



# BROOK BYLINES



## Summer 2009

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### A Message from the PTSA President

Dear Clear Brook Family,

I hope everyone is having a fantastic summer! I am Judi Dolifka and I will be the president of the Clear Brook PTSA for the 2009-2010 school year. I know it may seem a little early to be thinking about getting back to school, but we wanted to get a summer newsletter out with important Clear Brook information. Hopefully it will be helpful with your summer, and back to school planning.

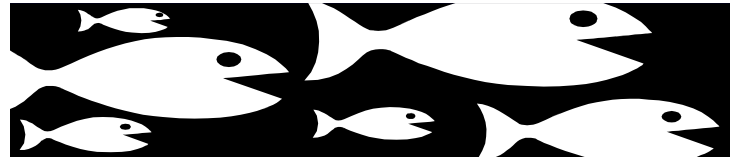
First of all, the PTSA would like to welcome our incoming freshman class, and anyone that is new to Brook. For those of you that are new to Brook, this newsletter the "Brook Bylines" is published bi-weekly during the school year by the PTSA. As you will see, it is full of important information from many of the Brook clubs, athletic organizations, administration, and others. The summer edition is the only newsletter that is mailed to every Brook family. All other newsletters are delivered electronically through our Yahoo email group, or can be accessed from the Clear Brook website. When you join the PTSA, there will be a place for you to list your email address, so that we may invite you to join the Yahoo Group.

Parents, the PTSA is an important part of your child's school. There are so many great organizations at Brook to be involved in, and I encourage you to do so. However, the PTSA is the one organization committed to providing support to all of the students and staff at Brook. Your support is needed! You can support us financially by joining the PTSA, and you can give of your time by becoming a volunteer at our school. Most volunteer positions through the PTSA do not require a significant time commitment, and allow you to get involved with your child's school. We urge you to consider this important investment into your child's education. Did you know that students can join PTSA in high school? One service our PTSA provides to the students of Brook is senior scholarships. This past year we were able to award four scholarships to outstanding Brook PTSA member students! With your support we may be able to provide additional scholarships this year. Information on membership and volunteering is included in this newsletter. We appreciate those of you that have been members and volunteered in the past! Please continue to support your PTSA.

Included in each of our newsletters is a calendar of events, which we try to keep up to date so that our parents can see at a glance what is going on during the school year. Please be sure to check the calendar of upcoming events, including packet pick-up, registration information, and Fish Camp for incoming freshman.

We have a few positions open on our Executive Board. If you are interested in filing one of the positions, or if I can help you in any way, please do not hesitate to contact me. I can be reached at [jdolifka@comcast.net](mailto:jdolifka@comcast.net), or at 281-280-8437. Enjoy the rest of your summer! I am looking forward to a great 2009-2010 school year!

Sincerely,  
Judi Dolifka CBHS PTSA President



### Freshman Fish Camp 2009

**Friday, August 14**

**11:30 –4:00 PM**

Fish camp is a chance for Freshmen to get an introduction to Clear Brook **before** the first day of school. During Fish Camp, freshmen will receive their schedules, get a tour of the school and meet with their advisory class. This is an important and fun day for incoming freshmen. We hope to see everyone there!

*Volunteers Needed! Please Contact:*

**Judi Dolifka -281-480-8437**

**[jdolifka@comcast.net](mailto:jdolifka@comcast.net)**

### Packet Pick-Up for Mandatory Registration 2009-2010

**Tuesday, 8/4 - 7 am - 3 pm**

**Wednesday, 8/5 - 7 am - 7 pm**

**Saturday, 8/8 - 8 am - 12 noon**

### Registration 2009-2010

#### Dates to Remember

With the success of last year's registration and early packet pick up, Clear Brook is once again going to implement the same program. Registration will be on the following days:

Gr. 12 - August 10

Gr. 11 - August 11

Gr. 10 - August 12

Gr. 9 - August 13

More information on Packet Pick-up will be in future issues of Brook Bylines, or check the school website for up to date information.

New To Brook Parent Information Meeting will be Thursday, August 13 at 7 pm. Fish Camp is scheduled for the afternoon of Friday, August 14.

Clear Brook Open House and the first PTSA meeting will be Monday, September 14, in the Auditorium and Commons.



## Senior Parking Permits

Tuesday, August 10th

7:30-10 am and 11:30 am –2:30 pm

Due to limited space, parking permits will be sold first to interested **SENIORS** who meet the eligibility criteria listed below. If any spaces remain, permits will be issued next to **JUNIORS** based on special issues such as:

- Students involved in the school co-op programs
- Needing to leave campus for school related activities

NO JUNIOR APPLICATIONS WILL BE CONSIDERED UNTIL 10 DAYS AFTER SCHOOL BEGINS.

### Eligibility Criteria:

- Valid Texas Driver's License
- Proof of Liability Insurance  
Student's name **MUST** be on the policy
- 2009-2010 Senior Class Schedule
- \$30.00 fee (subject to change)

Students on the "NOT CLEAR LIST" due to fines, lost textbooks, outstanding detention halls, etc. may not purchase a parking permit until all have been cleared.

**NO** temporary permits are issued to students who have not purchased a student parking permit. Cars parked without a permit will be towed at the owner's expense.

Go to <http://www.ccisd.net/schools/schoolwebs/3/> for complete Parking Permit Information.

## Contraband on Campus

### Clean out the contraband and avoid the trouble!

Students are held responsible for any prohibited objects or substances, such as, but not limited to, alcohol, weapons, and drugs found in their possession. "Possession" includes students' vehicles, lockers, and backpacks/book bags. A few examples are:

- Leftover firecrackers from July 4th in a backpack.
- Knives from a fishing trip left in a trunk.
- Ammunition and a deer rifle in a truck.
- A half-empty beer can from dad's last trip to the ranch.
- A friend's bottle of a prescription drug in a locker.

All of these "oversights" can lead to removal of a student from campus. Clean out backpacks and any vehicle driven on campus. Don't share lockers with another student. Contraband leftover from hunting, fishing, vacations, and family outings may have serious disciplinary consequences. If you have hunters or fishermen in your home, pay close attention to what is in the vehicles students drive to campus. Contraband discovered on campus can result in students paying a heavy price for a careless mistake.

## RESTRICTED PARKING AREAS

### Student, Parent & Visitor parking is prohibited in:

- Coaches' Lot beyond the double-gated fence
- Band Hall Lot behind the back door of the Band Hall

These areas are restricted to **STAFF** permits and emergency vehicles 24 hours per day, every day of the year. Violators may be towed, and student parking permits may be revoked.

### Fall Semester Band Practice Area:

All vehicles must be removed by **3:00 p.m.** from the designated practice area in the front lot. Violators may be towed, and student parking permits may be revoked.



### Cell Phones/Pagers Risk Consequences

Phones/pagers must be turned **off** and **not visible** during school hours (7:20 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.). Violation will result in confiscation. This includes calls to and from parents. A parent/guardian may retrieve the phone/pager during regular office hours after paying a \$15 administrative fee. The District is not responsible for missing or lost equipment.

Repeated incidents will have disciplinary consequences. Students who refuse to cooperate in surrendering the phone to staff, faculty, or administrators risk consequences for insubordination.

### Electronic Devices Confiscated



Electronics such as MP3 players and iPods used or displayed in classrooms or other campus areas will be confiscated and held for parents to pick up. Students risk consequences for insubordination, disruption and cheating. Repeated incidents risk detention, ISS, and suspension. The District is not responsible for missing or lost equipment.

### Campus Closed at Lunch

Students must remain in the Commons or another supervised area during lunch time. Only with parent permission and official check-out in the proper SLC office can a student leave campus during school hours. All violators face discipline for truancy, and drivers will lose parking permits.

### CCISD Student Handbook

The CCISD Student Handbook can be found online at [www.ccisd.net](http://www.ccisd.net) under Parent Information. Hard copies must be requested in writing. The handbook includes:

Dress Code	Tutorial Guidelines	Absences
Appeals for Credit	Make-up Work	Medications

## School Climate Survey

The Campus Instructional Improvement Committee has initiated a school climate survey that will be conducted annually. This is our first year and we are inviting parents and students to complete the surveys so that we can obtain our baseline data.

Please log on to CCISD *E4 – Educate, Equip, Excel, Electronically* Blackboard website and complete the survey anytime before August 1. The survey should take 5-15 minutes of your time.

Directions:

1. Go to <http://e4.ccisd.net>
2. The username will be the student's usual username they use when accessing the school network on campus.
3. The password will be the student's usual password they use when accessing the school network on campus.
4. Scroll down and find "My Organizations" on the bottom right side of the screen.
5. Click on the grade level group of the student who logged in.
6. Click on "Documents" on the left side of the screen.

The parent and student surveys will appear. Students in grades 10 – 12 are invited to click on the student survey and complete the questions. Parents of students in grades 10 – 12 are invited to click on the parent survey and complete the questions. Parents will need to use the password "parents".

The CCISD *E4 – Educate, Equip, Excel, Electronically* Blackboard website will be used by all CBHS teachers by January 2009. Teachers will post assignments and class resources. School announcements will also be posted. The school calendar is already linked to Blackboard. We anticipate that parents will be receiving their own username and password at some time during the next 18 months. We hope you enjoy this new resource.

## 2009-2010 Yearbook Delivery

Because the Clear Brook Vision Yearbook is a fall delivery book, the 2008-2009 yearbooks will be available for pick-up in room 219 starting early-mid September. Graduated seniors must come to CBHS to pick up books. Anyone unable to pick up their own book with photo ID must send an email to the yearbook adviser letting her know to whom the book should be released. Orders for the 2009-2010 book will be taken at the beginning of the next school year.

## CCISD has new online bus tool



CCISD will soon debut an online tool designed to help parents find their child's bus stop, route number and even the school bus's estimated time of arrival in the neighborhood. Walk to Stop is a comprehensive program developed to establish safe and efficient neighborhood bus stops. The transportation department has consolidated and centralized bus stop locations in the District. In most neighborhoods, bus stops are located at street corners. Where possible, walk-to-stop distances are within half of a mile of the student's home.

Walk to stop will be up and running for the 2009-2010 school year. Parents will be able to go to [www.ccisd.net](http://www.ccisd.net) in August to access the online portion of it to determine their child's bus stop. Once an address is entered the closest bus stop will be displayed.

## Clear Brook PTSA Scholarship Committee 2009-10 (Volunteer Opportunities)

The CBHS PTSA would like to welcome all of our incoming and returning parents and students! We have a very special committee in our PTSA which sells cookies benefiting scholarships. Scholarship recipients are chosen from seniors who have submitted an application during their senior year. We need your help! If you would enjoy an opportunity to meet other parents and spend time with some friends while helping with a great cause, please contact me. Cookie sales are held during lunches and occur twice a month. We also need volunteers to donate baked treats for the sales. If you have any questions, please contact me. Thanks much! Contact Mia Jones at [mkjones2005@hotmail.com](mailto:mkjones2005@hotmail.com)

## All Pre AP Science Students

Pre AP Science students will be working on the Science Design Summer Assignment.

The students will receive the packet this week and we ask parents to encourage students to complete the project.

The packet will also be on the District Website, [ccisd.net](http://ccisd.net). The project will be due September 1, 2009. Any questions, please contact Ms. Hunt.

## Bell Schedule 2009-2010

Please remember that CBHS will go to a 7 period day for the 2009-2010 school year. Look on the school website for the new Bell Schedule: regular schedule, advisory schedule (Monday & Thursday) and late arrival schedule.

## 2009 Pre-AP / AP Summer Reading Lists

Reminder: Students enrolled in a Pre-AP or AP English Language Arts and or Social Studies classes in the fall are expected to read several books over the summer and come to school in August knowing enough about them to successfully participate in various assessment activities. Details about this year's Pre-AP or AP reading lists can be found at:

[www.ccisd.net/teaching/library/list.html](http://www.ccisd.net/teaching/library/list.html)

## Loitering on campus from

### 3:00 pm – 7:00 am is not allowed.

Regular operation hours for this facility are 7:00 am – 3:00 pm. After operational hours, the only authorized persons on this campus are those who are with a teacher, coach, sponsor, persons involved in an authorized rental event, or those who are a ticketed spectator at a school event.

Violators can be issued a citation for trespassing under Texas Education Code 37.107.

Any unauthorized persons on campus between 3:00 pm – and 7:00 am can be ticketed by officers.

## Volunteers Log Your Hours

CCISD welcomes volunteers. We encourage current and prospective volunteers to register at:

[http://www.ccisd.net/community\\_05/application.html](http://www.ccisd.net/community_05/application.html)

After you register as a volunteer you will receive a log in and password so that you can record your volunteer hours in the Virtual Volunteer system. We encourage our booster clubs and other groups to log their hours. Hours can also be logged in the Raptor system when you sign-in as a visitor to volunteer on campus. Just ask the receptionist to register you as a volunteer rather than a visitor on days that you are working. Thank you for your help and service to the Wolverine Way of Life.

## HIGH SCHOOL LATE ARRIVAL DAY

The tardy bell rings at 9:40 on late arrival days

## CBHS Schedule Change Deadlines

Schedule corrections (reasons A – H listed below) , will be conducted during the first 10 days of school. The deadline for these correction requests will be Tuesday, September 8, 2009.

Level change requests (reason I listed below) will be accepted Monday, September 28 – Friday, October 9, 2009. See additional rules and stipulations for this change in the EPG.

## Student Deliveries

The delivery of lunches, purses, books, projects, fundraiser supplies, athletic supplies, and other items by SLC secretaries usually causes us to interrupt the instructional process for 20-30 other students. We would like to remind parents to keep these deliveries to a minimum.

Gifts, balloons, cakes, flowers, and similar items that do not enhance the educational process will not be accepted and delivered to students during the school day. These items should not be in classes at all (whether delivered by parents or brought by students) because some rooms do not have sufficient space for these items. Administrators may have to take away excessive items and they may not be returned to students. Secretaries and assistant principals will not have room to hold these items for distribution outside of class. We appreciate your assistance with these issues.

## CCISD Schedule Change Rules

The CCISD Individual Academic and Career Planning (IACP) process begins in February each year. Students and their parents submit their choice sheets in February. Verification sheets are distributed to families, and returned to counselors in April and May each year. When schedules are prepared and distributed in August, counselors may only change schedules for the following reasons:

- A. Student is a senior not scheduled in a course needed for graduation.
- B. Student has already earned credit for a course on the schedule.
- C. Student does not have the prerequisite(s) for a class listed on schedule.
- D. Student has previously failed this course with the same teacher.
- E. Student has been dismissed from a program that requires approval/audition.
- F. Student does not have a full schedule.
- G. Data entry error (no lunch, class listed twice, free period, etc.) has occurred.
- H. A class is listed that the student did not request.
- I. A student has a grade  $\leq 75$  at the 6<sup>th</sup> week, in a class with lower levels.

All other schedule change requests are denied unless an extraordinary hardship is present.

These and other district rules published in the Educational Planning Guide (EPG) do not provide students the opportunity to change a schedule because they have changed their minds about a class or because they are failing. The primary reason for these rules is that our classes are scheduled and the faculty is hired based on original student requests. Our staffing budget does not allow us to create a schedule with a multitude of open slots for students to transfer into new classes.

While colleges may allow students to drop classes, our high school operates under the concept that all students must have a full schedule. There are very few available slots for a student after the initial scheduling run is conducted in June or July each year. For a complete view of the rules, please consult the schedule change rules on page 66 of the Educational Planning Guide at <http://www.ccisd.net/09-10HSCAT.pdf>

## Clear Brook High School Library

*(the intellectual hub of the school)*

For those of you new to Clear Brook—welcome! For those of you coming back, we'll be glad to see you again.

### Library staff:

Michelle Buckley & Camille Sullivan, Librarians  
(Your information ninjas—We have all the answers.)  
[mbuckley@ccisd.net](mailto:mbuckley@ccisd.net) or [csulliva@ccisd.net](mailto:csulliva@ccisd.net)

### Hours:

Monday-Thursday 6:45-3:30  
Friday 6:45-2:45

### Material Checkout:

5 items out at a time  
regular circulating items — 3 weeks  
magazines — 1 week  
reference books (not part of a set) — overnight  
fines — 10¢/day; 25¢/day for reference books

### Print & Electronic Resources:

23,000 books  
70+ magazines  
2 newspapers  
26 student desktop computer stations  
16 student laptops that can be used in the library  
35 research subscription databases/44 state-funded research subscription databases

### Other Services

Leisure reading area with soft, comfy furniture  
Printing & Copy services available (10¢ for black & white, 25¢ for color)  
Pen, pencil and paper dispensers  
Free copies of back newspapers for assignments  
Viewing area—to see videos you might have missed in class

## What do you know?

Make sure you get the principal's newsletter with your child's progress report?

Every three weeks a grade progress report and a principal's newsletter are sent home with students.

Newsletters can also be found online at  
<http://www.ccisd.net/schools/schoolwebs/3/>

## Bus Drill

Texas House Bill 3190, effective 9/7/07, requires that school districts provide school bus evacuation training for all students. The law requires that we conduct at least two training sessions per year for students, teachers, and transportation personnel. The trainings occur during the school day.

## School of Business and Applied Technology

Dear Wolverine,

Welcome!

Please take the following quiz:

*Quiz to Identify Your Future Plans in The School of Business and Applied Technology.*

Circle Yes or No to the following questions:

1. Do you like math? Yes No
2. Are you good at organizing clubs or parties? Yes No
3. Can you persuade people to accept your point of view? Yes No
4. Do you like selling things? Yes No
5. Are you good at paying attention to details? Yes No
6. Do you play chess, other board games, or computer games? Yes No
7. If you play sports, are you a team leader? Yes No
8. Do you like to be in charge of group projects? Yes No
9. Do you like working and earning your own money? Yes No

Do you read business magazines or keep track of the stock market? Yes No

If you answer "yes" to five or more questions then The School of Business and Applied Technology is right for you and this quiz will help us place you on the right committee; working with the people like you who can make good things happen. We are glad that you are part of our school. We will have many activities this year and we will need you help to make these activities fun and successful such as; field trips, fund raisers, carnival, Homecoming Float, guest speakers, fashion show, "Marketing Yourself Job Fair," Interdisciplinary lessons designed around Business opportunities, job opportunities, Advisory business lessons planned by students, Monthly Newsletter, Intramural games, competitions between the other S.L.C.s, students of the month, and we are lucky enough to have teachers determined to be there to guide you toward the career of your choice in the Corporate World.

The best part of The School of Business and Applied Technology is YOU! You are important to us because you are the S.L.C. and your ideas will be listened to, voted on and implemented by the group. You will have a voice in this Small Learning Community (S.L.C.). You Belong J

Thank you again for choosing The School of Business and Applied Technology as your Small Learning Community; get ready to have a lot of fun while learning what you need for a career in business.

If you have any questions, ideas or just need to talk; come see me in room 405—I am here for you.

Sincerely,

Kathalene Jernigan, Team Leader of The School of Business and Applied Technology

### Mark your calendar

All CBHS events are now posted for you on a web-based calendar. Parents can confirm event and practice times and dates with the latest information on-line.

#### Access the calendar on your own:

1. Go to <http://www.ccisd.net>
2. Choose *Schools*
3. Choose *Clear Brook*
4. Click on the *Calendar* tab.
5. Make certain that “my view” tab is set up to include “Clear Brook High School” and “school function” events.
6. Return to the “calendar” tab and select “day”, “week”, “month”, “year”, or “list” view.

Parent organizations that need to submit information for the calendar may do so by contacting Dr. Jennifer Morrow, associate principal, at [jmorrow@ccisd.net](mailto:jmorrow@ccisd.net)



### Theme 2009-2010 “Beauty Is”

Students, use your free time this summer and your creativity to begin work on your entry for the National PTA Reflections Contest. The categories include musical composition, photography, video/film, dance choreography, visual arts, and literature. You may enter in multiple categories. For more information, ask any Brook teacher or visit [www.txpta.org](http://www.txpta.org).

Rita Whiteman at [pwhitewihg@aol.com](mailto:pwhitewihg@aol.com)  
PTSA Arts in Education Chair

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Clear Brook PTSA encourages faculty, staff, school organizations and booster clubs to contact us with information to share with the Clear Brook community.

**Next Deadline: June 24, 2009** for July issue (subject to change)

Bulk Mail Permit Holder: CCCC of PTAs  
P.O. Box 57986  
Webster, TX 77598-7986

### Clear Brook Calendar 2009-2010

Mandatory Student Registration.....	Aug. 4-8
Packet Pick-up	
Mandatory Student Registration.....	Aug 10-13
Fall Registration—Completed Forms Due	
Schedule Pick-Up	
Freshman Fish Camp.....	Aug 14
First Day of School.....	Aug 25
Labor Day Holiday.....	Sept 7
Open House/ PTSA General Meeting.....	Sept 14
Late Arrival Day.....	Sept 17
Homecoming Parade.....	Sept 23
Homecoming Carnival.....	Sept 25
Homecoming Dance.....	Sept 26
SAT Testing at Brook.....	Oct 3
PSAT.....	Oct 14
End of 1st 9 weeks.....	Oct 23
Professional Development (No School)..	Oct 26&27
SAT Testing at Brook.....	Nov 7
Late Arrival Day.....	Nov 12
Thanksgiving Holiday.....	Nov 23-27
SAT Testing at Brook.....	Dec 5
Powder Puff Game.....	Dec 9
Late Arrival Day.....	Dec 10
Winter Holiday.....	Dec 21-Jan1
Fist Day of School 2010.....	Jan 4
End of Semester.....	Jan 15
Professional Development (No School).....	Jan 18
Second Semester Begins.....	Jan 19
Late Arrival Day.....	Jan 28
All School Musical.....	Feb 5
Testing.....	Mar 3
Late Arrival Day.....	Mar 11
Spring Break.....	Mar 15-19
Professional Development (No School).....	Mar 29
End of 3rd 9 weeks.....	Mar 26
Good Friday (No School).....	Apr 3
Testing.....	Apr 6
Superintendent Scholars (year 1-3).....	Apr 16
TAKS Testing.....	Apr 27-30
AP Testing.....	May 4-15
Memorial Day (No School).....	May 31
Finals.....	June 1-4
Last Day of School.....	June 3
Class of 2009 Graduation.....	June 4
Project Graduation.....	June 4

**\*\*Dates are subject to change\*\***

For the complete CCISD school calendar, please visit the CCISD website at: [www.ccisd.net](http://www.ccisd.net)



# CLASS OF 2010

**Senior Class Activities Principal: Mr. Tim Rogers Secretary: Ms. Pat Scillilan**

- **SENIOR PICTURES** – In July, look for a letter from American Heritage, the only approved photographer for yearbook/composite pictures. No purchase necessary, but you must sit for them to be in the yearbook. 281-866-0704
- **Senior Registration/Parking Permit/Spirit Order**-August 10, 2009
- **Classes Begin**—August 25, 2009
- **Nominations for Homecoming Court**—September Advisory
- **Homecoming Parade** – September 23, 2009
- **Homecoming Carnival** – September 25, 2009
- **Homecoming Dance** —September 26, 2009
- **Senior Fundraiser Kick-Off**—October 5, 2009
- **All -School. Musical Auditions** —November 2009
- **Submit names for Powder Puff Court**– November Advisory
- **Powder Puff Game** – December 9, 2009
- **All-School Musical Begins**—February 5, 2010
- **Prom** - May 1, 2010
- **Senior Banquet** — May 19, 2010
- **Senior Awards**— May 25, 2010
- **Graduation** – Friday June 4, 2010 at CCISD Veteran’s Memorial Stadium
- **Project Graduation 2010** - Safe, chemical-free celebration for Brook seniors on June 4; 11:00 pm. to 5:00 am.

## PTSA SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED

The Clear Brook PTSA awarded five \$500 scholarships to the following graduating seniors: Laura Andrea Brant, Cindy Au attending Stanford University, Audrey Renee Clark attending the University of Texas, Keely Abrah Sikes attending Texas A&M University.. Congratulations to these four deserving winners and thanks to all the applicants. It was a difficult decision as all the applicants deserved to win. The scholarships were funded through vocabulary book sales and cookie sales during lunches at Brook.

Next year, the PTSA is hoping to again offer scholarships to deserving seniors. The applicant needs to be a member of the CBHS PTSA and must turn in their scholarship application to the Counseling Center. Applications will be in the Counseling Center or on the counseling website beginning September, 2009. PTSA membership applications can be found in the front office.

A special thank you goes out to Mr. Dave LaCour of Randall’s on Clear Lake City Blvd. He provided the cookies at a discounted rate to the PTSA this year. Remember to support the PTSA scholarship fund by buying those cookies next year at lunch! If you would like to help with cookie sales this coming year, be on the Scholarship Committee or have questions concerning the scholarships, please contact Mia Jones at mkjones2005@hotmail.com.

## District College Night & Financial Aid

The CCISD College Night will be held on Dec 2, 2009 at Clear Springs High School and Financial Aid Night will be at Clear Creek High School on November 11, 2009.



## Wolverine Varsity Football Schedule 2009



Date	Opponent	Site	Time
8/22/09	Friendswood <b>Scrimmage</b>	Away	9:30 AM
8/28/09	Alice –Gulf Coast Classic	Away	7:30 PM
9/5/09	Aldine Nimitz	Away	6:00 PM
9/10/09	Strake Jesuit	Home	7:00 PM
	<b>Senior Parent Night</b>		
9/25/09	Clear Creek	Home	7:00 PM
	<b>HOMECOMING</b>		
10/2/09	Dickinson	Away	7:00 PM
10/10/09	Brazoswood	Home	2:00 PM
10/16/09	Clear Lake	Away	7:00 PM
10/23/08	Galveston Ball	Away	7:00 PM
	<b>Intermediate Night</b>		
10/30/08	Clear Springs	Away	7:00 PM
11/5/08	Alvin	Home	7:00 PM



## CB Players Booster Club News

Dear CBHS Theater parents and students,

The CB Players Booster Club had a very exciting and busy year supporting the Theatre Department, so we wanted to express our appreciation to you and your student for your support. We also wanted to ensure we thought about a successful start to next year; therefore, we wanted to make you aware of the following:

### Please join the Booster Club!

The CB Players Booster Club helps support the theatre program by providing funding, volunteering for events and sponsoring scholarships for CBHS students. Parent involvement is critical in helping support the program, and we would like to invite you to join the Booster Club. The dues are only \$10 and go toward supporting the program. In addition, the club only meets for one hour each month.

Next year, the theatre students will have an opportunity to participate in a trip to New York City. One benefit of being in the booster club is that there will be fundraisers held that are specific to the New York trip. The funds that are raised during these fundraisers are then allocated to those that participate in the fundraiser and paid directly to the tour company.

### Please consider an officer position in the Booster Club!

We also need to elect officers for the Booster Club for next year. The officers are President, Vice President, Co-Vice President (under consideration), Parliamentarian, Treasurer and Secretary. Three of the five current officers have seniors and will not be returning, so we would welcome your participation as an officer or a committee member.

There is also an opportunity to be on the audit committee next year. The audit committee reviews the Booster Club books to make sure all accounts are accurate and in order.

**Please join us! It is a great way to stay connected with your student.**

Sincerely,

Your 2009-2010 CB Players Booster Club Officers

Kathy Dooley ([kathy.dooley@sbcglobal.net](mailto:kathy.dooley@sbcglobal.net)),  
Silvia Molano ([toribia@msn.com](mailto:toribia@msn.com))  
Debbie Thornton ([dthornton67@att.net](mailto:dthornton67@att.net)),  
Susie Barry ([sue.barry@elpaso.com](mailto:sue.barry@elpaso.com))  
and Amy Proctor ([Amy.Proctor@fmc-na.com](mailto:Amy.Proctor@fmc-na.com))



## Lady Wolverine Varsity Volleyball 2009 Schedule

Date	Opponent	Site	Time
Aug 11	St. Agnes	Away	6:30
Aug 13-15	Austin Tournament	Away	TBA
Aug 18	Friendswood	Home	6:30
Aug 20-22	SBISD Tournament	Away	TBA
Aug 21	Dobie	Away	6:30
Aug 25	Tomball	Away	6:30
Aug 27-29	Pearland Tournament	Away	TBA
Sept 1	Seven Lakes	Home	6:30
Sept 4	Cinco Ranch	Away	5:30
Sept 8	Baytown Sterling	Away	6:30
<b>DISTRICT PLAY BEGINS</b>			
Sept 11	Clear Creek	Away	4:30
Sept 15	Dickinson	Away	6:30
Sept 18	Brazoswood	Home	6:30
<b>JR HIGH NIGHT</b>			
Sept 22	Clear Lake	Away	6:30
Sept 25	Galveston Ball	Home	4:30
<b>HOMECOMING</b>			
Sept 29	Clear Springs	Away	6:30
Oct 2	Alvin	Home	6:30
<b>BREAST CANCER AWARENESS</b>			
Oct 6	Clear Creek	Home	6:30
Oct 9	Dickinson	Home	6:30
<b>PARENT NIGHT</b>			
Oct 13	Brazoswood	Away	6:30
Oct 16	Clear Lake	Home	6:30
Oct 20	Galveston Ball	Away	6:30
Oct 23	Clear Springs	Home	6:30
<b>SENIOR NIGHT</b>			
Oct 27	Alvin	Away	6:30

Playoffs begin after District Play

## The Clear Brook Bowling Club Wants You!

The Clear Brook Bowling Club is going into its' fourth year, after coming off our most successful season. Both the Wolverines and Lady Wolverines bowlers finished 11-3, second only to Texas City in the district. Our members included the district MVP bowler, the regular season high average male and female bowlers, and numerous high game honors. We were first time state finalists last year. With hundreds of Texas teams, the boys varsity team finished 15<sup>th</sup> in the state, while our girls varsity team placed 17<sup>th</sup> in the state.

The Clear Brook Bowling Club is a member of the Texas High School Bowling Club (THSBC) and is made up of three separate squads – boys varsity, girls varsity, and junior varsity teams. The THSBC Program provides competition between high schools for boys and girls on a varsity and junior varsity level. The program includes practice sessions, interscholastic competition, uniforms, awards, team and singles state championship tournaments and mirrors U.I.L. policies to the greatest extent possible.

We're inviting all Clear Brook students to be a part of our legacy by joining the Clear Brook Bowling Club. Be a part of the fastest growing high school sport in the country – high school bowling! Previous bowling experience desired, but not required. We will teach you skills that will make you a better bowler, no matter what level you are at. Bowling is competitive, but it has a social aspect that you don't find in most athletics. Bowling unites students that you will never acknowledge during school hours. You could make life long friends. Plus, you will learn how to become eligible for local and national bowling-related college scholarships.

If you are looking for a lighthearted way to show school spirit and compete against other high schools at the same time. Then high school bowling may be for you.

Tryouts are in October at Alpha Lanes on Bay Area Blvd.  
\$15 tryout fee / \$85 participation fee

Practices are 1-2 days a week and match competitions are 1-2 per week. The district season begins in November and runs through February, with the post season in March.

Must provide own transportation to bowling centers  
For more information contact Coach and Sponsor Karen McDaniel at e-mail [kmcdanie@ccisd.net](mailto:kmcdanie@ccisd.net).

Learn more about us by visiting our website - <http://www.ccisd.net/schools/schoolwebs/3/club/bowl/index.htm>

## WOLVERINE SOCCER 2009 - 2010

Booster Club Officers for the coming year are: President: Angela Evans Boy's Vice President: Kelli Stercula Girl's Vice President: Terri Simmons Treasurer: Jim Coffey Secretary: Kathi Holsomback We welcome all Soccer Fans, parents and players to join the CBHS Soccer Booster Club! For up to date Soccer information and membership details refer to [www.brooksoccer.org](http://www.brooksoccer.org). We look forward to an exciting year and hope you will join us!

## Clear Brook HS on the Web:

[www.ccisd.net/schools/schoolwebs/3/](http://www.ccisd.net/schools/schoolwebs/3/)

## Clear Brook Aquatics

Spring water polo was a great success for Brook. Both boys and girls teams advanced to the TISCA state tournament held at the Carroll ISD Natatorium in April. The boys finished 5<sup>th</sup> at State and the girls finished 9<sup>th</sup>. Congratulations to Charlie Ruchte, 1<sup>st</sup> team All State and Brad Bevolo and Brian Bloomfield, Honorable Mention All State.

Swim tryouts will be held as follows:

May 27<sup>th</sup> and August 13<sup>th</sup>

6:00-7:00 at the Clear Brook pool

Athletes will not be allowed to participate without a completed physical form so don't forget to bring it to the pool. Please come prepared to swim a 100 freestyle and 100 of another stroke for time.

The booster club will host our annual Pot Luck Dinner in August. Please check our web site for updates and information.



[www.clearbrookh2o.org](http://www.clearbrookh2o.org)

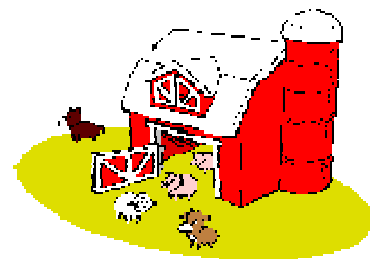


# CBHS WOLVERINES ON A QUEST FOR THE BEST

## It Is Not Just About Animals . . .

CBHS FFA, formally Future Farmers of America, is excited about how big our group has grown. We would like to welcome all members and look forward to meeting the new Green Hand potential members who want to come and join the fun. The summer is here and we are looking forward to our new 2009/2010 year. There are activities like mechanical crafts, leadership skills, judging contest, and (YES) there are animal projects in which to participate. We have things planned that both the new officers and the booster club have been working on this summer. State Convention, Steer/ Heifer/ Goat Shows, Raffle Ticket Gas Card Sale, Brisket Sales, New Member Social, Drive-In Movie Night, and much more...

Any students that might have an interest in joining the FFA club should visit <http://www.cbhsffa.com> on line to find out more. We welcome all and are here to help.



## 2009-2010 Clear Brook Administration & Staff

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**Head Counselor:** Ms. Emily Warner

**Smaller Learning Community Leader:** Ms. Sandra Finley

Members of our leadership team who can serve you are listed here for your convenience.

## Join the Clear Brook High School PTSA

It's time to join the CBHS PTSA for 2009-2010! Please join this unique organization that benefits every parent, teacher, & student at CBHS. PTSA posts newsletters every 2 weeks and mails one in the summer to keep you informed of important events and dates at Brook. PTSA volunteers devote hundreds of hours throughout the year performing many services that benefit Brook. Use the Membership Form in this issue to join the team:

**PTSA, Clear Brook, and YOU!**

## 2009-2010 CBHS PTSA BOARD

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# Welcome Packages

## Delivered to Recipients Advisory Class -1<sup>st</sup> Day

Name of Recipient (first and last name) Please Print

Name of person giving package. Please Print

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**Grade**

Advisory Teacher (Last year's)

Smaller Learning Comm.

**Message :** \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_ **\$10.00 - String Backpack – Black  
backpack with a red diamond  
“B” logo and “Clear Brook” printed  
across the top.**

\_\_\_\_\_ **\$20.00 – String Backpack with a care package  
inside the pack full of goodies!  
Backpack is Black with red Clear Brook  
Logo!**

**If mailed:**

**Jill Bokemeyer**

**13610 Robin Hill Ct**

**Houston, Texas 77059**



**Please make checks payable to:**

**CBHS 2010 Booster Club**

**Must be received by July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009**



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# Important Summer Info Inside!

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<b>Membership dues help fund the mailing of this newsletter. The newsletter is your pipeline to Clear Brook happenings. Please support our efforts to keep you informed. JOIN PTSA!</b>	
<b>Clear Brook High School PTSA Membership Form</b> <b>Dues: \$10.00 Per Membership (Please print)</b>	
<b>Members Name:</b> _____ <b>Address:</b> _____ <b>City:</b> _____ <b>Zip Code:</b> _____ <b>Evening Phone #:</b> _____ <b>Email Address:</b> _____	_____ Parent/Guardian _____ CB Faculty/Staff _____ CB Student _____ Texas Life Member _____ Other:
<b>Student's Name:</b> _____ <b>Grade:</b> _____	
<b>Student's Name:</b> _____ <b>Grade:</b> _____	
<b>May we add your name to our volunteer list? Yes ___ No ___</b> <b>If yes, print 1st name here:</b> _____	
<b>If yes, I'd like to help: Daytime ___ Evenings ___ Either ___</b>	
<b>Please turn into front office receptionist at Clear Brook or mail check to:</b> <b>Attn: Membership, Clear Brook High School PTSA, 4607 FM 2351, Friendswood, Texas 77546</b> *****	
<b>For PTSA use only: Cash \$ _____ Check \$ _____ Date Membership Card Issued _____ # Of Members: _____</b>	