



Eighth Grade Memories

By Marielle Urge

Where do I start? One positive thing about Beaubien is that everyone in this school acts as one family and that's the thing that makes this school feel secure and comforting. As regards to my experience, it changed me a lot because the staff and teachers here at Beaubien are really pushing you in order for you to achieve your goals, and they won't stop until you reach your goal. They motivate students to do their best in every step of the way. I mean, this is for my future, not for my family nor friends. It's for your own good, that's why education is so important for many people. You should never take things for granted because you never know what other people are dealing with.

One thing that I will always remember at Beaubien is my first day as a 7th grader. It was very nerve-racking for me because I didn't know anyone in this school. As I walked towards the door, it was so chaotic and my heart started beating quickly but I told myself "You're going to be fine." Surprisingly, it went pretty well. I will never forget all of the memories and friendships that I made at Beaubien.

Most importantly, I want to thank all of the teachers and staff who have helped me throughout my journey here at Beaubien. I'm planning on attending at Taft High School, but for now I'm still waiting for a principal's discretion decision this coming June.

WE ARE BEAUBIEN BULLDOGS!!!

Game Review

By Aaron Garcia

For my final game review, I chose a mobile game. Asphalt 9 is the latest of the Asphalt racing game series. Several new changes have come since Asphalt 8: Airborne. New visual changes and physics have come into Asphalt 9. Over 60 cars are in this game ranging from the Mitsubishi Lancer Evolution to the Bugatti Chiron.

The gameplay is pretty good, but the game can be glitchy with certain cars, but that's fine. There are several Limited-Time Events that include, but isn't limited to: Daily Car Loot, Credits races, the Weekly Competition, and Exclusive Events for the Rezvani Beast X, the VLF Force One V10, and the Trion Nemesis. There's also a multiplayer system, where 2 seasons run at once. There's the main season, which could be a Rush/Full Ahead season, a Classic season, a Slipstream season, or something else (same rules for secondary seasons).

My general verdict is that Asphalt 9 is a very good mobile racing game with only a few minor issues. Thank you for reading!

Obscure Facts

- The supreme court has its very own private basketball court, and it's located on the Top Floor
- Walmart has a lower acceptance rate than Harvard! While Harvard accepts 8.9% of all their admissions, only 2.6% of people applying for Walmart get accepted.
- Hunting unicorns is legal in Michigan! Lake Superior State University in Michigan offers a unicorn hunting license. Crazy, right?
- Cows moo with regional accents.
- In the small town of Dorset, Minnesota, where a new mayor is picked every two years by drawing names out of a hat, a three year old named Robert Tufts was elected mayor in 2015. His governing style : "Being nice and no poopy talk."
- Barry Manilow didn't write his hit song "I Write the Songs"
- You're twice as likely to be killed by a vending machine than a shark.
- The blob of toothpaste that sits on your toothbrush has a name. It's called a "nurdle."

- Monowi, Nebraska is the only town in the United States with an official population of one person.
- The “hashtag” key on your keyboard (#) is called an octotroph.
- M&M’s actually stands for “Mars & Murrie’s,” the last names of the candy’s founders.
- Cats sleep for 70% of their lives.
- More monopoly money is printed each year than real US currency.
- An ostrich’s eye is bigger than its own brain.
- Peanuts are one of the ingredients for dynamite.
- An octopus will eat its own tentacle if its hungry.
- Hippopotamus’ milk has a color of pink.
- A leech has 32 brains.
- Murder is how you call a group of crows.
- Infants from 2 to 6 months old prefer to look longer at attractive faces.
- Potatoes have more chromosomes than humans
- Your brain consistently remembers 2 things about an event and those things are the emotional peak and the end.
- Anatidaephobia is the fear that somewhere in the world, there is a duck watching you.
- Carrots used to be purple, not orange.
- Mosquitoes are more attracted to people who just ate bananas.
- Oysters can change genders back and forth.

Behind the Scenes

The process of making our school newspaper takes a lot of time and effort. With only two days per week to come up with ideas and write articles, we have to work together and help each other out. Usually we come up with our ideas on Tuesdays, which takes about 10 to 15 minutes. The staff in the newspaper club are always offering to write the articles we came up with, so everyone’s always working on something. Our Tuesdays usually are not our best days to work. Most of us are screaming and talking across the room like buffoons, but we somehow find a way to finish our work. On Thursdays, we all get together again and finalize the articles we’ve written. Carsten edits the articles and sends them to Mr. Sarcona, who then sends it to Mrs. Conlon to finalize. Carsten has been in charge of putting the articles together to create the newspaper. We love working together and we would love to have more people next year!

A Special Thanks

Having a Newspaper Club would have been really difficult without the help of one special person. Mrs. Conlon has been in charge of taking our newspaper, uploading it to the school's website and onto social media. Thank you for being a great part of our team! We could not have done this without you!

Beaubien Newspaper Staff

My name is **Kristen Kaczor**, and I'm in 6th Grade. I joined the Newspaper Club because I thought it would be a great experience to possibly be one of the writers of our newspaper.

Yamel Torres is the first school newspaper editor. I am also in 6th grade just like everyone else in this club. I joined this club because I love to write and tell true facts about people and places.

I, **Aaron Garcia**, am in 6th Grade. I joined Newspaper Club so I can contribute. How I'm contributing is by making a new doc so that others can write a bio about themselves. I may sound boring right now, but I'm far from boring.

Yours truly **Evan Kolodjajny**, soon to be the man behind the the to-be popular advice column "Ask Evan." I joined the club because I wanted to write an advice column.

Hi, my name is **Asad Sheikh**. I joined this club as an opportunity to help the new Beaubien Banner. It's also a very fun experience!!

My name is **Joshua Pangan** and I joined the newspaper club. This club helps improve my writing skills and it also makes me do something else than play f0rTnUt. “/

Hi. My name is **Saad Sheikh**, and I joined this since I seemed that it sounded nice, and I found it creative to test my skills on building up my writing skills.

Hi my name **Carsten** and I am a computer boii! I do computer stuff and put the newspaper together.

Hello my dudes, I'm **Tija!** I am in charge of interviewing students and teachers.

Hayo! I'm **Chloe**. I like purple and I am in charge of writing some things for the newspaper.

OOf, I'm **Kristina** and I love Shrek, math, and Beaubien.

My name is **Daris Kadric**. I am part of newspaper club and I am from 201, Mrs.Combs class. I like to play games, such as Fortnite, Apex Legends, Call of Duty(used to), etc.

Hello, my name is **Amanda Mendak** and I'm in room 201. I love math and I also am in dance club!!

Hi, my name is **Tianalis** and I like writing class and that is why I'm in newspaper club.