



October 8, 2025



The following can be found on the JBHS website

[JBHS Bell Schedules](#)
[2025-2025 Rotating Day Cycle Calendar](#)

UPCOMING EVENTS

October

- 9 Advisory - Student Readiness Check
- 17 Undergraduate Photographs & Student IDs - Retake Date
- 18 Debate Tournament (JBHS Hosting)
- 10/20 - 10/24 Spirit Week
- 22 Tri-M Induction Ceremony
- 24 Pep Rally
- 25 Homecoming Football Game (1:00 pm)
- 25 Homecoming Dance (7:00 - 10:00 pm)
- 31 Activity Period

UPCOMING EVENTS AND INFORMATION

OCTOBER 9 - STUDENT READINESS CHECK DURING ADVISORY

On Thursday, October 9, grade 10 and 11 students will be doing a digital readiness check during Advisory for the upcoming PSAT / NMSQT. This means that students must come prepared with the charged device that they plan to test with on October 22.

PSAT/NMSQT®



JBHS HOMECOMING



The JBHS Homecoming Dance is on Saturday, 10/25, from 7:00 to 10:00 pm in the school's lower gym.

Tickets can be purchased now through Parent Square or by dropping payment off in the school's main office by noon on Friday, October 24. The outside guest form is available in the main office and is [linked here](#). Payment for guest tickets should accompany the outside guest form when submitted to the main office.

[PURCHASE TICKETS HERE](#)

Welcome to the Joel Barlow Homecoming Store!

Orders must be placed by **10/9 at 10 am.**

Please note: Tee Shirt and Long Sleeve Shirt are Unisex Sizing

Please select your size carefully as we will not be able to accept changes to orders, exchanges or returns.



**GET READY FOR THE
JOEL BARLOW**

HOME COMING GAME



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25

1 PM, FOOTBALL FIELD

Support JBHS in the

Spirit Week!!!

Week of 20-24th

Monday.
Hawaiian Day

Tuesday.
USA Day

Wednesday.
Pajama Day

Thursday.
Class Colors

Friday.
Black and Gold



ORDER YOUR 2026 JOEL BARLOW YEARBOOK TODAY!

Yearbook Price: \$88 + applicable tax

DEADLINE: December 31, 2025

Orders Accepted Online Only!

How to Purchase 1) Go to: buytheyearbook.com

2) Enter Your School ID: 730413

3) Click on the yearbook photo/icon

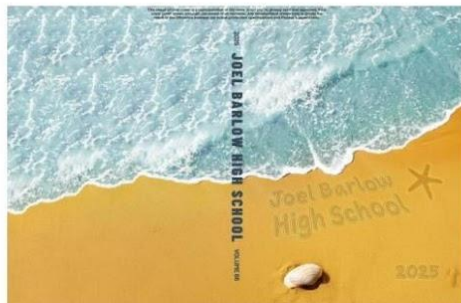
4) Follow the prompts to purchase a yearbook

* If you have any questions or concerns with your order please contact: 1-800-290-0036. Thank you.

*****Spelling of student names that appear in the yearbook will be the same as they are spelled in PowerSchool*** (Deadline for Nameplates 1/31/2026)**

YEARBOOKS WILL BE DELIVERED BEFORE GRADUATION

**Any Yearbooks that are available after this date will be
\$100**



Yearbook.....\$88 + Tax

Gold Nameplate.....\$7 + Tax

Go to: buytheyearbook.com

Enter School ID: 730413

Disclaimer: Colors shown on proof may vary from final printed page.

WINTER SPORTS ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING

Monday, November 3, 2025
6:00-8:00pm

Virtual and in-person meetings at various times
Please stay tuned for a message that will include information regarding in-person meetings or links to virtual meetings on the evening of November 3. We're looking forward to a great Winter season!

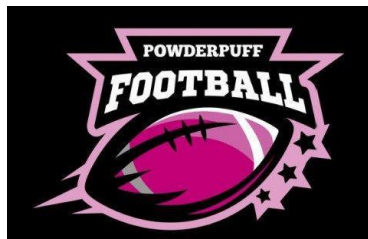


CLASS OF 2026 – IMPORTANT INFO

**Legacy Studios is pleased to be Joel Barlow High School's
official senior portrait photographer!**

Schedule your Portrait Session

Upcoming College Visits @ Barlow



Seniors vs Juniors
Save The Date
MON NOV 24th

PTO NEWS

JBHS PTO is ready for the coming year and eager to work with the staff, teachers, parents and students of JBHS. We hope you will join us in this community of support.

[JOIN TODAY!!!](#)

Your PTO membership directly impacts your children at Barlow through activities, events and opportunities.

For updates, watch your inbox for the Focus Newsletter or check out the JBHS PTO website for info and events.

If you'd like to get involved with PTO, email us at joelbarlowpto@gmail.com



Help us make Homecoming a Night To Remember! We are seeking donations to provide a great selection of snacks and beverages for our students in the annual Homecoming Dance on Saturday, October 25th!! Don't have time to shop? No worries you can send a cash/venmo donation to @Denise-DiBlasi-1

[DONATE TODAY!!!!](#)



Show your school spirit!! Check out the Brand new Barlow store!!



[BARLOW SCHOOL STORE - SHOP TODAY!!!!](#)



Show your school spirit whenever you drive, purchase a Car Magnet?!!?

[BARLOW CAR MAGNET!!!!](#)



BEYOND BARLOW



of Redding and Easton
203-308-0604

How We Work

- 1 What Is Safe Rides?**

Safe Rides provides safe and reliable free rides home to Redding & Easton students who are in need of a safe (and anonymous) ride home from anywhere in either town. **Safe Rides does not endorse underage drinking or substance use, but acknowledges that students can sometimes find themselves in unsafe or uncomfortable situations.**
- 2 When Does Safe Rides Operate?**

Safe Rides is open every Friday and Saturday night between the hours of 10 p.m. and 1:00 a.m. (weather permitting) out of the Boys & Girls Club of Redding and Easton.
- 3 Who can use Safe Rides?**

Redding and Easton teens can call 203-308-0604 for a ride home on Friday and Saturday nights for a “no questions asked” free, safe ride home. Rides will be offered to any high school-aged person who feels unable to drive for any reason, including getting home from babysitting, fatigue, alcohol or drug use, or any situation in which traveling with another driver feels uncomfortable or unsafe. The Safe Rides service extends to public or private school students, as long as they are residents of Redding or Easton and are calling from within the town limits. This service is for high school-aged youths only. It is not available for adults.
- 4 Do I Need A Driver's License To Volunteer for Safe Rides?**

Students who don't yet have a driver's license can serve as navigators for Safe Rides. Also, Because Safe Rides is an official national service organization, the passenger curfew rules for beginner drivers does not apply. As long as you have had your license for at least 4 months, you may be a driver for Safe Rides. .
- 5 How Does Safe Rides Work?**

Teams of students and adult volunteers will staff the call center at the Boys and Girls Club on Cross Highway in Redding. When a call comes in, a student driver is paired up with a second student who serves as the navigator, and they go out as a team of two to provide confidential and safe transportation home. An adult advisor is always present at the call center during all hours of operation. The program, which began in 2017, will again operate under the auspices of the Kiwanis Club of Danbury, allowing for coverage under its liability insurance policies and access to various training programs and other resources.
- 6 How Do I Join?**

Contact Co-Presidents Madi Furrer (203-940-4965) or Grade Hugo (203-780-1418).

REGISTER TO VOTE!!!

Any students who turn 18 by election day, November 4th, are eligible to register to vote.

- Register online: myvote.ct.gov with a Connecticut driver's license or Connecticut DMV-issued non-driver ID
- OR
- Stop by the school office to receive a paper voter registration card
- OR
- Stop by Redding Community Center if you live in Redding or the Easton Library if you live in Easton from October 20th-November 2nd from 10am to 6pm and on October 28th and October 30th from 8am to 8pm to register in person

Register to vote. Your vote is your voice and your vote counts. It is a right of every citizen, why not exercise your right?



@ Mark Twain Library

Please visit <https://marktwainlibrary.org/programs/teens/> for more information.

@ Easton Library

Teen Pizza-Making Workshop! (Gr 6-12)

Friday, Oct. 17, 3:30 PM - 5:30 PM

Knitting Without Needles (Grades 6 and up)

Thursday, Oct. 23, 4:30-5:30 PM

Successfully Navigating College Admissions This Fall (For 9-12 Graders and Their Families)

Wednesday, Nov. 19, 7:30 PM

* Registration is required. Registrants will receive the Zoom Link on the date of the program. *Sponsored by Easton Public Library.*

Spill the Tea!: Teen Tea-Tasting (Grades 6-12)

Thursday, Nov. 20, 3:30 PM

For more info or to register, go to eastonlibrary.org/calendar-list



THROWBACK TO THE 2000'S
A CELEBRATION OF THE
EASTON LEARNING FOUNDATION

**20TH ANNIVERSARY
PARTY**

8 NOVEMBER

6-10 PM

Testo's Monroe
DINNER, DANCING
CASH BAR



PRICE
INCREASE
10/19

EARLY BIRD PRICE \$100 PER PERSON UNTIL 10/18

GENERAL ADMISSION \$125 STARTING 10/19

5 FREE RAFFLE TICKETS WILL BE GIVEN TO
THE FIRST 50 TICKETS SOLD

TICKETS ARE LIMITED

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Make Redding
Glow
on Halloween
October 29-31

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**Bring your Jack-O-Lantern
to the Town Green display
October 29th**

**Redding Garden Club will keep your
Jack-O-Lantern lit and manage the display**

Questions: ruthmoran@gmail.com



Make Redding Center Eye-catching on Halloween!