

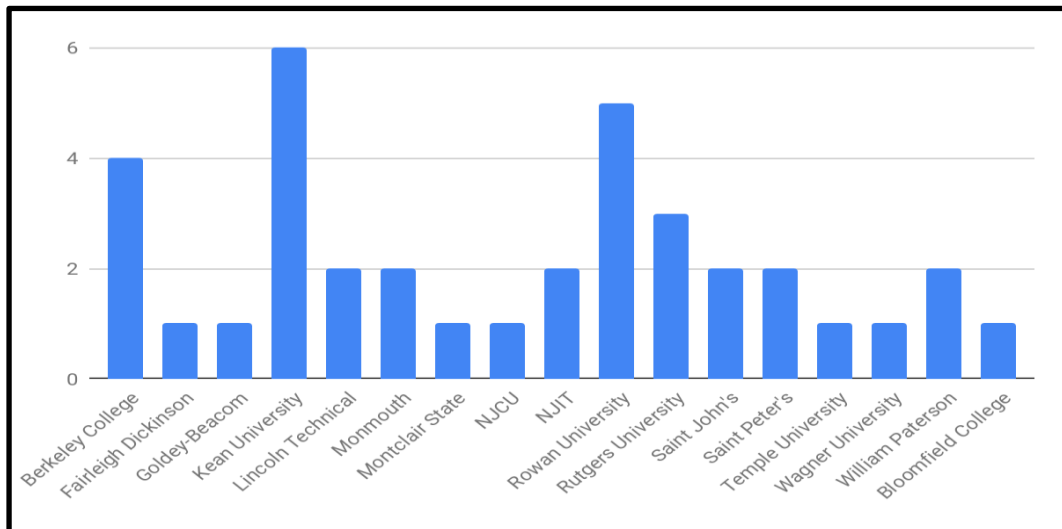


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Decision Time for Seniors

The class of 2019 will soon be graduating. Some students have decided on which college they want to attend, while others are still awaiting decisions from schools about whether they have been accepted. More than 90% of the graduating seniors have been accepted into a post-secondary program. As of now, 37 students have made their decision. Also, one student was accepted into the Marine Corps and another into the NJ Police Academy. You can spot these students by their gold ties they are now wearing around their necks. The largest number of students are going to Kean University, Rowan University and Berkeley College. Here's the breakdown of seniors who have decided to enroll at a specific school.



Mrs. Sena Says Goodbye to Fashion Show



What may be AUL's last fashion show attracted about 300 people on Friday, May 10th, 2019. More than 40 students from AUL and other area schools participated as models. Other students volunteered to help bring the show together.

The theme was "Welcome to the Jungle," featuring seven categories-- Flamingo, Panther, Peacock, Snake, Cheetah, Parrot, and Colors for Hope. The most meaningful category perhaps was Colors of Hope because it raised awareness of social and medical issues, such as breast cancer, heart disease, and supporting our troops. The members of the audience donated \$70 to the Colors of Hope project.



The show may be the last because the faculty advisor, Mrs. Sena, is stepping down from the post. It's unclear if another faculty member is ready to assume the responsibility of the show. Mrs. Sena says she has mixed feelings about leaving the event. "It was bittersweet for me. I loved being the advisor for the past five years and ending with my 10th show was epic for me. I will miss doing this with the kids so much but am grateful and honored that they trusted me for five years."

The final show featured entertainment by TwinTakeova, as well as Sarina Rodriguez and Karina Garcia. Sarina played the ukulele while Karina sang a mashup of songs by Khalid. TwinTakeova did two dance performances, one involving Jersey Club dancing.

National Honor Society Nominees



AUL students recently learned if they made the National Honor Society, an organization meant to show students leadership, character, kindness, and how to help their community. The NHS is responsible for all the blood drives, book drives and certain assemblies that take place in our school. Outside of the school, the NHS tutors students in partnership with the Youth Alliance. Chosen students apply during their sophomore or junior year. The applications are then processed by anonymous teachers in our school. If you have any further questions about NHS or the selection process please feel free to ask Mr. Syed. The students who qualified for NHS membership are as follows:

Nicole Barreuto
Emizha Boone
Vitaly Vargas
Jadeliz Galan
Fanelly Caba
Alexandra Bautista

Savanna Frazie
Briana Underwood
Michelle Gallegos
Sarah Alfau
Linette Espinosa
Stephano Rivera

Spring Sports Update



The varsity baseball team finished the season on a winning note, crushing Piscataway Tech 18-0. The team's overall record was 1-13. The varsity softball was 4-6. The JV softball team finished 2-3. A number of games were cancelled due to weather conditions.

Vocabulary Enhancing Word Search

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BEQUEATH- to give

CAJOLE- to urge

CONVOLUTED- complicated

DEARTH- a lack of something

DISPARAGE- to criticize

EFFERVESCENT- lively

ENGENDER- to bring about

LACERATION- a cut

MAGNANIMOUS- generous

NOMINAL- insignificant

OBFUSCATE- unclear

PROMULGATE- to proclaim

RESTIVE- impatient

SOLIPSISTIC- egoistic

TRITE- not original

UBIQUITOUS- existing everywhere

WANE- to decrease in size

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