



# The Blue Raider Read

Information from the desk of Principal David Lanczycki

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## Upcoming Events:

5/2 Musictown Meeting –Room 135  
5pm

5/2 Parent Forum – PAC 7pm

5/3 PTO – Lib 6:45pm

5/4 Art Show –James White Gallery  
6pm

5/8 Election Day – Early Dismissal

5/10 Athletic Boosters Meeting –  
5:30pm

5/10 SAC Meeting – Office Conf –  
6pm

5/29 Memorial Day – No School



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## Assessment Central...

Where has the time gone. Students have been working all year to gain knowledge and now it is time to see how much they have retained. We start the month with our many AP test, move our way toward our Sophomore MCAS and finish with our Seniors Finals. The excitement is matched only by the stress level of our students which is part of the reason our last advisory focused on "Mindfulness" and stress management. We are very proud of all of the accomplishments that our students have achieved and can't wait to see what they will do in the future.

## A time for Thanks...

I know it is not November but it is this month that we need to think about and appreciate the individuals at SBRHS who have dedicated their lives in order to make other peoples lives better, our teachers. We are very lucky to have a dedicated staff that goes above and beyond to give our students the best education around. Any good teacher realizes quickly that being a good teacher doesn't mean always giving an answer or saying yes. It is about leading students to discover the answer themselves. Handing students solutions only teaches them to wait until they are handed a solution. Our teachers bring vibrant color to the day and help students define what tomorrow may be. Let your teachers know what they mean to you on Teacher Appreciation Day, May 9<sup>th</sup>. Thank you teachers for all you do!!

## Reminder to parents of all grade 10 students from the Guidance Department:

We are writing to remind you that your sons and daughters will be participating in the MATH portion of MCAS testing on Tuesday, 5/16 and Wednesday 5/17. As you are aware, MCAS is a component of each student's eligibility to earn a high school diploma. Therefore, it is extremely important that all students be in attendance on these dates. Students will not be allowed access to any electronic devices during testing so you are asked to refrain from any direct communication with your child during the testing times. As a component of their testing, students will be asked to read statements about their responsibilities during testing which includes a prohibition against use of electronic devices as well as any form of cheating. Students will be in testing from 7:30 to 10:32 on Tuesday and Wednesday. Should you need to get information to your child, you should call the main office at 508-324-3115. Be reminded, students are eligible to qualify for a scholarship opportunity based on their MCAS performance. Our goal is to have your child have a successful MCAS test experience. Thank you.

**Contact Information:**

Main Office: 508-324-3115

Attendance: 508-324-3124

Guidance: 508-324-3119

Central Office: 508-324-3100

[www.somersetberkley.org](http://www.somersetberkley.org)

**MCAS Dates:**

Math: May 16-17

Science: June 5 - 6

**Late Buses:**

Late buses are offered on Monday thru Thursday at 3:45pm. There is one bus for Berkley students and one bus for Somerset students. Please be advised that the Berkley late bus drops students off at the Berkley Common.

**Senior End of the Year Events:**

May 26: Finals Begin

June 2: Prom (1/2 day of school)

June 9: Graduation 5pm

**Blue Raider Studios:**

Check out all the new videos on our Youtube Page.

Great PSA's, Sports coverage, Music coverage and Student Projects!!!!



**Yearbook Ordering Information**

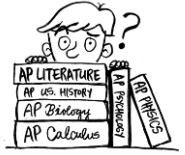
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Here is the Schedule for AP at SBRHS



Date	Tests
5/1	Chemistry and Psychology
5/2	Computer Science
5/3	English Literature and Composition
5/4	Government and Politics
5/5	U.S. History
5/8	Biology and Physics C
5/9	Calculus
5/10	English Language and Composition
5/11	World History and Statistics
5/12	European History

2017 SBRHS Senior Schedule

Day and Date	C 5/26 Friday	D 5/30 Tuesday	E 5/31 Wednesday	F 6/1 Thursday	G 6/2 Friday
Passing Time - 4 Minutes 1 <sup>st</sup> Time Block 7:33 - 8:30	S	S	1 Senior Final	S Senior Final	S Make Up
Passing Time - 4 Minutes 2 <sup>nd</sup> Time Block 8:34 - 9:31	5 Senior Final	3 Senior Final	2 Senior Final	7 Senior Final	5 Make Up
Passing Time - 4 Minutes 3 <sup>rd</sup> Time Block 9:35 - 10:32	6 Senior Final	4 Senior Final	3	1	6
Passing Time - 4 Minutes 4 <sup>th</sup> Time Block 10:36 - 11:33	7	5	4	2	7
Passing Time - 4 Minutes Lunchtime Block 11:37 - 1:05	1	6	5	3	1
Passing Time - 4 Minutes 6 <sup>th</sup> Time Block 1:09 - 2:05	2	7	6	4	2

Important Info:

- Textbooks will be collected during the final exam period. Please review the protocol for payment of and/or return of school property for graduation participation as covered in the student handbook.
- You are to report to school only at the scheduled time for your final. You are to exit the building when you are dismissed from your last scheduled final for the day.
- In order to pick up your Cap and Gown, all dues must be paid.

Important Dates:

- May 5 - Cap & Gown Luncheon
- May 15 - Prom Assembly Period 4
- June 2 - Jr/Sr Prom @ Lake Pearl, 6:00 P.M.
- June 5 - Music Awards Banquet 6:30 P.M.
- June 6 - Senior Breakfast at the Venus de Milo 9:00 A.M.
- June 6 - NHS Awards 6:00 P.M.
- June 7 - Senior Class Trip @ Brownstone Discovery Park, 7:30 A.M.
- June 8 - Graduation Rehearsal in the gym 9:00 A.M.
- June 9 - Graduation Rehearsal in the gym 9:00 A.M.
- June 9 - Graduation 5:00 P.M. (Seniors meet at 4:00 P.M.)
- June 12 - Athletic Awards 6:30 P.M.



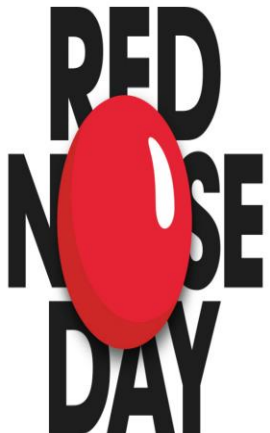
**The Breeze**

[sbrhsbreeze.org](http://sbrhsbreeze.org)

The online news for the students and staff at Somerset Berkley Regional High School

Help fight childhood hunger and support education by purchasing a

**RED NOSE**  
for \$1.00  
during lunch on  
May 4, 5, 11, 12



Friday 5/19/17

**Performances:**

- Friday, May 12  
7:00 PM
- Saturday, May 13  
1:00 PM
- Saturday, May 13  
7:00 PM
- Sunday, May 14  
2:00 PM



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