



*Burlington Township High School*

# 9th GRADE NEWS

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Hopkins Issue I

“Save the Date” Edition

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The “main office” at the Hopkins Building is open Monday-Friday from 8 AM to 3 PM during the summer. The office is closed for lunch from 12 PM to 1 PM.



## Important Phone Numbers & Extensions

Hopkins Building Main Office 387-3774

Main Building Main Office 387-1713

Mr. Brownridge  
BTHS Principal  
ext. 1001

Mr. Ilconich  
Administrator in  
Charge of the Hopkins  
Building  
ext. 2003

Mrs. Roman  
Grade 9 Guidance  
Counselor - ext. 2002

Athletics and Activities  
Office - ext. 1011

Welcome Parents, Guardians and the Class of 2022!

Let me be the first one to welcome you to the high school. We are so excited and cannot wait to begin working with you and your student as his/her educational journey in high school begins. This is the first in a series of newsletters you will receive throughout the school year to help enhance the communication among the Hopkins School Community. This edition, “**Save the Date**,” provides the date for the Freshman Orientation program.

The program is scheduled for **Tuesday, September 4, 2018, from 6:00 to 8:00 PM in the PAC.** Please mark the date on your calendar. Parents and students should plan to attend for **IMPORTANT** information to begin the school year and also for information that will ease the transition into high school. Also, please visit the high school’s web-site at [www.burltwpsch.org/hs.php](http://www.burltwpsch.org/hs.php) and click on the Hopkins Building Information link in the Student Information column for additional

tips on helping students transition into ninth grade. Additional information on the Freshman Orientation program will follow in August. In the meantime, if you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me. I hope to see everyone on September 4 at orientation. Have a safe and happy summer.

Chris Ilconich  
Administrator in  
Charge of the Hop-  
kins Building

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# EXTRA-EXTRA READ ALL ABOUT IT!

## Top 10 List for Success in 9th Grade

### Developed By BTHS Freshmen

- 1) Do not wait until the last minute to complete long-term assignments, because the due dates will sneak up on you.
- 2) Be sure to take good notes in class. They will be very useful when it comes to preparing for tests and quizzes.
- 3) Give yourself plenty of time to study for final exams.
- 4) Get to know some of the upperclassmen. They have many helpful tips for how to become successful in high school.
- 5) Prepare yourself for more homework than you received in middle school.
- 6) Try to study a little bit each night. This way you will not have to study too much before the test.
- 7) If possible, take a class or two in the main building. It gives you the chance to meet the other teachers, and become more familiar with the main building.
- 8) Bring an umbrella and sweater/sweat shirt to school and keep in your locker in case it is cold in the building or rainy outside.
- 9) Get involved with a sport so you can meet more of your fellow classmates.
- 10) Take advantage of the after-school help that your teachers provide.

## HIGH SCHOOL CAMPUS TOURS

All interested parents/guardians and students must schedule their tour date and time with Mrs. Leeds at 609-387-3774 extension 2001 or by email at [tleads@burltwpsch.org](mailto:tleads@burltwpsch.org). Students must be accompanied by a parent/guardian on the tour. See below for the tour date and times. Thank you.

- ♦ Wednesday, August 29
- ♦ AM Tours 11am to Noon & PM Tours 1pm to 2pm

## HIGH SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION

Phil Brownridge, Principal  
Chris Ilconich, 9th Grade Vice Principal  
Naomi Threadgill, Vice Principal  
Neal Canavan, Vice Principal  
James Mills, Director of Guidance  
Peter Teifer, Athletic Director  
Ed Steinmetz, Assistant Athletic Director

## Mission Statement

The Burlington Township School District will develop the intellectual, creative, and social potential of each child through an active partnership with all members of the community.