Thanks to all the parents, alumni and faculty who joined us last night at The Boston College Club for our annual Boston Reception. It was great to see you!

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**A Note from the Health and Wellness Center**

Flu season is upon us! PLEASE call your student out absent if they are sick: 978-725-6206 or email: health@brooksschool.org. Click [here](#) to read some tips on how to help keep our campus as illness-free as possible.

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**Super Bowl Sunday!**

The Super Bowl will be shown in the Student Center at 6:30 on Sunday. Please click [here](#) for check-in rules.

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**Add/Drop Period for Second Semester**

Students should be in communication with the Academic Office about the addition of an independent course, or a class switch or level change, through Feb. 6, the end of the second semester two-week add/drop period.

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**Upcoming Evening Requirements for Students**

All students must attend the following events. Please put them in your calendar:
Feb. 26 at 6:15 p.m.: Seated Dinner, followed by the [Wilder Speaking Contest](#) Finals. The event should end around 8 or 8:30 p.m.

- March 1 at 7 p.m.: An adolescent speaker with the organization "Minding your Mind" to present on his experience and positive outcomes of dealing with his mental health issues.

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**Student Activities This Weekend**

Click [here](#) to see all weekend activities, including a van to the movies and the big 3x3 basketball tournament!

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**Feb. 14: Treats For Your Sweets**

We’re still looking for parent volunteers to set up and staff tables, donate raffle baskets, and bring in baked goods and other treats for students and faculty on Feb. 14. Contact Claudia Kluchnik P'15, P'18 (food items): [ckluchnik@mac.com](mailto:ckluchnik@mac.com) or Tara O'Shea P’18 (raffle baskets): [taraloshea@verizon.net](mailto:taraloshea@verizon.net) if you can help.

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**Want to See What Students Do In Class?**

Every Monday, Academic Dean and history teacher Susanna Waters shares her experiences accompanying students to different classes in her [Deans' Den Blog](#). Check it out weekly to see all the photos and videos from her classroom visits. There’s video from AP Music Theory and honors biology lessons, pictures of physics experiments, a sneak peek into an English I poetry discussion and much more. Enjoy!

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**Brooks School Calendar 2018-2019**

Planning ahead? You can view the online version of the newly released 2018-2019 school calendar in [OnBrooks](http://www.onbrooks.com/) (Resources/School Schedules) or by clicking [here](#).

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**Gifts From Home Special for Valentine's Day**

Surprise your student with a special Valentine treat! We have two options, which are both all homemade:

- Treat 1: 6 red velvet whoopie pies, 6 heart decorated sugar cookies & muddy buddies
- Treat 2: 6 valentine cupcakes, 6 s'mores cookies & chocolate-covered pretzels

Need a gluten-free treat? Send a Brooks teddy bear with a special GF goodie.

All are decorated with a Valentine theme and packaged with a red ribbon for $28.

Order by Feb. 7 through Student Services Manager [Dawn Morrison](mailto:dawn.morrison@brooks.edu); 978-725-6300 x3112.
Upcoming Parent Events

Feb. 14: Parents Committee’s Treats for Your Sweets
Feb. 15-17: Winter Musical: Xanadu at The Pike School
Mar. 26: Parents Committee’s Community Appreciation Lunch
Apr. 10: Washington, D.C., Parent & Alumni Reception, The Hamilton, 6:30 p.m.
Apr. 14: Grandparents' Day
Apr. 19: Latino Parent Dinner, Cafe Azteca, 5:30 p.m.

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