# **BROOKLIN HIGH SCHOOL**

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# School Community Council

Tuesday April 2, 2024

6:00 pm Google Meet

1. Welcome and Land Acknowledgment

K. Hobin

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# **Acknowledgement of Traditional Lands**

The Durham District School Board acknowledges that many Indigenous Nations have long standing relationships, both historic and modern, with the territories upon which our school board and schools are located. Today, this area is home to many Indigenous peoples from across Turtle Island. We acknowledge that the Durham Region forms a part of the traditional and treaty territory of the Mississaugas of Scugog Island First Nation, the Mississauga Peoples and the treaty territory of the Chippewas of Georgina Island First Nation. It is on these ancestral and treaty lands that we teach, learn and live.

# **Indigenous Inherent Rights:**

The Durham District School Board recognizes Indigenous rights are distinct. In the exercise of those rights, Indigenous staff and students shall not be subjected to actions with the aim or effect of depriving these distinct rights.

### **Human Rights and Equity Statement:**

The Durham District School Board is committed to learning and working environments that centre human rights and equity, and are **safe**, welcoming, respectful, equitable, **accessible**, inclusive, and free from discrimination

2.	Welcome	K. Hoben
3.	Update from Central SCC	K. Hoben
4.	Student Parliament Update	Rachel Bureau
5.	School Update	J. MacKenzie
6.	Literacy Updates -OSSLT	J. Demaray
7.	Report Cards	J. Demaray
8.	Health and Safety	F. Aziz
9.	Other Business	K. Hoben
10.	Adjournment	K. Hoben

Reminder: The next virtual meeting is scheduled for Wednesday May 7, 2024 at 6.00 pm

**Updates:** 

#### Guidance:

- All Course Requests for next year are done. We cannot make any changes to the Course Requests until
  we have secured a working timetable for the following year. Hopefully, this happens by June.
  Timetable changes are always encouraged during the first two weeks of school. Students will not
  receive their timetables until then end of the summer. The date is to be determined. Throughout the
  summer, Counsellors balance their schedules, update courses based on summer school success and
  register new students.
- 2. **Summer School** if your child has signed up for Summer School, they will not hear from DCE (Durham Continuing Education) about the course set up and accessing the course until **a few days before the course begins**. They will receive an email to their student gmail account with login instructions. Please encourage them to check that email often.
- 3. Grad Fee please have this fee paid by May 1<sup>st</sup> on School Cash Online
- 4. All **volunteer hours** are due by May 1<sup>st</sup> as well as the **Online Opt Out Form** these can be handed in to guidance
- 5. **Graduation Accommodation Information** in early June, a form will be sent out to parents of graduates for them to fill in if they have any accessibility issues that need to be addressed for the graduation event. This form will be due by June 21<sup>st</sup>. Graduation is June 27<sup>th</sup> at 9 am at Iroquois Park Sports Complex. More information to follow.
- 6. **Graduation seating** the maximum number of guests able to attend for each student (include parental unit) is **5**. The fire code at Iroquois limits us to the number of guests/staff/students we can have. If you have 6, then you need to find a family that was only using 4 and "use" their spot. Please work this out amongst the BHS community. Managing those requests is not something that we can facilitate.
- 7. **Prom Sponsorship** if any parent is interested in sponsoring a student's prom ticket, please let Natalie Morgan-Cook know at natalie.morgan@ddsb.ca. We always have students that are quietly in need of such generous donations.
- 8. **Bears Breakfast** we are also always looking for monetary donations to our weekly breakfast program. Please donate through School Cash Online.

### Prom:

- 1. **Prom website:** <a href="https://sites.google.com/ddsb.ca/bhs-prom-2024/home">https://sites.google.com/ddsb.ca/bhs-prom-2024/home</a> links to rules,forms, and all other information can be found here. Any questions, please contact Ms. Dean
- 2. **Prom tickets and forms for BHS students:** Still several students who have not yet paid or submitted forms. Only students who have submitted everything will be permitted to purchase a guest ticket.
- 3. **Prom guest tickets & forms:** Guest tickets are on sale starting tomorrow, April 3rd only available for students who have submitted everything (their form, guest form, VP approval). Guest forms there was a guest form to submit and a link to send to the guest's VP for approval.

### Prom Fundraiser:

 Krispy Kreme Prom fundraiser – pre-order sales END TODAY (Tues. April 2nd). Sales go to support Prom. Pick up April 29<sup>th</sup> @BHS – lunch or after school. <a href="https://ddsb.schoolcashonline.com/Fee/Details/159485/102/False/True">https://ddsb.schoolcashonline.com/Fee/Details/159485/102/False/True</a>

# **Prom Sponsors:**

- 1. Lavish Salon & Spa book your appointment now! mention BHS and get 15% off haircuts, colour services and extensions (June 1-13)
- 2. **One Love One Dream** discount offered on dresses & suits mention BHS and receive 15% off prom dress or \$30 off suit rental.
- 3. Moonlight Limo use code BHS2024 when booking
- 4. **Brooklin Floral** order your flowers/corsages now!

# Yearbooks:

- 1. **Yearbook Sales are closed.** Yearbooks were on sale from the beginning of September to the end of January.
- 2. **Extra yearbooks?:** Any extra yearbooks will be available through School Cash Online late in June. Please watch SCO for emails.
- 3. **When will students get them?** Students will receive their yearbooks in their homeroom sometime in early-mid June.