

***Announcements***

Wednesday, October 19, 2016

Please pause for a brief moment of silence…

***Please rise for the Pledge of Allegiance…***



Attention Grad point students: Please quietly report today to your regular classroom today in the M-Wing.

Library will be closed period C, D and E today for our special guest Representative Niki Tsongas.

Good luck to all our students taking their PSAT’s today.

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Hats off to our HHS Girls swim team who beat Chelmsford yesterday - first time in 10 years!  They have improved to 6-1....they are having an incredible season.

Spirit Week Continues!

**Thursday** is Hippie Day and please note the Bonfire Night has been rescheduled to Wednesday, October 26th due to the expected rain tomorrow night.

**Friday** is your Class T-shirt Day and the Junior/Senior Pep Rally – details to follow. Friday night is also the Homecoming football game vs Lawrence at 7:00. Come out and support your Hillies by wearing your brown and gold!

**Saturday** – Homecoming Dance at 7:00 p.m. in the Cafeteria. A quick reminder that the dance is for Hillies only. No guests are allowed. Tickets will be sold at the door for $5.00. Your HHS ID is required and no baggy or ripped jeans are allowed.

Students if you need an ID please see Mrs. Bell in Mr. Rossetti’s office in the F-Wing this week.

1) Penny Wars continues during lunch today.

2) Nominate your kings and queens for the Homecoming dance and

3) Buy Bonfire tickets! $5.00 during lunch or $7.00 on the night of the event. All tickets purchased are good for the event on Wednesday, October 26th.

Tomorrow Thursday is the last day to try out for the **High School Quiz Show** in room **F11** from 7:00-7:25 in the morning.  Please see Mr. Hayden or Mr. Eldridge for more information.

**Cyber Café** located near the television studio room will be open from 6:30 to 7:15 in the morning for students and staff. Get in early, enjoy some time with friends and get yourself a little something to start your day. Those coming early must enter through the parking lot E doors in front of the Cyber Café. Students will not be allowed in any other area of the building until regular time at 7:00.

The Cyber Café is also open after school every day at 2:30.

Clubs and other events:

**Wednesday, October 19th**

* **Math Club,**2:05, K20
* **Gamers Club,**2:05, M14
* **Creative Writing Club,**2:15, 202
* The **Drama Club** meets from 2:15-4:15 in either A-19 or the Auditorium.

**Thursday, October 20th**

* **Art Club**, 2:15, room A6
* **Book Club,** 2:15, room 202
* **Interact Club**, 2:05, M12
* **German Club**, 2:05, F13
* **VIP Club**, in A4
* The first meeting of the **Gay Straight Alliance** will be on Thursday starting at 2:15 in room 117
* **HHS Boys Swim and Dive Team** will be meeting, Thursday in the Pool Lobby at 2:15 pm.

**Friday, October 21st**

* Hillie Nation Dance team in the A21 Band Room
* AV Club will meet in the TV studio at 2:10. All are welcome.

**REMINDERS /STANDARD ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Students must carry their ID’s on them at all times.

Staff must wear their ID’s at all times.

First period – period A – which is also homeroom - begins at 7:25. All doors with the exception of the Main Entrance are locked after 7:25 and students will be required to enter the building through the front entrance, by the Main Office and **receive a tardy slip**. Students are **not** allowed through side or back doors and there will be consequences to students that open doors for them.

We do allow students to take drinks into their first period class. As a reminder, if you come in late, you will **not** be allowed to bring your beverage to class. Only water will be allowed. Yet another great benefit of coming in early and on time!

This year Haverhill High School - in our efforts to reduce costs and reduce our carbon footprint- is offering the Student Handbook **on line only** for review. This will eliminate using over 60,000 pages of paper for this one handbook. It is available on the front page of our HHS Webpage and on the Parent/Student Resources page. The signature page is also available for parents to print and return to us.

Attention students who park in the student parking lots. Your ***parking pass*** must be visible at all times. All passes should be placed on the inside of the windshield on the top left side where the oil sticker normally is placed. If you need a replacement pass, which will be at a cost, please see Mrs. Shaffer in the 200’s office. Cars without a visible pass will be ticketed; and could result in loss of parking privileges. Should someone park in your designated spot, please report it immediately to the 200’s office or Officer Mears in the F-Wing Office.

Also, the ***Veteran’s Memorial Skating Rink,*** parking lot is only utilized after all HHS spots are full. Please do not park in their parking lot without a pass issued from the 200’s. Vehicles parked illegally may be towed.

Hillies who walk back and forth to school: Please use sidewalks whenever possible. Please do not cut through people’s yards as a short cut. This is private property. Thank you for your cooperation.

When at all Hillie events including athletic events, the administration expects all Haverhill Hillies to represent the school as the great young men and women we know that you all are. That being said, any derogatory language or gestures at the opposing team, fans, or referees from our student section will be dealt with swiftly and severely. If a student is caught using profanity or gestures, they will be asked to leave immediately from the arena. Also, they may face school consequences the following day. Please show your Hillie Pride in appropriate ways!

Students always need a pass to go to the Nurses’ Office even if in-between classes-please get a pass from your teacher first. Please do not call your parents to be excused from school if you are ill. In order to receive an ***excused*** dismissal for illness you must go through the nurse’s office. While in the nurses office please do not use your cell phone at any time.

Students should not be in the halls after **1:40** for any reason with the exception of an emergency. If this is the case, they must have a pass.

Haverhill High School has a **“No Tolerance”** policy on hats, being worn in our school, at any time. If a student is wearing a hat it will be confiscated and will not be returned until the end of the day. As stated in our handbook hats/bandanas/or anything that is distractible for the educational process is not allowed.

The ***Cyber Café Coffee Shop*** will be open after school every day at 2:30 p.m. Students can purchase smoothies, assorted hot and cold beverages, assorted baked goods, snacks, sandwiches, and salads.