Turpin Weekly Parent Newsletter



<u>September 15, 2023</u>

Homecoming 2023

Turpin High School's Homecoming weekend will be September 29 and 30, 2023. The Homecoming Football game vs. Loveland will kickoff on Friday, the 29th at 7:00pm in Spartan Stadium.

The Homecoming Dance, open to all current Turpin students, will be held in the Turpin gym on Saturday, September 30 from 8:00pm to 11:00pm. Tickets must be purchased in advance and will go on sale next Friday, September 15 through Friday, September 22. Turpin students may purchase one additional ticket for a guest.

Purchase Homecoming tickets here

Volunteers Are Needed for the Homecoming Dance

The Turpin administrators are in need of parent volunteers to help chaperone the Homecoming dance on September 30,2023. If you can help please go to our signup https://bit.ly/THSHOCO23.

Visiting Campus during School Hours

For safety measures, all parents are required to enter through the main entrance during school hours (8:00am-2:40pm). The athletic entrance will not be available to drop off food for athletic teams, volunteer at the concession stand, or make other deliveries during school hours. Anyone who rings the athletic entrance doorbell will be directed to come to the main entrance.

PSAT 2023 (Juniors Only)

On October 24, 2023 Turpin High School will be administering the PSAT to any 11th grade student that would like to take this exam. The PSAT helps 11th grade students to prepare for the SAT and provides entry into the **National Merit Scholarship Competition**. Students in the 11th grade are not required to take the exam; however, if you would like for your student to take the PSAT you can register them at the link below or provide a check Kim Shriver in the Academic Office. All checks will need to be made to Forest Hills Local School District for \$18. The deadline for registration is this **Friday, September 29, 2023**. Any family that has a financial hardship may contact nathandumford@foresthills.edu. Registration Link: PSAT Registration

Teacher Conference Dinner October 5, 2023

On October 5th, our teachers may not have the opportunity to leave after the last school bell and the start conferences. On conference night, we will be providing our fabulous THS teachers and staff with dinner to show how much we appreciate all that they do. For this dinner, we will be providing them with different types of soup or chili, bread, salad, snacks, and drinks. Please go to our signup to see what you can donate and/or volunteer https://bit.ly/FallTC23Dine.

FHSD School Connection Survey - Voluntary Student Survey

Between September 22-October 6, all Forest Hills students will have the opportunity to participate in our FHSD School Connection Survey. Student feedback from this survey will help our teachers, counselors, and administrators gain insight into the 'student experience' with the goal of addressing present needs, while planning for our students' future success. Our hope is

that feedback will be used by educators to help better inform classroom instruction, allocate student support services, and identify other school-based needs. The survey will take approximately 20 minutes, is completely voluntary, and will be administered during school hours. Additionally, there are no consequences for students who do not participate, and no information obtained will be stored on a third-party server. To request that your student NOT participate in the survey and to learn more, visit the <u>Student Connection Survey Opt Out Form</u>.

Five Stars on the ODE Report Card!

FHSD is proud to have received a five star overall rating on the ODE Report Card! The state also provided five star ratings for Achievement, Early Literacy, Graduation Rates, and Gap Closing. Take a look at the report card here and be on the lookout for our annual Quality Profile in October that will contain important updates on areas of our achievement beyond the scope of the report card.

Join Us for the Help Build Hope 2023 House Build!

This year's event will support the building of two Habitat for Humanity Homes in Cincinnati! The Help Build Hope 2023 House Build event will be held at **Nagel Middle School on September 30 from 8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.**

Friday, September 29 from 4:00-7:00 p.m. will be the precuting of lumber for the wall frames. The building of the walls will be on Saturday, September 30 from 8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Dinner will be provided Friday night for the precut and a light breakfast and lunch will be provided on Saturday during the build. All lumber and tools are provided. The wall frames will be used locally for two Habitat homes being built on Betts Avenue in Cincinnati.

We hope you will consider joining us in this effort to give back to the community. Registration Link - http://www.helpbuildhope.com/nagelcb

Forest Hills Foundation for Education

Calling FCC & sports fans?!?!

Anderson Autographs will be hosting a signing event with Nick Hagglund, current FCC player.

Join us on Thursday, September 21 at Goodfellows from 5:30-7:00 p.m. where you and your family can personally meet Nick and snap a photo and/or autograph. All proceeds benefit FHSD students through the Forest Hills Foundation for Education.

Turpin PTO Membership

When you become a member of the Turpin PTO, you help to reinforce our commitment to support all students, teachers, and staff at Turpin High School. We encourage EVERYONE to join because EVERY membership benefits all of our students. Go to https://bit.ly/THSPTO2324Membership to join!

The Turpin High School PTO provides support for Staff Grants, Staff & Student Appreciation, Building Enhancements, Student Scholarships, Senior Events (Awards Night, Picnic, and Senior Week Activities), and the Outdoor Learning Space maintenance and support.

Every Turpin PTO Membership comes with a MEMBERS-ONLY online school directory. All VIP members will be listed in our PTO monthly newsletter!

Important Links

Turpin Counselor Connection Newsletter

Turpin Athletics

Turpin Theatre

Turpin Orchestra Booster Association

Forest Hills Bands

Turpin PTO: Membership & donate to Staff Appreciation

Turpin Athletic Boosters Membership & Sports Passes

Turpin Spirit Shop hours & online store

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:
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FHSD Family Resource List 22-23

UPCOMING EVENTS

29	SEP, FRI	7 – 9:30pm	Homecoming Football Game vs. Loveland
30	SEP, SAT	8 – 11pm	Homecoming Dance Turpin High School - Main Gym
3	OCT, TUE	7 – 8pm	Band Booster Meeting Turpin HS Band room
4	OCT, WED	7 – 8pm	Orchestra Fall Concert Turpin High School - Auditorium
5	ост, тни	4 – 7:30pm	Parent Teacher Conferences
6	OCT, FRI	All day	No School - Teacher PD
9	OCT, MON	All day	No School - Fall Break