



# Bobcat Times: 2K19 Grand Finale

## Shoshana's Legislative Journey

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Students at our school are a true inspiration. One of our very own Bobcats, Shoshana Siegel, has educated many students on what it is to live and thrive with Spina Bifida. This condition is a birth defect where the spine and spinal cord don't form properly. Shoshana has been fighting to get a bill passed for additional funding to the Centers for Disease Control. The funding would also help transitioning into adult care. This would benefit so many others in having a smooth transition once they turn eighteen. Her motivation to make a difference began

once she realized that it would be difficult to continue with the proper health care and affect their condition even further. After much hard work and determination, the bill was passed on May 7, 2019. Shoshana has described her experience a struggle, but so rewarding. It was a huge accomplishment for her. At the age of 14, Shoshana has impacted many lives and has brightened her own future. Her confidence and courage shows what a brave young lady she is and hopefully will inspire others to fight for what they believe in. We are extremely proud of your accomplishments, Shoshana!



By: Lauren Herzfeld and Samuel Behar

### Thank You Teachers

During the week of May 13 - May 17, it was Teacher Appreciation Week, a time where students show respect, admiration, and appreciation for educators. Students wrote letters and donated gifts making them feel extra special. We are so happy to have amazing teachers who believe in us. As Mrs. Castillo always says, "You got thissss!"

By: Malik McNeill & Noah Rey

## 2019 Amazing Events

The year 2019 has brought many great events and experiences to many. One incident was Methane being found on Mars. On April 1st 2013, Methane, a gas that comes from living things, was found on Mars. Since then, scientist have proven there could be life on Mars. Secondly, a Saudi Arabian oil company named Saudi Aramco has proven to be the world's biggest company, with an approximated net worth of 111.1 billion dollars. To blast back to space, NASA stated that they plan to send people to the Moon in 2024 and Mars by 2033. Also, to slither in, the

longest Burmese Python was found on April 8th, measuring 17 feet or 5.2 meters. Let's dive right into this picture, the first picture of a Black Hole was taken in 2017 and announced on 2019, by the Horizon Telescope Collaboration. The Black Hole is in galaxy M87, 6.5 billion times bigger than the Earth and 55 million light-years away from us. On May 8th, Chris Hughes, also known as the co-founder of Facebook argued that Facebook, Instagram, and other Facebook corporation made apps should be split apart. Finally, we save the best for last, an American diver goes

down the Mariana trench fully, reaching 10,927m or 35,849ft and found something unexpected, a plastic bag! 2019 has been extremely exciting. Let's see what 2020 brings!



By: Seth Cruz



## Thanks For All You Do!

On Sunday May 12, 2019, Mother's Day was celebrated amongst people all around the world. To honor all dedicated and hard working mothers and to those who play the role of a mother, RKBBH had a fundraiser selling flowers to students as a gift for their mothers. It was a huge success!



By: Valentina Suarez and Emily Bravo

## Samiya Boutique

Samiya Boutique is a brand new store in North Miami. Not only does the store include many styles in all sizes, you can also purchase accessories, shoes, and bags. Walk into the world with items from this boutique, and you'll be looking like a million bucks!

Address: 1942 NE 123rd St,



By: Mia Elias and Milan Espy

## If You Could Be Anything, Be Kind!

Mrs. Castillo's journalism students created an amazing bulletin board in the Middle School to display the importance of kindness. They wrote inspirational messages describing ways to be kind. Their ultimate purpose was to influence peers to treat each other with respect and promote friendship. With all the hatred going on these days, a little bit of kindness is like a blessing.



By: Samuel Behar and Peter Roca

## Latest Movie Reviews

### Shazam:

Shazam was a movie produced by David Sandberg. The plot is about a foster kid who gets chosen to become a superhero by a wizard and has to fight the antagonist, played by Mark Strong. Dr. Sivana, the villain, has taken control of the seven deadly sins: lust, gluttony, greed, sloth, wrath, envy, and pride. With the help of his foster family, he fights to take down the villain who is sad

because he was chosen, but then got turned down for the position of Shazam. Overall, the movie gets a firm 8.6/10.

### Endgame:

Avengers Endgame was a movie produced by the Russo brothers, movie stars from the Avengers, Guardians of the Galaxy, and much more. They all attempted and did indeed kill the "Mad Titan", Thanos, with his entire army from the past. The remaining heroes that were left post to the snap created a time machine, col-

lecting all the infinity stones, and killing Thanos before he got the stones. As a result, Tony Stark dies over it... Over all the movie gets an astonishing 9.8/10.



By: Seth Cruz and Jed Hoffman

## Youtube Battle of the Century

Everyone who uses YouTube has heard of the longest reigning, most subscribed channel on the site, the Swede named Felix Kjellberg, professionally known as PewDiePie. On the 15th of August, 2013, PewDiePie took over the former most subscribed channel, Smosh. PewDiePie remained as the most subscribed channel on YouTube for years, until 2018, where a new challenger approached. The challenger's name is T-Series, a popular music corporation based in India. It

was at this time when the war began. At the start of the battle, PewDiePie remained on top for many months. Many different YouTubers had helped, especially famed content creator Mr. Beast. Then, in March of 2019, T-Series took the crown from PewDiePie and since then, there has been a hard fought battle between the two. Pewdiepie then made a song in which he congratulated, and slightly dissed the Corporation. However, a few days after the release of this new song, PewDiePie

snatched the crown back from T-Series unexpectedly. Since then, Pewdiepie kept the lead. However, for once and for all, T-Series gained more subscribers and has kept the lead. **Then PewDiePie made a video calling for the end of the subscribe to PewDiePie meme with T-Series winning by millions. That was the end of the battle of the century.**

By: Jed Hoffman, Max Goldemberg and Malik McNeill

## Dear Anthony,

**Dear Anthony: I have problems sleeping at night and I don't know what to do?**

There are many possible reasons as to why it is hard for you to fall asleep. Some easy remedies are drinking hot tea before bedtime, don't go to bed hungry, practice meditation, play soft music, avoid sugar snacks at night, and even a warm bath can help. If you try all of these and still you find it difficult to sleep, you may want to tell your

parents and/or ask a doctor for more recommendations. I am certain this is only a stage and you will be catching some Z's real soon!

**Dear Anthony: I have a strong temper and it's affecting my friends. Can you help me control it.**

Anger issues have the ability to affect friendships and how you're perceived by people. If you take out your anger on people, it can have long lasting ef-

fects. Try to take out your anger in more efficient ways such as deep breathing exercises and practice relaxation skills. It is important to recognize what triggers it and try to change your way of thinking more positively. Improving your way of communicating is critical as well. You should work on identifying possible solutions or know how to seek help when needed. Don't lose hope; there is always light at the end of the tunnel.

By: Anthony Vazquez