

Britton Deerfield High School

Newsletter

The Patriot Press



TUESDAY FEBRUARY 28, 2023

Mission Statement

It is with great pleasure and excitement that Britton Deerfield High School Yearbook would like to present the Patriot Press Newsletter! This is a completely student driven newsletter. Each month Britton's Yearbook staff work hard to gather and put together the information needed for this newsletter, all while keeping up with their classwork and assignments. It is our mission to provide an accurate, informational, helpful and fun newsletter each month! Thank you for your support and taking the time to enjoy our newsletter!

Introduction



The Britton Deerfield High School Yearbook Staff is thrilled to release our February newsletter of the 2022-23 school year. As always keep in mind this is a student-led newsletter that we are working our hardest to publish with the newest and most accurate information each month. Thank you and we hope you enjoy our newsletter.

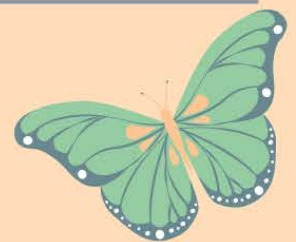
Counselor's Corner

Nothing new to add this month for the Counselor's Corner!



Photo Highlight

Our bowling team took a photo with their very supportive and loud BD fans after winning the TCC championship with an overall season record of 14-1.



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IMPORTANT DATES

- Washtenaw Community College is coming on March 20, 2023
- The PSAT 9, PSAT 10, and SAT are on April 12, 2023
- The SAT WorkKeys are on April 13, 2023
- College visit for juniors and seniors to Washtenaw Community College April 12, 2023
- Announce Tech Center classes the week of April 3, 2023
- The Britton Deerfield Education Foundation Scholarships are due March 23, 2023

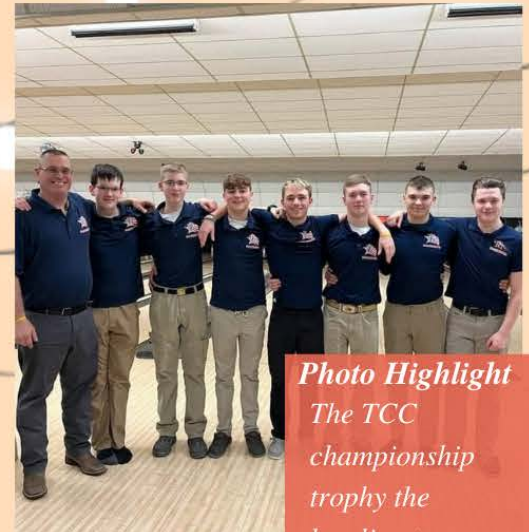


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Photo Highlight
The TCC
championship
trophy the
bowling team
won.

SUPERINTENDANT SEGMENT

Nothing new for this section of the newsletter this month! We apologize for the inconvenience! Please enjoy some yearbook bloopers photos!



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PRINCIPAL'S PIECE

We asked Mr. Scott, "With our recent power outages do you think that some kids may fall behind in their school work?" He responded, "I certainly hope not. The staff we have here are caring and understanding so I know they will do their best to make sure everyone hits the ground running and returns to a normalcy quickly." Next we asked him, "What are some goals that you want to complete before the end of this school year?" He said, "As a Principal, the goals here for the district are folded between our Social Emotional Learning and increasing our NWEA scores. This is done by looking at our data, having our department meetings and reflecting on how we collectively can improve things. Personally I have a goal to maintain good health so I can be the best grandfather I can be!" Lastly we asked, "What was your most memorable year at the school?" He responded with, "Great question! Every year has memorable moments, both good and bad. The secret is to enjoy the good and learn from the bad. The most memorable year here for me had both. It was my first year that I became principal. I had the honor of being hired for this position, the school board voted unanimously for my hire, and on that same night we had a tragedy here and lost a student. That year I also still coached 3 sports, and had successful years, and many funny stories and many new relationships were fostered. I laughed, cried, and learned a lot that year."



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CONGRATULATIONS

Student of the Month of December

Freshman:

Liem Roe

Sophomore:

Hunter Kniffen

Junior:

Cody Fawcett

Senior:

Joe Sherrod

Teacher Feature



This month's teacher feature was Mrs. Ormsby! As we have done in the past, we asked her some questions that are fun and not boring.

We asked her four questions, one of them being "What is your favorite prehistoric dinosaur?" She replied with "T-Rex." Definitely a favorite amongst the people of the world. Our second question involved her favorite color purple. We asked "What is your favorite grape flavored candy?" She replied with "Grape Jolly Ranchers." Which she passes around the classroom at times of the year congratulating students on how they did on a test or on homework assignments. Our third question has been a huge debate amongst a lot of people and it was "What's the best Gatorade flavor?" Mrs. Ormsby replied with "Grape duh!" Signifying that grape is still her favorite flavor of candy or drinks above all others. As most of her students or co-workers know she is a huge Michigan State fan and our last question for her was "If you couldn't be a Michigan State fan, who would you choose Michigan or Ohio State?" Her response was "Ohio State University baby!" Man I had hoped she would choose Michigan but oh well guess she still has that rivalry blood in her from past fall.

School News

On November 15-18 there was a canned food drive where the Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors competed against each other to see who could bring in the most canned foods. All the food that's brought in will be donated to families that need it. Congratulations to the Sophomore class for bringing in the most canned goods!



Photo Highlight

"Our friendly biology class pet Squirtle, swimming around in his home".

Photo Credit: Jay Brooks

Photo Credit: Jayden Brooks

Yearbook

Do not forget to purchase your 2022-23 yearbook on [Jostens.com](https://www.jostens.com)!

On April 14th, prices will be \$55. Order yearbooks at [Jostensyearbooks.com](https://www.jostensyearbooks.com)

Just a reminder, baby pictures will not automatically be included in the yearbook this year. To add your senior's baby picture to the yearbook, please purchase a senior ad!

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Sports

Winter Sports

As we get close to ending the basketball season, there will be districts for the teams. They will do their best in going as far as they can and hopefully make it to states. Districts are held here in Britton so make sure you go and support our team. Girls basketball is on a roll with two wins now during districts. With Summerfield being their District Finals game. Good luck to them! As of the bowling season, they finished as the TCC champions with a 14-1 record. With finishing number one in the TCC, they will advance to states and hopefully take the state championship!



Photo Highlight

The bowling team after getting second in teams and three of our bowlers made top ten to move on to states for individuals and teams.



Monthly Slogan

Though February is short, it is filled with love and sweet surprises.

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SENIOR SPOTLIGHT

CAMRYN FORE

Future Plans: I'm going to go to the University of Michigan and major in psychology, then I'm going to do PA school.

Favorite High School Memory: Spending time with my friends.



CHRISTIAN FREEMAN

Future Plans: I Was thinking of going into plumbing after I leave Britton Deerfield.

Favorite High School Memory: I really liked being in Mrs. Wyman's gym class.



ZACHARY TRUMAN

Future Plans: I'm planning on starting my tattoo apprenticeship.

Favorite High School Memory: I like lunch because I can talk with my friends.



JACOB POOL

Future Plans: I was thinking of maybe going to college for voice acting or video game design.

Favorite High School Memory: Every single dance battle that I dominate.

