BIBB COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

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May 2, 2024

Last Day of School Reminder!



The last day of school is May 22nd! This is a half-day for BCSD Students. We hope everyone enjoys these last few weeks of school for 2024!

Howard Entrepreneurs Take 2nd at Georgia FLEX Competition



Congratulations to Window Magic, the 2024 Bibb County FLEX Competition Winner, for placing SECOND in Georgia FLEX State Competition on Friday! The student-run business participated in a business expo and pitched their business model to a panel of judges as part of the competition. As the second place winner, the business earned $5,000 in start-up funds! Student business owners for Window Magic are Rick Canosa, Finn Wakefield and Jaden Adler of Howard High School. Thank you to Griffith Family Foundation, Greater Macon Chamber of Commerce, Macon-Bibb County Industrial Authority, Bibb CTAE and Georgia CTAE for your support!

Watch the Georgia FLEX State Competition and business pitch here: https://www.youtube.com/live/vGGMKRcivic?si=7aUXroO7ovr86xOm







Bibb CTAE Achieves 99.1% Graduation Rate



Congratulations Bibb Ctae Class of 2023 on having a 99.1% Graduation Rate! CTAE in Georgia delivers a high-school experience that prepares students for their lives after high school. Students can learn skills for real-world careers while earning recognized industry credentials and participating in work-based learning and apprenticeship opportunities.

Rutland Senior Named CTAE Student of the Year



Congratulations Bibb CTAE Student of the Year, Imanol Pizana- Hernandez of Rutland High School. His pathway is Horticulture/ Mechanical Systems and Agriculture Leadership in Horticulture.

Other CTAE Students of the Year honorees are listed below.

- Central High School – Maya Jones
- Howard High School – Mitchell Zhang
- Northeast High School – Ciara Bond
- Southwest High School – Sanniy Clowers
- Westside High School – Mair Watters
- W.S. Hutchings College and Career Academy – Kaleb West

Bibb County Education Foundation Hosts Golf Tournament



Recently, the Bibb County Education Foundation held its 2nd Annual Golf Tournament, sponsored by ICB Construction Group. They had a lot of fun at River North Country Club and raised more than $13,000 to support public education in Bibb!

Thanks again to all our sponsors and participants!







Students Sign with Project SEARCH







Students from Bibb County high schools are signing with Project SEARCH. Project SEARCH is a one-year training program in collaboration with Middle Georgia State University for students with disabilities. Students in Project SEARCH are given the opportunity to build work skills with an end goal of employment at the end of the year.

Congratulations to Elementary Math Winners







Congratulations to these team winners from the BCSD Elementary Mathematics Competition 2024!
1st Place Winners - Springdale Elementary School Macon, GA
2nd Place Winners - Alexander II Magnet School
3rd Place Winners - Heard Elementary School HAWKS - Macon, GA

2024 Al Lucas Memorial Scholarship Recipients Honored



Congratulations to the winners of the 2024 Al Lucas Memorial Scholarship!

- Kadmiel Mensah & Jayme Heath - Northeast High School
- Nikell Mikell - Southwest High School
- Silas Risper - Westside High School
- Joshua Vinson - Rutland High School
- Lillian Harper - Howard High School (not pictured)
- JaMyiah Harris - Central High School

Central High Leaders Speak at Magnet School Conference



Shout-out to this dynamic team from Central High School! Principal Dr. Chendra Dupree, Dean of Students (and future Assistant Principal) Amber Lamar, Graduation Coach Charrissa Corbin, and Teacher/Personalized Learning Coach Tamara Bolston-Williams presented at the Magnet Schools of America National Conference this week on "Uniquely Serving the Whole Child Through Personalized Learning and Innovative Practices."

Walking School Bus Initiative Supports Williams Community



Campus Police Chief Curtis Adams, Officer Shinteria Holman and Deputy Chief Latricia Gittens assisted Dr. Sundra Woodford from United Way of Central Georgia with the Walking School Bus initiative at L.H. Williams Elementary. They walked with students to school while talking and encouraging them to have an amazing and productive day!







Rosa Taylor Students Participate in Books on a Bus



Macon-Bibb Transit Authority and Middle Georgia Regional Library are back in BCSD with Books on a Bus! They visited Rosa Taylor Elementary School this morning. Students were able to ride on a MTA bus and received a copy of the book they read on the bus. Thank you to our partners, including Community Foundation of Central Georgia, for your dedication to BCSD students!

Free Clinics Offered with First Tee Middle Georgia



First Tee Middle Georgia is hosting May Clinics at Bowden Golf Course! First Tee is a youth development organization that enables kids to build the strength of character that empowers them through a lifetime of new challenges. This is free to attend and you can find out more details here: https://firstteemiddlegeorgia.org/register/

Students Compete in Region 7 Special Olympics



Students from across the District competed in the Area 7 Special Olympics at First Presbyterian Day School. We are so proud of these tremendous athletes, and we loved seeing the #Built4Bibb family show up to support them!







Bibb Robotics Team Competes at Mercer



We are incredibly proud of the students and educators who help make Team Built4Bibb robotics a competitive squad wherever they go!

2024-2025 Teachers of the Year Announced



Please help us congratulate our 2024-2025 Teachers of the Year!

Macon-Bibb County Recognizes School Library Month



Dr. Henry Ficklin proclaimed April as School Library Month on behalf of Macon+Bibb County Mayor Lester Miller. The proclamation recognized the work of school library employees and encouraged community members to get involved in school media centers.

“This program is an integral part of the instructional process,” Dr. Ficklin read.

We love our media specialists, media clerks and all those individuals to help our students enjoy reading!

Community Partners Engage in BCSD Safety & Security Summit



Bibb County School District held its second annual Safety and Security Summit. Thank you to the representatives of local emergency management, medical, and law enforcement agencies, as well as representatives from various divisions throughout BCSD, who participated in this workshop designed to increase communication and support emergency response within our schools.

Bibb Students Excel in Kiwanis Art & Talent Showcase

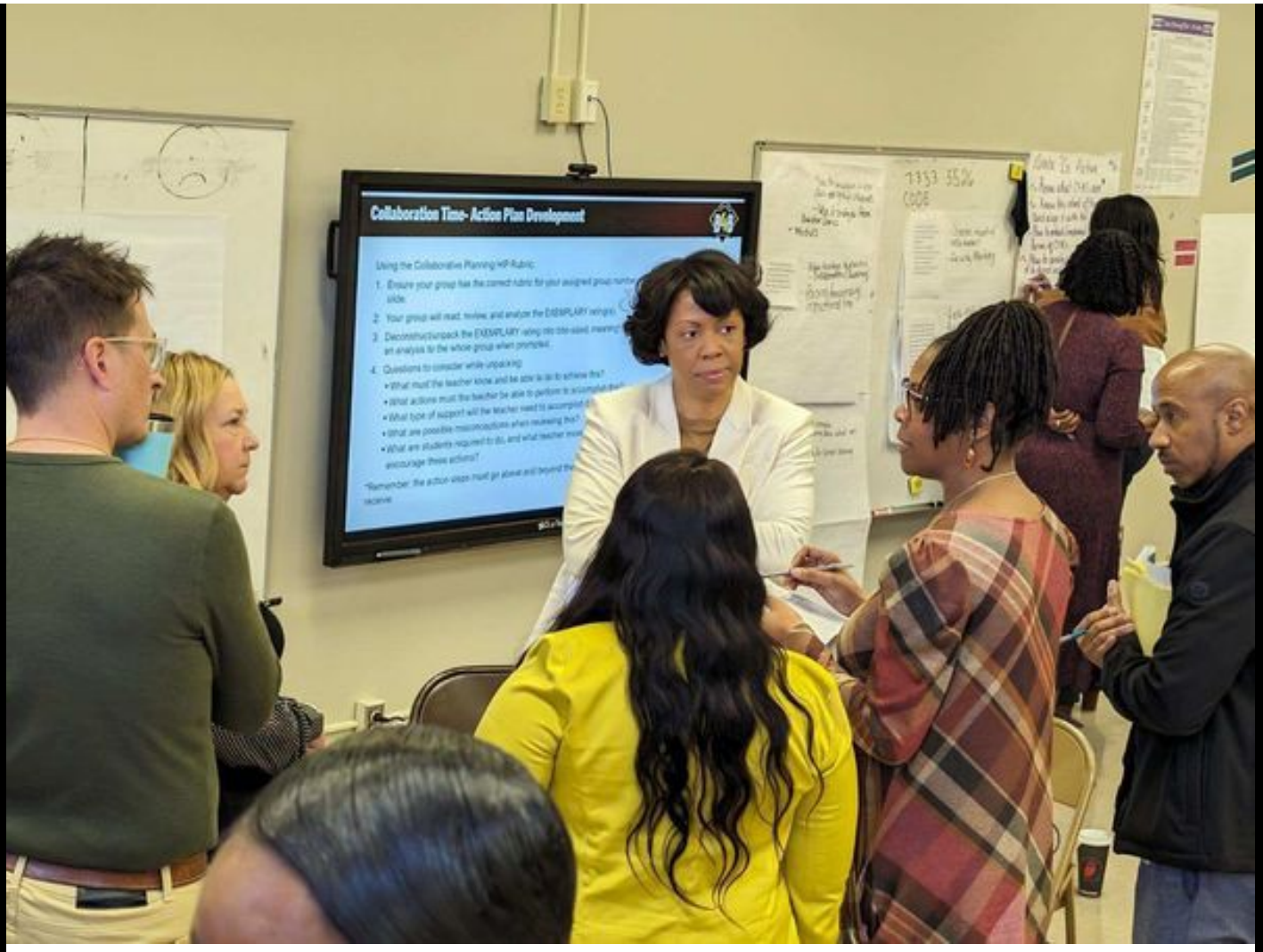


Ella Smith, a Central High School IB at Central High School student, won the first place scholarship in the performing arts division of the Kiwanis Art & Talent Showcase last night at the Douglass Theatre! She will move on to the state-level Kiwanis competition later this spring.



Kaelah Clark, a Westside High School: Home of the Seminoles senior, won the first place scholarship in the visual arts division of the Kiwanis Art & Talent Showcase! She will move on to the state-level Kiwanis competition later this spring.

Leaders Come Together for Zone Strong Meeting



Key partners came together for a Zone Strong meeting for BCSD's Federally Identified Schools. Principals, Teaching and Learning leaders, Instructional Technology Coaches, PEC Leads, and GaDOE School Improvement and Middle GA RESA staff all participated in a session to streamline support for Federally Identified Schools. The extensive dialogue and work sessions will guide the District's effort in developing and implementing the 2024-2025 District Plan of Support.

Appling Middle & Northeast High Hosting Plant Sale



'It feels like you raised a child': Appling Middle School's FFA club has plants for sale

If you're looking for some fresh, hand-picked veggies, head over to Appling Middle School.

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Appling and Northeast High School are holding plant sales this spring for the plants they have tended to throughout the year! For more details on the plant sales, visit https://x.com/BibbSchools/status/1783926285619630097

Southwest Seniors Featured in The Talented Tenth Magazine



The Talented Tenth

The Talented Tenth magazine proudly showcases the Top 10 students of Southwest High School and Law Academy. Their achievements represent the very best of us and inspire us to embody the philosophy of "I Am Because We Are!" Let's continue to celebrate excellence and strive to achieve greatness together.

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