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Dear AHS Families,

The first week of August is always a lot of fun for me. Students are in the building more regularly for their various activities, which really brings life and energy to campus! The office staff (Assistant Principals, Counselors, Admin Assistants) have all returned from a MUCH deserved break; our meetings and conversations reflect a sense of reinvigoration for doing the best job we can to promote opportunities for student and staff success this school year! Teachers have been in and out of the building getting their classrooms ready! Our amazing custodial team has been working hard putting finishing touches on the building to get it ready!

We all are beyond excited to kick off the 2022-2023 school year!

I recently had the privilege of meeting and conversing with our new superintendent, Mr. Larry Hook. Looking forward to working with and getting to know him better! For more info on Mr. Hook, [CLICK HERE](#).

Anderson Proud,
Kyle

P.S. PLEASE do not hesitate to email me with questions/concerns, particularly over the next several weeks as we gear up for school. I may not know all the answers, but I'm happy to help in any way that I can.

UPCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS:

- **8/09 - New Parent Orientation**, 7-8 pm (Titus Auditorium) **If planning to attend, we would love your help to make sure that we meet your needs. Please consider filling out this [BRIEF SURVEY](#)*
- **8/10 - Fall Sports Meet the Team**, 5 pm (Drop-Off Loop and Brown Stadium)
- **8/12 - Student Schedules Available in ProgressBook**
- **8/12 - Freshmen Orientation**, 8am-1pm (details below)
- **8/18 - First Day of School, Last Names M-Z Phase in Day**
- **8/19 - First Day of School, Last Names A-L Phase in Day**
- **8/22 - All students report to school!!**
- **8/24 - Senior Parent Meeting**, 6-7 pm (Titus Auditorium)
- **8/24 - AHS Open House**, 7-8:45pm, Details TBA

AROUND AHS:



The halls were alive with the sound of music! The award-winning FHSD Marching Arts have gearing up for a great season!



It was such a blast meeting with and giving tours to members of the AHS class of 1972 for their 50th Reunion!



The Raptor golf teams are tee-ing up for an amazing season!



Some of our awesome teachers working hard in the summer!

FROM THE DISTRICT:

- **FILL OUT FINAL FORMS**

An automated email was sent by FinalForms this summer to all families who need to update information on the FinalForms website. Please take a moment to look for this message and follow the included instructions to make the necessary changes. Make sure you check your spam folder if you do not see it in your email. Students who are newly enrolled for the 2022-2023 school year do not need to complete this, as the updated information was provided during registration.

If you have a returning student, **DO NOT RE-ENROLL THEM AS A NEW STUDENT**. Simply follow the instructions in the email from FinalForms to provide updated information. If you have moved and changed your address in FinalForms, you will need to provide the registrar with your new proof of residency.

If you have any questions, please email Debbie Conover at debbieconover@foresthills.edu.

- **SPORTS MEDICINE AND WELLNESS PARTNERSHIP**

OrthoCincy and The Christ Hospital Health Network are now the exclusive health care providers for FHSD athletics. The partnership has significant benefits for student-athletes while also offering a variety of academic opportunities that will positively impact all students. [Full story](#).

- **NEW TECHNOLOGY FEE**

FHSD is collecting a \$75 per student technology fee this year as part of its Technology Sustainability Plan, all of which will go toward the cost of student devices. [Full story](#).

- **NEW FACES THIS YEAR**

We are welcoming many new faces to the district this year, as well as recognizing some familiar faces who are stepping into new roles! [Full story](#).

- **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.

If you are seeking additional resources, we encourage you to start at the links below:

[MindPeace](#)
[FHSD Family Resource List 22-23](#)

AHS INFO:

- **FRESHMEN ORIENTATION**

On Friday, August 12th from 8 am to 1 pm our *AMAZING* Link Crew leaders will be hosting Freshmen Orientation! This is for incoming 9th grade students. Drop-off/pick-up is in the Parent Loop outside of the Athletic and Performing Arts wing (drop-off 7:40-7:55; pick-up at 1 pm). Students should wear comfortable, school-appropriate clothing and bring a water bottle. Incoming 9th graders will meet their Link Leaders, get their schedule, tour the building, and participate in a variety of fun activities!

- **SUMMER WORK**

Some courses at AHS have assignments that are expected to be completed over the summer. Please refer to this document: [2022-2023 Summer Work List](#)

- **SCHOOL SUPPLIES**

You can access the supply list for classes for the upcoming school year here (also located on our website): [Supply List 2022-2023](#)

- **COUNSELING TEAM UPDATE**

In an effort to help balance caseloads, the AHS Counseling Team has decided to reallocate the alphabet in the following order:

Mrs Adrienne Black	Last Names A-D
Mr Chris DeLotell	Last Names E-Le
Ms Carol Terwillegar	Last Names Lf-Ri
Mrs Amy Maxwell	Last Names Rj-Z

- **Medication Drop Off:**

If you will have a student requiring medication during the school day, a new [Medication Permission Form](#) is required for each school year and each medication requires a separate form. A parent or guardian must bring in the student's medication in the original labeled container. Medication drop off will take place during the following dates and times:

August 16th 8am - 12pm
August 17th 12pm - 2:30 pm
August 18th & 19th 7am - 2:30pm

- **Immunizations:**

Reminder: 12th grade students (including students who attend the Oaks or College Credit Plus programs) are required to have documentation on file in the school health office showing proof of receiving:

2 meningitis (MCV4) vaccine doses (NOT meningitis B recombinant)

**** One dose must be after the 16th birthday. If the first dose is received after the 16th birthday, only one dose is required.

Please provide a current copy of their immunization record to the school health office showing evidence of receiving this vaccine. You can email a copy of the record to suzanneackel@foresthills.edu.

- **AHS AT A GLANCE:**

We initially created the [2022-2023 NEW STUDENT ONE STOP SHOP](#) to help support students and parents who are new to AHS. Some returning students and parents have noted that they have found it helpful as well, so feel free to access at your convenience.

- **STUDENT PARKING PASS SALES**

Juniors who completed the parking pass application can pick up their passes at the AHS main entrance on August 11th between 12-3 pm. If you're a senior who filled out the application and did not pick it up on August 4th, email Mrs Stanyard to find out when you can pick it up.

If you would like to purchase a parking pass after August 11th and are a student that Reps the A, pushes yourself that extra mile to Be Real, Be Kind and Be Better, you are credit proficient AND you have or will have a valid Ohio driver's license please complete the Parking Application below. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Stanyard via email at emilystanyard@foresthills.edu.

- Parking Pass cost, \$125, cash or check
- [AHS Parking Pass Application](#) (Must be accessed by the student's FH account)

- **2021-2022 YEARBOOK PICK-UP**

If you purchased a yearbook for the 2021-2022 school year, you can pick it up on August 11th from 10 am to 1 pm OR August 12th from 11 am to 2 pm at the Science Wing entrance. Questions about yearbooks? Contact [Mrs Pam Pendery](#)

- **2022-2023 COURSE UPDATE**

Due to scheduling constraints and compliance reasons, we are not able to offer the Non-Leveled Algebra I, English 10, English 11, and Physical Science sections this year. Students who registered for those courses will be placed into the College Prep equivalent. Individual and small group academic support is available daily during teacher office hours before school and during Advisory time. Students who requested College Prep, Honors, or AP equivalents of these courses are not impacted by this change. Please contact your student's counselor if you have any questions.

- **SENIOR PORTRAITS**

All seniors interested in having their picture in the yearbook must schedule an appointment with McIntire Photography. All students were given a brochure about this in the spring and

announcements have been made in school to remind seniors. Please contact McIntire Photography at 513-528-5888 or at <https://www.mcintirephotography.com> to make an appointment. Questions? Contact Mrs Pendery, pampendery@foresthills.edu