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AHS Family,

It was GREAT having a full week of school together with our students and staff! This week featured many highlights. One highlight was this morning's Anderson Achievers Recognition Breakfast, celebrating nearly 400 students for academic achievement and/or academic growth. Another highlight was last night's Battle of the Bands. It was so fun to watch our students (and a few staff members) perform in front of a large crowd in the cafeteria!

We are so fortunate to have hard working students, a dedicated staff, and supportive families. This is going to be a great semester!

Anderson Proud, Kyle

# **UPCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS:**

- 1/20 No School (Dr MLK Jr Day)
- 2/6 Parent/Teacher Conferences
- 2/6 New Parent Meeting @ 6pm in Titus Auditorium
- 2/7 3rd Quarter Interim
- 2/14 No School for Students (Teacher Professional Development)
- 2/17 No School (Presidents' Day)
- 2/18 District-Wide Spirit Week (wear shirts with kind messages on them)
- 2/25 State Funded ACT for All Juniors
- 3/7 No School for Students (Teacher Professional Development)
- 3/14 End of 3rd Quarter
- 3/20 Make-Up CCP Meeting @ 6:30 in Titus Auditorium

# **AROUND AHS:**



# Parent Scheduling Information (add a button)

### **AHS INFO:**

# **GREAT OAKS/10th GRADE INFO**

All 10th graders are invited to apply to Great Oaks if they are interested in attending during their junior and senior year! Please take a look at the presentation below for more information! Applications are due February 4th to have priority consideration. If you have any questions, please reach out to your child's school counselor.

<u>Great Oaks Presentation</u> Great Oaks Application

# THE TEMPEST

One of Shakespeare's most thrilling plays, *The Tempest* opens with a storm, a shipwreck, and powerful magic. Cast onto the shore of a mysterious island with her mother's court, young Prince Ferdinand cannot help but fall in love with the innocent Miranda, who has lived on the island for most of her life. But Miranda's own mother, Prospero, a mighty sorcerer, and also a banished Duchess who has her own plans for the castaways. Add in a spirit of the air named Ariel and a witch's monstrous son named Caliban, and you have the makings of a fantastic night of adventure. Our production incorporates puppets, dance, circus tricks, and fantastical costumes. Audiences will be swept up in Prospero's spell and captivated by this unique and surprising story. Tickets go on sale now, through AndersonTheatre.com. Special price-\$10 for Seniors and students is available during presale: tickets at the door will be \$15.

### MAKE UP CCP MEETING

The College Credit Plus make-up meeting is on March 20 at 6:30 in Titus Auditorium. In order for a student to be eligible to participate in CCP, the student and parent both must attend a CCP meeting. This includes students who wish to take in-house CCP courses in Engineering and/or World History at Anderson next school year.

# SHOUT OUT AN ANDERSON HIGH SCHOOL STAFF MEMBER!

We are blessed to have one of the best staffs to work with day in and day out at Anderson High School. We praise them everyday for all the amazing things they do for our kids and our community! We want to give you a chance to do the same! If you would like to give a shout out to any staff member, please fill out this <u>form</u> so we can celebrate them!

### AHS AT A GLANCE

This is a document that we put together to house important and overarching items for families: <u>AHS AT A GLANCE</u>

# **FROM OUR BOOSTER GROUPS:**

**PTO** 

Join the AHS PTO: <a href="mailto:bit.ly/Join-PTO">bit.ly/Join-PTO</a>

#### ATHLETIC BOOSTERS

Become an AHS Athletic Boosters Member! As a Boosters Member you will support all Anderson student-athletes, teams, athletic projects and initiatives.

Purchase your Membership at <a href="https://bit.ly/ahs-boosters-2024-25">https://bit.ly/ahs-boosters-2024-25</a>.

### Forest Hills Band Boosters.

Any questions email Boosters@fhbands.org.

### FROM THE DISTRICT OFFICE:

# Last Chance - Register for Jan. 23 Parent Academy Today!

Check out the <u>great list of topics</u> for our latest Parent Academy Night, including FAFSA/financial aid, navigating the turbulent tweens/teens, supporting kids in a digital world and more! <u>Click here to register</u>, and <u>click here for an article</u> with more details.

# Community Presentation of Screenagers: Under the Influence on Jan. 28

The Anderson Mental Health Collaborative is hosting a viewing of Screenagers: Under the Influence. The film discusses vaping, drug and alcohol use among teens, and it depicts strategies parents can use to encourage healthy decision-making and support teen mental health. RSVP for this free event here.

# **Save the Dates for Upcoming Drama Productions**

Both high schools will present wonderful productions on Jan. 31, Feb. 1 and 2! Click the links below to learn more and buy tickets!

- Anderson Theatre presents The Tempest by William Shakespeare
- Turpin Theatre presents The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe, based on the classic C.S. Lewis tale.

# **Forest Hills Foundation for Education**

We're looking for volunteers to help make the 16th annual Forest Hills 5K an amazing community event. No matter if you have a little or a lot of time, we'd love your help! Roles include logistical support, community outreach, and After Party facilitation. Send us a message at <a href="mailto:info@fhfe.org">info@fhfe.org</a> if you're interested in joining a fun group of people organizing an epic event. No running required!

### **Make the Cut Hair Donation Event**

Share the Love! Urban Salon is hosting a "Make the Cut" hair donation event on Feb. 12 from 4-8 p.m. If you can donate at least 8 inches of hair to help make wigs for kids in need, please make an appointment! Check out this flyer for more details!

# **Community Flyers**

Click here to visit the flyers page to learn more about opportunities like:

- MCORE Foundation Cardiac Screening Event at Anderson HS | Jan. 23
- Breakthrough T1D Community Summit | Feb. 2
- Saturday Art at UC DAAP | Feb. 15-April 12 | Open K-12

# **EMERGENCY AND SUPPORT RESOURCES**

- If you, your student, or anyone else you know is in a life-threatening health crisis or emergency, call 911.
- If you, your student, or anyone else you know is in emotional distress or experiencing suicidal crisis, call or text 988, available 24/7.
- If you have concerns about threats to student safety, we urge you to call or text the Safer Ohio School Tip Line at 844-SaferOH. This line is staffed 24/7.