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A Message from the Director of Admissions



Dear Parents, Students, Alumni and Friends,

I'd like to thank our CBA Community for continuing to help grow our school enrollment. This year marks the highest enrollment with over 570 students since we moved to Airline Drive in 1998. In order to maintain this success, I'm calling on everyone to help promote our upcoming events by inviting prospective families to the following:

FALL OPEN HOUSE: On Thursday, October 24th from 5:00pm - 8:00pm, CBA will provide Student-Ambassador guided tours displaying our culture of excellence. New families will experience our new dome, interact with teachers, participate in classroom exhibits, meet coaches and club moderators, and see our Marching Band. [Click here to register.](#)

SCHOLARSHIP EXAM: On Saturday, November 2nd from 8:00am - 11:00am, prospective students can sit for our exam covering mathematics, reading comprehension, and ELA. This exam is not mandatory and high achieving students can earn annual academic scholarships. Breakfast will be available and parents are welcome to stay for a presentation or tours.

[Click here to register.](#)

BROTHER FOR DAY: We open our doors every school day for new visitors who would like to experience a day in the life of a CBA Brother. Visitors will sit in on classes, participate in PE, hear the band play, have a school lunch and explore our campus. [Please book a day for your son here.](#)

Thank you for your continued support and GO BROTHERS!

Mr. Brian O'Connell
Director of Admissions

Weekly News

Fall Open House & Entrance Exam

Get Ready! CBA Fall Open House is Thursday, October 24 from 5-7pm. Reserve your time slot now by visiting cbaalbany.org. Register for the upcoming Entrance Exam on November 2 [here](#).



Real Brothers Wear Pink

We kick off our annual Real Brothers Wear Pink campaign today with a chance to win a Drone! Raffle tickets will be sold for \$10 each during lunch periods and in the IA Office Rm 214, starting October 16 - October 22. All proceeds will go towards the American Cancer Society's Real Men Wear Pink Campaign. In addition, students will dress down in special Real Brothers Wear Pink t-shirts on October 22 in support of the campaign and will learn statistics, listen to survivor stories and raise breast cancer awareness throughout the week. Go Brothers!



Big Brothers for Education Breakfast

On Thursday, November 14, join us for breakfast at Wolferts Roost Country Club as we celebrate the launch of the new CBA Big Brothers for Education Scholarship Fund - a program which awards need based scholarships and provides tuition support to families who wish they could enroll their boys as CBA. Consider joining us and sponsoring this year's breakfast. Visit cbaalbany.org/bigbrothers to learn more and to RSVP.

The "Dice" Game

CBA Varsity Football held a special ceremony

before the October 10 game against Niskayuna in honor of **Don "Dice" Crotty '56** who passed away last Spring. Dice was known to be one of CBA's greatest advocates due to the impact the school had on him and his family, and nothing made him happier than watching Brothers football. The team stood alongside the Crotty family as Dice's children were each presented with a commemorative game ball in his memory. The Brothers took the field and won the game #4Dice. Once a Brother, Always a Brother! [View more photos here.](#)



CBA NYC Alumni Night

Join us for the 23rd Annual CBA NYC Alumni Night on Thursday, November 7 from 5:30-8:30 at the Capital Grille, hosted by James O'Keefe '66 and Mike Van De Loo '90. Catch up with your fellow Brothers and hear what is happening on campus from CBA President, Dr. Schlegel.

[RSVP Here!](#)


Friday Night Football vs. Shaker

CBA will face the Shaker Bison this Friday, October 18th, 7:00pm, away at Shaker High School. Please understand that there are strict procedures which will be enforced.



- Any CBA student attending the game **MUST** have a student ID to show at the gate
- Gates will close at 7:30pm
- The general public ticket link will be open on [GoFan](#) at 7:00am tomorrow.

Tickets are extremely limited - please don't hesitate to purchase!



The Hudl is your exclusive way to livestream the Brothers right to your computer or phone. Check out fan.hudl.com/cba to view upcoming games, set reminders, and watch live!



You can also download the Hudl app to your

[iPhone](#) or [Android](#) and follow CBA as your favorite school. Thank you to our generous sponsor, Floor & Decor!



Want to see your logo featured on the big screen during CBA games and events? Contact Matt Agan '05 at agan@cbaalbany.org for more information on this sponsorship opportunity.

Upcoming Schedule

view the CBA 2024-25 Google Calendar [here](#)

Drill Day

Wednesday, October 16

CBAPA Meeting

Wednesday, October 16, 6:30pm

Dress Blues

Thursday, October 17

PSAT Testing Day Grades 10-11

12:30pm Dismissal (No Classes Grades 5-8)

Monday, October 21

Parent Teacher Conferences - Grade 5

Monday, October 21

Real Brothers Wear Pink

Tuesday, October 22

Athletic Schedule

*Refer to [Schedule Galaxy](#) for all upcoming Fall Athletics
Visit [GoFan](#) to purchase all electronic game tickets*

Quartermaster Form

Does your son need any accessories to be worn with his Dress Blues uniform? Click [here](#) to shop online using our Quartermaster form. Accessories purchased will be used all four years of high school.

Online Apparel Shop

Looking for CBA Apparel to wear when supporting the Brothers? Click [here](#) to shop online and place an order with Wicked Smart Apparel.

View Our Calendar and More

Head to the [Calendar section of the CBA website](#) to obtain a pdf copy of this year's academic calendar, or add our Live Calendar of Events to your google calendar.

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