POINTER UPDATE

January 22, 2021

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Important News:

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- Congratulations to Katelyn Salmeron for earning a \$3000 scholarship and 3rd place in the Thea foundation Visual arts scholarship competition.
- Congratulations to Trevor Edelen for being the first wrestler in VBHS history to record 100 wins by his Junior year.
- **Juniors:** Do you have the desire to attend college but think there's no way you can afford it? You should think about applying for the College Prep Scholars Program through Questbridge. Go to https://www.questbridge.org/high-school-students/college-prep-scholars for more information. Application opens in early February with a deadline of March 24th.
- Anyone interested in trying out for the Pointer cheer or dance team for 2021-2022, must attend a
 mandatory meeting on Sunday, January 31st at 3:00pm in the Commons. If you have any questions,
 please contact Monika Berry for cheer (monika.berry@vbsd.us) or Taylor McKenna
 (taylor.mckenna@vbsd.us) for dance.
- **Seniors:** It's time to start applying for **local scholarships**. There are several that are now available in Mrs. Nelson's office. Check there weekly for anything new.
- Any student interested in FBLA will need to sign up by emailing Mrs. Butler at abutler@vbsd.us. You can sign up through January.
- Follow us on social media! Twitter: @VanBurenHS @PointerUpdate @VBHS_Counseling

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Friday, January 22

Happy Birthday, Pam Norried! 5:00pm Basketball @ Vilonia (JVG/JVB/VG/VB)

Saturday, January 23

Happy Birthday, Kristy Lale! Wrestling in Greenbrier Tournament

Sunday, January 24

Monday, January 25

Tuesday, January 26

Happy Birthday, Brad Autry! PSAT

3:30pm Basketball vs. Siloam Springs @ Home (JVG/JVB/VG/VB)

4:00pm Bowling vs. Greenwood @ Bowling World 6:00pm Wrestling vs. Bentonville-West @ VBFA

Wednesday, January 27

Thursday, January 28

Swimming vs. Springdale @ Jones Center
College Project meets in S210 via Zoom
1st hour - Soph., 2nd hour - Jrs., 3rd hour - Srs.
4:00pm Bowling vs. Bentonville @ Midland Bowl
6:00pm Wrestling vs. Greenwood/Russellville
@ Russellville

Friday, January 29

4:45pm Basketball @ Russellville (JVG/JVB/VG/VB)

Upcoming Winter/spring Events!

February 6	ACT	
February 15	Virtual Learning Day	
March 10	Junior ACT at School	
March 12	Last Day to Register for April ACT	
March 16/18	Parent-Teacher Conferences 3:30-6:30pm	
March 19	NO SCHOOL	
March 22-26	Spring Break	
April 2	Virtual Learning Day	
April 17	ACT	
May 1	Prom	
May 7	Last Day to Register for June ACT	
May 11/12	Senior Semester Exams	
May 21	Graduation	
May 26/27	Soph/Jr Semester Exams	
May 28	Last Day of School	
June 18	Last Day to Register for July ACT	

UPCOMING PROJECTS/EXAMS

TEACHER	COURSE	TITLE OF PROJECT/ASSIGNMENT	DUE DATE	MORE INFO
Dean	AP US History	Unit #7 Exam - The Gilded Age, the West and Imperialism	Thurs., 1-28	hdean@vbsd.us
Hammond	Honors Chem	Periodic Trends Quiz	Mon., 1-25	phammond@vbsd.us



