



# William Byrd High School

## TERRIER TRIBUNE



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*Community Christmas Store*

The Leo Club's annual Stock our Shelves event (formerly Heroes for Hunger) will be held November 2 - 28, 2023. The Leo Club will be collecting donations for the Community Christmas Store. Last year, the Community Christmas Store served over 1,000 people by providing access to free food, clothing, and toys during the holiday season. Items being collected are:

- Canned Food – SpaghettiOs, Chef Boyardee, green beans, corn, peas, carrots, potatoes, chicken, fruit.
- Mac 'n Cheese
- Creamy Peanut Butter & Jelly
- Pancake Mix & Syrup
- Boxed Cereal – Fruit Loops, Apple Jacks, Lucky Charms, Cheerios, Captain Crunch, Trix, Frosted Flakes, Raisin Bran, ETC.
- Cake Mix & Frosting, Brownie Mix

For more information about the Community Christmas Store, visit <https://www.roanokevalleyccs.org/>.



**CONGRATULATIONS**  
**2023 BLUE RIDGE DISTRICT FOOTBALL CHAMPIONS**

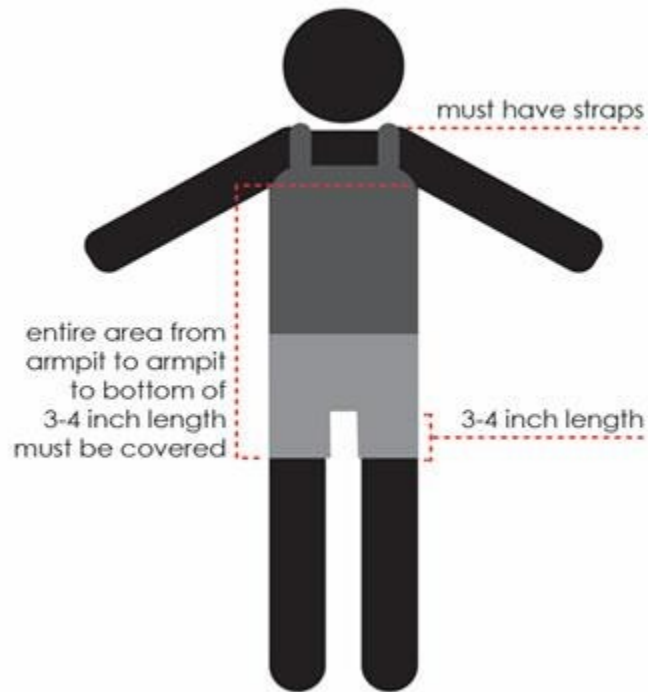
# STUDENT DRESS CODE

Roanoke County Public Schools respects students' rights to express themselves in the way they dress.

All students who attend Roanoke County Public Schools are also expected to respect the school community by dressing appropriately for a K-12 educational environment. Student attire should facilitate participation in learning as well as the health and safety of students and the adults that supervise them. This policy is intended to provide guidance for students, staff, and parents.

## Minimum Requirements:

1. Clothing must cover areas from one armpit across to the other armpit, down to approximately 3 to 4 inches in length on the upper thighs (see images below). Tops must have shoulder straps. Rips or tears in clothing should be lower than the 3 to 4 inches in length.
2. Shoes must be worn at all times and should be safe for the school environment (pajamas, bedroom shoes or slippers shall not be worn, except for school activities approved by the principal).
3. See-through or mesh garments must not be worn without appropriate coverage underneath that meet the minimum requirements of the dress code.
4. Headgear including hats, hoodies, and caps are not allowed unless permitted for religious, medical, or other reason by school administration.
5. Specialized courses may require specialized attire, such as sports uniforms or safety gear.



## Additional Requirements:

1. Clothing may not depict, imply, advertise, or advocate illegal, violent, or lewd conduct, weapons, or the use of alcohol, tobacco, marijuana or other controlled substances.
2. Clothing may not depict or imply pornography, nudity, or sexual acts.
3. Clothing may not display or imply vulgar, discriminatory, or obscene language or images.
4. Clothing may not state, imply, or depict hate speech/imagery targeting groups based on race, ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation, gender identity, religious affiliation, or any other protected classification.
5. Sunglasses may not be worn inside the building.
6. Clothing and accessories that endanger student or staff safety may not be worn.
7. Apparel, jewelry, accessories, tattoos, or manner of grooming that, by virtue of its color, arrangement, trademark or any other attribute, denotes membership in a gang that advocates illegal or disruptive behavior is prohibited.

*The administration at each school reserves the right to determine what constitutes appropriate dress.* Students who do not adhere to these guidelines will not be allowed to attend class. Parents will be called if appropriate clothing is not available or the student refuses dress-code appropriate clothing..

**The dress code will be enforced the first day of school**

# Attendance Procedures

\*Refer to RCPS policy for Excused Absences and Tardies

To notify the school of an absence, you may call 562-3700 ext. 24008 and leave a voice message with the students name, grade and reason for absence. PLEASE NOTE THAT THE PHONE CALL DOES NOT EXCUSE THE ABSENCE! The call lets us know you are aware of your child's absence and prevents us from calling you. A written acceptable excuse (in compliance with RCPS policy) must be submitted to the attendance office when the student returns to school.

**You may also email the attendance office at [wbhsattendance@rcps.us](mailto:wbhsattendance@rcps.us)**

## CHECK OUT PROCEDURES

Please note that students cannot be checked out of school per a phone call. In order to check your student out, you must use one of the following options:

- 1) Send a written note to the school with the student that indicates the student name, reason for check out and the time to be dismissed along with the parent/guardian's contact number and signature. The note should be turned in to the attendance office when the student arrives at school. At that time, a check out pass will be issued that allows the student to leave at the designated time.
- 2) Send an email to [wbhsattendance@rcps.us](mailto:wbhsattendance@rcps.us) that includes the information in bullet #1.
- 3) Send a fax to 540-890-7568 that includes the information in bullet #1.
- 4) An authorized emergency contact may come to the school with a PHOTO ID and sign the student out at the attendance window. Only persons listed on the student's emergency card will be allowed to sign the student out.

## COLLEGE VISITS/OUT OF TOWN TRIPS

A minimum of two days prior written notice must be submitted to the attendance office for college visits or out of town trips to be considered excused. Once submitted, the student will be issued a Prior Notice Form that must be signed by all teachers and returned to the attendance office prior to the absence. Failure to follow these procedures will result in the absence(s) being unexcused.

# Students OF THE MONTH

## Student #1—Jack Hinkle

Jack is a Senior who was nominated for his kindness and spirit of generosity. The teacher that nominated Jack said, “Jack is in my study hall and is always willing to help others with their work...he’s a sweet kid who never talks down on his peers and is always willing to lend a helping hand.” Congratulations to Terrier of the Month, Jack Hinkle!



## Student #2—Sarah Nguyen

Sarah is a Freshman who was nominated for her work ethic, intelligence, and willingness to help others. The teacher that nominated Sarah said, “Sarah is quick to help her friends when they don’t understand a topic...she’s extremely respectful and a joy to have in the classroom!” Congratulations to Terrier of the Month, Sarah Nguyen!

## Student #3—Luke Hemming

Luke is a Junior who was nominated for always following the Terrier Way by being safe, respectful and responsible. The teacher that nominated Luke said, “he’s considerate, easy going, a hard worker, and mature...every class, he arrives on time and is ready to give his best effort with a smile.” Congratulations to Terrier of the Month, Luke Hemming!



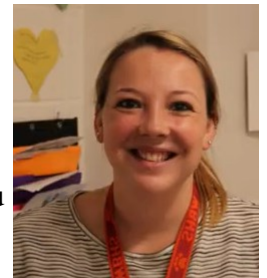
## Student #4—Sydney Nichols

Sydney is a Freshman who was nominated for his willingness to help others. The teacher that nominated Sydney said, “Sydney is always willing to help his classmates with their work when he is finished. Even if he isn't finished, if a student needs help, he will pause his work to help another friend. He never puts his peers down but lifts them up and is a joy in class.” Congratulations to Terrier of the Month, Sydney Nichols!

# Teacher of the Month

## Teacher #1—Ms. Pearson

Ms. Pearson teaches Algebra I and Advanced Geometry. The students that nominated her highlighted her kindness and willingness to always help her students. As one student said, “Ms. Pearson is always kind to students...she always makes sure everyone is okay.” Or as another student simply said, “she really cares about the well-being of students.” Thank you to Ms. Pearson and congratulations for being recognized as Terrier of the Month!



## Teacher #2—Ms. Sullivan

Ms. Sullivan teaches Economics and Personal Finance. The students that nominated her highlighted her positivity and ability to make class fun. As one student said, “she genuinely tries to relate to all students in class...even when the class gets chaotic, she tries to teach in a fun and resolving manner that no one else can replicate...she’s the sweetest person too!” Thank you to Ms. Sullivan and congratulations for being recognized as Terrier of the Month!

### Student #1—Landon Dyess



Landon is a Senior and member of the Indoor and Outdoor Track and Field Team who was nominated for his outgoing personality, academic achievement, and infectious school spirit. The staff member that nominated Landon said, “Landon bleeds Orange and Maroon. He attends nearly every school event and is the most enthusiastic and supportive Terrier I’ve ever seen. He’s a great representation of what makes WBHS so special.” Congratulations to Terrier of the Month, Landon Dyess!



### Student #2—Mary Wray

Mary is a Junior and member of Terrier TV who was nominated for her positivity and willingness to help support and mentor others. The staff member that nominated Mary said, “she is always willing to help in any way that she can...[and] she is there to offer her help with a smile. Other club members look to her for guidance as they plan their next segment idea.” Congratulations to Terrier of the Month, Mary Wray!



### Student #3—Jayden Niday

Jayden is a Sophomore and member of the Indoor and Outdoor Track and Field Team who was nominated for her work ethic and positivity. The teacher that nominated Jayden said, “she’s a great student with a great attitude. She works hard, always has a smile on her face, and is a perfect role model for all student athletes.” Congratulations to Terrier of the Month, Jayden Niday!



### Student #4—Madelyn Brown

Madelyn is a Freshman and the winning designer of this year’s Terriers of the Month T-Shirt Contest. Madelyn was nominated for her kindness, perseverance, and commitment to excellence. The teacher that nominated Madelyn said, “Maddy is a talented graphic design student who chooses difficult designs instead of the easiest option—because of this, she has faced frustrating challenges and handled them with grace.” Congratulations to Terrier of the Month, Madelyn Brown!



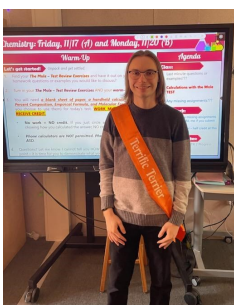
### Teacher #1—Ms. Sartell

Ms. Sartell teaches Art I, III, and IV, as well as Digital Photography. The students that nominated her highlighted her thoughtful and kind disposition. As one student said, “she’s friendly, kind, and calls everyone friend...you would want her as a teacher.” Or as another student said, “she is a caring and thoughtful teacher...she makes art fun for everyone of all levels.” Thank you to Ms. Sartell and congratulations for being recognized as Terrier of the Month!



### Teacher #2—Mr. Adams

Mr. Adams teaches Advanced Biology and College Bound Chemistry. The students that nominated him highlighted his ability to make class and learning fun. As one student said, “Mr. Adams is such an amazing guy and so much fun. He makes learning always fun and if you’re stressed or need help, he will always help you out.” Or as another student said simply said, “he’s a fun teacher who loves seeing his students do well.” Thank you to Mr. Adams and congratulations for being recognized as Terrier of the Month!





WBHS CHOIRS  
**WINTER  
CONCERT**

TUESDAY DECEMBER 12  
7:30 PM  
WILLIAM BYRD HIGH SCHOOL

As always, WBHS Choir concerts are free and open to the public.

Congrats to our All-Roanoke  
County singers for their  
performance on 11/9



Singing the National Anthem  
before the Virginia Veteran's  
Day Parade on 11/11



Community organizations have reached out to us wanting to support needy families during Christmas.

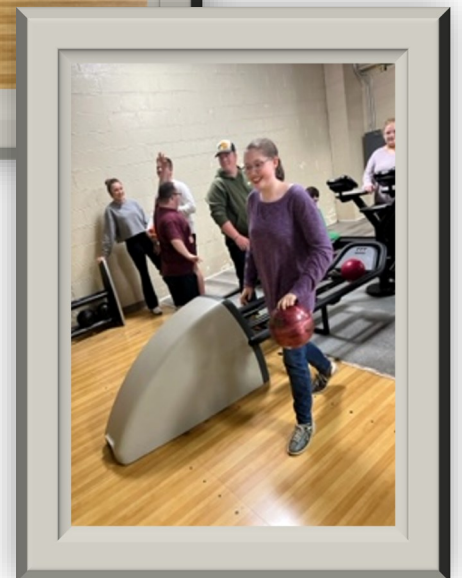
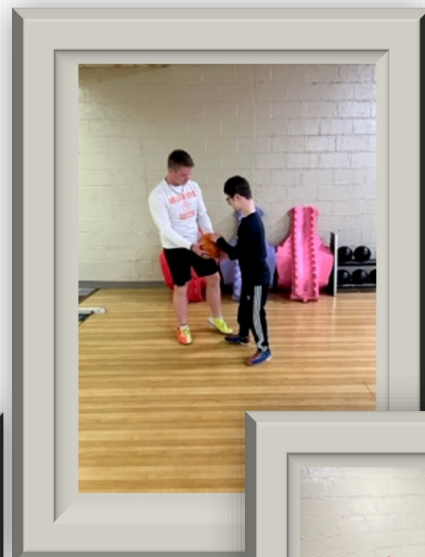
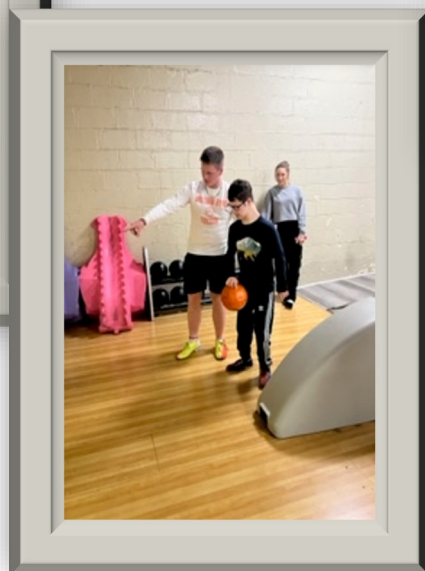
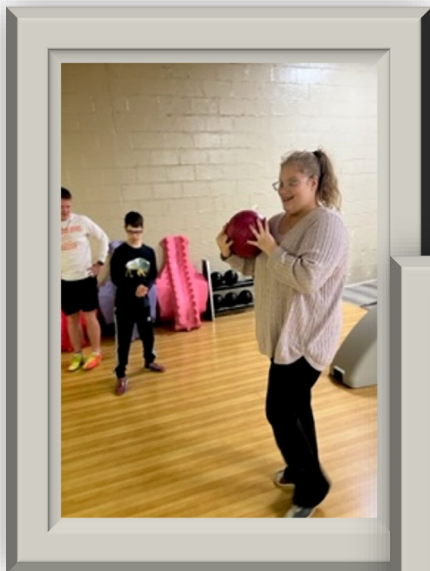
Please reach out to your child's guidance counselor if you would like to be part of this program.

(Assistance is first come first served)



The Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) will meet at 7:45 AM in Mrs. Sullivan's room on Wednesday, November 29<sup>th</sup> and Thursday, December 7<sup>th</sup>. We'll focus on preparing for the mock interview event we'll be hosting for upperclassmen this winter. See you then!

## Byrd Buddies Bowling Trip



# The Roanoke Valley Governor's School for Science and Technology

## 2024-2025 Application Information Regional Meetings



Tuesday, January 9 <sup>th</sup> , 6:30 pm	Application info meeting at RVGS
Thursday, January 11 <sup>th</sup> , 6:30 p.m.	Application info meeting at FCHS
Tuesday, January 16 <sup>th</sup> , 6:30 pm	Application info meeting at RVGS
Thursday, January 18 <sup>th</sup> , 6:30 pm	Application info meeting at SRHS
Tuesday, January 23 <sup>rd</sup> , 6:30 pm	Application info meeting RVGS

**What?** Information meetings for students--and their parents--interested in applying for the 2024-25 academic year. Governor's School staff will present the unique features of the school and distribute application information required for selection and admission. RVGS is a regional, academic-year program for secondary school students in grades 9-12 who are highly motivated in science and mathematics. Selection for available spaces is competitive.

**Who?** Students and at least one parent or guardian must attend one of the above sessions in order to obtain an application for admission.

*For additional information, call The Governor's School, 853-2116 or e-mail, [ksebolt@rvgs.k12.va.us](mailto:ksebolt@rvgs.k12.va.us). The Governor's School is sponsored jointly by the Virginia Department of Education and participating public school districts including Bedford, Botetourt, Craig, Floyd, Franklin, Roanoke City, Roanoke County, and the City of Salem. Students must be enrolled in one of these districts in order to attend RVGS.*



# COLLEGE CAREER & COLLEGE REP *visits*

PLEASE SEE MRS BOOTHE IN THE GUIDANCE OFFICE FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO SIGN UP FOR THE COLLEGE VISITS

Liberty University Representative—November 30th— 9:00 am Library  
Army ROTC Representative—December 4th —10:00 AM—Career Center  
Job Corp Representative—December 5— 10:00 AM—Career Center

PLEASE VISIT BLACKBOARD UNDER WBHS COUNSELING AND CAREER CENTER COLLEGE VISITS/JOBS FOR UPCOMING VISITS AND MORE INFO



See Mrs. Booth in the Career Center for more details

## Guidance Department



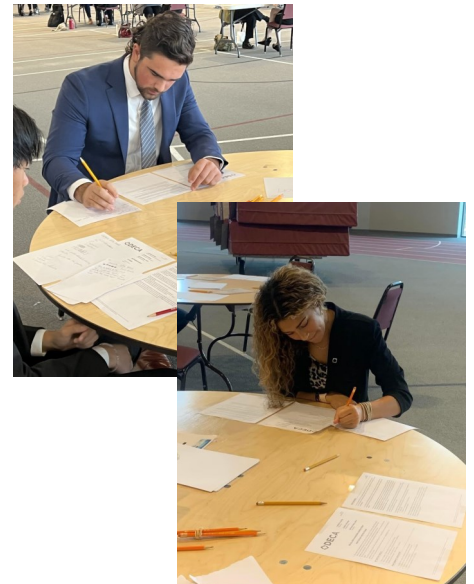
SAT Dates at WBHS December 2, March 9<sup>th</sup>, June 1<sup>st</sup>. Other dates available at other locations for more information go to [sat.collegeboard.org](http://sat.collegeboard.org)



Interested in Scholarships?  
Check the counseling page on the WBHS website!



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Email: [ccap@viriniaestern](mailto:ccap@viriniaestern)  
Visit our Facebook @ [facebook.com/vwccap](https://www.facebook.com/vwccap)  
Ph: 540 857-7544



DECA District Leadership Competition took place at Roanoke College on November 15th, 2023. DECA students from 13 schools in the area competed in categories related to Marketing, Hospitality and Tourism, Finance and other related topics. William Byrd DECA sent 35 students to compete and several placed high enough to advance to the DECA State Leadership competition in early March. The state competition will be held in Virginia Beach, March 1-3, 2024.

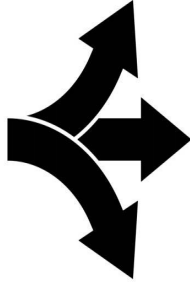


DECA is the co-curricular club associated with our Marketing Department. All Marketing students are given the opportunity to participate and compete in DECA. Please see any Marketing teacher if you have questions about DECA or any Marketing courses available at WBHS.





Esports meet on  
Tuesdays,  
Wednesdays and  
Thursdays in  
Room 245 from  
3:30—5:30



Tuesdays: League of Legends,  
Splatoon™ 3



Wednesdays: Super Smash Bros.™ Ultimate,  
NBA 2K



Thursdays: Rocket League, Madden, Mario Kart™ 8



The William Byrd NJROTC unit will be collecting new, unwrapped toys for Toys Tots begins November 1st through December 7th.

Toys for Tots is a program run by the United States Marine Corps Reserve which distributes toys to children whose parents cannot afford to buy them gifts for Christmas.

Boxes will be located outside the front office and in the NJROTC room #152 on 1 November. If you have questions, please see Senior Chief Perrin.

CONGRAT-

2023 BLUE RIDGE DISTRICT FOOTBALL CHAMPIONS

Japanese Language and Culture Class

Free and open to all.

Dates for this class are:

December 11th

January 8th

February 19th

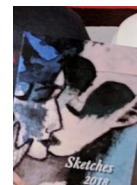
March 18th



WHO WILL BE  
THE  
REGION 3D  
CHAMPIONS?

WILLIAM BYRD  
@  
MAGNA VISTA

FRIDAY,  
NOVEMBER 24  
7:00 PM



# CLUB INFORMATION

## November /December Meeting Dates

*Book Club meeting—Tuesdays—Room 269 —3:30—4:00*

*Byrd Buddies - Paint Night—December 6th—4:00—6:00—Café.*

*Crochet Club meeting—Dec. 11—3:30 - 4:30*

*Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) meeting in Room 247 on November 29th and December 7th at 7:45 AM*

*FCA meets each Thursday @ 7:45 am in Room 251*

*Habitat for Humanity Club @*

*The Ham Radio Club meets on Tuesdays at WBMS from 3:30—4:30*

*Prism Club will meet in Room 271 after school on Dec. 4th. This is a tea party! Bring a snack to share!*

*Terrier TV Club—Thursdays—3:30—4:30—Library*

*TTRPG Club meeting— November 29th—Room LC15*



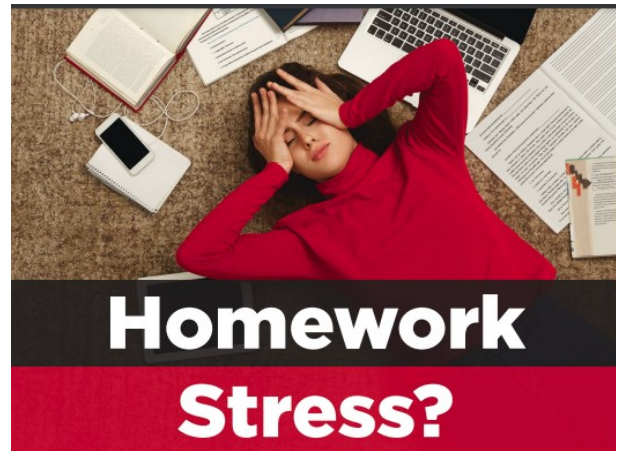
Crochet Clubs



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Ben Williams  
Director of Assessment & Research  
Roanoke County Public Schools



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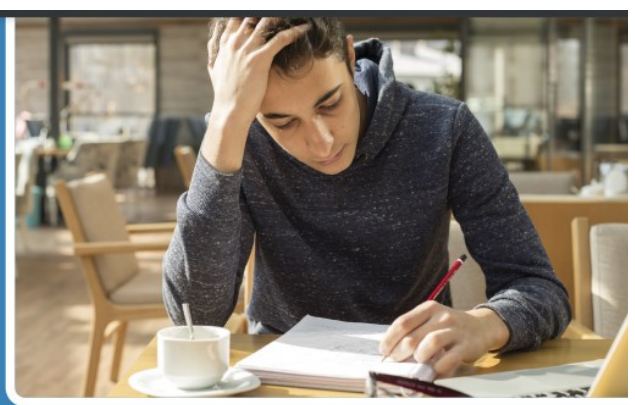
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# Navy National Defense Cadet Corps

Our Navy National Defense Cadet Corps present the Colors for the NASCAR Playoff race in Martinsville on October 29th. (See photo below left)



On Veterans Day Cadets from the William Byrd NNDCC presented the Colors and the National Anthem, read the history of Veterans Day and performed a flag folding ceremony.



# Volleyball

**Congratulations to the following Varsity volleyball players who were recognized by the Blue Ridge District and Region 3 D**

**First Team BRD –  
Terran Brown and Emily Tuck**

**Second Team BRD –  
Kate Bryant**

**Region 3 Honorable Mention –  
Terran Brown and Emily Tuck**



Next Learners Permit test is  
November 29<sup>th</sup>  
3:30pm in WBHS Library

*Make up Partnering for the Privilege meeting set for  
November 29th —7:00 pm in WBHS Auditorium*

As our teenagers prepare for the privilege of driving, it's imperative that we do all we can to ensure their safety and the safety of those with whom they share the road. Nine out of ten teen drivers identify their parents as having the greatest influence on their driving behaviors. With that in mind, parents and future teen drivers are invited to attend together one of the Partnering for the Privilege, Safe Teen Driving presentations offered at the Roanoke County high schools.

These presentations bring together parents, students, schools, law enforcement, and community resources in an effort to promote safe and responsible driving. The programs are open to the public but the target audience includes students who are taking Driver Education or those preparing for the licensing process this school year and their parents/guardians.

The program agenda will include:

- The unique characteristics and risks of teen drivers
- The important role parents play in the teen driving experience
- An overview of the driver education program
- Teen traffic laws and the graduated licensing restrictions
- Insuring the teen driver
- A parent's perspective of a teen crash



**Students from drivers education classes this year are required to attend** – parents are encouraged but can opt out by submitting form to teacher sent home with student. The programs begin at 7:00 p.m. and are approximately ninety minutes long.

Drivers Education classes partnered with Virginia Tech Transportation Institute to allow students to experience the No Zones from a tractor trailer. In this hands on experience, students were able to climb up in the a tractor trailer to get first hand experience to the lack of visibility for CDL drivers. Safety is vital when sharing the road with tractor trailers.



Drive Smart – Distracted Driving/Impaired Driving Simulator – Teamed up with Drive Smart VA and State Farm to hopefully create awareness and change behavior behind the wheel when it comes to distracted and impaired driving.



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## Seniors:

The final call for formal senior portraits is Thursday, Jan 4<sup>th</sup>. Photographers from Prestige will be here for a short time that day to take pictures. There is no fee. Sign up with your English teacher, guidance counselor or see Mrs. Acker in RM 267 before this date. This is the portrait that will be in the yearbook. There will be no possibility to get a portrait from Prestige after this date.

## WBHS Graduation Orders Delivery Date—March 19th



### A message from the **SCHOOL NURSE**

*Alisha Wood, RN, BSN*



**10<sup>th</sup> graders and New to Roanoke County Public School Students:** We recently had Hearing and Vision Screenings. If you received a letter in the mail from the school about a concern, please send the letter back signed by parent/guardian with the appropriate box checked. If you have any questions or concerns about the letter you have received, please call the school and ask to speak with the nurse.

**Current 11<sup>th</sup> graders:** Before your student can start their senior year, he/she will need to get the Meningococcal ACWY vaccine. There is more than one kind of meningitis vaccine, so it is important that you indicate this exact one. Your PCP can provide this vaccine or the Vinton Health Department at 540-857-7800. You may email your student's immunization record to [awood@rcps.us](mailto:awood@rcps.us), fax it to 540-890-7568 or your student can drop it off at the clinic or front office to be placed in the nurse mailbox. Do not wait till the last minute to get this vaccine. It can be difficult at times to get appointments, especially at the last minute. This vaccine can be given after the 16<sup>th</sup> birthday. If your student is 16 years old, reach out to their provider or the Health Department to get this vaccine.

Don't forget to bring a water bottle to school daily! The filling stations/water fountains are open throughout the day. Water helps with hydration, headaches, cough, some stomachaches, sore throats and so much more.

Students can carry cough drops at school. We have a limited amount in the clinic as we rely on donations of cough drops. If you would like to donate some cough drops to the clinic, please have your student bring them to the clinic.

Remember, students in High School can carry a dose of OTC medication during the day. If you want your student to carry a dose of Tylenol, Motrin, Tums, etc., please stop by the nurse in the morning before school starts to get the form. Forms will not be given during class times. It will need to be filled out and signed by the parent/guardian and returned to the nurse. If there are any issues or concerns, we will notify you.



- November 20-21 - 9th grade Registration for next years classes
- November 20 - Byrd Buddies Paint Night—Cafeteria—4:00—7:00
- November 20 - Boys Basketball—Roanoke Catholic—Away
- November 21 - Interim Reports Sent Home
- November 21 - Mrs. Boush’s class to Bonsack Methodist Church
- November 21 - Girls Basketball—Pulaski Co.—Home 5:00/6:30 Scrimmage
- November 21 - Book Club—3:30— 4:00—Room 269
- November 22/24 - Schools closed for Thanksgiving
- November 24 - Football Regions—Finals
- November 27-28 - 11th grade registration for next years classes
- November 27 - ACE Competition—Hidden Valley—Away—5:30
- November 27 - Softball Open Field—3:30—6:00
- November 28 - Mrs. Boush’s class to Bonsack Methodist Church
- November 28 - Book Club—3:30—4:00—Room 269
- November 28 - Movie Night for AP Dual English—Room 271
- November 28 - Boys Basketball—Cave Spring—Home 5:30/7:00
- November 28 - Varsity Girls Basketball—Cave Spring—Away—6:00 PM
- November 29 - Wrestling—Salem @ Salem—TBA
- November 29 - Learners Permit Testing—3:30—5:30—Library
- November 29 - Partnering for the Privilege Make up—Auditorium
- November 30 - 10th grade registration for next years classes
- November 30 - Field Trip—9th grade Bowling—Lee Hi Lanes
- November 30 - Liberty University Representative—Library—9:00 AM
- November 30 - Boys Basketball—Christiansburg—Home 5:30/7:00
- November 30 - Vinton Holiday Parade—7:00 PM
- November 30 - Band—Holiday Parade—Downtown Roanoke
- Nov.30-Dec.1 - Sophomore Registration for next years classes
- December 1 - Boys Basketball—Glenvar—Away 5:30/7:00
- December 2 - Leo Club—Chris’Cookies & Cocoa with Santa
- December 2 - Vinton Parade
- December 2 - SAT—WBHS
- December 4 - ACE—Cave Spring—Away—5:30 pm
- December 5 - Boys Basketball—Cave Spring—Away 5:30/7:00
- December 5 - ACE—Lord Botetourt –Home
- December 5 - Swim—Alleghany and Salem
- December 7 - Boys Basketball—Bassett—Away
- December 7 - Winter Band Concert—Home 7:00 pm
- December 8 - Boys Basketball—Hidden Valley—Home 5:30/7:00
- December 8 - Boys Basketball—Hidden Valley—Home 5:30/7:00
- December 9 - All District Band Auditions—Blacksburg

**All of the above dates are tentative and subject to change .** Not included on this schedule are the club meeting dates, Spring Sports, Prom, Testing Schedules and Fundraising events. This calendar will be updated with each newsletter.



December 12	-	ACE—Franklin Co.—Away 5:30 pm
December 12	-	Choir Concert—7:00 pm
December 13	-	Wrestling Dual—Home
December 15	-	End of 2nd grading period
December 15	-	Boys Basketball—Glenvar—Home
December 17	-	End of 2nd Nine Weeks
December 18–31	-	Winter Break
December 21	-	Boys Basketball—Christiansburg—Away 5:30/7:00
December 22-23	--	Big Orange Wrestling Tournament
December 27-29-		Boys Basketball—Northside Invitational
January 1	-	Schools Closed—Winter Break
January 2	-	School closed for Teacher Workday
January 3	-	Boys Basketball—Wm. Fleming—Away 5:30/7:00
January 4	-	Last Call for Senior Portraits
January 5	-	Boys Basketball—L. Botetourt—Home
January 12	-	Report Cards Sent Home
January 15	-	Schools closed for Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
January 16	-	Boys Basketball—NHS—Away 5:30/7:00
January 16	-	ACE Competition—Northside—Away 5:30pm
January 18	-	ACE—Patrick Henry—Away 5:30
January 19	-	Boys Basketball—William Fleming—Home 5:30/7:00
January 24	-	Boys Basketball—Hidden Valley—Away 5:30/7:00
January 26	-	Boys Basketball—Lord Botetourt - Away 5:30/7:00
January 30	-	Boys Basketball—Franklin County—Home 5:30/7:00
January 31	-	12:25—Early Dismissal
February 5	-	Interim Midpoint
<u>February 12</u>	-	Schools closed—Parent/Teacher Conferences
February 13	-	Interim Reports Sent Home
February 19	-	Spring Sports Begin
March 9	-	SAT at WBHS and Hidden Valley High School
March 5	-	Schools Closed—Presidential Primary
March 8	-	End of 3rd Grading Period
March 9	-	SAT at WBHS and Hidden Valley High School
March 11	-	Schools are closed for Teacher Workday
March	-	SAT at WBHS
March 19	-	Graduation Delivery during lunches—Trophy Lobby Area
March 22	-	Report Cards sent home
<u>March 25-29</u>	-	Schools closed for Spring Break
April 17	-	12:45 Dismissal
April 19	-	Interim Midpoint
April 26	-	Interim Reports Sent Home
May 1	-	Graduation Delivery Make up Day—Lunch—Trophy Lobby Area
May 4	-	PROM
May 10	-	Last Chance Grad Delivery—Trophy Lobby Area
<u>May 21</u>	-	GRADUATION—2:30 PM
May 23	-	End of 2nd Semester—12:25 dismissal
June 1	-	SAT @ WBHS

## William Byrd Terriers Girls Basketball – 2023-2024



<b>Day</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Opponent</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Trip # - Depart Request</b>
Thursday	November 16	Rockbridge - Scrimmage	Away	5:30/7	28485
Tuesday	November 21	Pulaski – Scrimmage	Home	5:00/6:30	
Tuesday	November 28	Cave Spring	Away	5:30/7	28486
Thursday	November 30	EC Glass	Away	5:30/7	28487
Friday	December 1	Glenvar	Home	5:30/7	
Tuesday	December 5	Cave Spring	Home	5:30/7	
Thursday	December 7	EC Glass	Home	5:30/7	
Friday	December 8	Christiansburg	Away	5:30/7	28488
Wednesday	December 13	Hidden Valley	Away	5:30/7	28489
Friday	December 15	Glenvar	Away	5:30/7	28490
Monday	December 18	Craig County	Away	5:30/7	28592
Thursday	December 21	Christiansburg	Home	5:30/7	
Wednesday	January 3	William Fleming	Home	5:30/7	
Friday	January 5	Lord Botetourt	Away	5:30/7	28491
Tuesday	January 9	Franklin County	Home	5:30/7	
Thursday	January 11	Craig County	Home	5:30/7	
Friday	January 12	Staunton River (JV)	Away	5:30	28492
Saturday	January 13	Staunton River (V)	Away	4	28498
Tuesday	January 16	Northside	Home	5:30/7	
Friday	January 19				
Tuesday	January 23	William Fleming	Away	5:30/7	28493
Wednesday	January 24	Hidden Valley	Home	5:30/7	
Friday	January 26	Lord Botetourt	Home	5:30/7	
Tuesday	January 30	Franklin County	Away	5:30/7	28494
Friday	February 2	Staunton River (V)	Home	5:30	
Saturday	February 3	Staunton River JV)	Home	3	
Tuesday	February 6	Northside	Away	5:30/7	28495
	Feb 12, 14, 16	BRD Tournament			

Head Coach Randy Bush

## William Byrd Terriers Boys Basketball – 2023-2024



<b>Day</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Opponent</b>	<b>Site</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Trip # - Depart Request</b>
Thursday	November 16	Rockbridge - Scrimmage	Home	5:30/7	
Monday	November 20	Roanoke Catholic - Scrimmage	Away	5:30/7	28471
Tuesday	November 28	Cave Spring	Home	5:30/7	
Thursday	November 30	Christiansburg	Home	5:30/7	
Friday	December 1	Glenvar	Away	5:30/7	28472
Tuesday	December 5	Cave Spring	Away	5:30/7	28473
Thursday	December 7	Bassett	Away	5:30/7	28474
Friday	December 8	Hidden Valley	Home	5:30/7	
Friday	December 15	Glenvar	Home	5:30/7	
Tuesday	December 19	Bassett	Home	5:30/7	
Thursday	December 21	Christiansburg	Away	5:30/7	28475
Wednesday	December 27	TBA – NIT JV vs LCA V vs LCA	Away	11:30 am 4:15 pm	28476
Thursday	December 28	TBA – NIT	Away		28477
Friday	December 29	TBA – NIT	Away		28478
Wednesday	January 3	William Fleming	Away	5:30/7	28479
Friday	January 5	Lord Botetourt	Home	5:30/7	
Tuesday	January 9	Franklin County	Away	5:30/7	28480
Friday	January 12	Staunton River (JV)	Away	7	28492
Saturday	January 13	Staunton River (V)	Away	6:30	28498
Tuesday	January 16	Northside	Away	5:30/7	28481
Friday	January 19	William Fleming	Home	5:30/7	
Wednesday	January 24	Hidden Valley	Away	5:30/7	28482
Friday	January 26	Lord Botetourt	Away	5:30/7	28483
Tuesday	January 30	Franklin County	Home	5:30/7	
Friday	February 2	Staunton River (V)	Home	7	28484 – Cancel
Saturday	February 3	Staunton River (JV)	Home	5	
Tuesday	February 6	Northside	Home	5:30/7	
	Feb 12, 14, 16	BRD Tournament			

Head Coach Brad Greenway

*William Byrd Scholastic Bowl (ACE)*  
*Schedule 2023-2024*



<b>Day</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Opponent</b>	<b>Site</b>	<b>Time</b>
Monday	Nov 27	Hidden Valley	Away	5:30
Tuesday	Nov 28	William Fleming	Away	5:30
Monday	Dec 4	Cave Spring	Away	5:30
Tuesday	Dec 5	Lord Botetourt	Home	5:30
Tuesday	Dec 12	Franklin County	Away	5:30
Thursday	Jan 4	Salem/Glenvar	Home	5:30
Tuesday	Jan 9	St. River	Home	5:30
Tuesday	Jan 16	Northside	Away	5:30
Thursday	Jan 18	Patrick Henry	Away	5:30

Head Coach: Caitlin Lilley

**INDOOR TRACK AND FIELD SCHEDULE**



<b>Date</b>	<b>Meet</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Start Time</b>
12-2-23	Liberty University High School Opener	Liberty University	9:30am
12-9-23	Liberty Flames High School Invitational	Liberty University	9:30am
12-16-23	Liberty Christmas High School Invitational	Liberty University	9:30am
1-6-24	East Coast Elite	VMI	9am
1-11-24	East Coast Elite	Roanoke College	3pm
1-13-24	Walter Bass High School Invitational	Liberty University	9:30am
1-22-24	Heritage Weeknight Meet	Heritage High School	6pm
1-27-24	Bulldog Invitational	Liberty University	9am
1-27-24	Heritage MS & JV Invitational	Heritage High School	8am
1-29-24	Heritage Weeknight Meet	Heritage High School	6pm
2-3-24	East Coast Elite	Roanoke College	9am
TBA	Blue Ridge District Championships	TBA	
TBA	Region 3D Championships	TBA	
2-26, 2-27	VHSL Class 3 State Championships	Liberty University	



# William Byrd Swim Schedule 2023-2024



Head Coach: Krista Martin Assistant Coach: James Martin

Day	Date	Opponent	Site	Warm-ups/ Meet Starts
Sat.	Dec. 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Southwest Virginia Invitational @ CAC <small>This meet is for grades 9-12</small>		Meet start TBD <small>(we will take a bus!) #28596</small>
Tues.	Dec. 5 <sup>th</sup>	Alleghany & Salem	@ SALEM Y	6:15/7:00
Thurs.	Dec. 14 <sup>th</sup>	Northside	@ Hollins	6:30/7:00
Tues.	Jan. 2 <sup>nd</sup>	SRHS	HOME MEET	8:00/8:30
Thurs.	Jan. 4 <sup>th</sup>	James River	@ Daleville Y	6:30/7:00
Tues.	Jan. 9 <sup>th</sup>	HVHS (& maybe Northcross)	HOME MEET	8:00/8:30
Sat.	Jan. 13 <sup>th</sup>	All Timesland Invitational @ GAC		TBD
Tues.	Jan. 16 <sup>th</sup>	PHHS **Senior Night**	HOME MEET	8:00/8:30
Fri.	Jan. 19 <sup>th</sup>	CSHS & PHHS	@ GAC	6:00/6:30
Tues.	Jan. 23 <sup>rd</sup>	CCHS & LBHS	@ Daleville Y	6:30/7:00

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Post season is for grades 9-12

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| Fri.      | Jan. 26 <sup>th</sup>                   | Blue Ridge Districts            | @ GAC (we host!) | TBD                                                |
| Regionals | Feb. 5 <sup>th</sup> or 6 <sup>th</sup> | @ Christiansburg Aquatic Center |                  | TBD #28597<br><small>(we will take a bus!)</small> |
| Fri.      | Feb. 16 <sup>th</sup>                   | STATES in Richmond at Swim RVA  |                  | more info TBD                                      |

*"If it doesn't challenge you, it doesn't change you"*

GAC means Gator Aquatic Center CAC means Christiansburg Aquatic Center HOME MEETS are at the Gator Aquatic Center

## William Byrd Wrestling – 2023-2024



| <b>Day</b>                                                                                               | <b>Date</b>          | <b>Opponent</b>               | <b>Site</b>    |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|
| Wednesday                                                                                                | Nov 29 <sup>th</sup> | Salem                         | Salem          |
| Saturday                                                                                                 | Dec 2                | Heritage Quad                 | Heritage       |
| Friday/Saturday                                                                                          | Dec 8/9              | Titan Toughman                | Hidden Valley  |
| Wednesday                                                                                                | Dec 13 <sup>th</sup> | Salem, WF, NS                 | Home           |
| Saturday                                                                                                 | Dec 22/23            | Big Orange                    | Home           |
| Thursday/Friday                                                                                          | Dec 29/30            | Takedown the New Year         | Heritage       |
| Friday/Saturday                                                                                          | Jan 5/6              | LCA Invitational              | LCA            |
| Wednesday                                                                                                | Jan 10               | Dual                          | Home           |
| Wednesday                                                                                                | Jan 17               | Northside, Salem, Patrick, JR | Northside      |
| Friday/Saturday                                                                                          | Jan 19/20            | Big Blue                      | Christiansburg |
| Wednesday                                                                                                | Jan 31               | BRD                           | Northside      |
| Saturday                                                                                                 | Feb 10               | Region                        | Abingdon       |
| Friday/Saturday                                                                                          | Feb 16/17            | State                         | Salem CC       |
| For exact times of events follow @wbhwrestling on Twitter. They will be announced the week of the event! |                      |                               |                |
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**Head Coach: Thomas Kessler**  
**Assistant Coaches: Ronnie Wood, Michael Bryant**