



THE VIRTUAL TIMES



FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK...

C.W Baker High Students, Staff, and Families,

Student 3rd quarter interim reports were published in Schooltool today, so be sure to check grades and comments and reach out if you or your student needs any assistance. We will also be sending out support letters to families of any struggling students next week. There is still time to seek assistance and get any support needed to finish out the school year successfully!

I also wanted to make you aware of an announcement I made to students this afternoon, following a bathroom vandalism incident that caused some flooding in a hallway and a couple of classrooms today. We are having some overcrowding and vaping issues in our restrooms between periods and during passing time and starting next week, we intend to close restrooms between periods/during passing time, to assist with our monitoring of restroom use. Single use restrooms and the nurse's office will always be available for emergencies, but the expectation until further notice, is that students use Smartpass to sign out to restrooms during class periods. This will help us to monitor the number of students visiting restrooms at the same time, as we work to curb vaping and vandalism.

I acknowledged to our students that we appreciate them all and feel that we have a great student body, made up of outstanding kids that are working hard and doing the right things. That being said, we must acknowledge that some students are as frustrated with vaping in restrooms as staff, and we must continue to work together to curb negative behaviors that also pose health risks to our kids. We will continue to clarify expectations to students and as always, please reach out if you have any questions or concerns. I left the students today with this message, I appreciate our staff, students, and families, but we all need to have an expectation that we will respect one another and the resources that our community provides us. Please have a safe and restful weekend and as always, GO BEES.

Gratefully,
Kris
Kris H. Denton, Principal

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IMPORTANT UPDATES

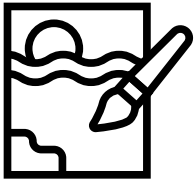
CLASS OF 2024 GRADUATION



Saturday, June 22 - 1:00pm
NYS Fairgrounds Expo Center
No tickets needed; no guest limits
Free parking; handicap
parking/access available



Progress reports for marking period 3 are out today on Schoooltool. Administrators and counselors will be meeting to discuss student progress. Families of students who are not passing classes will receive a paper copy of their progress report for review.



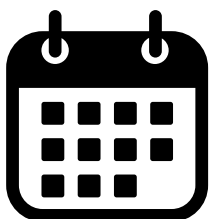
The **2024 Scholastic Art Awards** results are in. 33 Students at Baker and Durgee won a total of 62 awards. In this issue we're celebrating winners in multiple categories. All recipient names and their artwork can be seen [here](#).



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Student Parking: Please be aware that there are no more student parking permits left to distribute this year. All parking spaces are full.

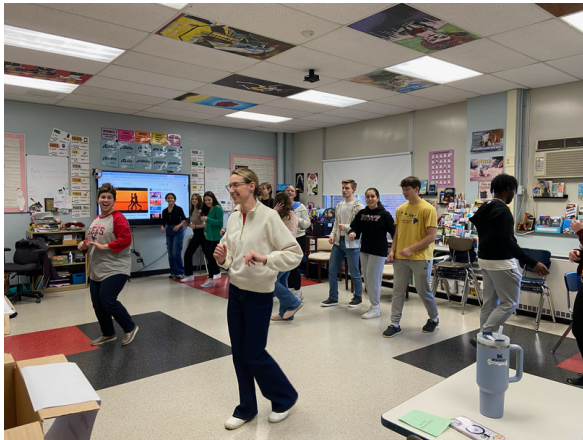
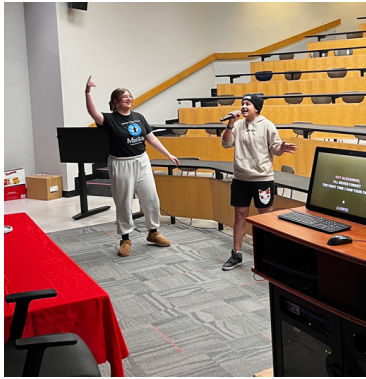
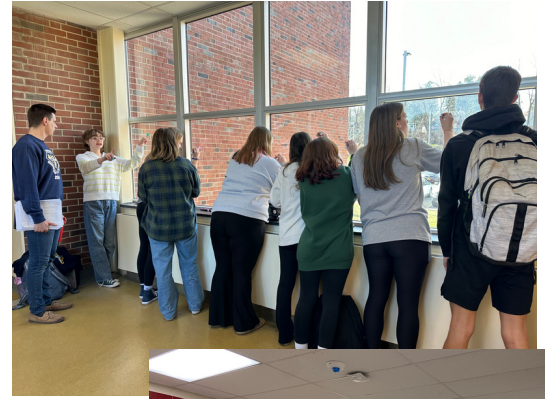


Upcoming Events

- March 20 - Durgee + Baker Band Concert
- March 21 - All District Orchestra Concert
- March 27 and 28 - All District Chorus (Baker Chorus will perform the 27th, the honors chorus will perform on the 28th)

THE STUDENT SECTION

Baker High School had a wellness day on Friday, March 8, 2024. Students had options sign up for many different activities - from coloring to yoga to basketball to walking outside. Here are some sights from that beautiful day!



Do you know a student who had a major accomplishment outside of school? Share with Mrs. Medwid - jmedwid@bville.org. We would love to feature it here on the page.



Ellie Adams

"Filled with Life"
12th Grade
Mixed Media
Honorable Mention



Jilian Kraebel

"Fragmented"
12th Grade
Photography
Honorable Mention



Justin Spath

"Simmer"
12th Grade
Photography
Honorable Mention

Congratulations to our Honorable Mention Winners in photography from the 2024 Scholastic Art Awards



Lily Buyck

"Mushrooms"
12th Grade
Photography
Honorable Mention



Justin Spath

"Canvas of Emotion"
12th Grade
Photography
Honorable Mention



Lily Buyck

"Climbing Through"
12th Grade
Photography
Honorable Mention



Jilian Kraebel

"Autumn Drops"
12th Grade
Photography
Honorable Mention



Natalie Herman

"Girl in Green"
12th Grade
Photography
Honorable Mention



Nolan Tresco

"Hypnotic Hemlocks"
12th Grade
Photography
Honorable Mention



Samantha Fichera

"Joy"
12th Grade
Photography
Honorable Mention



Zoe Howroyd

"Chameleon"
12th Grade
Film & Animation
Honorable Mention



Spencer Peeling

"Look Up"
12th Grade
Photography
Honorable Mention

Congratulations to our Honorable Mentions in Photography and film from the 2024 Scholastic Art Awards



Spencer Peeling

"Painting the Town Red"
12th Grade
Photography
Honorable Mention



Alex Jerrett

"Mushroom City"
11th Grade
Photography
Honorable Mention



Molly Roche

"The Painter"
12th Grade
Photography
Honorable Mention



Zach Pendergast

"You're Gonna Go Far"
12th Grade
Film & Animation
Honorable Mention



COUNSELING OFFICE UPDATES

CONSTITUTIONAL SCHOLARS PROGRAM

The Northern District of NY Federal Court Bar Association is sponsoring its 9th annual Constitution Contest, which offers up to \$4,500 in prize money to NY students each year. Please see this website for additional details.

Save the Date

for the C.W. Baker High School

Career Fair

April 18th 10am-1pm
in the Library and Main Hallway

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES:

Scholarship notifications are posted outside of the CRC and updated on google classroom. Mrs. Marra in the CRC can help you find scholarships that you qualify for. Anything from the Virtual Times is archived here.

Upcoming College Visits in the CRC

3/4	Niagara University	3rd period
3/6	LeMoyne College	1st period
3/13	D'Youville University	2nd period
4/8	Pace University	4th period
4/15	SUNY Alfred	4th period
4/17	Onondaga Community College (Senior Registration Day)	5th-7th period

*Students interested in joining a college visit can sign up through Scoir or stop into the CRC.

PERMIT TEST

Thinking about taking your permit test? It's free in the CRC! Stop in or email the CRC to schedule an appointment and pick up a study booklet.

CONTACT US:

Counseling Office
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120 SCHOLARSHIPS OVER \$1000 EACH

GRADUATING IN 2024?

Application will be open from Feb 1 until March 31, 2024.

APPLY NOW

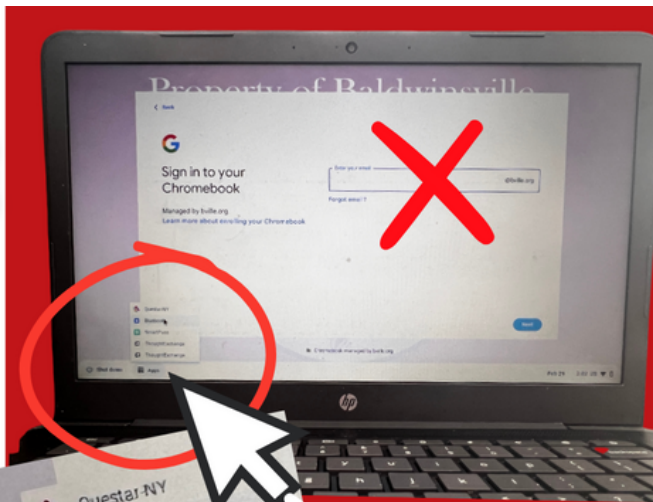
Applicants can be going to college, vocational, or trade school.



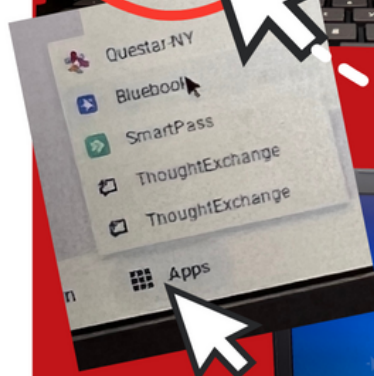
ARE YOU TAKING THE DIGITAL SAT?

You can now find the program that you need for the exam on your student Chromebook!

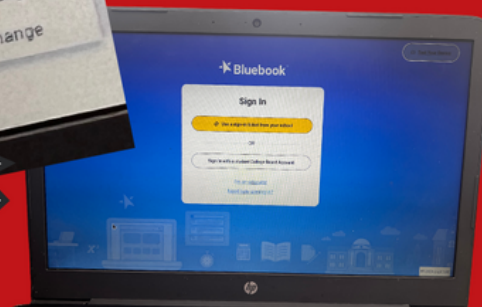
Follow these directions to be able to access Bluebook™ testing app:



TURN ON CHROMEBOOK + LET WELCOME SCREEN LOAD -- DO NOT LOG IN!



GO TO THE BOTTOM LEFT CORNER AND CLICK ON APPS



CLICK ON BLUEBOOK + FOLLOW DIRECTIONS FROM THERE.



Help the PTSA help Baker!

What do we do?

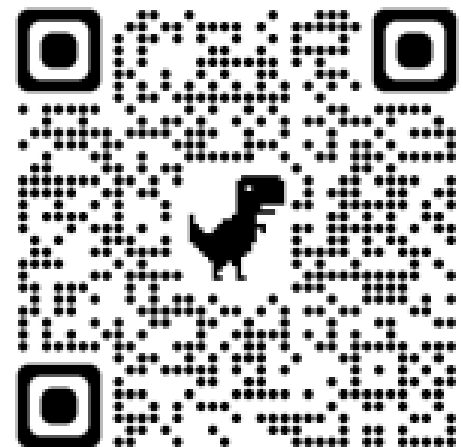
- Support and recognize the staff throughout the year
- Support all students to make it the most successful year

What do we support?

- Beeful Pantry
- Beeyoutiful Boutique
- Wellness Day
- Baker Staff
- KBR party after the ball for our seniors

What can you do?

- Become a member and receive 10% discount on all MemberHub fundraisers
- Support our fundraisers
- Attend a meeting and share your ideas
- Volunteer your time



Got questions? Email us at cwbptsa@gmail.com



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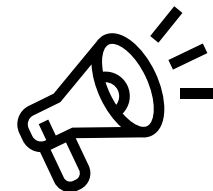
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SAVE THE DATE:

KEY EVENTS ON OUR CALENDAR

2024

JAN 23-26 - REGENTS EXAMS
FEB 1 - JUNIOR PARENT NIGHT
MAY 6-17 - AP EXAMS
MAY 7 - CULTURAL FEST
MAY 18 - JUNIOR PROM
JUNE 1 - SENIOR BALL + KBR
JUNE 4, 14, 17-26 - REGENTS EXAMS
JUNE 22 - GRADUATION



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