

**02.13.26**

AHS Family,

After an awesome week of learning in the classrooms, our staff participated in Professional Development today. We focused on our transition to Google Classroom and teachers had a chance to learn from each other in collaborative, targeted work sessions. While we always miss our students on PD days, it was a very beneficial day!

Have a great, safe long weekend!

Anderson Proud,

Kyle

**AHS INFO:**  
**STATE FUNDED ACT**

All Juniors will be taking the ACT at Anderson High School on February 24th. This includes students who attend the Oaks and students who are enrolled in CCP courses. Students must be in their testing location no later than 8AM. Testing locations will be posted on Schoology. Juniors can begin to arrive at their testing location at 7:30AM. Testing will start first thing in the morning and conclude around noon. Students testing, should bring extra pencils, their own calculator and a snack for their break. Junior students will be dismissed after testing. There will be no bussing until the normal building dismissal time. All Juniors who stay after testing has concluded, will follow their normal daily schedule. All other students will attend school as normal on this day. Makeup testing will be communicated to those students who are not present on the 11th

**JUNIOR CLASS MEETING**

Last week, our counseling team met with Juniors during the school day and parents of Juniors during Conference Night. The presentation can be viewed here: [Junior Presentation](#).

**Anderson Theatre's Winter Play opens February 13th.**

*The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time* follows Christopher, a teen who is exceptional at mathematics but ill-equipped to interpret everyday life. After the death of a neighbor's dog, Christopher's attempt to solve the mystery upturns his world. Come experience Christopher's unique perspective, and explore a deeper understanding of what it means to be human. This Tony Award winning play is best for 6th grade and up. It runs February 13 through 15. For ticket information visit [AndersonTheatre.com](http://AndersonTheatre.com).

**(Button Link) 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 [form](#) so we can celebrate them!

**(Button Link) AHS AT A GLANCE**

This is a document that we put together to house important and overarching items for families: [AHS AT A GLANCE](#)

### **UPCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS:**

- February 16 - No School (Presidents Day)
- February 24 - State Funded Junior ACT
- March 6 - No School for Students (Teacher Professional Development)
- March 13 - End of 3rd QTR
- April 3 - Academic Pep Rally
- April 6-10 - No School (Spring Break)

### **FROM OUR BOOSTER GROUPS:**

#### **PTO**

[Join the AHS PTO](#)

#### **AFTER PROM**

##### **Support After Prom 2026**

Planning is underway for Anderson High School After Prom 2026, and we're excited to kick off our fundraising drive! After Prom provides a safe, supervised, and fun environment for our juniors and seniors following prom.

This event is funded entirely through donations and fundraising efforts. We invite families, local businesses, and community members to support this important tradition. Every contribution helps make After Prom possible and directly benefits our students.

##### **Ways to Support After Prom 2026:**

- [Community Donation Campaign](#): February 10 - May 3
- Jersey Mike's Dine to Donate: February 24
- Mercantile on Main Shop & Share: March 26
- Dewey's Pizza Dine to Donate: March 31

##### **Donate here: [bit.ly/donate-afterprom](https://bit.ly/donate-afterprom)**

Thank you for supporting AHS After Prom and our shared commitment to student safety. We truly appreciate our community coming together to make this event a success.

#### **Forest Hills Band Boosters.**

Any questions email [Boosters@fhbands.org](mailto:Boosters@fhbands.org).

#### **FAD BOOSTERS**

Support the Anderson Theatre and Film students by joining our booster group. Friends of Anderson Drama (FAD) is the parent Booster Organization supporting the drama programs of Anderson High School. Our purpose is to encourage and support the students of AHS in achieving the highest standards of excellence in theatre and cinema arts. [Join now!](#)

#### **ATHLETIC BOOSTERS**

##### **It's Game Time!**

Join the Anderson Athletic Boosters for the **Raptor Rally** on **Saturday, February 21**, from **7:00-11:00 PM** at **RJ Cinema Distillery & Taproom** (4450 Eastgate South Drive). Enjoy a fun, tailgate-style evening in casual attire with drinks and appetizers included. **Tickets:** \$45 each or 2 for \$80 (early bird through Feb. 7); after Feb. 7, \$60 each or 2 for \$100. Please click link to purchase tickets: <https://www.zeffy.com/en-US/ticketing/00a4fe1b-b4a6-49ae-be20-0e4c22ccfc77>

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

#### **Cold and Flu Season Reminders**

Please help us reduce the spread of illness by reinforcing proper hygiene methods with your student(s). Efforts like routine hand washing, covering your mouth and nose when coughing or sneezing, and avoiding contact with your eyes, nose or mouth can all make a difference. [For guidance about how to determine whether a sick student is ready to return to school, please review information from the Health Office here.](#)

#### **Community-Driven Learning | Register Now for Parent Academy!**

Sign up TODAY for the final Parent Academy night of the school year. Topics include AI's role in school and at home, family communication skills, college admissions tips, Google tech tips and much more! [Click here to see a full list of topics and register for the event!](#)

- Nagel Middle School, Feb. 19 from 6:30-8 p.m.
- [Generously supported by FHFE](#), allowing for complimentary childcare and meals!

#### **Forest Hills Foundation for Education**

This is the LAST DAY to submit a [Student-Led Grant application!](#) The Foundation's Give with Heart campaign launches tomorrow on Valentine's Day — a perfect time to show our students they are supported and valued.

Your support until Sunday, Feb. 22 will support student-led projects this spring, innovative classroom resources and programs that strengthen school culture and build resilience. Give with heart and help students feel connected, confident, and ready to thrive.

#### **High School Drama Productions - Get Tickets Now!**

Anderson and Turpin students take the stage Feb. 13-15 with what are sure to be amazing performances! Click the links below to learn more about the shows and to purchase tickets.

- Anderson Theatre presents [The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time](#)
- Turpin Theatre presents [Mr. Burns: A Post-Electric Play](#)

#### **Kindergarten Registration and Preschool Lottery!**

Learn more about our award-winning elementary schools and preschool program [in this helpful article](#). Kindergarten registration is open now and the preschool lottery closes on Feb. 22! Be sure to register ASAP!

#### **Community Events**

[Click here to visit the flyers page](#) to learn more about opportunities like:

- [AHS Athletic Boosters Raptor Rally | RJ Cinema Distillery & Taproom | Feb. 21](#)
- Spring sports sign ups for a variety of leagues!
- [AHS Drama Club Kids Workshop | Ayer, Maddux, Sherwood, Summit 3-6th Graders | Feb. 21](#)
- [Anderson Theater and Film Summer Camp | Grades 3-8 | June 8-12](#)