

Announcements – September 25, 2009

1. Attention Juniors: Any junior interested in taking the P.S.A.T. on Saturday, Oct. 17 must register for the test before homeroom in the Counseling Office. The cost for the test is \$13.00, please have exact change or a check made payable to Boyertown Area Senior High School. The registration period will start Monday, Sept. 21 and close Friday, Oct. 2. Space is limited so sign up early.
2. Attention Class of 2011 - They're good and yummy and wonderfully sweet, cheesecakes, cheesecakes are great to eat. Juniors, get out there and sell, sell, sell those cheesecakes. Extra order forms are in room 423. Orders are due next Monday.
3. Attention All Students: Would you like to spend a year overseas with a host family? Or would you and your family like to host an exchange student from overseas? All students and parents are invited to attend an information session next Tues., Sept. 29 at 7:00 p.m. in room 710. Sponsored by Rotary Club of Boyertown.
4. Are you 18 years old? Will you be 18 on or before November 3, 2009? If you answered Yes – you are eligible to vote on November 3rd, but you have to register before you may vote! Please look for a voter registration form in the Library. Save the money for a postage stamp and bring the form back to the Library. It will be mailed for you! If you want to register online, drop into the Library, anytime. The Voter Registration Office must receive your application no later than October 5, 2009. Please exercise your right to vote! Register!
5. Have you read? Looking for Alaska, Wicked, My Sister's Keeper or The Lovely Bones? How about ---the Twilight books or any of the Harry Potter books? Do you remember Ronald Dahl's Matilda or Alvin Schwartz's Scary Stories to tell in the Dark? All of these books or authors are currently being challenged. Next week is Banned Books Week, 2009. By celebrating this week, we recognize everyone's Right to Read, which is firmly rooted in the First Amendment of the U. S. Constitution. We celebrate this week by recognizing the commitment made by many parents, teachers and librarians, who encourage that all materials remain available to everyone. Thousands of books are challenged, each year, for many reasons. Check out the displays in our Library! Have you read any challenged or banned books? Read the reasons why a book is challenged. The 2009 theme is – Speak, Read, Know. Visit the Library, soon, and celebrate YOUR RIGHT TO READ!
6. Attention Students Interested in Participating in Drama Club: If you are interested in auditioning for this year's Drama Club production of "Till Beth Do Us Part", there is a MANDATORY meeting on Thursday, October 1st at 3:00 in the Old Auditorium that you must attend. There you will receive information about the show, as well as audition packets.
7. Join the STEALTH club to help plan this year's NRG challenge and activities for the school to stay physically active. Our first meeting will be on Wednesday, September 30 during homeroom in Room 728A. See Mrs. Petri or Mrs. Furman for a pass.
8. Is BASH a high school that cares? Yes we are! So come on out and support this year's Unity Walk. The walk will take place on Oct. 11 and will also kick the T.A.B. campaign. T.A.B. stands for Tolerance, Acceptance and Belonging. T-shirts are also available for this event for a cost of \$10.00. You may place your order in the main office.