

# NEWS<sup>2023</sup> LETTER

BHSWCA

May



## THE GREEN TEAM

While the seniors strive toward their new journeys, they are helping keep our planet safe and our school green! Let's all help them by keep our environment clean as they present healthy recycling habits. With your participation and support we can do our part to save the planet!

## PARENT ENGAGEMENT

The Restorative Justice team collaborated with parents and our parent coordinator, Ms. Clark, to have a session uplifting each other for Women's History Month. They shared bath salts & oils to use for mental health and wellness self-care techniques.



## PARENT LEADER MEETING

On April 27, 2023 The parents and leaders of District 8, 10 & 11 were invited to sit with Superintendent Ms.Fia Davis, where she discussed upcoming events and changes within our district.

Dear BHSWCA Family,

On May 2, 2023. It was our pleasure to welcome our Deputy Superintendent to our school community. He visited Ms. Cuuithers/Silverman, Mr. Ellis/Labrador, Ms. Green, Ms. Taylor, Student council and the Instructional Leadership Team. The visit went well as he moved from room to room seeing children engaged in learning stations/learning centers that were of interest to them. It is my judgment that the Deputy Superintendent gained tremendous knowledge of our school community and strong teaching practices he observed. All of us at BHSWCA thank the kids, families and educators from those classes for their exemplary service as models of academic excellence.

We will begin this month by celebrating our wonderful staff and recognizing all mothers. The second week of May (the week of May 8 - 12) is Staff Appreciation Week. One of the nicest gifts a scholar or parent/caregiver can give a staff member is a letter of appreciation for a staff member's file or a card. I accept letters throughout the school year and during the summer so please feel free to send these in at your convenience.

Thank you to those parents/caregivers who completed the School Survey. The responses from this survey are used to establish priorities for the school like how we can improve communication to parents/caregivers, enrich the existing curriculum and ensure that the learning environments are inclusive for all scholars.

Please note that we are actively recruiting for the Fall 2023 school year. If your child who currently attends BHSWCA has any younger siblings or family members that will be entering High School this year or next year, please spread the good word about our school community. Tell a friend, to tell a friend about the great things happening in our school community.

Our staff is truly committed to supporting each and every student's individual needs. Our community is dedicated to increasing student achievement. All staff members at BHSWCA support the vision, goals and purpose of progressive education. Our teachers are dedicated professionals and always operate with the best intentions towards our kids. I am honored to have the teaching staff, we have here at Bronx High School for writing and Communication Arts.

We want to wish all moms a very wonderful Mother's Day on Sunday, May 14th.

There will be no school for scholars on Monday, May 29th in observance of Memorial Day. Thank you to all families who have lost a loved one or who has a loved one currently serving in the armed services on behalf of our country. We recognize the sacrifice that families make in support of loved ones who serve.

# Looking Ahead

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 Optical Vision Exam	2 Deputy Supt. Visit	3	4	5 1st Marking Period Ends <small>Cinco de Mayo</small>	6 Saturday Tutoring Academy 9am-12pm
7	8 PA Meeting 5pm zoom	9 AP English Language EXAM 8AM Virtual Parent Workshop	10	11 Report Cards Distributed	12 College Decision Day Senior Celebration!	13 Saturday Tutoring Academy 9am-12pm
14 <small>Mother's Day</small>	15 Mock Regents Living Env Parent Wkshp	16 Mock Regents US History PA Elections	17 Mock Regents Global History	18 Mock Regents Algebra	19 Student Council Wax Museum Trip	20 Saturday Tutoring Academy 9am-12pm
21	22 Reward Trip Villa Roma Resort	23 Virtual Parent workshop	24	25 11th grade Monroe College Trip	26 Campus AP/College Now Fair	27
28	29 No School <small>Memorial Day</small>	30	31			

## **ATTENDANCE IS KEY!**

Help is here!

Our Parent Coordinator is aiming toward gaining higher success with student Attendance!

Thank you ALL for filling out the schools survey.

It is testing season and students must prepare for Regents and AP exams. It is very important that students are in school every day for the rest of the school year.

There are helpful resources available to help you and your child navigate through these stressful times.

Our School was granted with online workshop's to help you and your child during these difficult times of the school year.

We have 3 workshops left for this season.

Allow us to give you these workshops at your convenience.

Parents please login on and let your voice be heard!

You can have your voice heard by voting in the Education Council Elections. To vote, you will need to sign into your NYC Schools Account (NYCSA). If you do not have an account, it's not too late! Sign up for your NYC Schools Account (NYCSA) today. If you need help signing up to NYCSA, I will guide you through the process.

Please contact Parent Coordinator Jenine Clark to help you, help your child succeed!

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