

# Updates Abound

March 2023 - Bound Brook School District



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## Superintendent's Message

Dear Bound Brook Community,

Step inside our schools, and you'll see exactly what makes Bound Brook special – our students. They are driven, compassionate, and bound for greatness; they are what I like to call Bound Brook Brilliance at its finest.

Over the last six months, I have had the privilege of meeting many of our students inside classrooms and their families at athletic events, award ceremonies, and more. Every time we meet, I'm inspired, and I feel reassured that our students are prepared to be the next generation of community and global leaders. We're in good hands!

This e-newsletter will be a place to share stories of our students and their families thriving. For this first issue, you'll read about Ronald Chinchilla, a 2022 graduate who found his college and career path thanks to a mentor at Bound Brook High School. You'll read about a student club that is celebrating the diversity of our community. You'll read about programs that are lifting our students emotionally and supporting parents as they read with their children.

This is Bound Brook Brilliance in action – and it is what makes our students, our district, and our community special! Thank you for letting me be part of that Brilliance.

Sincerely,

Alvin L. Freeman, Ed.D.

Superintendent of Schools



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## **Bound Brook School District Continues to Excel Through Award Winning High School Program**

After graduating Bound Brook High School in 2022, Ronald Chinchilla was unsure where his path would lead. Luckily, he had William David Ross, supervisor of the Career Technical Education/Work Based Learning program (CTE/WBL) at BBHS, by his side.

Introduced to a world of opportunities available to BBHS students through the program, Mr. Ross and Ronald worked together to get Ronald into Raritan Valley Community College, as well as landing a job at FlexBiosys, Inc.

The program gave Ronald direction and mentorship, as well as a path to explore his interest in the real estate industry. He cites Mr. Ross' guidance as a large factor in his success.

"The program paved a way for my future," Ronald said. "Students shouldn't hesitate to get in contact with him. He's extremely nice and will talk to everyone."



[Click to read the full story about our CTE/WBL program!](#)



## DID YOU KNOW?

Pre-kindergarten and kindergarten registration is now open for the 2023-24 school year! [Click here for more information about how to register.](#)



## Equity Committee Celebrates and Amplifies Diversity at BBHS

All students have a voice and can celebrate diversity in their schools and communities– that’s the message seniors Jenna Cabral and Katelin O’Reilly are conveying to younger peers at Bound Brook High School.

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## CMS Students Learn About Artificial Intelligence Through “Hour of AI”

CMS students dove into artificial intelligence through “Hour of AI” – an interactive lesson where students explored their potential in computer science and STEM fields.

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## LaMonte/LaMonte Annex’s Latino Literacy Project Expands and Continues to Thrive

For the last 7 years, the Latino Literacy Project has helped promote reading routines at home. Janette Doblado, a parent who attends the sessions with her son, encourages others to join.

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