

### **Senior Class Co-Advisors**

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Senior Prom is scheduled for June 1 at the Poughkeepsie Grand View Hotel

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Junior Prom is scheduled for April 27 at the Colonial Terrace in Cortlandt Manor.

### **Adventure Club**

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The Adventure Club plans hiking trips with the students. They have traveled up Mount Beacon and along the Hudson to Dennings Point. Additional hiking trips will be planned when the weather improves.

### **Art Club**

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Students have worked on a variety of art projects including doing face painting for Spirit Week. During the holiday season students were making hats and scarves for those in need.

### **Chess Club**

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Chess is a game of logic and skill. Students have the opportunity to develop their planning skills and expand their knowledge of the game.

### **Dance/Step Club**

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Students learn and practice various step dance routines. Students have competed in a few talent shows for Step as well as the BHS Pep Rally. The Step Team will be performing in the Clearwater's Spring Splash on March 24<sup>th</sup> as well as other shows in the spring.

### **Drama Club**

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The Drama Club continues to produce plays. We are in the process of doing "A Midsummer Night's Dream" for an in-school performance and two public performances. We will have students entering the DCC performance competition - two students did win recognition last year. We hope to have a Drama Awards again this year. We have approximately 45 students engaged in our current production. We meet everyday for two to two and one half hours.

### **Foreign Language Club**

Lillian Goldsmith – [goldsmith.l@beaconk12.org](mailto:goldsmith.l@beaconk12.org)

Students discuss and learn about other cultures. In past years they have gone on various field trips relating to cultural events. When funding is available they hope to resume taking field trips.

### **Literary Magazine**

George A. Conrad – [conrad.g@beaconk12.org](mailto:conrad.g@beaconk12.org)

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Student writing is compiled into a magazine and distributed to the faculty and student body.

**Marching Band Director**

Michelle Buechele – [buechele.m@beaconk12.org](mailto:buechele.m@beaconk12.org)

Marching Band performs in the Spirit of Beacon Day Parade, Pep Rally, Homecoming, and the Memorial Day Parade.

**Math Club**

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The Math club is made up of students who enjoy doing challenging Math problems. It is run in conjunction with the BHS Math team that competes in a league with other schools. We meet on Wednesdays and the team meets are also on Wednesdays (one per month from Nov-Feb). This year's team is on the cusp of qualifying for Sectionals for the 3rd consecutive year.

**National Honor Society**

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BHS Chapter meets twice a month and coordinates community service opportunities for the members. Currently members are involved in peer tutoring as well as other events. During events at BHS members attend in order to assist with the events. Future events include Freshman Orientation, Graduation and the Freshman Tours in August.

**Peer Mediation**

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Peer mediators help other students resolve their differences in peaceful ways. New members were trained at the beginning of the school year. Usually students attend the Youth Summit at Vassar.

**School Newspaper**

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The Bulldog Chronicle has produced two editions this year and plans to publish two more issues. Students report on topics that interest them as well as covering current school events.

**Student Council**

Christina Dahl – [dahl.c@beaconk12.org](mailto:dahl.c@beaconk12.org)

Student Council played a very important role in the Spirit of Beacon Day Parade and sponsors the events for Spirit Week.

**Video Club**

Michael Gersh – [gersh.m@beaconk12.org](mailto:gersh.m@beaconk12.org)

Students work in the theater during school and outside events. They develop their skills in handling the equipment for recording, editing, and production of video for television and DVD's.

**Yearbook**

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Students in class work on the production of the BHS Yearbook. Additional outside work includes selling ad space to help defray the cost of the book for students. The Yearbook club supports Student Portrait Day(s). Students and advisors attend events in order to photograph them for the Yearbook. The entire process of creating the book is done by the students with the oversight of the advisors.