

**12.10.21**

Dear AHS Families,

In the understatement of the year, this has been a difficult week for our Anderson Family. For those interested, please take note of the following:

Details for the services for Brock Vogel are:

Location: Anderson Hills United Methodist Church

Visitation: 11 am

Service: 1 pm

Anderson Proud,

Kyle

**UPCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS:**

- **12/17 - End of Second Quarter**
- **03/05/22 - Spring Fling Dance**
- **05/28/22 - Graduation**

**AROUND AHS:**



The Orchestras' Nutcracker was amazing last weekend!



Congrats to the winners of our student dodgeball tournament



Kate Rothfuss, Saron Tefera and Lawi Worku did a competition this weekend for an organization called INTEGIRLS. INTEGIRLS is a nonprofit organization focused on bringing young female and nonbinary students in our community together to pursue their ambitions in STEM fields. As a team they received Honorable Mention, and each placed individually in the Top 10.

#### **FROM THE DISTRICT:**

- **FHSD is Hiring Substitute Teachers:**

In response to the national substitute teacher shortage, FHSD is taking proactive measures to ensure our classrooms are covered by qualified individuals who are compensated at a competitive rate. In November, our Board of Education approved an increase in the pay scale for substitutes in the district (Daily Sub - \$105/day; Building Sub - \$125/day; Long-Term Sub - \$130/day). In addition, the Board is taking advantage of a provision included in Senate Bill 1, passed recently by Governor DeWine, that temporarily makes it possible for individuals with a high school diploma to apply to work as a substitute.

We are currently seeking interested and qualified candidates to work in Forest Hills as a substitute. If you (or someone you know) are interested, please follow the instructions below to begin the process to become a substitute teacher in the Forest Hills School District:

1. Go to [www.subsolutions.org](http://www.subsolutions.org)
2. Click the New Sub tab

3. Click the Teacher option
4. Click the red apply button to complete the application to get the process started
5. Sub Solutions will be in contact with you in the Recruit and Hire system to schedule orientation and a background check. Be sure to log in to check the status and read any communication necessary.

If you have questions please reach out to Sub Solutions at 513-674-4364 or you may email them at [substitute@hcesc.org](mailto:substitute@hcesc.org)

**FROM THE FOREST HILLS FOUNDATION FOR EDUCATION:**

**FROM 9UNITED:**

**SENIORS- CAP AND GOWN INFORMATION:**

Cap and Gown and Invitation orders were due to Graduate Services, Inc, by December 6th. Order online at [Graduate Service Inc](#) or at their Newtown office, 7022 Main St, Cincinnati, OH 45244. [\(513\) 272-5890](tel:5132725890)

**FIRST SEMESTER EXAM INFORMATION:**

Exam week- December 14th-17th [CLICK HERE for more information](#)

**ACADEMIC SUPPORT:**

Students have a 25 minute advisory period everyday in their schedule. We encourage students to work with teachers during this time if they need help in any classes. Additionally, teachers have regular office hours before school (7:10-7:55) a few days a week to provide assistance to students.

**GREAT OAKS SPOTLIGHT:**

**TorchPrep:**

TorchPrep is offering training boot camps for the March 1st, 2022 ACT. If interested, please access this [link](#) for information on registration.

**PARKING:**

Students in Good Standing are eligible to purchase parking passes for the school year. This means students must have all their credits. If you would like to purchase a parking pass or have a question about student parking, please contact Mrs Stanyard, [emilystanyard@foresthills.edu](mailto:emilystanyard@foresthills.edu).

*We are getting complaints from neighboring businesses about student parking on their property. Please be aware that they plan to start towing.*

**SCHOOL DROP-OFF AND PICK-UP INFORMATION**



If you are dropping off your student before school or picking up after school, this should happen in our south lot according to the diagram above. Pulling forward around the loop allows for better traffic flow on Forest Road.

**There should be no pick-up or drop-off occurring in the parking lots of our neighboring businesses or our northern lot (Lot E).**

**PARENT SPOTLIGHT:**

December still needed

**Scholarship money through The American Legion Oratorical Competition:**

The American Legion sponsors an Oratorical Contest every year that students can participate in to potentially win scholarship money. This is information we shared with the students:

Students in any grade 9-12 with an interest in US History and Government may participate. You may enter the contest every year you are in high school. Prizes begin at \$50 and increase with each win. The national winner will receive \$18,000 in scholarship money.

What is Oratorical? Click here: [here: About the Oratorical Contest](#)

For more info check here: [here: American Legion Oratorical Contest](#)

Students who are interested in participating, should email Mr. Kammerer at [davidkammerer@foresthills.edu](mailto:davidkammerer@foresthills.edu). We will be scheduling an informational session for interested students soon.

**FROM THE PTO:**

Anderson's PTO encourages students to submit their nominations for the Good Egg Award. This award, given monthly to a staff member at Anderson, is selected solely on the nominations from students. Nominations are accepted from the 1st day of school to April 1 and can be submitted at <https://bit.ly/AHS-GoodEgg>. Don't limit your nominations to just teachers - we'd love to recognize coaches who teach at Anderson, counselors, our health office team, custodians, food service staff, etc. - anyone who makes a difference in your day at Anderson High School! **October's Good Egg:** Allison Perry. **November Good Egg:** Analise Petsche.

**YEARBOOK ADS:**

Senior parents! The link provided gives you the opportunity to purchase a senior ad in the back of the yearbook. For any questions please email [pampendery@foresthills.edu](mailto:pampendery@foresthills.edu)

<http://bit.ly/36jWXjw>

**FROM THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION- GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS:**

Students recently received graduation progress letters in Advisory. If interested, please view the links for the graduation requirements by class required by ODE:

[CLASS OF 2022 GRAD REQUIREMENTS](#)

[CLASS OF 2023 AND BEYOND GRAD REQUIREMENTS](#)

Questions? Contact Mrs Bamber, Assistant Principal of Assessment and Accountability