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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

For the past two years we have worked hard to keep you informed and updated regarding CCPS and North Point High School Covid-19 procedures and protocols. As things are continuing to change, Superintendent, Dr. Navarro sent a letter to parents and staff this week with the latest updates for Charles County Public Schools. If you missed her update or wish to review it now, please use the link below.

<u>CCPS taking steps to move toward standard system operations | details - Charles County</u> <u>Public Schools (ccboe.com)</u>

NPHS COFFEHOUSE PROGRAM

North Point Theatre Department presents Coffeehouse 2022 February 24, 25 and 26 in the NP cafeteria. Admission is \$5 for students/ \$10 adults. Desserts and warm drinks will be available for purchase. Come and see a variety of acts, including singers, rappers, bands, poets and other specialty acts, in a coffeehouse atmosphere.



NPHS COLLEGE AND CAREER NEWS

Scholarship Saturday - Seniors only event!! Join us in the College & Career Center on Saturday, February 26th from 9am-12pm. where we will focus on finding and completing scholarship applications. Space is limited and registration is mandatory. Please register at <u>https://forms.office.com/r/F5sd2FCTR8</u>

Scholarship information can be found in the monthly newsletter and on the scholarship section of the NP College & Career <u>webpage</u> including NP PTSO, NP Athletic Boosters, and Rachel Thomas Scholarships. Be sure to check it out.

Seniors, please make sure you are giving Mrs. Christina Jones (either a hard copy or emailing cajones@ccboe.com) your school acceptance letters, enlistment papers, job offers, and scholarship awards! We want to celebrate everyone and every accomplishments!

ASVAB – On March 15th from 8am-11am, NPHS will conduct an ASVAB testing for any interested Junior or Senior. The Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB) helps identify which careers you qualify for. It does NOT bound you in any way to joining the military. As a reminder, if a student is going to use their score for enlistment the military will pull the most recent score. Two great study websites are <u>www.march2success.com</u> and <u>www.asvab-prep.com</u>. Please register for the NP ASVAB at <u>https://forms.office.com/r/ia8MkrFvwu</u>

SKILLSUSA MARYLAND REGIONAL COMPETITION

North Point CTE students participated in the SkillsUSA Maryland Region 4 (Calvert, Charles, St. Mary's) Competition hosted by Calvert Career & Technical Academy and North Point on February 4-5, 2022. The North Point SkillsUSA chapter is extremely grateful to all of the students, teachers, and parents for their support.. The top-three medal winners for the listed contests will now compete at the state-level competitions on April 1-2, 2022.

The following North Point students placed in these contests: Gold Medal - <u>Advertising Design</u>: Alena Gray Silver Medal - <u>Advertising Design</u>: Arielle Bruce Gold Medal - <u>Crime Scene Investigation</u>: Alejandra Luna, Kelsea Misko, Aubrey Quiambro Silver Medal - <u>Crime Scene Investigation</u>: Janiella Batin, Aaliyah Davis, Emma Everett Gold Medal - <u>Culinary Arts</u>: Steven Tran Silver Medal - <u>Culinary Arts</u>: Jayla Smiley Silver Medal - <u>Electrical Construction Wiring</u>: Marcos Antonio Elias-Galan Bronze Medal - <u>Electrical Construction Wiring</u>: Victor Pena Silver Medal - <u>Internetworking</u>: Amulya Akula Gold Medal - <u>Automotive Maintenance Light Repair</u>: Christopher Blackwell

SKILLSUSA MARYLAND STATE CHAMPIONSHIP

The SkillsUSA Maryland State Championship offers state-level competitions for high school (middle and PS) student members enrolled in Career and Technical Education (CTE) programs.

Each year, the State Championship showcases more than 1,000 Maryland CTE students who compete in over 90 skilled, occupationally-related and leadership events. The 1st place winners qualify to represent Maryland at the National SkillsUSA leadership and Skills Conference (NLSC) the week of June 20-25, 2022.

SkillsUSA Maryland Professional Members have online access to the latest competition Technical Standards. Go to skillsusa.org and click the "Join" button at the top of the home page to access this information. It's very important to share the contest Technical Standards with all students preparing to compete in local, regional, state, and national competitions.

SENIOR UPDATES

- Mid-Year Transcripts are available in the document section on Synergy. Please check your transcript thoroughly for any discrepancies. Any errors identified, please contact your counselor for correction(s).
- Interim Transcripts are automatically uploaded to the following venues: Common App, SendEdu, Common Black App and My Coalition. Please do not request mid-year reports for the above electronic sites. If you need a paper copy of your mid-year transcript other then above, please complete a request and submit to your counselor.
- NCAA mid-year transcript submission is complete. If you need a transcript for the NCAA, please complete a request and submit to your counselor. Official transcripts will be provided for mailing. Final transcript submission will take place mid-June.
- Please make sure you are giving Mrs. Christina Jones (via either a hard copy or emailing cajones@ccboe.com) your school acceptance letters, enlistment papers, job offers, and scholarship awards.
- The Charles County Scholarship Fund application window is now open. It offers more than 50 scholarships to Charles County high school seniors. To apply, students can visit the CCPS website https://www.ccboe.com/departments/student-services/student-support/college-scholarshipsfinancial-aid/charles-county-scholarship-fund Deadline is March 1st

BASEBALL TRYOUTS



Baseball tryouts are on March 1, 2022. Please be registered for sports, have your covid test, and your physical.



OUTDOOR TRACK AND FIELD TRYOUTS

All student-athletes who plan to try-out for the Girls & Boys Outdoor Track & Field Teams should pick up physical forms, emergency cards & Track Team paperwork outside of Room 257 on Main Street. We have sprint events, mid-distance & distance events, 5 field events (Shot Put, Discus, Long & Triple Jump and the High Jump), as well as 4 Relay events.

Athletes must register on North Point's Athletic website at https://northpoint-ar.rschooltoday.com and upload an updated physical exam form (exam taken within the past 12 months), take the ImPact test (test only taken ONCE in 4 high school years), and check eligibility (NO failing grades during the 2nd marking period, less than 4.5 days of absences and a 2.25 or higher GPA). Select "Girls or Boys Varsity Outdoor Track" as your sport.

Practice begins on Tues, March 1 with practices from 3 to 5:30 PM.

See Ms. Debbie Hall (Head Track & Field Coach) in Room 257 or email dhall@ccboe.com with questions. See you March 1!

INDOOR TRACK & FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS

The 4A Central Indoor Track & Field Championships were held Mon, Feb 14th at the 5th Regiment Armory in Baltimore. North Point's BOYS Team scored 64 points to finish in 2nd place as a team. The Girls Team finished in 5th place as a team. We qualified 13 athletes to compete in the 4A STATE Indoor T & F Championship Meet on Fri Feb 18th.

4A Regional WINNERS were Corinne Ball (11th) and Jorrell Lawton in the 55m HH races. Advancing to the STATE Meet on Fri Feb 18th:

Valerie Nevaeh Gale - 55m dash & 4 x 200m Relay Corinne Ball - 55m HH, 300m dash & 4 x 200m Relay Jessica Proctor, Rebekah Ainerua & Jordynn Akuoko - 4 x 200m Relay Kevin Collins - 55m dash, 300m dash & 4 x 200m Relay Martin Spinner, Jeffery Robinson Jr, Daniel Ainerua & Christian Homer - 4 x 200m Relay Alaysia Jones - Shot Put Joseph Hyman - Shot Put

Congratulations to all participants on the Indoor Track & Field Teams who were selected to compete in this Regional Championship Meet. Best of Luck to these NP athletes competing in the STATE Championship meet on 2/18/22. GO EAGLES !

CAREER JOB FAIR

Business Registration: https://www.facebook.com/events/693943898264278

Jobseeker Registration: https://app.talentspace.io/landing/1441312020020113322



NPHS ACAPELLA GROUP CONCERT

Just like in Pitch Perfect---NPHS's Screechin' Eagles will be competing live and in-person in the International Championship of High School A cappella (ICHSA) at St. Charles HS on Saturday February 26 @ 7pm. We would love to see support for these amazing students that include groups from St. Charles and other schools across Maryland, Pennsylvania and New Jersey!

Due to capacity limits that are in place as of right now, a limited number of tickets are available! If you are interested in attending, please follow this <u>link</u> to purchase your tickets ASAP as this event will sell out QUICKLY, especially considering the limits!

Last month, we were thrilled to have: Madison Bozeman, Camille Collins, D'annccio Grier, Ana Klarmann, Michael Onianwah, Madison Parker, Karra Paulson, Cannon Reynolds, Alia Smalls-Ojuolape, be selected and perform in the 2022 Tri-County Honor Chorus. These musicians represented NPHS extremely well! Great job!!



FEBRUARY FAMILY FRIDAYS

As a part of North Point High School's Black History Month celebration, we will be promoting Family Fridays in February where we encourage our entire North Point community to spend quality time together- eating meals, watching movies, sharing in an activity - whatever quality time may look like for your family.

This week's Family Friday featured eatery is Mix 'n Sweetz (Waldorf). Next week's Family Friday featured restaurant is Foster's Grille (Waldorf). To receive the discount, students or parents will need to show their StudentVue or ParentVue app or student ID badge. The discount applies to dine-in and carry-out orders. All are encouraged to wear North Point spirit gear. Send pictures of your Family Friday fun to Anna Jones at acjones@ccboe.com or tag @NorthPointHS on Twitter.



SPRING SPORT REGISTRATION

Registration is currently open for any student interested in playing a spring sport. Go to **northpointathletics.com** and follow the links to register for a sport, upload a valid physical and take the impact test. Covid testing is now optional for athletes, please click **this link** if you wish the register.

SCHOOL NEWSPAPER

Please click on the link below to access our school's student newspaper. **Student Newspaper**

MOCK TRIAL CHAMPIONSHIP

This week, the Mock Trial team lost to first-rank Roosevelt High School by a single point but secured a spot in history! In beating Elizabeth Seton High School, NPHS propelled itself in the Circuit 7 rankings, earning a spot in the regional competition - a first for any Charles County high school! Congratulations to the students and coaches on this huge accomplishment! We are incredibly proud of your hard work and dedication, and we can't wait to support you during regionals on March 2, 2022.



SPECTATORS AT CCPS ATHLETIC EVENTS

Currently, CCPS will allow a 100 percent maximum spectator capacity for in-person athletic and extracurricular activities. Tickets can be purchased online at <u>northpointathletics.com</u>. Please click <u>here</u> for more information about spectators and events.

CALENDAR DATES

February 21, 2022: Schools and Offices closed February 28, 2022: Interims Issued March 2, 2022: Early Dimissal

STUDENT PARKING

At this time there are no additional student spaces available for the 2021-2022 school year. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Hindsley at lhindsley@ccboe.com. Quarantine/Isolation Guidelines

IF YOU TEST POSITIVE FOR COVID-19

January 2022

WHERE TO START



- The date you take a COVID-19 test and it comes back positive but you have no symptoms.
- The date your COVID-19 symptoms start.

IF YOU HAVE <u>NO</u> SYMPTOMS

If you are <u>symptom-free</u> on the <u>fifth day after</u> taking the test that came back positive or you have <u>no COVID-19 symptoms on the</u> <u>morning of your fifth day</u> after the onset of symptoms, you can return to work or school that day.





IF YOU HAVE SYMPTOMS

If your symptoms are still present on Day 5, you must stay out of school or your work building for an additional five days.