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A NOTE FROM ADMINISTRATION

Ms. Mary Barba, Assistant Director

Happy Spring STHS Wolfpack!!

It's hard to believe that March has passed and April is now upon us. This takes our first senior class one step closer to graduation. Parents, mark your calendars!! **Graduation will be held on Friday, June 1st, 9:00 a.m., at Nova Southeastern University.** Invitations and more information will be coming to you shortly. In the meantime, seniors will be enjoying GRAD BASH and preparing for the first STHS Prom. This is very exciting!

We completed the Florida State Assessment (FSA) in Writing on March 7th, but this is only one part of the FSA English Language Arts exam. We still have the Reading FSA coming up on May 1st.

It's important to understand that passing this exam is a graduation requirement. This is why we are working so hard to prepare our students to be successful. After school focused ELA/Reading tutoring is still available during the 5th block. Your child is welcome to stay and get extra support leading up this important exam. With EOC's, Reading FSA's, and AP exams rapidly approaching, we need students in class, and on time, each and every day throughout the remainder of the school year. Please help us achieve this goal.



I would like to recognize *Renee Bailey*, *Viviana Tijerino*, *Sierra Richardson*, & *Frances Aldana* who each received an award from the district as outstanding Senior Leaders. The Outstanding Senior Leader Program recognizes public high school seniors who have achieved excellence in both the classroom and as student leaders. Congratulations to these wonderfully talented seniors.

To ensure your child comes to school prepared, the schedule for May is as follows:

<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>
MAY	1 FSA ELA Reading 9th/10th grade	2 US History EOC 11th/12th grade	3 ELA Makeup	4 ELA Makeup
7 AP Psychology 12 - 3:30 p.m.	8 AP Spanish 8 - 11:30 a.m.	9 AP Literature/Comp 8 - 11:30 a.m. Algebra 1 & Geometry EOC Day #1	10 AP Environmental Science 12 - 3:30 p.m. Algebra 1 & Geometry EOC Day #2	11 AP U.S. History 8 - 11:30 am AP Computer Science Principles 12 - 3:30 p.m.
14	15 AP Calculus 8 - 11:30 a.m.	16 AP Language/Comp 8 - 11:30 a.m. AP Macroeconomics 12 - 3:30 p.m.	17	18 AP Human Geography 8 - 11:30 a.m.
21 Drama Club Induction Ceremony	22 NHS Induction Mu Alpha Theta Induction Senior Awards Night (Signature Grand)	23 Final Exams for Seniors Only Blocks 1 & 2	24 Final Exams for Seniors Only Blocks 3 & 4	25 Teacher Planning day PROM
28 NO SCHOOL	29 Senior Breakfast (pick up cap & gown)	30	31 Graduation Rehearsal	JUNE 1 GRADUATION DAY @ Nova Southeastern Univ. 9:00 a.m.

Thank you for your continued support. It truly makes a difference!

DATES OF INTEREST

April 12th

Report Cards Issued

browardschools.com/calendars

GUIDANCE ADVICE

Ms. Felicia Rattray, Senior Counselor

College Fair & Exposition



Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated is an international service organization that was founded on the campus of Howard University in Washington, D.C. in 1908. Having served the community for 108 years, it is the oldest Greek-lettered organization established by African-American college-educated women. Alpha Kappa Alpha women give their time, talents and resources to meet the needs of their communities throughout the South Atlantic Region.

On April 28, 2018, join us as we host representatives from historically Black Colleges and Universities from all over the United States. Young participants will be exposed to the many benefits of attending HBCUs and introduced to

distinguished alumni. Please click [here to view flyer](#) and [here to view Eventbrite](#).

Sheridan Foundation Scholarship



The Sheridan Foundation Scholarship Fund awards dollars (a minimum of \$500) to current Sheridan Technical College & Technical High School students who are about to graduate for the purpose of continuing their education at an accredited post-secondary institution. Students will only be able to receive scholarship dollars one time. The criterion for selection is:

- Good moral character and community involvement
- Scholastic aptitude and performance
- Achievement in their technical program, and
- Two recommendations from an instructor, counselor or employer.

Scholarships will be granted for enrollment at an accredited college/university located within the United States and must be expended by June 30, 2019. Funding will be paid directly to the receiving institution for undergraduate studies or professional education & training, not the student. [Please click here to learn more.](#)

BRACE

Ms. Dahlia Orris, BRACE Advisor

Achieve in Medicine



Achieve in Medicine (AIM-High) is a residential medical immersion camp for high-achieving high school students with an interest in the health professions. Directed and implemented by Nova Southeastern University's Dr. Kiran C. Patel College of Osteopathic Medicine (KPCOM), AIM-High creates a unique opportunity for students to engage with KPCOM faculty and medical students, familiarize themselves with the NSU campus, and experience college life at NSU.

AIM-High is a weeklong program that creates an open environment conducive for student-professor interaction and the acquisition of valuable skills and knowledge of various health professions. AIM-High provides students with innovative hands-on exposure to medicine, with experiences ranging from suturing and dissection, disaster medicine drills with first responders, simulation lab rotations with robotic manikins, interactions with standardized patients, wound care with maggots, 3D printing, and emerging technologies in medicine.

The opportunity for AIM-High students to work directly with physicians, health professionals and medical students allows them the opportunity to better understand the field of medicine and the

commitment that is required for success. Please see nova.edu/aimhigh for additional information regarding the application process and scholarship opportunities.

INNOVATIVE LEARNING CENTER



Ms. Michele Rivera,
Digital Learning Specialist
@STHSReads

STHS Celebrates National School Library & Poetry Month



Why Celebrate School Library Programs?

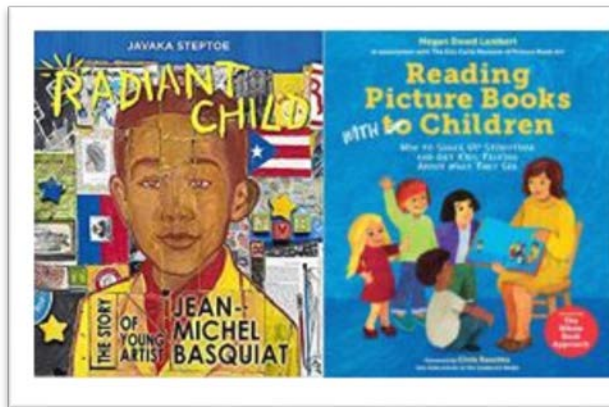
April is an exciting month to observe the role school library programs play for the services and resources they provide to help prepare our students to be successful – today and tomorrow! This celebratory month provides

opportunities across the state, the district, and our school to highlight school library contributions to Florida public education.

Our STHS Innovative Learning Center (school library) – serves as the heart and hub of our school. Given the profound and rapid changes of our highly evolving digital culture and environment, it is our mission to provide students, staff, and families with the physical and virtual (personalized and social) learning spaces that allow learners to discover, uncover, and evaluate essential information. Additionally, cultivating their technological, visual, textual, and digital literacies are crucial to students’ success in the 21st century.

Be sure to check out resources and activities to support National School Library Media/Poetry Month and inspire the love of reading and poetry and on [our ILC Media website](#).

Broward Library Annual Conference on Children's Literature April 28th



This year's 31st Annual Conference on Children's Literature from the Broward Libraries has a focus on "Celebrating the Art of the Picture Book!"

It's April 28 at the Downtown Library and is a FREE EVENT! [Please click here to view flyer.](#)

The morning session, 9-12 will have a focus on educators, parents, librarians and even teens who might be interested in the arts, illustrating, and bookmaking. Javaka Steptoe, author of Radiant Child, will be speaking and performing live demonstrations, along with Megan Dowd Lambert, author of Reading Picture Books with Children, who has worked at the Eric Carle Museum. It promises to be an amazing event!

Teen Readers Compete in District-wide "Battle of the Books"



The STHS “Teen Readers” competed against 14 other Broward County Public High Schools in the 2018 Battle of the Books (BOTB). The Battle of the Books is an academic competition based on the 15 Florida Teens Read award-winning books. The competition, held at South Plantation High School on April 10, 2018, included a morning snack and pizza lunch. The event culminated with an awards ceremony where 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners (South Plantation, Pines Charter, and Taravella, respectively), were recognized

and awarded ribbons. Congratulations to those students!

The STHS students who competed in this event were *Ryan Rowe, Mallicka Joseph, Shakia Lawrence, Chris Lyons, Gali Savuskan, Carrelle Welch, Deja Scott, and Janelle Michel*. Congratulations to these students for coming in 6th place, along with thanks to our BOTB coaches, *Mrs. Rivera, STHS, and Mrs. Joanne Endorf*, STC media specialist. All participants received a participation medal, BOTB shirt, and self-selected novels they get to keep for their own personal libraries.

Office Mix



Website of the Month – TweetMagnets



Celebrate National Poetry Month while inspiring students to create and write poetry using this great web tool! [TweetMagnets](#) gives you many words to write a poem; you simply drag and drop the words on the blue area under the page. You can write up to 120 words. If you need more words, you can swap the words anytime by clicking the widgets on the bottom of the page. When you finish writing your poem, submit it and you will see it live on [TwittMagnets](#) twitter feed.

If you are an Office 365 Mix user then read on! Office Mix “retires” service on May 1, 2018, and you will need to take action to save your content.

Please make sure to migrate all of your content from Office Mix to Microsoft Stream or download your Mixes before May 1 to avoid losing any of your data. At this point, you are no longer able to upload new content to Office Mix in preparation of the May 1st date.

Here is how to migrate your content:

1. Go to mix.office.com > Sign in > Click “My Mixes.”
2. Click “Migrate” to move your Mixes to Microsoft Stream* or manually download your content as PowerPoint files (.pptx).
3. Visit your [Microsoft Stream](#) account to view your Mixes as videos.

What’s going to happen to your account?

On May 1, 2018, any remaining files in your Office Mix Preview account will automatically get deleted. Mises migrated to Microsoft Stream will not include any interactive content such as analytics data, quizzes or apps. If you do not have access to Stream, you can save your Mixes

as PowerPoint files (.pptx), and your analytics data as Excel files (.xlsx) to your device or a file storage location of your choice at any time before May 1, 2018.

Still need help?

If you have questions or need help with your account, please visit our [help article](#) or contact us here: aka.ms/mix-support.

STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOC.

Ms. Wendy Payne

A.P. Literature & English IV Honors

*Broward County Association of
Student Council Annual Project
of the Year*



SGA entered three projects into the Broward County Association of Student Council Annual Project of the Year Competition. The Senior Services Sales was entered for Fundraising, the Supplies for Smiles school supply drive we did for Meadowbrook Elementary at the beginning of the year was entered for Community Service and the new "Wolf Pack Honorarium Garden"

that honors STHS faculty and staff who have either passed away or retired was entered for Faculty and Staff Relations.

LITERATURE

Ms. Wendy Payne

A.P. Literature & English IV Honors

District Level Literary Fair Winners

Congratulations to our 3 District Level Literary Fair Winners:

Lorena Manasturean for her informal essay titled, "Notorious RBG"

Sofia Paz for her fable titled, "In Eli's Eyes"

Natalie Ramos for her Spoken Word Performance titled, "En La Boca del Lobo"

The awards ceremony is April 25 so we will find out then exactly how they placed. We are so proud of their outstanding efforts.

Book Drive

Right before spring break Erin Cuartas, a member of the district's secondary ELA department, passed away. In her memory, the department is starting a district-wide book drive. All donated books will go to local children's hospitals and cancer centers. If you have any children's books or young adult novels in good shape that you would care to donate to this great cause. You may deliver them to Room 161 through the end of May. Thanks in advance for your kindness and generosity.

SPOKEN WORD

Ms. Zsalé Haghghat, aka Ms. Z, Sponsor



The bluapple Poetry Network is gearing up for the [2017-18 Louder Than A Bomb Florida](#) with full expectation of being markedly bigger and better. The fourth-year festival will run from March 26th through April 21st, 2018 and again will feature a wide array of schools from across the state of Florida, with unique exposure to some of the finest facilities in Broward County.

If interested in Spoken Word, LTAB has organized the following community events:

TEAM SEMI-FINALS — Saturday, April 14
[Nova Southeastern University](#)

10A - 7P

Tickets are \$5 each, FREE with student ID Teams; Boca Raton, Fort Pierce, Miami Northwestern, St. Lucie West Centennial, Western, Dunedin, Hollywood Hills, Homestead, Miramar, Wellington, Columbia, Cypress Bay, Flanagan, Stranahan, Fort Lauderdale, MS Douglas, McArthur, Miami Norland & Treasure Coast.

BLOCK PARTY — Sunday, April 15
[The Fountains, Plantation](#)

12-4P

EMERGING TECHNOLOGY IN BUSINESS

Mr. Robert Decker &
Ms. Zsalé Haghghat, aka Ms. Z

MOS Certifications



STHS is proud to be a [showcase school](#) for Microsoft again this year! Our second batch of freshman students have been working toward Microsoft Office Suite (MOS) certification (maximum allowance three per application). We are very proud of our current 74 students. 67 students have earned Word certification on their first attempt, February 20th, 23 have been awarded Outlook certification on the first attempt, April 11th! Over 325 certifications have been earned thus far this schools year by all freshman students; 94% have obtained [Word](#), 88% have earned [PowerPoint](#). Excel is next on the horizon.

In addition to gaining MOS Certifications, our students have been engaged in the following content; Building a Career in e-commerce & Ethical, Legal and Social Responsibilities in Business.

Any students, which have NOT exhausted their three attempts of certifying in any of the MOS applications, please come see Ms. Z sooner than later, so we may schedule a testing date before the end of the year.

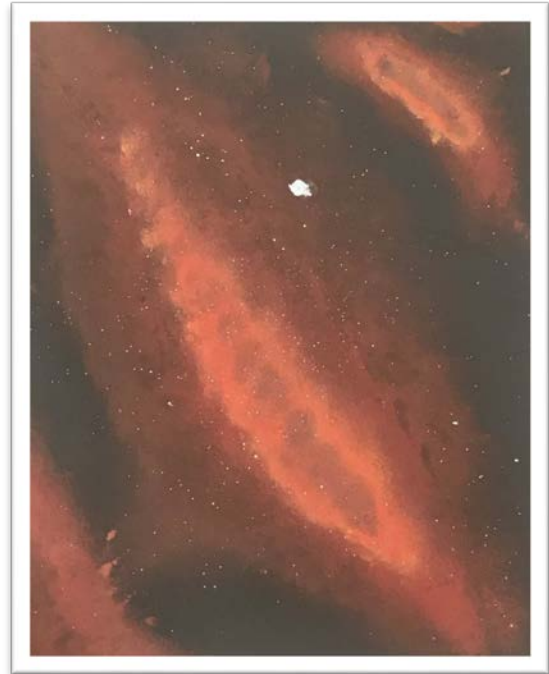
ART CLUB

Mr. Michael Fisher, Sponsor

The Art Club has been inspired to paint the Cosmos. So we set out and researched several painting techniques and viewed some stunning photographs of the Universe. Then we set out to amaze ourselves with these fantastic representations of the deepest reaches of our Universe. Enjoy.



Katana's interpretation.



Jackson's interpretation



Norah's interpretation