

# ZEPHYRHILLS <mark>H</mark>IGH <mark>S</mark>CHOOL

OCTOBER 11, 2019 SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

"Relentless Pursuit of Future Ready" for ALL Bulldogs

#### THE MISSION OF ZHS IS TO PREPARE STUDENTS TO BECOME PRODUCTIVE, RESPONSIBLE CITIZENS AND LIFELONG LEARNERS

# Principal's Message



This is my favorite time of year! The weather is starting to change, the classrooms are bustling with activity, the holiday season is coming soon...there's so much to do. During this busy time of year, I try to remember to be thankful for friends and family and the memories we create. This is also my favorite time of the year because I get to peek ahead at the wonderful things in store for the coming months of the year at Zephyrhills High School.

Academics: Our Bulldogs are moving in to second quarter. Our grade level triad (Assistant Principal, School Counselor, and Graduation Enhancement Coach) meets weekly to review your student's progress. I encourage you to reach out to arrange a parent/teacher conference if you have concerns about your student's progress. On October 29, ZHS will be hosting a Curriculum Night so you can learn more about all of our programs including Advanced Placement, Dual Enrollment, AVID, and more! I want our students to have every opportunity to participate in a varied range of educational experiences so they can begin to determine a potential career or major in college.

<u>Arts:</u> Our award-winning Bulldog band participated in HOT day at USF and had a strong showing, along with hosting our Future Bulldogs for a performance. Our chorus, show choir, musical theater, and piano classes performed recitals for a live audience on October 8. Many of our art students are representing their mastery of the standards through varied projects, drawings, carvings, and creations.

<u>Athletics:</u> Our Cross-Country team has had a strong season with many student-athletes setting Personal Records (PR). Our Girls Volleyball team faced all sorts of opponents this year and battled hard. Our Swim and Dive team competed at a high level and celebrated a solid season. Our Cheer teams hosted the Future Bulldogs and participated in competition. Our JV and Varsity Football teams continue to keep us on the edge of our seats every game!

**<u>Activities:</u>** Our Army JROTC has been busy in our community with Raider competitions, Drill Meets, Community Service, and ceremonial celebrations. Our AVID classes have visited many colleges and hosted several guest speakers. Our National Honor Society students have participated in giving back to the community through volunteer hours. We have so many great things happening and ways for students to be involved! Homecoming is around the corner! The ZHS Homecoming Parade is Thursday, October 24 at 6:30 p.m. in downtown Zephyrhills. This year's theme is "Bulldogs Dancing Through the Decades." On Friday, October 25, ZHS will host Gulf High School for the Homecoming Game. Our Homecoming Dance will be held Saturday, October 26. ZHS will show off our fantastic programs at the Pasco Pathways event on November 21 from 5 to 8 p.m. at Wesley Chapel High School.

ZHS is pleased to partner with you and your family as your student builds skills during this exciting time of varied high school experiences, College and Career exposure, and learning more about becoming "Future Ready"! Share the news about the wonderful things happening at Zephyrhills High School with those around you! We have something for EVERY student!



Dr. Christina Stanley Principal

## Calendar

#### October 2019

- 11 End of Quarter 1
- 14 Teacher Planning Day—No school for students
- 22 Report Cards
- 25 Homecoming Football Game
- 26 Homecoming Dance
- 29 AP/Dual Enrollment/AVID Parent Night

#### November 2019

- 7 Club Photo Day & Senior Panoramic Photo
- 13 Early Release Day
- 15 Progress Reports
- 25 Thanksgiving Break (25-29)

#### December 2019

- 11 Early Release Day
- 20 End of Quarter 2 and Semester 1
- 23 Winter Break—No School (Dec. 23-Jan. 6)

## Yearbook

Order online at yearbookforever.com

**Price: \$65 until November 30** Price will increase after this date

Upcoming Yearbook Photo Dates:

- November 7 Club Photos Senior Panoramic Photo
- January 28 Cap & Gown Photos National Honor Society Photos

You must purchase a Cap & Gown photo package in order to get your picture taken. Exception: all National Honor Society pictures will be taken with cap & gown for the yearbook.



	SAT Test Dates	Official Registration Deadline	Late Fee Registration		
aN	November 2, 2019	October 2, 2019	October 20, 2019		
SE	December 7, 2019	November 7, 2019	November 25, 2019		
	March 14, 2020	February 13, 2020	February 24, 2020		
	May 2, 2020	April 2, 2020	April 20, 2020		
	June 6, 2020	May 6, 2020	May 23, 2020		
	Register at <u>https:</u>	//collegereadiness.collegeboard.org	/sat/register		
	High School Code 101915				
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ACT Test Dates	Official Registration Deadline	Late Fee Registration	
December 14, 2019	November 8, 2019	November 22, 2019	
February 8, 2020	January 10, 2020	January 17, 2020	
April 4, 2020	February 28, 2020	March 13, 2020	
June 13, 2020	May 8, 2020	May 22, 2020	
July 18, 2020	June 19, 2020	June 26, 2020	
Register at <u>http://www.act.org</u>			

## Senior Information—Class of 2020

 Order from Herff Jones for graduation announcements, cap & gown and senior memorabilia. <u>https://highschool.herffjones.com/secom/home</u>

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#### **Baby Pictures & Quotes for Yearbook**

Deadline to submit Senior quotes and baby pictures for the yearbook is **Friday**, **November 1st**. **Visit the "Yearbook" page or the "Seniors - Class of 2020" page for details on how to submit**.

**Quotes:** All quotes will be approved by yearbook adviser before submission in the yearbook.

 Questions regarding yearbook or senior photos? Call Mrs. Jones or Ms. Dawson at ZHS or Leonard's Photography 1-800-215-4852 <u>www.leonards.com</u>

## **Drive 4 UR School**



Drive 4UR School is Friday, Oct. 25 at Jarrett Ford in Dade City. Time is from 9:00 am to 7:00 pm. Please come out and test drive a car or truck. No obligation. You must be at least 18 and have a valid drivers licenses to participate in this event. One driver per household. They will be serving free hamburgers and hot dogs at the event. For each driver that participates, the school receives \$20.



## **School Spirit Shirts**

School Spirit T-shirts are on sale for \$12 & \$15 during lunches and after school. Contact Ms. Benitez, RM 311.



The Zephyrhills High School Student Council is proud to announce the theme for Homecoming 2019 will be **"Bulldogs Journey Through the Decades".** The week will run **October 21-26th.** 

#### The spirit and dress-up days include:

Monday: 'Merica Day - Dress up in your best patriotic gear.
Tuesday: Tropical Tuesday - Dress up in your best tropical and beach gear.
Wednesday: Who's Who Day- Students will dress up as a teacher and teachers will dress up as students
Thursday: Character Day - Dress up as a character from your favorite movie, book, or even Meme.
Friday: Spirit Day - Dress up in your best Orange & Black and get ready to shout at the Homecoming pep rally.

The annual **Homecoming Parade** will take place on **October 24th at 6:30pm** in Downtown Zephyrhills.

The decade theme for each class float will be:

Seniors: 1960s Juniors: 1950s Sophomore: 1980s Freshman: 1970s



The Zephyrhills Bulldogs football team will take on Gulf High on Friday, October 25th at 7:30pm for the Homecoming football game. During halftime, the crowing of the 2019 Homecoming court will occur.

The week will conclude with the **Homecoming Dance** on the evening of the **Saturday, October 26th at** 7:00 pm in the Zephyrhills High Activity Center.

\*Homecoming Dance information: Students must have a 2.0 (or better) GPA, 80% (or better) attendance, and 0 Level three referrals to qualify to purchase a dance ticket. These guidelines apply to guests as well. All guest passes must be on this year's updated form. If your student has any questions, please have them see their grade level Assistant Principal, graduation coach, counselor, or Dr. Stanley.

Looking forward to a spirit filled week!



#### **Read This Before Shopping For Homecoming!**

The dress code for the homecoming dance will be semi-formal. This means boys in suits or dress shirts, dress pants and ties. No jeans, tennis shoes, polo shirts or T-shirts. For girls this means dresses or dressy pantsuits. The dresses must meet the school dress code in terms of length, cleavage coverage and must cover the midriff area (no belly buttons showing). No "bubble" dresses will be allowed. These rules apply to the dance and to halftime court presentation.

Regular Bell Schedule		Early Release Bell Schedule	
Period 1	7:20 - 8:15	Period 1	7:20 - 7:55
Period 2	8:20 - 9:10	Period 2	8:00 - 8:35
Academic	9:15 - 9:35	Period 3	8:40 - 9:15
Period 3	9:40 - 10:30	Period 4	9:20 - 9:55
A Lunch	10:30 - 11:00	A Lunch	9:55 - 10:25
4th A Class	11:05 - 11:55	5th A Class	10:30 - 11:05
4th B Class	10:35 - 11:25	5th B Class	10:00 - 10:35
B Lunch	11:25 - 11:55	B Lunch	10:35 - 11:05
Period 5	12:00 - 12:50	Period 6	11:10 - 11:46
Period 6	12:55 - 1:46		
		Scheduled Early Release Days: October 9,	

November 13, December 11, January 15, February 12, March 11, April 8

## JROTC

Our Raider team took 3rd over all out of 6 schools and we competed in 5 events. Our Girls team place 1st in litter carry and 2 place in the obstacle course and 3rd in the tire flip and in one rope bridge. Our male team placed 1st in litter carry and 2nd on the 5K run and 3rd in obstacle course and both teams were 3rd overall.





JROTC pays a special tribute to the 911 Memorial at Zephyr Park

## Mark Your Calendar for Parent Night

#### October 29, 2019: AP/Dual Enrollment/AVID Parent Night

*Everything you need to know about the various enrichment programs available to help your child with college , career and life decisions.* 

- The benefits of AP and DE classes & tools to be successful in AP and DE classes
- AVID: How it ca help you succeed in college

#### November 19, 2019: Financial Aid/FAFSA Parent Night

Get tips on how to get free money

- Scholarships and transitioning from high school to college and career
- FAFSA Workshop: Tips on completing your FAFSA for college or technical school funding
- Herff Jones: Last opportunity to order caps and gowns, rings, etc.

#### April 7, 2020: Rising Juniors and Seniors Parent Night

Everything you need to now about your student's last two years or final year of high school

- Rising Juniors: Graduation requirements, Your 2-Year plan, Grades (MyStudent), Attendance, Scholarships/College Applications
- Rising Seniors: Graduation requirements, ACT/SAT Prep, Your final-year plan, Grades, Attendance, Senior Contract, FAFSA, Scholarships/College Applications

### **Criminal Justice Club**

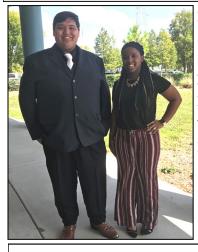


The Criminal Justice Club is proud to announce their officers for this year. The officers attending leadership training in Orlando on September 30th. The Club will be hosting Central Florida Regional Competition on October 11th at PHSC and will be attending State Competition in March 2020.

#### In picture left to right:

Breanne Rood (Vice-President), Grace Hoppe (Chaplain), Corrado Decandido (President), Lacey Wipper (Secretary), Madison Driggers (Sgt of Arms) and Emile Limoges (Vice-President)

## FBLA



Future Business Leaders of America is a national organization for high school students where they learn to enhance their business and leadership skills. Damien Aguilar, FBLA President, and Lakisia Thomas, FBLA Vice-President, attended the FBLA Executive Council Meeting at Land O 'Lakes High School to meet with other chapter officers and plan for the upcoming year.

If you would like to join FBLA, please see Ms. Dawson in room 107 by October 18th.



## **Cross Country**

Our student-athletes from Cross Country reading to the Kindergarten littles at Woodland!







## **Bulldog Pride**



Proud Respectful Individual Thinker Dedicated to Academics Engaged





## Six ZHS Students Selected For All County Chorus

The Zephyrhills High School Choral Department is proud to announce that six students have been chosen to represent our school in the 2019 All County Chorus for Pasco County. **Hayley Batewell, Jaylin Bean, Sidney Dunn, Brian East, John Melosky and Tyler Merrifield** had to pass rigorous auditions before being selected. These students will rehearse with the top singers from every high school in the county, before performing in a concert on November 9<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at the River Ridge Center For The Performing Arts in New Port Richey.

## **Celebrating Student Achievement**

We are full of Bulldog PRIDE and excited to let our community know about our student scholars! We have 80+ students who \*scored a 3 or 4 on an AP test or \*scored a 5 on an AP test or \*earned a 5 on an EOC or the ELA FSA. Look for Yard Signs around the community celebrating these students!









**Conference Champions** Record 13-2 Congratulations!

**Boys Golf** 





Zephyrhills High School

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**@ZHSBulldogs** 

## Cheerleading

Thank you to everyone who came and supported the Junior Bulldog program sponsored by the ZHS Cheerleaders. The girls had a lot of fun teaching younger children about cheer and then performing at the Varsity Football Game, including a half-time show.



Cheerleaders with all the Junior Bulldogs!



From left to right: **Emily Kirk** (Varsity Cheerleader), Junior Bulldogs: **Campbell Simons, Laney Kirk, Carly Bowling**, and **Madison Long** (Varsity Cheerleader)



Side Spotters: Savannah Baptist (JV Cheerleader Captain) and Emily Kirk (Varsity Cheerleader), Base: Madison Aguilera (Varsity Cheerleader) and flyer Junior Bulldog Laney Kirk.

## **ZHS Administration**

Dr. Christina Stanley, Principal

Mrs. Jennifer Yonkof, Assistant Principal Mr. Matthew Hayes, Assistant Principal Mrs. Camille Watkins, Assistant Principal Mrs. Michelle Topham, Assistant Principal





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Principal	Assistant Principal	Assistant Principal	Assistant Principal	Assistant Principal

#### October 8, 2019

#### Out-of-Field Teaching Assignments Requisitos para la enseñanza "fuera de campo"

Individuals who are teaching out-of-field are certified in at least one area and are qualified to teach but are required to take additional course work or testing to add a coverage/endorsement to their certificate. The state also requires a teacher to take coursework/in-service towards an English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) endorsement, when the teacher is the primary language arts provider and/or reading teacher for an ESOL student.

Los maestros que enseñan fuera de su campo están certificados en por lo menos un área, y están calificados para enseñar, pero necesitan tomar cursos adicionales o pruebas para ampliar la cobertura/endoso de su certificado. Cuando el maestro es el proveedor primario de enseñanza de Artes del Lenguaje y/o el maestro de lectura de un estudiante ESOL, el estado también requiere que el maestro tome cursos/servicio interno para el endoso de Inglés para Personas que Hablan Otros Idiomas (ESOL).

The following teachers have agreed to teach out-of-field while completing course work/testing: Los siguientes maestros han estado de acuerdo en enseñar fuera de su campo mientras completan su trabajo de curso/pruebas:

> Theodora Eggleston Samantha Fletcher Pauli Franklin James Kirk Andrea Slouha

Social Science 6-12 Reading endorsement Reading endorsement Health K-12 English 6-12

The following teachers have agreed to work toward the ESOL endorsement: Los siguientes maestros han estado de acuerdo en trabajar para obtener el endoso de ESOL:

> Catherine Astl Katherine Kendrick Justin Santiago Andrea Slouha

Samantha Fletcher Nicole Saly Kailah Santos

If you have any questions, please contact me at <u>cstanley@pasco.k12.fl.us</u> or 813.794.6100. Thank you.

Respectfully,

Dr. Christina C. Stanley Principal, Zephyrhills High School cstanley@pasco.k12.fl.us

> District School Board of Pasco County District Wide Accreditation – Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Council on Accreditation and School Improvement (SACS CASI) Kurt Browning, Superintendent

# TIME FOR OUR 2<sup>ND</sup> ANNUAL

Choose one (or a few) of the sketch prompts below to create a piece of spool art!

The top pictures will be on display | the week of Halloween 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place receive art supply rewards!

Submissions (up to 3) must be *SMALLER than* 18 X 24 " with artist NAME & GRADE on back.

DUE TO rm# 803 NO LATER THAN OCTOBER 25<sup>TH</sup>! WINNERS ANNOUNCED on HALLOWEEN

1. RING	11. SNOW	21. TREASURE
2. MINDLESS	12. DRAGON	22. GHOST
3. BAIT	13. ASH	23. ANCIENT
4. FREEZE	14. OVERGROWN	24. DIZZY
5. BUILD	15. LEGEND	25. TASTY
6. HUSKY	16. WILD	26. DARK
7. ENCHANTED	17. ORNAMENT	27. COAT
8. FRAIL	18. MISFIT	28. RIDE
9. SWING	19. SLING	29. INJURED
10. PATTERN	20. TREAD	30. CATCH
		31. RIPE