

# BURROUGHS

PARENT NEWSLETTER

September 2009

## Message from the head of school

In my first opening day as head of school—sitting on stage with all the members of the senior class, the class of 2010—I was filled with pride. Our seniors assumed their role as leaders of the school with confidence, warmth, good humor and enthusiasm. Of course it was best to be in the room with the entire student body, faculty and staff at the opening assembly, but for those of you who were not there, we have posted the comments made by David Franks, senior class president, and John Stillman, student body president, on our web site ([www.jburroughs.org](http://www.jburroughs.org)). While you're visiting the web site, take a look at the photos from Blue and Gold Week. Student engagement—certainly evident during the week's events—built to typically raucous pep rally and bonfire on Friday, September 12<sup>th</sup>.

Relationships seem to be a recurring theme this school year. I talked about the importance of seeing people, acknowledging them and their value in my summer letter to the JBS community. And John Stillman, in declaring the 2009-10 school year, the year of one degree, drove it home to our students in his remarks on opening day. John was referring to the principle of six degrees of separation—that through relationships every person on this planet has a connection to everybody else on the planet. John challenged students to connect with each member of the student body in the year of one degree. The way to do that is to get involved.

That goes for parents too. I encourage you to seize the opportunity to engage in this remarkable community. We welcome your presence and involvement in the life of the school, and now is a good time to get started. Join us on campus for parents visiting day on September 29<sup>th</sup>, for Family Network meetings (the first of which is a Book Club meeting on September 25<sup>th</sup>), for the fall play on October 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> and for our Parent Forum on November 4<sup>th</sup>. As I mentioned in last month's message, the Parent Forum provides the opportunity for parents to engage in community-wide conversation and for the administration and Board to hear what our parents think about the school. This is especially important for me—now!

Your volunteer involvement is also welcome. Our Parents Council is a wonderful resource for this school and a great point of connection for parents. We invite you to put yourself out there and get involved. You should have received a form to express areas in which you would be interested in serving. If not, feel free to call this year's Parents Council president, Case Baum. I'm sure she will have some ideas.

We're off to a great start to what I fully expect to be a great year.



*A tradition is born? Andy Abbott reads an original poem honoring senior members of the fall athletic teams at the pep assembly on September 11<sup>th</sup>.*

*Andy Abbott*  
—ANDY ABBOTT

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## Handling H1N1

BURROUGHS, IN ACCORDANCE with guidelines from the St. Louis County Health Department, has a plan in place with regard to the H1N1 virus.

### Immunizations

The health department recommends that students get two flu immunizations this year, one for seasonal flu and one specific to the H1N1 virus. In addition to the many sources for the seasonal flu shots in the larger community, the school will also make the shots available at its seasonal flu vaccination clinic on Thursday, September 24<sup>th</sup> and Friday, September 25<sup>th</sup>. Nursing Vaccination Specialists, Inc. will administer the shots at a cost of \$30 for the shot, \$40 for the mist, which will be store-carded. Permission slips signed by parents are required. Forms are available from the school nurse or at [www.jburroughs.org](http://www.jburroughs.org) (go to "Flu Information and Consent Forms" on the "News and Events" page).

The second shot, specific to the H1N1 virus, will be available in October. Burroughs is on the St. Louis County Health Department's list to receive the vaccinations, and health professionals will administer the shots to all interested students at no charge when the shots become available.

### Preventing the spread of H1N1

Common sense is the best defense, and hand washing is the mantra. Teachers and administrators are reminding students to wash their hands often for at least 15 to 20 seconds with the anti-microbial hand soap provided in the rest rooms. As a supplemental measure, hand sanitizer is readily available in classrooms and the dining room.

Obviously, sharing personal items is not a good idea in any flu season. Students are asked to cover their coughs and sneezes with tissues. If they do not have a tissue, they should cough or sneeze into their upper sleeve.

### Stay home if you're sick

Symptoms of the flu include fever (100.4° or higher), cough, sore throat, a runny or stuffy nose, body aches, headache and tiredness. Some people may also vomit or have diarrhea. Students who display any of these symptoms should stay home.

If a child develops flu-like symptoms at school, s/he will be sent to the school nurse, who will mask the student, notify the parents, and send the student home. We are requiring that the child remain at home until s/he is fever free for at least 24 hours without the use of fever-reducing medications.



### Welcome, Class of 2015

Seniors welcomed their little siblings from the Class of 2015 at a picnic following the orientation for seventh graders on Monday, August 30<sup>th</sup>. From left are Elizabeth Jackson '15, Shamaita Majamdar '10, Caroline Adams '15, Emily Naclerio '10, Anjum Rangwala '10, Elizabeth Anderson '15, Aisling O'Brien '15 and Helen Rapp '10.

## On display in the Bonsack Gallery

“VENEER,” a collection of prints, books and paper-engineered objects by Benjamin Rinehart, will remain on display in the Bonsack Gallery through October 7<sup>th</sup>.

Meredith Foster’s exhibit, “Kicking Up the Dust” will run from October 9<sup>th</sup> through November 11<sup>th</sup>. Foster’s exhibit of wall-mounted constructions (made from paper, mylar, wood and fluorescent light) explores the psychological implications of the architectural space of a home and its metaphorical relationship to its human inhabitants. All are invited to a reception hosted by the artist from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., Friday, October 9<sup>th</sup> in the gallery. Regular gallery hours are 8 a.m. to 6:30 p.m., weekdays. For more information, contact Donya Allison (314/993-4040, ext. 229 or dallison@jburroughs.org).

## In the Kuehner Gallery

The alumnus art exhibit in the Kuehner Gallery features the work of Doug Kassabaum '68 through October 5<sup>th</sup>. The exhibit, “Steel Cartoons and Related Work,” is a collection of Mr. Kassabaum’s sculptures and drawings. The artist, an architect and founding partner in the St. Louis firm, Sutton Studio, Inc., was a classmate of the late Kerry S. Kuehner, for whom the fine arts building is named.

## National Merit and Achievement programs

### Semifinalists named

THE CLASS OF 2010 claims 30 National Merit Scholarship (NMS) semifinalists. The seniors named semifinalists in the NMS program are Curtis Adams, Alex Brasher, Devon Camp, Michael Carney, Chris Danis, Sophia Davis, Thom Finley, David Franks, Alex Goel, Jennifer Hatfield, Supriya Hobbs, Madi Holtzman, Radhika Jain, Steve Lach, Chris Lee, Jack Linshi, Jenny Liu, JJ Liu, Sam Margo, Najja Marshall, Spencer Marston, Ben Montgomery, Leah Newcomer, Marc Niemeyer, Edirin Okoloko, Ethan Pfeifer, Helen Rapp, Henry Schmidt, John Stillman and Elizabeth Wagner.

## College counseling

### Meeting for parents of juniors

NANETTE TARBOUNI, director of college counseling, and Scott Heinzl, principal of grades 11 and 12, will give parents of juniors an overview of the college counseling process and introduce them to college-related standardized tests (SAT, PSAT, ACT, AP) at a meeting at 7 p.m., Monday, October 12<sup>th</sup> in the dining room.



### Blue and Gold

As seniors, the class of 2010 led the charge in events leading up to Blue and Gold Weekend. At right, they gather in front of the bonfire, which they lit, on Friday, September 11<sup>th</sup>, the night before a Saturday of athletic contests against MICDS.



### A big day

Students arrived on August 30<sup>th</sup> looking especially polished to start the new school year. In foreground, from front to back, are Jake Siwak '10 and Jack Linshi '10 with Liz Cherrick '10 peeking over his shoulder.



Opening day of the 87<sup>th</sup> school year was noteworthy as the class of 2010 assumed its place on stage for the first assembly of the school year and Andy Abbott assumed his place at the podium as the sixth head of school. Alex Petrullo '10 opened the assembly by singing the national anthem, followed by a few comments by Mr. Abbott. Senior class president David Franks charged his classmates to lead with confidence and enjoy every moment of their senior year, and student body president John Stillman declared the 2009-10 school year the year of one degree, challenging all students to have a first-hand, face-to-face connection with every other member of the student body. To read the opening day speeches and see more photos, visit [www.jburroughs.org](http://www.jburroughs.org).



### Off and running

Students had barely found their new assembly seats before they were back to a full complement of athletic games, yearbook meetings, play tryouts and practices and homework. Above, from left, Madison Qualy '12, Grace Renner '12 and Maddy Smith '12 cheered at the first varsity home football game before school even started. Burroughs defeated Winfield by a score of 42-0.

### Condolences

The school offers condolences to:

Maddie '11 and Mackenzie '13 Brandt on the death of their grandmother, Henriette Ackerman, on August 29, 2009.

Dr. Ellie Des Prez (faculty) on the death of her father, Roger Des Prez, on August 28, 2009.

Michael '11 and David '15 Gans on the death of their grandmother, Sue Butchko, on August 1, 2009.

Emily Goodloe '13 on the death of her grandfather, John Durham, on August 20, 2009.

John Milner '14 on the death of his grandmother, Lucie Milner, on September 8, 2009.

*From the Parents Council president*

### **Fall into volunteering!**

FALL IS FINALLY here, and the kids are back in school. I hope that your family had a memorable summer and has settled back into the school routine. The Parents Council is looking forward to a great year.

Our committees are already hard at work, planning many exciting community-building events. Please consider volunteering for one (or more!) of these committees. Parents are a vital part of the Burroughs community. Your involvement in our activities is truly valued and appreciated. Plus, getting involved is a wonderful way to meet people and feel connected to the school.

If last spring's volunteer sign-up sheet got lost on your kitchen counter, don't worry! It's never too late to volunteer. Check out the Parents Council website at [www.jburroughs.org](http://www.jburroughs.org). Click on "JB Net" and then click on the "Parents Council" tab. Finally, click on "Parents Council" once more, to reveal a directory of choices. Our website is updated regularly by JBS parent (and Parents Council board member) Anjani Chauhan. You'll find listings of all our events and upcoming meetings.

Also, stop by the Parents Council volunteer table, which will be set up outside the Bookstore between 7:45 a.m. and 1 p.m. on Parents Visiting Day, September 29<sup>th</sup>. We look forward to meeting you and to helping you become involved as a JBS parent.

—CASE BAUM

### **Potpourri 2010**

#### **Wanted: Sorters and department chairs**

POTPOURRI, our 500-family garage sale, is still months away, but the donations are rolling in!

Sorting the myriad items we receive is a critical role, and new volunteers are always welcome! Incoming 7<sup>th</sup> grade parents, this is a great way to meet new friends from all grade levels. Upcoming sorts will take place from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m., on Tuesday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>; Thursday, October 1<sup>st</sup>; Saturday, October 10<sup>th</sup>; and Tuesday, October 13<sup>th</sup>. All sorts take place in the Potpourri sorting room, which is located behind the field house, by the baseball field.

We are still in need of cochairs for several departments, no experience required! Positions are available in Best of Everything, furniture, kids' clothing and electronics, just to name a few. If you are interested in volunteering as a department chair, please call or e-mail either of us (Cindy at 314/821-2978 or [cchnabel@sbcglobal.net](mailto:cchnabel@sbcglobal.net); Shelly at 314/569-5949 or [shelly@artmartstl.com](mailto:shelly@artmartstl.com)) for more information. Our first committee meeting will be at 8:30 a.m., Wednesday, October 7<sup>th</sup> in the Haertter Hall conference room. Everyone is welcome to attend—current chairs as well as those who are just thinking of volunteering.

We would like to thank all of you who have already committed to Potpourri 2010. Whether you've signed on as a department chair or are starting slowly by attending the sort sessions, we truly appreciate your help. Potpourri fosters community spirit within Burroughs and provides a valuable service to the greater St. Louis area. This could not happen without our wonderful parents. We look forward to working with all of you in the coming months.

—COCHAIRS CINDY SCHNABEL & SHELLY BAIZER



# Unique Boutique

## Art and Fine Craft Bazaar

10 a.m. to 4 p.m.,  
Saturday, November 21<sup>st</sup>  
Sunday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>

PARENTS, WATCH YOUR INBOXES for the new Unique Boutique volunteer form arriving by e-mail in late September. It will offer the opportunity to sign up to help with various aspects of Unique Boutique, the annual art and fine craft sale sponsored by the JBS Parents Council and held on campus the third weekend in November.

JBS parents sponsor and staff these booths:

- Incredible Edibles—Delicious homemade pies, cakes, spiced nuts and candies, all tied up with a bow. Almost too pretty to eat.
- Signatures—Handmade items created by JBS parents at Signatures Committee crafting sessions (see column at right).
- Unique Boutique Café—Tasty sandwiches, pastries and snacks for sale to shoppers and artisans.
- Holiday Plants—Wreaths, topiaries, herbs and blooms for the holidays.
- JB Connection—Outstanding JBS logo apparel, blankets and more.

Many hands also are needed to set up and take down, and to volunteer during the weekend of the bazaar.

Now in its 14<sup>th</sup> year, this popular community event offers affordable and original artwork, gifts, plants and baked goods just in time for the holidays. The school hallways brim with the hand-crafted work of more than 40 artisans, plus talented Burroughs faculty and parents. Popular items include fine jewelry, fiber art, glass, sculpture, pottery and holiday ornaments.

The event is open to the community, and proceeds go to further enrich the JBS educational experience. For more information about Unique Boutique and its many opportunities to volunteer, contact either of us (Dorothy at 314/963-9409 or [cswicord@hotmail.com](mailto:cswicord@hotmail.com); Terry at 314/520-6497 or [terry-warner@sbcglobal.net](mailto:terry-warner@sbcglobal.net))—and watch your -mail.

### Connect with other JBS parents

The Unique Boutique Signatures Committee is a fun way to volunteer while getting to know other Burroughs parents. The committee holds crafting sessions throughout the fall during which JBS parents create handmade items to be sold in the Signatures booth.

You need not be “crafty”—all skill levels are welcome. Project instructions and materials are supplied at each meeting. You may attend one session, or all, whatever works with your schedule.

For more information and to volunteer, please contact Signatures cochairs Vicki LeResche (314/997-2161 or [happyserb@sbcglobal.net](mailto:happyserb@sbcglobal.net)) or Carol Roodman (314/991-0009 or [hands2u@charter.net](mailto:hands2u@charter.net)).

—COCHAIRS DOROTHY SWICORD & TERRY WARNER



*More than 500 parents, students and faculty members were on campus Saturday, September 12<sup>th</sup> for a family picnic and athletic contests with MICDS.*

### Continuing the cookie tradition

THE PARENTS COUNCIL is pleased to continue the tradition of selling homemade cookies in the bookstore. The parents of each student are asked to provide six dozen large, homemade cookies on an assigned day. The bookstore sells the cookies for 5¢ each following the three lunch periods. You can be assured that your children greatly appreciate the effort and are disappointed when there are not enough to go around!

You'll get a schedule in the mail. This year, grades are assigned as follows:

- 9<sup>th</sup> grade: September through early October
- 10<sup>th</sup> grade: Early October through mid-November
- 8<sup>th</sup> grade: Mid-November through mid-January
- 11<sup>th</sup> grade: Mid-January through late February
- 12<sup>th</sup> grade: late February through mid-April
- 7<sup>th</sup> grade: Mid-April through May

Please...

- Remember your cookies on your scheduled day.
- You can substitute another treat, such as brownies, Rice Krispies treats, or a healthy snack, but remember to bring the full six dozen.
- To accommodate those with allergies, please, no recipes containing nuts.

If you know that you are unable to bring treats on your assigned day, please switch with a friend. If you forget (gasp!) on your assigned day, send your cookies, wrapped for freezing, on another day. They will be most welcome!

—CHAIR CARIE KENNEDY

### Volunteer in the JBS library

PARENTS WHO VOLUNTEER in the Burroughs library enjoy seeing Burroughs students during the school day, not to mention the joy of working with JBS professional staff and a stellar collection of books in beautiful surroundings. You can participate two or three hours a week, once a month, or every other week—or craft your own schedule. No previous training is needed, just a love of books. Call or e-mail me (314/968-0300 or fremont.martineau@sbcglobal.net) to learn more or to sign up.

—CHAIR CHARLES FREMONT

### Family Network

#### Something for every parent

COME JOIN Family Network this year for Brown Bag presentations, Book Club discussions or the Mentor Family Coffee!

Prue Gershman (Personal Counseling) will once again offer a monthly Book Club discussing, this year on *Get Out of My Life, But First Could You Drive Me and Cheryl to the Mall? A Parent's Guide to the New Teenager*, by Anthony E. Wolf, Ph.D., (2002 edition). Discussions will take place at 8:30 a.m. in the Haertter Hall conference room (unless otherwise noted below). The dates for these discussions are September 25<sup>th</sup>, October 30<sup>th</sup> (8:45 a.m.), December 4<sup>th</sup>, January 15<sup>th</sup>, February 19<sup>th</sup>, April 9<sup>th</sup> (college counseling room) and May 7<sup>th</sup> (college counseling room). Please purchase Book Club books on your own. They will not be offered in the JBS bookstore this year.

Please mark your calendars with these additional dates:

**October 1<sup>st</sup>** New Family Mentor Coffee  
8:15 a.m., Haertter Hall conference room

**October 13<sup>th</sup>** Book Club  
Carrie Madigan (Home Economics) will lead the discussion of *Julie and Julia* by Julie Powell.  
Noon to 1:15 p.m.,  
Haertter Hall conference room

**November 13<sup>th</sup>** Book Club  
Susan Dee (Academic Support) will lead the discussion of *Outliers* by Malcolm Gladwell.  
11:45 a.m.-1 p.m.,  
Haertter Hall conference room

**April 7<sup>th</sup>** Book Club  
Mark Smith (History) will lead the discussion of *Zeitoun* by Dave Eggers.  
11:45 a.m. -1 p.m.,  
Haertter Hall conference room

Watch for e-mails or newsletter articles regarding dates for Brown Bag presentations. Also, we may add additional Book Clubs led by JBS teachers. Watch the newsletter!

—COCHAIRS LANA WRIGHT & CHERYL BARNETT

## Bullet Points

- **Buzz book** THE 2009-10 BUZZ BOOK was distributed to students at morning assembly on September 10<sup>th</sup>. Families may purchase additional copies in the bookstore. Please make note of the following changes/additions in your Buzz Book:

Pages 2 & 41: Lister, J.J. '15 (parents, Carol and Jamie Lister); change phone, 314/567-5009.

Pages 5, 8 & 35: Johnson, Lea '11 and Sana '13 (parents, Roz and Lee Johnson); change address and phone, 4200 Laclede Ave., #205, 63108, 314/531-1405.

Page 75: Bang, Jon (History); change address and phone, 2110 Bellevue Ave., 63143, 314/646-0304.

Pages 89: Tomlinson, Casie (PE/Athletics); change address, 4 Fawn Valley Circle, St. Peters, 63376.

- **Reminder about personal electronics** HEAD OF SCHOOL Andy Abbott recently reminded students about the use of personal electronics on campus. Student cell phone use is restricted to after-school hours. Between 2:50 and 4:20 p.m., students in grades 9-12 may only use them outdoors and in the Commons. Students in grades 7 and 8 may use their phones after 4:20 p.m. Cell phones are banned at all times in the locker rooms and bathrooms. Land lines are available in the bookstore and Commons for student use during the school day. iPods also are restricted to after-school use.

Personal laptop computer use is restricted to the library and to after school in other areas on campus. Students who have demonstrated a special need are exempted from the rule.

Personal electronics used in violation of this policy may be temporarily confiscated.

- **China trip** RETIRED HISTORY and speech and debate teacher Peter Schandorff invites the Burroughs community to join him on what will be his 26<sup>th</sup> trip to China, and likely his last one tailored for the Burroughs community, in March 2010.

The group will leave from Chicago for Beijing (via Tokyo) on ANA Airlines. Cities included on the itinerary include Beijing (the Great Wall, the Forbidden City, Tiananmen Square and the Olympic site), Xian

(the cradle of Chinese civilization and home to the Terra Cotta Warriors), Guilin (for a cruise among the famous Karst formations and a luxury four-day cruise down the Yangtze River to the famous Three-Gorges Dam), Chongqing (the largest urban area in the world near the foothills of the Himalayas) and Shanghai.

Accommodations will be Five Star, and the trip is being organized by China International Travel Service in Xian, among the oldest and most skilled tour agencies in the Middle Kingdom. The Chinese have held the costs to the 2008 price, which makes the trip a bargain.

The trip will be from March 12-27, 2010. Information sessions will be from 6:30-7:30 p.m., September 8<sup>th</sup>, September 22<sup>nd</sup>, October 6<sup>th</sup> and October 13<sup>th</sup>, in the Haertter Hall conference room. For costs and particulars, contact Mr. Schandorff at 314/773-3808 or pschand@charter.net.

## Student & Faculty Credits

Congratulations to school nurse **Casie Tomlinson** (PE/Athletics) and her husband, Matt, on the birth of a daughter, Addison Lynn, on September 9<sup>th</sup>.

In late August **Avery Springer** (Classics) was one of more than 70 St. Louisans who read passages from Ovid's "Metamorphoses," at the Pulitzer Foundation of the Arts, surrounded by paintings, some of which were inspired by the stories in the masterpiece.

**Ezekiel Elliott** '13 has been named a National Elite Youth All American in track, and **Kirk Smith** '13 has been named to the NEY Honor Roll. Ezekiel finished second in both the 100- and 200-meter hurdles, 14<sup>th</sup> in the 4x400 relay and 29<sup>th</sup> in the 200m race at the AAU National Junior Olympics held at Drake University in August. The National Elite Youth Ranking System has placed Ezekiel third in the 100m hurdles and ninth in the 200m hurdles for his age group. Kirk also qualified for the AAU national meet but did not compete.

**Shamaita Majumdar** '10 and **Amit Roy** '10 received 2009 Awards for Excellence in Research for the work they did in the 2009 Students and Teachers as Research Scientists program during the summer.

**October**

Friday, October 2	Potpourri sorting session, 8:30 to 10:30 a.m., Portpourri sort room Commons Café, time to be determined, Commons
Sunday, October 4	Grade 7 Drey Land week begins Grade 10 parent party, 5:30 p.m., off campus
Tuesday, October 6	Summer Opportunities Fair meeting, 8:30 a.m., Haertter Hall conference room
Friday, October 9	ISE committee meeting, 8:30 a.m., Haertter Hall conference room Bonsack Gallery (Meredith Foster) opening, 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.
Saturday, October 10	Potpourri sorting session, 8:30 to 10:30 a.m., Potpourri sort room
Monday, October 12	Grade 11 college counseling meeting for parents, 7 p.m., dining room
Tuesday, October 13	Potpourri sorting session, 8:30 to 10:30 a.m., Potpourri sort room
Wednesday, October 14	Grades 10 & 11 PSAT, 9 a.m., multi-purpose room and field house Grades 10 & 11 health day, following PSAT, off campus for juniors, on campus for sophomores
Thursday, October 15	Late day, 8:45 a.m. assembly Unique Boutique meeting, 8:30 a.m., Haertter Hall conference room
Friday, October 16	School Closed (offices will be open)
Monday, October 19	School Closed (offices will be open)
Tuesday, October 20	Late day, 8:45 a.m. assembly
Thursday, October 22	Late day, 8:45 a.m. assembly
Friday, October 23	Fall play (“Dracula”), 8 p.m., Haertter Hall
Saturday, October 24	Potpourri sorting session, 8:30 to 10:30 a.m., Potpourri sort room Open house for prospective students/parents, 10 a.m. Fall play (“Dracula”), 8 p.m., Haertter Hall
Sunday, October 25	Grade 8 parent dinner, 6 to 8 p.m., dining room
Monday, October 26	Parent conferences begin
Tuesday, October 27	Late day, 8:45 a.m. assembly
Thursday, October 29	Late day, 8:45 a.m. assembly

**November**

Sunday, November 1	Daylight savings time ends
Tuesday, November 3	Late day, 8:45 a.m. assembly Summer Opportunities Fair meeting, 8:30 a.m., Haertter Hall conference room College financial aid seminar for junior and senior parents, 7 p.m., dining room
Wednesday, November 4	Parents Council meeting, 8:30 a.m., Haertter Hall conference room Parent Forum, 7:30 p.m., dining room
Thursday, November 5	Grades 7 & 8 Dance, 7 to 9 p.m., dining room

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Friday, November 6	School closed (offices open)
Saturday, November 7	Potpourri sorting session, 8:30 to 10:30 a.m., Potpourri sort room
Sunday, November 8	Grade 7 parent dinner, 6 p.m., dining room
Tuesday, November 10	Late day, 8:45 a.m. assembly Auction meeting, 8:30 a.m., Haertter Hall conference room Potpourri sorting session, 8:30 to 10:30 a.m., Potpourri sort room
Wednesday, November 11	Grades 7-12 choral and senior orchestra concert, 7:30 p.m., Haertter Hall
Thursday, November 12	Late day, 8:45 a.m. assembly
Friday, November 13	Bonsack Gallery opening (Charles Derleth), 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., gallery
Saturday, November 14	Blue and Gold dance for grades 10-12, 8:30 to 11:30 p.m., dining room
Tuesday, November 17	Late day, 8:45 a.m. assembly Student panel for parents of 7 <sup>th</sup> graders, 7:30 p.m., dining room
Thursday, November 19	Late day, 8:45 a.m. assembly Potpourri sorting session, 8:30 to 10:30 a.m., Potpourri sort room
Friday, November 20	Grade 8 games night, 6:30 p.m., Cissel Center
Saturday, November 21	Unique Boutique, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., main building
Sunday, November 22	Unique Boutique, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., main building
Tuesday, November 24	Grades 7-12 Band Concert, 7:30 p.m., Haertter Hall
Wednesday, November 25	Thanksgiving assembly, 8:15 a.m. Grandparents Day for grandparents of students in grades 7 & 8 Dress-up day Dismissal at 2:50 p.m.