



# Boling ISD Enlightenment

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March 5, 2019 Board Meeting  
Reported by: Lindsay Mahalitic

Approved the 2019-2020 School Calendar

Approved the 2019-2020 Instructional  
Materials Allotment and TEKS Certification

Nominated Jacquelynne Chilek for TASB  
Media Honor Roll

Approved to employ the list of Professional  
Employees, as recommended for the 2019-  
2020 School Year

### BISD Administration

Wade Stidevent, Superintendent  
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Keith Jedlicka, BHS Principal  
Tim Moore, BHS Assistant Principal  
Brett Pohler, JFH Principal  
Gerald Floyd, NES Principal



### Board of Trustees

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For your calendar: March 11<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> – Spring Break • March 20<sup>th</sup> – Payday

# BOLING HIGH SCHOOL

## Reported by: BHS Staff

### **BHS FCCLA**

FCCLA held their Valentine's Day cookie fundraiser in February. We would like to thank everyone that purchased a cookie cake in order to make this a successful event.

FCCLA members attended the regional conference where they competed in STAR Events and FCSA's. The team of Damion Castro, Maria Gonzalez and Alana Merecka placed 4<sup>th</sup> in the Chapter Showcase Display event and will be advancing to the state competition in April. Sydney Archer, Chloe Merecka and Celeste Rodriguez also competed in the Life Event Planning event. Dasia Taylor received a silver medal and Natalia Narvaez received a gold medal for their FCSA's over the FCCLA Creed, Mission and Purpose. We would like to congratulate the efforts of all of our members that participated in these events.

### **BHS BAND**

The BHS Band would like to thank all who participated in the band spaghetti dinner. Also a thank you to Wharton HEB for their donation. The BHS Band competed at Palacios on March 5<sup>th</sup> in the UIL Sight Reading and Concert Competition. The Band received a 1<sup>st</sup> division rating in both competitions. Congratulations to the BHS Band!

### **BHS STUDENT COUNCIL and NHS**

February was a fun-filled month for Boling High School's Student Council. Valentine's Day was celebrated by crowning Damion Castro this year's King of Hearts. He "stole" the most ladies' hearts to earn the title... and a goodie bag of sweet treats!

Our officer team has been hard at work preparing the annual Student Council books. These were presented and verified at the Student Council Advisory meeting in Columbus on March 4<sup>th</sup>. Thanks to the hard work of Chase Chumchal, Allison Jedlicka, Laelah Bickham, Madison Floyd, and Drake Bartos, our StuCo has once again earned OUTSTANDING status. Kudos to our officers and members!! Numerous StuCo and NHS members participated in Read Across America at Newgulf Elementary on March 4<sup>th</sup>. Elementary students were treated to stories read by high school students. Members enjoyed the experience as much as the kids. A big thank you to Mrs. Cavazos for coordinating this memorable time!



*BHS King of Hearts*



*BHS Students Read Across America at Newgulf Elementary*

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### **BHS FFA**

At the beginning of February we had a few students exhibit their livestock projects at the Fort Worth Livestock Show. The results are as follows, Junior Breeding Heifers: Karli Joyce was Reserve Division with a Polled Hereford Heifer and Chloe Schoenberg was 2nd in class with her Hereford. Jacob and Khloe Joyce showed their Brahman heifers. In Junior Market Steers, Kylee Joyce was 3rd in her class with a Middle weight ABC Steer and made the sale. Laelah Bickham was 19th in her class with European Crossbred Steer.

We would like to say thank you to everyone who came out and supported the Boling Fair Fund! It was a great turn out and a great time!

At the San Antonio Livestock Show, we had several students exhibit livestock and compete in judging events. Congrats to Cayden Voldan - 10th place, Class 3 Market Goat. Junior Breeding Heifers: Karli Joyce - 3rd in class (Polled Hereford Heifer), Khloe Joyce - 5th in class (Brahman Heifer). Hogs: Allison Jedlicka, Hannah Mata, and Morgan Krasucky exhibited their project. Poultry: Samantha Kalmus - 3<sup>rd</sup> out of 151 pens, Victoria Kalmus - 12<sup>th</sup>, both girls made the auction!

The judging teams was as follows, Floriculture (Emily Woytek, Kaylynn Macek, Allison Ezell, Dillon Petrosky, and Kodey Sulak) - 13th out of 74. And we are very proud of our Dairy Cattle Team (Hannah Mata, Kyndal Vega, Josie Huddleston, Jesse Huddleston, Kaden Hanson, Harrison Lee, and Jerry Richards) and the Poultry Team (Samantha Kalmus, Colby Bosch, Amber Orsak and Gracie Bosch) for competing!

We also had a visit from the 2018 - 2019 Texas FFA State Officers, Cory Sinkule, the 2018-2019 Texas FFA President, Preston Cummings the Texas FFA First Vice President and Steven Gooch, the Texas FFA Area XI Vice President. They presented a workshop and helped our students focus on what success means to them and learned how there are different ways to define success and to reach success.

We would also like to say how proud we are of everyone who participated in the Boling Progress Show! Keep practicing and keep up the hard work! It will pay off in the end!

- The results from the show are as follows...

Hogs:

Sr. Champion: Allison Jedlicka  
Sr. Reserve Champion: Hannah Mata  
Jr. Champion: Morgan Krasucky  
Jr. Reserve Champion: Maddy-Jay Simpson

- Goats:

Sr. Champion: Madison Floyd  
Sr. Reserve Champion: Allie Floyd  
Jr. Champion: Cayden Voldan  
Jr. Reserve Champion: Karli Joyce

- Lambs:

Sr. Champion: Allie Floyd  
Sr. Reserve Champion: Madison Floyd  
Jr. Champion: Kendall Calk

- Cattle:

Sr. Champion: Kylee Joyce  
Sr. Reserve Champion: Allison Jedlicka  
Jr. Champion: Karli Joyce  
Jr. Reserve Champion: Payton Calk

And a HUGE thank you to Mach's Restaurant for supplying the hamburger patties for our Sunday Lunch! February was busy! March we are ready for you!!

### **BHS UIL**

On February 23rd, students from the Boling High School UIL Academic team competed at the A&M Consolidated Invitational Meet. Trace Alvarez placed 5th in Computer Apps, Azylynn Chilek placed 4th in Poetry, Hailey Davis placed 3rd in Editorial, Kailey Davis placed 3rd in Feature and 1st in Headline, Sara Gonzales placed 6th in Ready Writing and 4th in Science, Maria Gonzalez placed 6th in News, 4th in Feature, and 6th in Headline, Jason Mach placed 5th in Persuasive Extemp, Tylea Medders placed 2nd in Poetry, Cali Merecka placed 6th in Computer Apps. Boling also received a 2nd place Journalism team for small schools. The next competition is District which will be on March 25th, 28th, and 29th.

Boling High School One Act Play gave a public performance of this year's competition play, Horton Foote's A Young Lady of Property. The performance was well-received and the District performance will take place on March 7th at Bay City High School. Boling is the last school to perform at 5:30.

# IAGO JUNIOR HIGH

## Reported by: Sarah Harborth

March 1<sup>st</sup> was our first track meet hosted by Rice CISD. Results are as follows:

### 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Girls

4X100 M Relay: Kenna Gibson, Savannah Savage, Stephanie Borges, and Abby Ortiz placed 2<sup>nd</sup>  
400 M Run: Kenna Gibson placed 1<sup>st</sup>  
300 M Hurdles: Stephanie Borges placed 4<sup>th</sup> and Alyssa Prejean placed 6<sup>th</sup>  
200 M Run: Savannah Savage placed 1<sup>st</sup>  
100 M Dash: Allie Smart placed 5<sup>th</sup>  
4X400 M Relay: Kenna Gibson, Savannah Savage, Abby Ortiz, and Stephanie Borges placed 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Overall the team placed 4<sup>th</sup>

### 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Girls

4X100 M Relay: Mianjel Hayes, Tessa Garza, Karli Joyce, and Peyton Calk placed 2<sup>nd</sup>  
800 M Run: Ana Gonzalez placed 4<sup>th</sup>  
100 M Hurdles: Karli Joyce placed 5<sup>th</sup>  
400 M Run: Kaileen Arbing placed 1<sup>st</sup>  
300 M Hurdles: Alana Rodriguez placed 2<sup>nd</sup>  
100 M Dash: Mianjel Hayes placed 5<sup>th</sup>  
4X400 M Relay: Kaileen Arbing, Alana Rodriguez, Karli Joyce, and Claudia Muniz placed 3<sup>rd</sup>  
4X200 M Relay: Brianna Ramirez, Alana Rodriguez, Claudia Muniz, and Kaileen Arbing placed 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Overall the team placed 3<sup>rd</sup>

### 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Boys

2400 M Run: Anselmo Luna placed 3<sup>rd</sup>  
4X100 M Relay: Kyler Sweat, Raymond Hawkins, Everet Davis, and Jackson Hodge placed 5<sup>th</sup>  
800 M Run: Garrett Gavranovic placed 5<sup>th</sup>  
110 M Hurdles: Raymond Hawkins placed 5<sup>th</sup>  
100 M Dash: Chard Hayes placed 6<sup>th</sup>  
400 M Run: Ty Rolf placed 2<sup>nd</sup>  
300 M Hurdles: Preston Lee placed 5<sup>th</sup>, Derrick Hippler placed 6<sup>th</sup>  
1600 M Run: Anselmo Luna placed 3<sup>rd</sup>  
4X200 M Relay: Chard Hayes, Nathan King, Jackson Hodge, and Ty Rolf placed 1<sup>st</sup>  
4X400 M Relay: Kyler Sweat, Chard Hayes, Ty Rolf, and Jackson Hodge placed 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Overall the team placed 2<sup>nd</sup>

### 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Boys

2400 M Run: Ross Hough placed 3<sup>rd</sup>  
110 M Hurdles: Jaxson Urbanek placed 2<sup>nd</sup>  
4X200 M Relay: Garrett Gavranovic, Christian Montalvo, Alerique Medrano, and Nathan Chambliss placed 4<sup>th</sup>  
300 M Hurdles: Jaxson Urbanek placed 5<sup>th</sup>  
1600 M Run: Ross Hough placed 3<sup>rd</sup>  
100 M Dash: Jesse Arrington placed 6<sup>th</sup>  
4X400 M Relay: Garrett Gavranovic, Ross Hough, Nathan Chambliss, and Alerique Medrano placed 6<sup>th</sup>  
Overall the team placed 5<sup>th</sup>

# NEWGULF ELEMENTARY

## Reported by: Dawn Prochaska

### RESOURCE ROOM

Time has been flying in the Resource Room. We have been working on character and setting of a story. The kids had an awesome Valentine's party.

### PE

In PE, we have finished the Fitness-gram testing. The students did a great job and were excited to be playing games again. In Roadrunners, we are enjoying being able to run outside again and the leaders are trying to keep their lead ahead of the others.

### MUSIC

Music has been rolling with recorders. I look forward to the students moving through the belts.

### PRE-K

Pre-Kindergarten had a busy February. We can't believe the 100<sup>th</sup> Day of School as already gone by. The students wore a headband that stated they were "100 Days Smarter" and made an AB pattern using 100 beads. They also enjoyed exchanging Valentines with their friends. The students have been learning about adult and baby animals on the farm, how the mother animals care for their young and the different habitats that animals live in. They will be sorting and classifying zoo animals and farm animals. The students are reviewing number recognition and sets of numbers zero through five. Comparing sizes of objects through games is another fun activity the class is doing this month. They are also building numbers on a ten frame to get ready for Kindergarten. February will end with the unit on Dental Health.

### KINDERGARTEN

Kindergarten had an exciting month beginning with the 100<sup>th</sup> Day of School. The children each brought a 100 day project from home and enjoyed making necklaces and a 100 day snack. We are continuing to practice addition and subtraction in math. In science, the children are also learning about how weather changes and the different ways to measure it. We are learning to identify maps, globes, and the cardinal directions in Social Studies. We participated in Dr. Seuss' Read across America and we are continuing to read, read, read!

### FIRST GRADE

First graders have been super busy these past few weeks. Our students have continued to accelerate in their reading and taking AR tests. We have finished up several Math and Science units. They have mastered number patterns and addition strategies, as well as the weather and seasons. The students were so happy to finally have another party at school to celebrate Valentine's Day. Our first graders are gearing up to put on a great music program coming up soon called "The Box". We can't wait to see how it turns out!

### SECOND GRADE

In Social Studies, students are continuing to practice their continents and oceans. They have also started learning their 50 states. They are enjoying singing their states songs! In Science class we have been learning about weather and the tool that the weathermen use to track the weather. In second grade students have been working on sequencing in Reading. They are continuing to learn cursive. Students have been learning about irregular verbs.

### THIRD GRADE

In Science, the students will identify the natural materials that were used to make common everyday items, and they will classify the items according to the types of materials they are. In Social Studies, the students will learn how to distinguish between spending, saving, and donating money. They have also been enjoying Geography. They will begin to learn the states capitals. Third graders experienced a STAAR testing day by taking their Reading Benchmark February 12<sup>th</sup>. They also completed a text about Nacho & Lolita and Ramona and Her Father. In both text students were challenged to find the problem / solution and to complete their graphic organizer. In math we took our first benchmark test. We also have learned more about equivalent fractions, multiplying 2 digit by one digit numbers and financial literacy. Third Grade Writing/Language Arts has been studying Tricky Contractions. Students played a game in which they had to choose the correct contraction. Also, students are learning the components to an Expository Text and learning the parts of it. They wrote a story using contractions.

### FOURTH GRADE

Reading students have been practicing various strategies in their class work and understanding why it is important to apply them. They are enjoying the group activities that are reinforcing the comprehension strategies and skills. We have been focusing on Authors Purpose, drawing a conclusion, inferences, theme, and summarization. In math, the students have been working on measuring angles with a protractor and identifying angles as acute, right or obtuse. We are also working on a two week unit learning several division strategies. Students in 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Social Studies studied about Texas becoming a republic after a revolution and the rebellion against Mexico. This month in ELA-Writing, we are doing a spiral review, playing review games, critiquing our expository essays, and learning STAAR testing strategies. Tutorials have also started, and we are working hard to get ready for April.

### FIFTH GRADE

In 5<sup>th</sup> grade math we are preparing for the upcoming STAAR test. We have spent several weeks learning how to multiply and divide fractions and will finish up with coordinate grids! Social Studies classes have been studying about life in the 1800's. From the Oregon Trail to the Lone Star State, we have explored, discussed, acted out situations and watched a movie called "Seven Alone" to fully understand

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about life in the 1800's. Next stop on our agenda is Black History Month with Ruby Bridges...stay tuned! Reading students have been showing off their skills and gaining confidence in their reading. Students have practiced test taking skills. They have enjoyed the unit on science and expository text. Students have enjoyed learning about their and other organisms' inherited traits and learned behaviors in science.