

"If there is no struggle, there is no progress."

May 24, 2018

Dear St. Stan's Families:

As the school year begins to wind down, I reflect on the struggles that we have all faced since September. Some of them personal, some physical and many academic; with this in mind it is also so very easy to see the progress we have made. So many of our school families have overcome many obstacles and have made the progress necessary to know they have accomplished what they set out to do this year. I am so proud of their accomplishments but perhaps, even prouder of their perseverance.

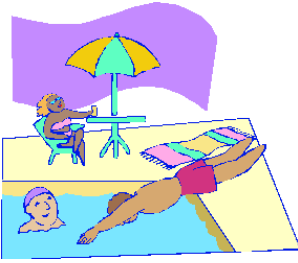
We just received our IOWA TEST results. The information will be sent out to you on June 1, 2018 when the parent reports will be ready. In the interim, some of you may have received letters from the Middlesex County Commission indicating that your child qualifies from comprehensive education classes and requesting your signature on the form. There is a standard national percentage number that qualifies students for supplemental help in reading, writing, and/or math. These classes are designed to lend support to students in a small group setting. The goal is to offer them strategies to be successful in an area the test showed as a possible weakness and then once they are more confident and proficient have them move out of the support classes.

I strongly recommend that you sign the form allowing your child to receive this reinforcement during school hours; the reason I suggest this since is; it is easy to pull a child from the program list but rather difficult to put them in once the year begins. If you have any questions about this program please feel free to contact me directly.

Here are some dates to mark your calendar with:

5/28 NO SCHOOL Memorial Day
5/29 8TH GRADE FIELD TRIP
5/30 9AM BAND CONCERT- Parents are welcome
5/31-6/4 8th Grade Exams
6/8 8th GRADE GRADUATION

Sincerely,
Elena Malinconico, Principal



JUNE 2018



ST. STAN'S SCHOOL

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10	11 Ice Cream Social St. Jude T-Shirt Day	12 7:00 PM Mandatory Pep Rally & Instructional Carnival Meeting - All workers & parents are required to attend!!! School Clean up - Students wear gym uniforms	13 11:50 Dismissal 7:00 PM Kindergarten Graduation 9:00 AM Pre-K Graduation Last Day for Non- Returning Students Report Cards Go Home	14 11:50 Dismissal - NO AFTERCARE!! 7:40 Awards Ceremony - Parents Welcome Last Day of School Moving Up Day	15 	16																																																																																				
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Just a Reminder
Please send your donations in by 5/25/18

We will be celebrating Father Ken's birthday, on May 29th during lunch, with some birthday treats provided by the HSA. Father Ken is an advocate for Catholic Education, in general and especially for our school community. We are asking that if anyone wishes to make a donation to his birthday present; please send it in with your child to their homeroom teacher in enveloped marked Father Ken. Thank you!




Bingo Sign-Up

The 2018-2019 school year Bingo duty signup is now live! Follow the instructions below.

BINGO HOURS: Sundays from 12-4 pm
 Thursdays from 6-10 pm

If you cannot make your scheduled shift, you must find a replacement. If you cannot find a replacement, please call/text Amy Williams (732-236-3331) or email awilliams@skschool.org.

Sign up in 3 easy steps:

- 1) Go onto SignUp.com: <http://signup.com/go/ZASuyvg> or go onto the St. Stan's website, under Parents & Students tab, click on "Bingo Sign Up," and follow the link button. You can even do it right from your smartphone!! 
- 2) Review the options listed and choose the spot(s) you like.
- 3) Sign up! It's Easy - you will NOT need to register an account or keep a password on SignUp.com.

****Disclaimer – there is a possibility that the gym floor will be resurfaced causing one or two bingo cancellations in the summer. If ample notice is given that your shift is being canceled, you must sign up for another shift to fulfill your workbond responsibility. Thank you for your understanding.****

Please note that up to 5 days before the next month begins you will have the ability to change your dates if needed. After that time all assignments will be locked in. For your convenience a reminder email is sent a few days prior to your shift. Also the current month's assignments will be listed on the website under "Bingo Calendar."



St. Stan's Carnival

JUNE 20 - 23, 2018

HOMEMADE CAKES NEEDED!



At least 60 cakes
are needed per day!!

Please drop off your cakes at
the cake stand daily.

We can never have enough cakes!!



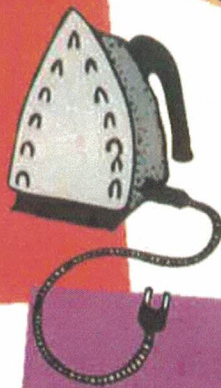
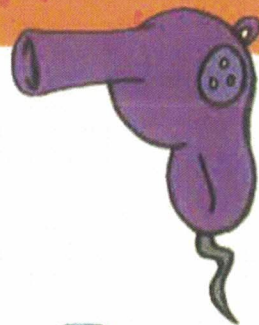
St. Stan's Carnival

Bed, Bath & Toys Stand



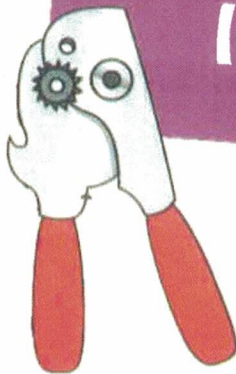
Toys

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| Towels | Barbie Dolls |
| Blankets | Can Openers |
| Blenders | Crock Pots |
| Glassware | Coffee Makers |
| Beach Towels | Sheets |
| Irons | Hair Dryer |
| Small Appliances, etc. | |
| (No Stuffed Animals) | |



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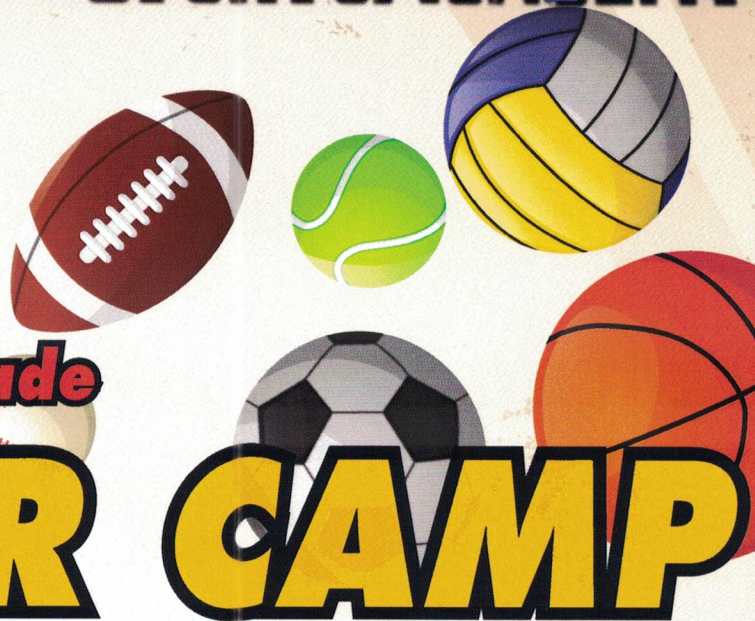
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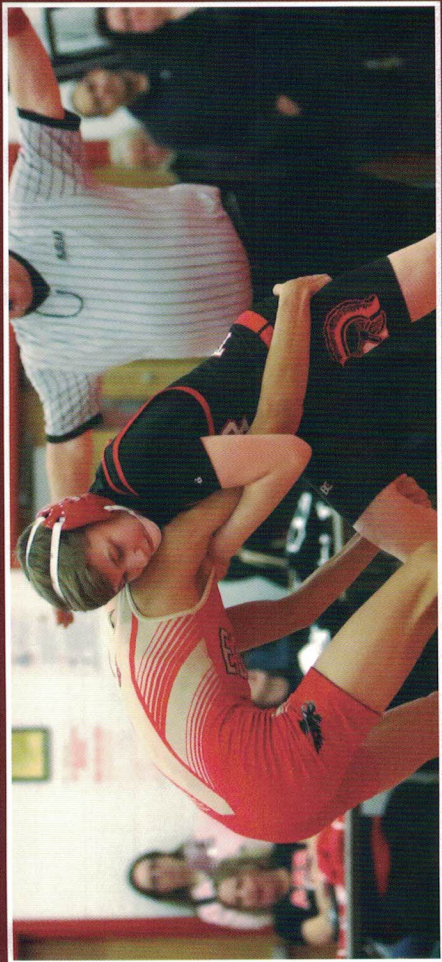
1/2 DAY - 9:00AM - 12:30PM

FULL DAY - 12:30PM - 4:00PM

EXTENDED HOURS

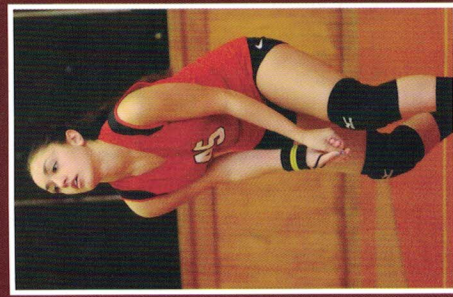
8:00 - 5:00





Sports Camps

- Wrestling** June 18 – June 21
- Basketball (girls)** June 25 – June 29
- Baseball** July 9 – July 13
- Volleyball** July 9 – July 13
- Basketball (boys)** July 16 – July 20
- Softball** July 31 – August 2



All sports camps will be held at the Bishop Ahr High School campus. Sports camp flyers can be downloaded from the Bishop Ahr High School website (www.bgahs.org) under "Athletics." For more information, please contact Mr. Michael Wolfthal, Athletic Director at (732) 549-1108, ext. 606 or mwolfthal@bgahs.org



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Summer 2018

Select two camps (each runs 4 hours per day)

Theater Extravaganza

Experience all areas of the theater, including acting, singing and dancing. Emphasis in all areas is on the development of communication skills. Learn practical techniques in acting, basic movement and voice, as well as how to choose the right performance material and how to audition.

Technology Adventure

Come join us and become the next aspiring entrepreneur. During this week of fun and learning, we will use Microsoft Publisher, Powerpoint and Adobe Photoshop to create business flyers, newsletters, promotional slideshows, logos and a company website. As an added bonus, entrepreneurs will present their ideas to a panel of "potential investors" to see if they can make a deal for possible investments. Please bring a USB drive and come ready to be creative and have tons of fun!

Forensics

The basics of every crime scene will be covered as they are used in everyday police and investigative work. From identifying fingerprints to handwriting analysis, all techniques will be examined in order to answer the classic question: Who did it?

Photography

Aspiring photographers will learn how to capture eye-catching photos with the camera that's always with you: your phone. The week will be filled with interactive tutorials, hands-on activities and creative challenges that will promote the ability to take bold, gallery-quality photos in any situation.

Science

Explore and investigate multiple areas of science, including (but not limited to) biology, chemistry, physics and engineering through hands-on experiences and laboratory experiments.

STEM Camp

Come for an exciting week of exploration, skill building, and testing limits. Join us for a hands on learning experience where we introduce basic engineering concepts. 3D printing, and safe use of hand tools in our state-of-the-art STEM learning lab. Expect activities like a catapult building competition, 3D-printed cars, and soldering basic circuits.

Art

Do you love art and care about our planet? Discover how to create art that has a low environmental impact, but a big social one! We'll spend time in the studio and in nature as we explore ways to make our own "green" art supplies, recycle everyday items into materials for making art, and see how artists use their work to promote positive changes for the environment.

Leadership Development

Do you have what it takes to be a leader? Spend the week with members of the Bishop Ahr Student Council and develop your leadership skills through discussion, hands-on and interactive lessons.

Financial Success

It's never too early to start building good financial habits! During this interactive class, you will explore the basics of personal finance. Starting with goal setting, we will continue through budgeting, saving and investing and credit. You will leave with the foundation you need to continue to build a positive financial future. So, who wants to be a "millionaire?"

Information / Application

Camps are open to students who will be entering grades 5, 6, 7 and 8 in the upcoming school year.

Cost is \$300, which includes two camp programs each day, as well as supervised activities one hour before and after camps as a convenience to parents/guardians.

Camp dates: Monday, June 25 through Friday, June 29

Camp hours: Drop off time between 7 a.m. and 8 a.m.; pick up time between 5 p.m. and 6 p.m.

Transportation is available in Edison, Metuchen, Woodbridge Township and South Plainfield for an additional weekly fee of \$50; call 732-549-1108, Ext. 620 for more information.

To reserve your seats in the two workshops of your choice, please fill out the application below by **May 15**. The form is also available at **bgahs.org**. Payment must accompany the registration form.

Please make your check payable to "Bishop George Ahr High School":

Your registration will be confirmed by phone or mail; we reserve the right to cancel workshops due to insufficient response. Class sizes limited.

**BGA Summer Workshops
Bishop George Ahr High School**

One Tingley Lane
Edison, New Jersey 08820

Student Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Telephone _____

Email _____

Current School _____

Check the TWO (2) workshops you wish to attend:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Theatre Extravaganza	<input type="checkbox"/>	STEM
<input type="checkbox"/>	Technology Adventure	<input type="checkbox"/>	Art
<input type="checkbox"/>	Forensics	<input type="checkbox"/>	Leadership Development
<input type="checkbox"/>	Photography	<input type="checkbox"/>	Financial Success
<input type="checkbox"/>	Science		

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