

Dear Parents, Guardians,

Good morning! I hope that you all had a wonderful weekend! Please see some important information below:

#### VISIT THE SCHOOL NIGHT

Our Visit the School Night will be held this Wednesday, September 26th at 6:00pm. This night is a great opportunity for parents to meet their child's teachers and to gain an understanding of the student's academic responsibilities for the coming school year. Please feel free to contact your child's teacher and administrators whenever you have questions. An open line of communication is the key to ensuring that our students realize their maximum potential.

#### GUIDANCE NEWS

Wednesday 9/26/2018 (THIS WEDNESDAY) is the deadline to drop a class and replace it with another class that receives credit. After 9/26/2018, the only changes that students will be able to request are track changes and dropping a course to a study hall.

Course Change Request Forms can be found in the Guidance Office. Please see your counselor with any questions.

#### CONGRATULATIONS!

Congratulations to senior Yna Tresvalles on an incredible performance last night at 54 Below's Broadway Back to School event in New York City. Yna was one of 12 students selected to perform at this elite charity event that raised money for the Educational Theatre Foundation. She got to sing with stars from both new hit Broadway shows Head Over Heels and The Prom, plus many more.

On Friday Sept. 21, a select group of students, Sophia Valeo, Jordan Sammarco, Tori Cubelo, and Gabi Cubelo from High School North's Roots&Shoots were invited to NYC to celebrate the International Day of Peace with Dr. Jane Goodall. Dr. Jane met with each student, shared her message of hope, and encouraged them to continue to make positive change happen. For more information about Dr. Jane Goodall's youth program, Roots&Shoots, email Mr. Seiverd at [kseiverd@trschoools.com](mailto:kseiverd@trschoools.com).

Congratulations to our Girl's Tennis team for finishing 3<sup>rd</sup> at this weekend's county tournament. Cam Durante and the doubles teams of Alexa Rosenboom - Sophia Martinez and Riya Shah - Lindsay Carr, all took second place in their flights!

Congratulations to seniors Jordan Sammarco, Christopher Schober, and Riya Shah for being named Commended Students in the 2019 National Merit Scholarship Program. Their high achievement on the Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test (PSAT) places them in the top 50, 000 of the 1.6 million students who took the assessment last year.

#### ATTENTION JUNIORS AND SENIORS!!!!

All students who drive to school are required to have a parking pass on their vehicle in order to park in our student lots. Any senior, who does not have a parking sticker will not be permitted to leave the school for lunch. Paperwork is available in the main office. The cost is \$3.00.

PSAT

On Wednesday, October 10<sup>th</sup> our freshman and sophomore students as well as juniors, who signed up last spring will have opportunity to take the PSAT at no cost. This is an excellent opportunity for our students to gain valuable knowledge and experience in preparation for the SAT test. Additionally, results from this assessment are used in determining candidates for the National Merit Scholarship program. Please join me in encouraging all of our students to approach this assessment seriously and with confidence. Please click the link below for information regarding the assessment.

<https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/pdf/psat-8-9-student-guide.pdf>

Seniors and juniors who do not test will participate in an activity in the auditorium.

#### SENIOR SUPERLATIVES

Attention Seniors! The nomination round of Senior Superlatives is now open. Go to the Year book Goggle Classroom to nominate your friends or yourself. This round will close at 2pm on Tuesday.

Have a great week!

Ed Keller