

Congratulations on becoming a Senior Mountaineer!

SENIOR YEARBOOK PACKET

CONGRATULATIONS, FUTURE 2025 GRADUATES AND FAMILIES

The High School Yearbook is a wonderful way to document the final chapter of your high school journey. We look forward to helping you build the various Senior sections in the book, which is a direct reflection of you both individually and as a class.

Please read the following packet carefully with important information and due dates.

It is VERY important you abide by the due dates and the space limitations. If you miss the deadlines, **you will not** be able to submit thereafter, as we must keep to the printing process deadlines from Jostens. If we keep to deadlines, you will receive your book in the beginning of June.

Happening Now!

- **YEARBOOK COMMITTEE! JOIN US!**

Do you like designing layouts and taking photographs? Are you interested in working on your Senior book? We need a dedicated Yearbook Committee. Contact Yearbook Advisor Ms. DeCelle directly or stop into Room 105.

- **PRICE & ORDERING:** The Yearbook is **\$TBD (Typically between \$45-\$55)** (including tax, for the basic book, with no extra icons or name on the cover etc.) so please start saving for this book of memories. The yearbook will be pre-sale only, with sales stopping by mid-February. Stay tuned in the Fall on the Website, Schoology and Morning Announcements on how to order. There is NO guarantee that you will be able to have a yearbook if you don't order by that deadline. Speak with your Senior Class Advisors! You may be able to "work off" your yearbook cost with your senior money by doing concession sales at games etc. There are usually sales around Fall Fest time too...

WHO to Contact for WHAT?

BHSyearbook@berlincentral.org	SUBMISSIONS of all Required Yearbook Items & Photos
sdecelle@berlincentral.org Ms. DeCelle, Main YB Advisor	Any Yearbook Page Layout & Yearbook Committee/Club Questions
ehammersmith@berlincentral.org Mrs. Hammersmith, Asst. YB Advisor	Any Financial, Sales, Advertisement Questions Any Picture Day & Formal Senior Portrait Questions

Class of 2025 QUICK CHECKLIST REFERENCE

All items explained further below:

DUE	REQUIRED YEARBOOK ITEM	DONE?
Oct. 2/3	FORMAL Black Drape/Tux Photo done by Upstate Images on Oct. 2nd & 3rd (<i>Mrs. Hammersmith will automatically be sent the photos by the Company, but you have to pick your choice for the Yearbook</i>)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Nov. 25	INFORMAL PHOTO to BHSyearbook@berlincentral.org	<input type="checkbox"/>
Nov. 25	BABY PHOTO & FAMILY MESSAGE to BHSyearbook@berlincentral.org	<input type="checkbox"/>
Nov. 25	SENIOR RIDE PHOTO to BHSyearbook@berlincentral.org	<input type="checkbox"/>
Feb. 1st	SENIOR WRITTEN GOOGLE FORM: Activities, Extracurriculars, Sports, Senior Quote, Will, Mountaineer Memory, Future Goals - filled out and submit to BHSyearbook@berlincentral.org	<input type="checkbox"/>
Anytime by Feb. 1st	THROWBACK -TIME CAPSULE -CANDIDS PHOTOS to BHSyearbook@berlincentral.org	<input type="checkbox"/>

REQUIRED SENIOR YEARBOOK ITEMS

*When submitting, it is EXTREMELY helpful if all of them are emailed together in ONE email.

FORMAL PHOTO
<p>WHAT: Formal Senior Photo Session (Black Drape/Tux) WHEN: Oct 2nd & 3rd (Both Days, All Day) WHERE: Berlin High School WHO: Company: Upstate Images</p> <p>What is happening on these days?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> → This is a special session day for Seniors ONLY. → You will be scheduled a time depending on what level session/number of poses you choose (see separate Upstate Images Flier in the Fall). → If you just want your photo taken for the YEARBOOK ONLY (and not to order Prints of your own) this is FREE OF CHARGE. It only costs money if you order packages from the company. (\$100 and up, depending on your order). → There is <u>NO</u> retake day for these poses. If you miss it, you will have to go to their Clifton Park Studio to get it done. → The Photography companies will give us the photos directly when done. You DO NOT need to provide them. However, you will need to go onto their portal and choose the Black Drape/Tux photo you like the best for the yearbook. More on that later.

Any questions on this should be directed to Mrs. Hammersmith!

INFORMAL PHOTO

DUE DATE: MONDAY, NOVEMBER 25th (Before Thanksgiving Break)

- You will need to provide **ONE** current informal photo of yourself. *This photo will be next to your formal portrait in the Senior section. Without this, your section will look very empty.*
- This photograph should be just of you (not with friends or family). It does not need to be in formal portrait style. For example, it can be an action shot from a game, a fishing photograph, or you in a field of flowers.
- THIS INFORMAL PHOTOGRAPH DOES NOT NEED TO BE DONE BY A PROFESSIONAL PHOTOGRAPHER. Students can submit their own self-shot or student-shot photograph. If you are interested in having these professionally done as a Senior photoshoot for your own use, see the last page for a list of local photographers* if you would like to utilize their services.

BABY PHOTO & PARENT MESSAGE

DUE DATE: MONDAY, NOVEMBER 25th (Before Thanksgiving Break)

There is a spot for family to write a SURPRISE 55-word FREE message to their graduate. Please clearly type your message and email it to BHSYearbook@berlincentral.org . If two or more separate family members would like to write a message, the combined limit is still 55 words for the FREE spot.

- Please be sure to add in your desired ending: “Love, Mom” or “All my love, Gram” etc.)
- There must be a baby/childhood photo submitted with a parent message. They cannot be included in the yearbook one without the other. Please submit photos to Ms. DeCelle directly or email photographs digitally to BHSyearbook@berlincentral.org .
- They must be in jpg format (not png, not a screenshot, not a pdf, not in a Google Doc).
- Any original printed photographs that are submitted for scanning will be returned to the Senior with their yearbook during Distribution Day at the end of May/Early June.

Note: If you (or extended family members) would like MORE space than the FREE 55 words for your child’s message, you may purchase more room: \$50 for ¼ page, \$75 for ½ page. If you choose to do this, please contact Mrs. Hammersmith for payment. If purchasing more space - Payment is due BY the due date in the form of cash or check made payable to “Berlin Central School District” given directly to Mrs. Hammersmith.

SENIOR RIDES PHOTO

DUE DATE: MONDAY, NOVEMBER 25th (Before Thanksgiving Break)

- Send in ONE photo of you with your “ride” - car, dirt bike, Skates, unicycle, tricycle, tractor....
- If you would like a Yearbook staff member to take this photo on school grounds, please make an appointment (listen to morning announcements/Schoology for info about this)

WRITTEN GOOGLE FORM

DUE DATE: By February 1st

There will be a Google Form Shared on Schoology on the "Class of 2025" Group page. This will include your **Senior Quote, Senior Memory, Senior Will, Mountaineer Memory, Future Goals & List of Activities/Sports.**

THROWBACKS & CANDIDS

DUE DATE: ONGOING, BEFORE February 1st

Send in any old childhood/middle school photos of you and/or your friends (who attend Berlin), as well as any other memorable candid photos! We NEED photos from YOUR perspective! Any photos (taken in school) of your time in classes, with friends, in the cafeteria etc...No limit to how many!

*Let's make your Graduating Yearbook one of good memories,
Mountaineers!*

LOCAL PHOTOGRAPHERS (FOR INFORMAL PHOTOS)

*This is by NO means a comprehensive, required or mandatory list of photographers. It is not listed in any particular order. Some are local in town, some are not. We have NO affiliation with these photographers and do not accept any responsibility for the quality or pricing of their services. We have received NO compensation by listing their services here. It is simply a starting point of reference for our Berlin families.

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