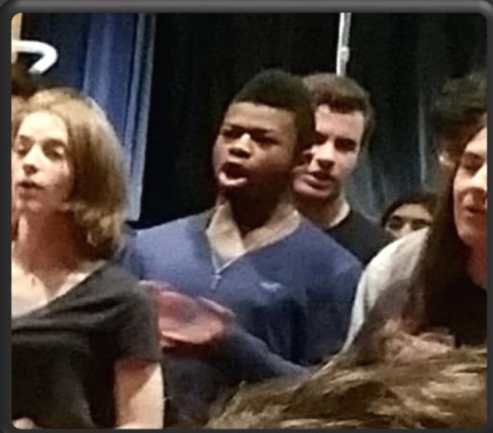




Creativity & Expression



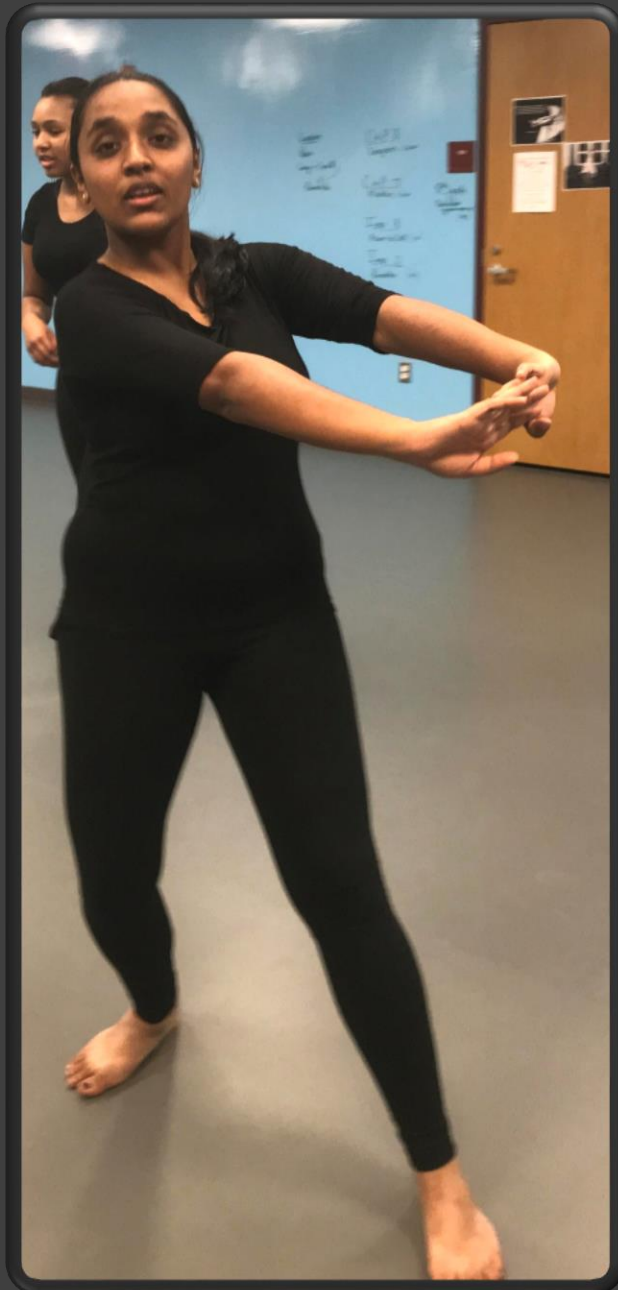
Exploring



Envisioning







BEYOND THE DANCE FLOOR

- Bi-Annual Dance Concerts: Winter and Spring grades 6-12
- National Honor Society for Dance Arts
- Field Trips:
 - Westchester County Center's *The Nutcracker*
 - SUNY Purchase Performing Arts Workshops
 - Logrea Anniversary Presentation
 - Steffi Nossen Choreographer's Showcase 11/2015
 - SUNY Albany Dance & Physics Presentation/Workshop 12/2016
- PTA Reflection Award Contest for Choreography
- National Water Dance Project - 2014, 2016

BHS Concert & College Orchestra



Teamwork, Organization, Self-Discipline



Creativity | Confidence | Problem Solving | Perseverance | Focus | Communication(Verbal/Non-verbal) | Reflection | Collaboration | Dedication | Accountability

Orchestral Reprise

- Winter and Spring Concerts
 - Graduation Ceremony
 - Annual Senior Citizen Valentine Luncheon
 - Trip to NY Philharmonic at Lincoln Center
- Opportunities for participation in the following:
- All-County Orchestra (WCSMA)
 - Area All-State Orchestra (WCSMA)
 - All-State Orchestra (NYSSMA)
 - All-Eastern Orchestra
 - Chamber Orchestra Music Group
 - Pit Orchestra for Spring Musical
 - NYSSMA Solo and Ensemble participation
 - NYSSMA Majors participation
 - Argus String Quartet & Master Class
 - Caramoor Center for the Arts

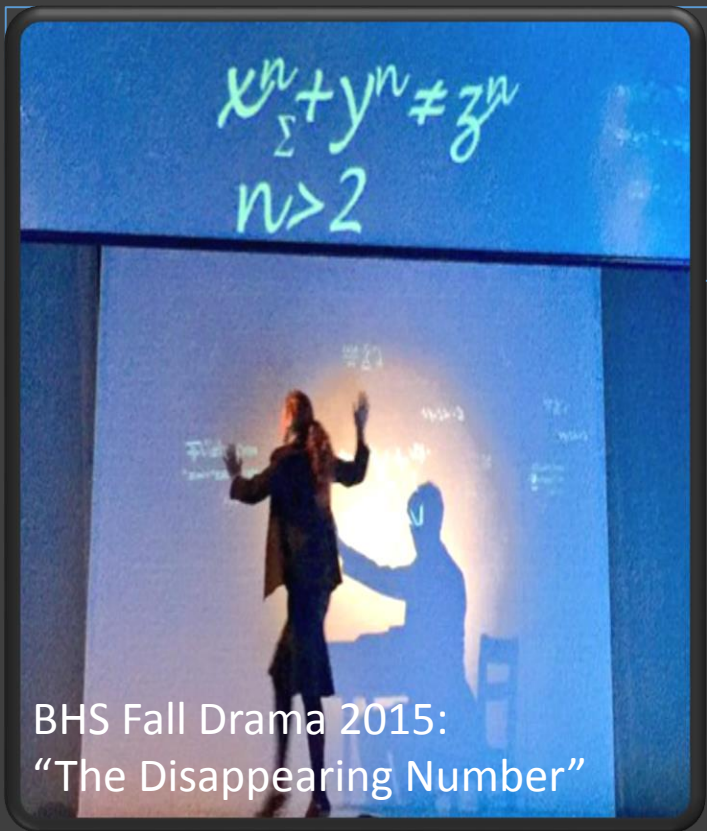


BHS Theater Arts



Dramatic Expression,
Interpersonal Awareness,
Reflection





BHS Fall Drama 2015:
"The Disappearing Number"



BHS Fall Drama 2016
"Around the World in 80 Days"



BHS Spring 2017 Musical: "The Boys from Syracuse"



BHS Fall 2014
Drama The
Tempest



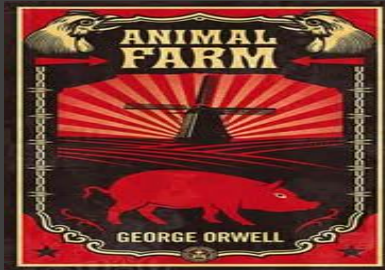
PLAYBILL®



BHS Spring Musical 2016:
"Cinderella"

“Animal Farm”

BHS Fall Drama 2017



Spring 2018: *How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying*





College Introduction to Theater BHS Bear Bones Theater: Original Student Skits

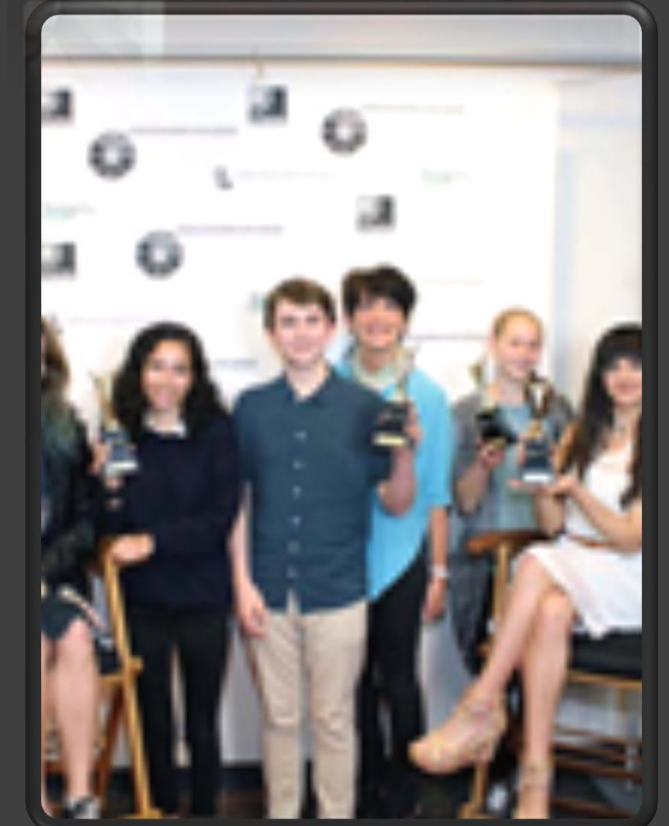
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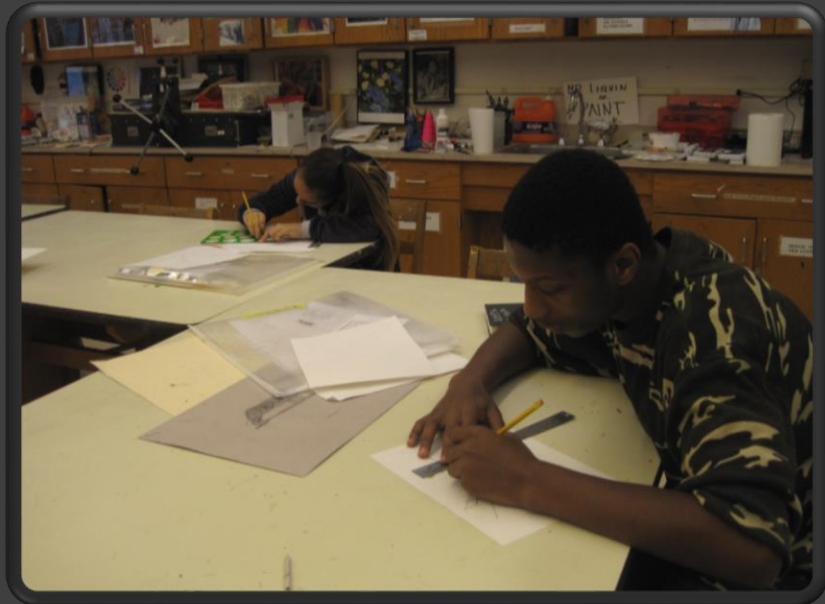


Creating Thoughts and Expression College Introduction to Film & Digital Editing

CURTAIN CALLS & BEHIND THE CAMERA

- NYS Theater Education Weekend
- Broadway Show
- Mentor Roles for MS Musical
- Metro Awards
- Professional Theater Artist Collaboration
- NBC Field Trip
- Student Produced Promotional Videos for Fall/Spring Productions
- Hendrick Hudson Film Festival
- The Picture House Film Festival
- Future Filmmakers





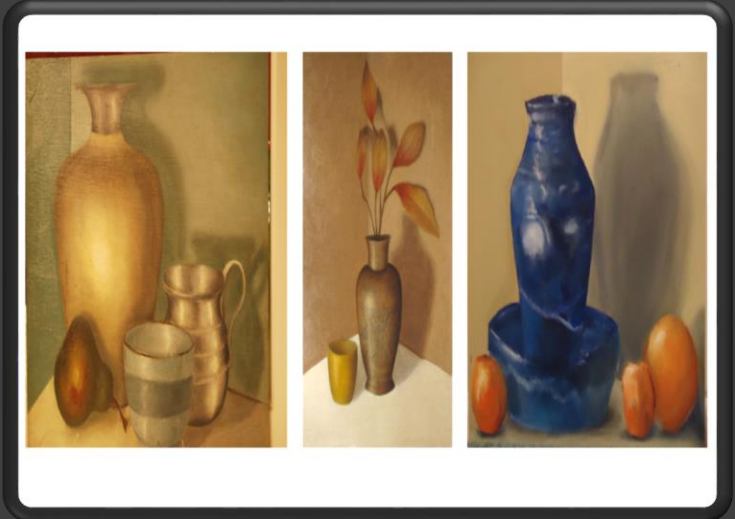
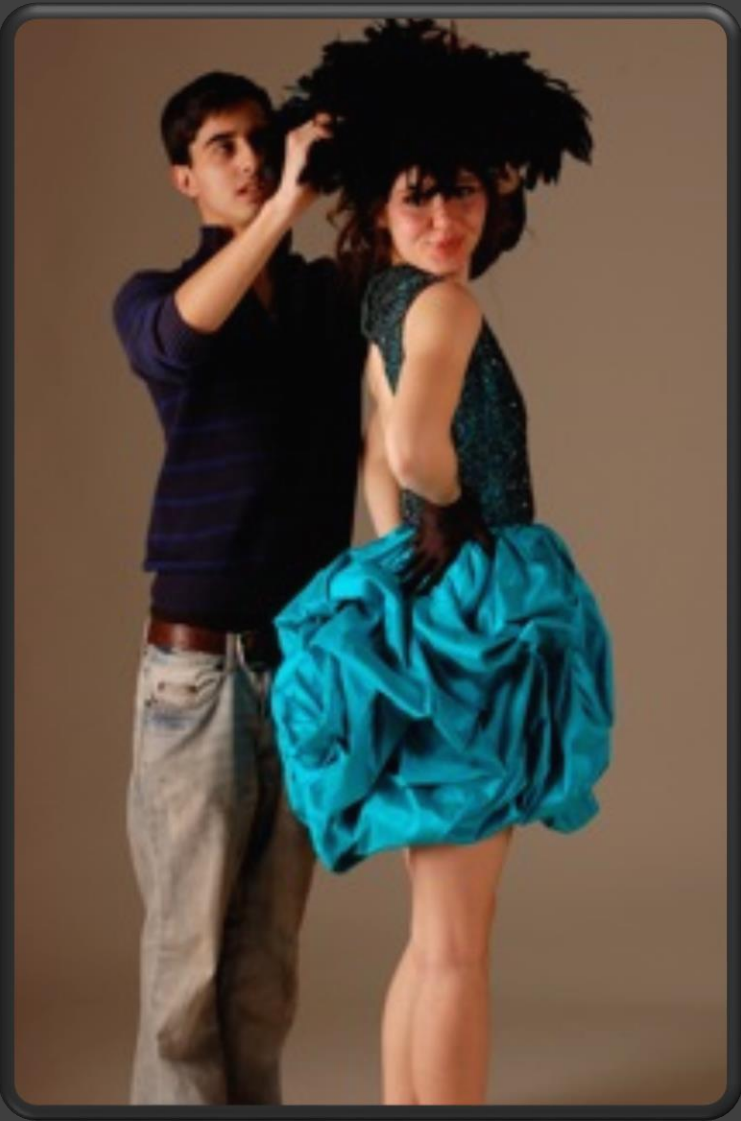
VISUAL ARTS PROGRAM

Creativity | Confidence | Problem Solving | Perseverance | Focus | Communication(Verbal/Non-verbal) | Reflection | Collaboration | Dedication | Accountability

BHS Visual Arts Faculty Member
Taylor Reno
Pocantico MS '04
BHS '08



Ceramics, Drawing,
Photography, Painting,
Photography, Sculpture,
Studio in Art



Designing & Creating






BRIARCLIFF HIGH SCHOOL DEPARTMENT OF VISUAL ARTS
PRESENTS

ART SALON 2014

AN EXHIBITION OF PAINTING, PHOTOGRAPHY, DRAWING,
CERAMICS AND FILM SHORTS

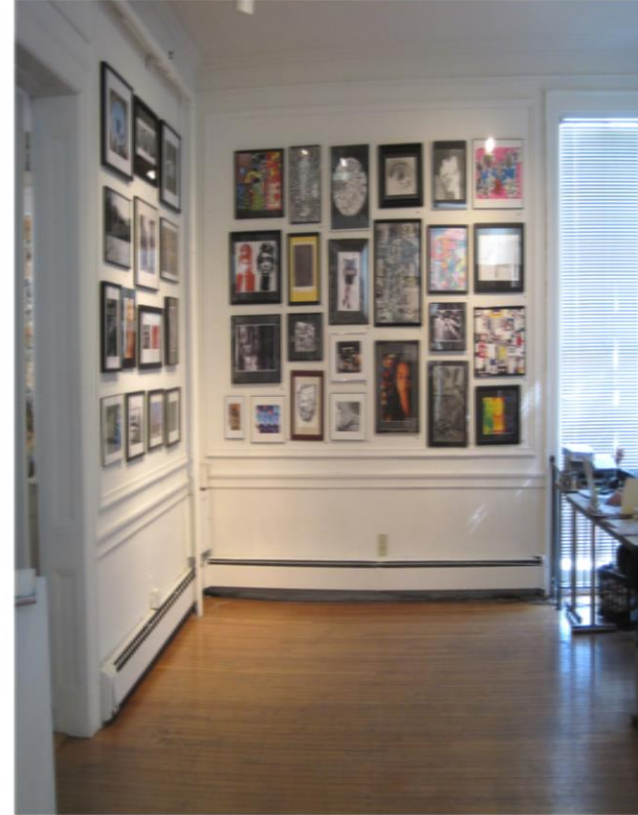


APRIL 10TH 2014
6 - 8 PM

SLEEPY HOLLOW COUNTRY CLUB
777 ALBANY POST ROAD
BRIARCLIFF MANOR, NY 10510

GUEST SPEAKER WILL BE VINCENT DESIDERIO, ARTIST

THE EXHIBITION CONTINUES WITH A SURVEY OF
BRIARCLIFF STUDENT ARTWORK
ON WED. APRIL 23TH IN THE CONCERT AUDITORIUM LOBBY
AT BRIARCLIFF HIGH SCHOOL





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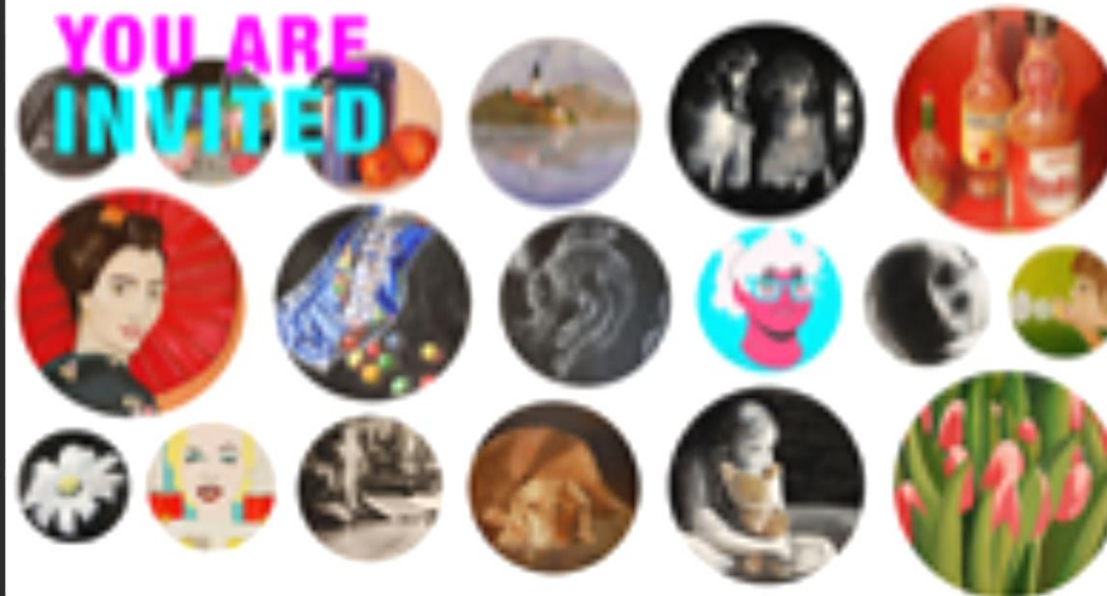
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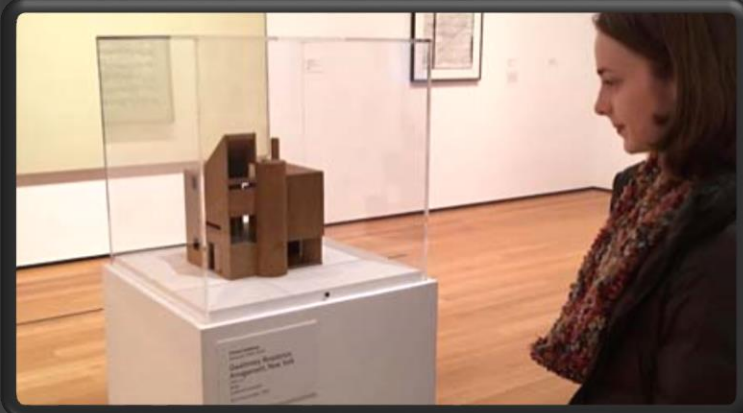
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777 ALBANY POST ROAD, BRIARCLIFF MANOR, NY 10510

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YOU ARE
INVITED





EXPLORING THE PALETTE

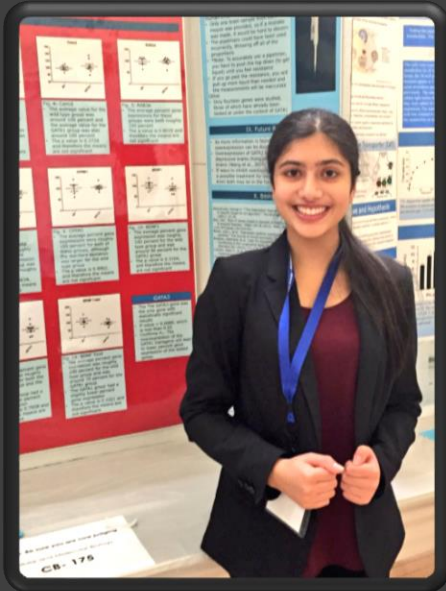
- MOMA
- Art National Honor Society
- Scholastic Arts & Writing Awards
- BHS Hosts Annual Arts & Music Festival
- Young Artist Exhibition Competition at Katonah Museum of Art
- Artist in Residence
- National Portfolio Day @ SUNY Purchase
- Aldridge Museum
- Osilis Gallery Student Art Exhibition, Concordia College

BHS Science Research Program

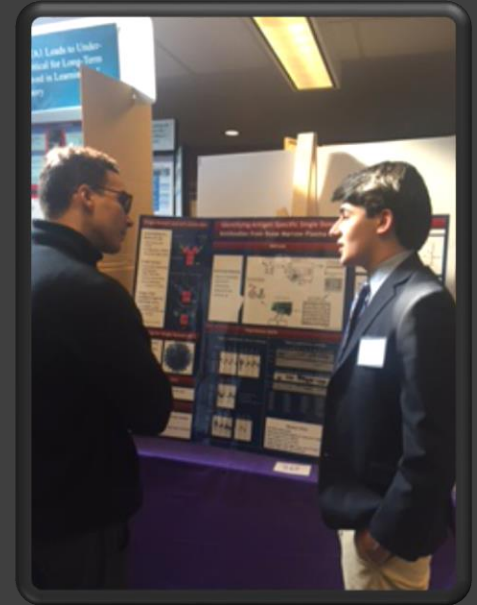
“Research is formalized curiosity. It is poking and prying with a purpose”.

Zora Neale Hurston in “Dust Tracks On A Road”





Confident Thinking & Problem Solving



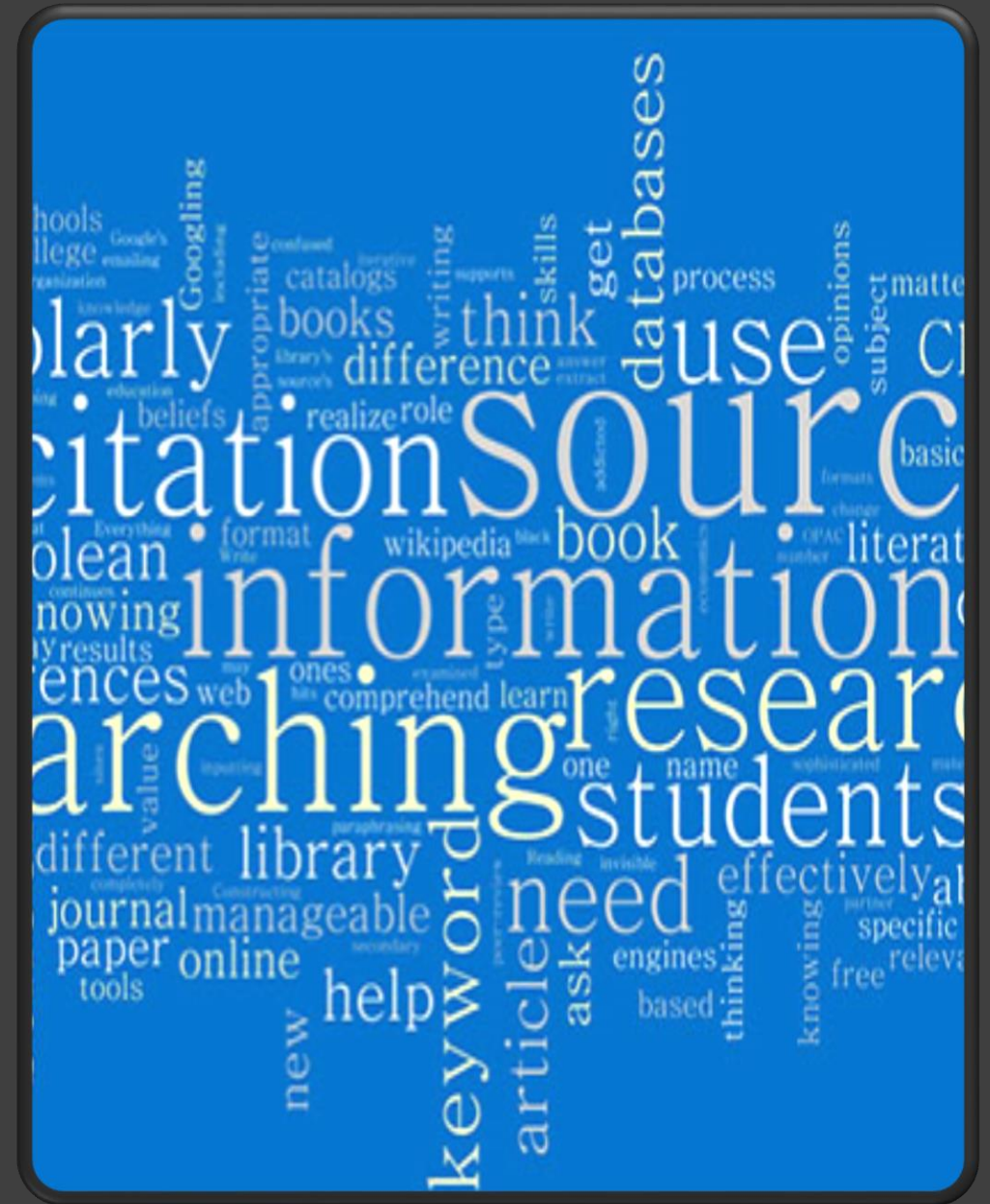
Pocantico Students' Scholarly Research Topics

- Wolf Conservation
- Lying Deception
- Zebra Finch Vocalization
- Artificial Intelligence
- Nutritional Science
- Alternative Energy/Fuel Sources
- Bioluminescence
- FBN1 cells to understand Lip Dystrophic Syndrome at Regeneron
- Elephant Behavior
- Primatology
- Biomimicry
- Marine Biology



Science Research Thesis Presentational Opportunities

- Acorda Science Award (can be won at any time in the year it is a monthly opportunity sponsored by Acorda Pharmaceuticals)
- Siemens
- Regeneron STS
- Neuroscience Award
- JSHS (can lead to next round in Albany JSHS)
- WESEF Westchester Engineering and Science Fair
- ISEF (must qualify through WESEF) International Engineering Fair
- I-SWEEEP (Must qualify through WESEF or through I-SWEEEP itself) International Sustainable World Energy, Engineering and Environment Project Olympiad)
- Tri-State
- Westlake (10th grade opportunity to understand and prepare for competition moving forward)
- ACM/CSTA Cutler-Bell High School Computing Award



Inspiration

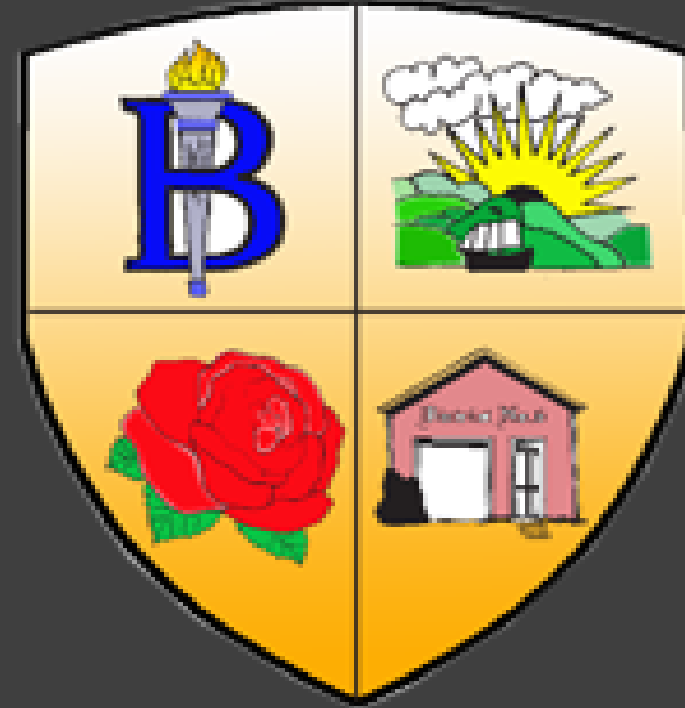


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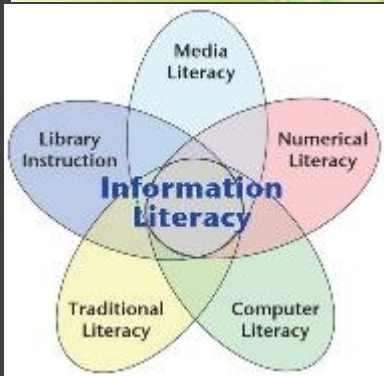
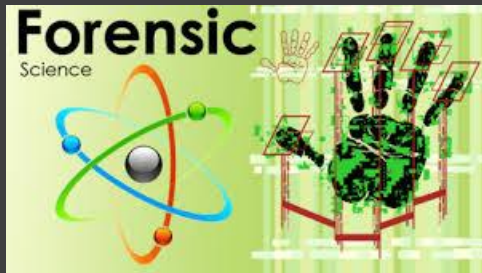
ACADEMICS AT BRIARCLIFF HIGH SCHOOL

- 146 Different Course Offerings
- Advanced Courses
 - 22 Advanced Placement Courses
 - 39 College Accredited Courses
 - 11 Honors Level Courses
- Briarcliff Manor Science Research Program
- Academic Supports/Data Analysis
- Transitional Advisory Program (TAP)
- Senior Internship Program



Average class size ratio in content subject areas is approximately 19:1

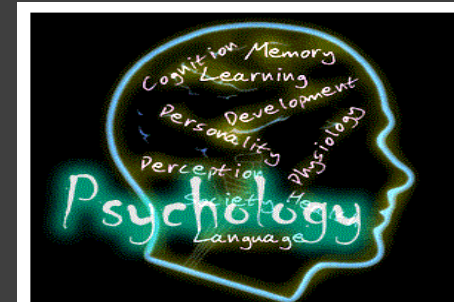
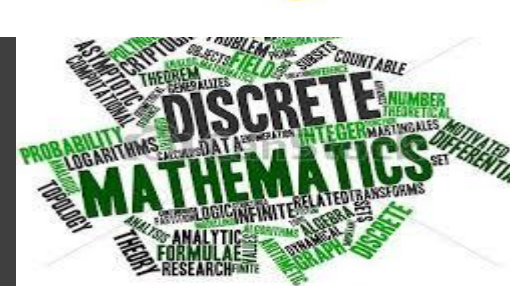
ELECTIVES AT BRIARCLIFF HIGH SCHOOL



Music



Fall 2018



BRIARCLIFF H.S. EDUCATORS-STUDENTS

Briarcliff High School

Tap the
Power
of
Mindfulness



- Teaching skills to have more attentive and emotionally balanced students.
- The outcomes are tangible, lifelong coping skills that support all children:
 - Emotional Regulation
 - Attentional Control
 - Self-Awareness





SOCIAL~ EMOTIONAL SUPPORTS

- Mindfulness Training for BHS Educators prior to school year beginning.
- Freshman Orientation Program: Senior Mentor Guidance & Transitions.
- Community Service Component: Personal satisfaction of “giving back”.
- Clinicians arrange “Newcomers’ Groups”.
- DBT: Dialectical Behavior Therapy (DBT) group – weekly meetings focus on mindfulness, de-stress, tolerance, emotional regulation, and interpersonal skills.
- RTI Team/Clinicians (Weekly meetings with counselors, administrators, psychologist, social workers, student assistance counselor).
- Attendance Matters Program: monitors tardiness, absenteeism, team provides intervention plans with families.
- Fitness Center is open 3:00-5:00p.m. Mon-Thurs. for all students. Developing mind/body.



B.H.S. LIFE BEYOND THE CLASSROOM!



Encouraging a sense of belonging!

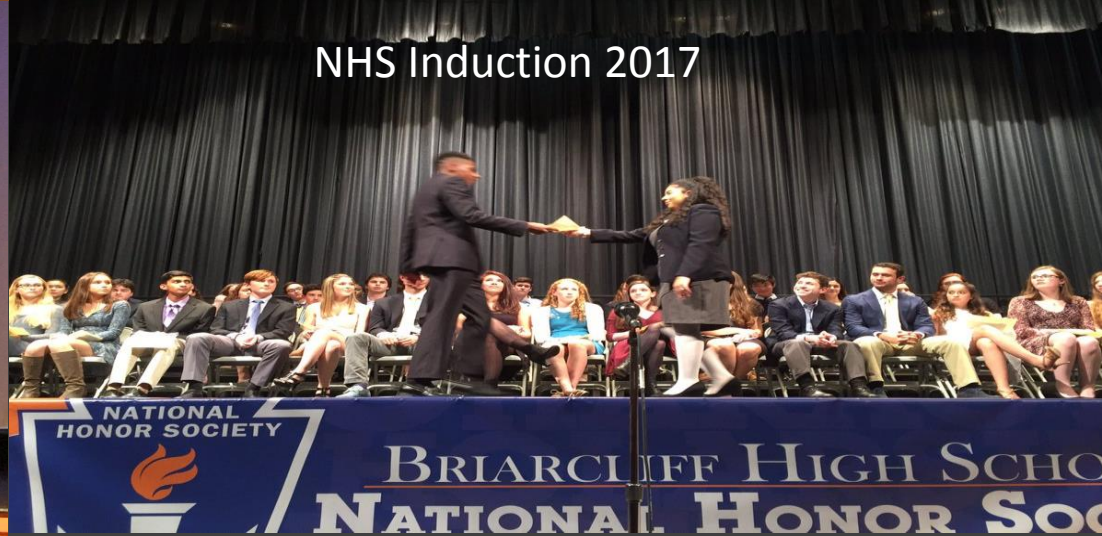


Snapshots of BHS Student Life

Pep Rally



MLK Celebration 2017



NHS Induction 2017



Prom 2017 @ Mamaroneck Beach & Yacht



BHS Spirit & Pride



BHS Soccer 2017



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B.H.S. ATHLETIC TEAMS

Boys Sports Teams

- Modified Football
- Varsity Football
- JV Soccer
- Varsity Soccer
- Varsity Cross Country
- JV Basketball
- Varsity Basketball
- Varsity Ice Hockey
- Varsity Swimming
- JV Tennis
- Varsity Tennis
- Varsity Cross Country/ Track
- JV Baseball
- Varsity Baseball
- JV Lacrosse
- Varsity Lacrosse
- Varsity Golf



Girls Sports Teams

- JV Soccer
- Varsity Soccer
- JV Field Hockey
- Varsity Field Hockey
- Varsity Cheerleading
- Varsity Swimming
- JV Tennis
- Varsity Tennis
- Varsity Cross Country
- Varsity Track
- JV Basketball
- Varsity Basketball
- JV Softball
- Varsity Softball
- JV Lacrosse
- Varsity Lacrosse
- Varsity Golf
- JV Volleyball
- Varsity Volleyball
- Varsity Cheerleading

BHS PE/Health Faculty Member
Pocantico MS '1999 and BHS '03



Rob Hagle



Jason Oppong '17

BHS CO-CURRICULAR CLUBS



Academic Challenge	Family First	Model UN
American Red Cross	Finance Club	National Honor Society
Art National Honor Society	Food for Thought	Newspaper-Bulletin
Asian Club	French Club	Pediatric Cancer Foundation Club
Bear Bones Theatre	Future Film Makers Club	Songs for a Cause
Bellatones	Gay Straight Alliance	Spanish Club
Books Are Great	Girl Up	Special Olympics Club
Briarcliff Singers	Habitat for Humanity	Sports Broadcasting
Briars & Ivy	HS/MS Music Makers	Stand Together Against Racism
Chamber Music Group	Interact Club	Student Coalition Human Dig.
Chemistry Club	Jazz Band	Student Government
Chess Club	Mathletes	Tri-M Honor Society
Code Cafe Club	Math Honor Society NYS	VAASA/SADD
Dance Arts NHS	Mock Trial	World of Difference
Debate Club		Writers Circle
Engineering Club		Yearbook



BRIARCLIFF HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 2017



*"Our lives are before us.
Our paths are behind us.
Our memories are forever with us".*

Anonymous

Questions and Conversation...

