

BHS January Board Report

January 1, 2018



BHS students helping Math Teacher Cindy Edge to rebuild her animal pen area damaged by the fire.

Lilac Fire Recovery

BHS students spent the week after the fire providing community service:

- Monday and Tuesday: BHS students worked with BEF to collect, organize, and move donations
- Wednesday: BHS students helped organize truckloads full of donations to provide a good “shopping” experience for the groomsmen displaced from the fire at the San Luis Rey Downs
- Thursday: BHS students cleaned at teacher Cindy Edge’s home to clean up debris, smoke damage, and help rebuild animal pens. See a brief news story about it [here](#) on NBC San Diego News.
- Saturday: BHS students cleaned up the yard of a fellow student whose bedroom was impacted by the fire

Semester Grades

Because of the fire, many students received incompletes and will have until January 15th to finalize grades. The BHS staff wanted to accommodate students who were displaced, without internet, or not able to receive appropriate supports during the last week of break. Teachers also waived finals and last week assignments so students could focus on recovery and clean-up efforts for their own families.

Palomar College Faculty also waived finals so students could finish confidently and successfully their first semester of college.

College Acceptances are Coming In!

San Diego State University had over **90,000 applicants** this year and is currently one of the most impacted CSU campuses in the state of California. Congratulations to Kyle Burg and Kristi Leung who were granted *early* admission to San Diego State University.



Ori Fine was also accepted to the Los Angeles College of Music which accepts applicants primarily based on audition.



