



APRIL 2022

ORIOLE OUTLOOK

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From **Mr. Shockley**

INSPIRED STUDENTS.
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EMPOWERED CITIZENS.

We now have only 20 school days remaining. Encourage your student to finish strong in these final weeks by completing all assignments and projects, making up missing work, and preparing for semester exams. Your student's teacher will be the best source of information regarding your student's progress this semester.

Have your student reach out to his/her teachers about current standing and what is needed to earn the grade he/she wants to have in various classes. Work completed could have a significant impact on the final grade earned in a class. Make the most out of the time remaining!

Click [here](#) for the final exam schedule. Please notice the early release on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday. Bus transportation will be offered all three days like usual. More information to come.

Advanced Placement (AP) exams start May 2 and continue through May 13. Check in with your student to make sure he/she knows when those exams are scheduled. If you have any questions, the Guidance Office or your student's AP teacher has the best information.

This month brings plenty of distractions, celebratory events, and warmer weather. As a result, student focus and motivation can be a challenge so your encouragement at home is appreciated. Additionally, keep talking to your students about making wise, healthy, and safe choices. We want the 2021-22 school year to finish strong!

GO ORIOLES! #WeAreAvonWeAreOne

Save The Date

May

- 2-13 AP Exams
- 9 Orchestra Concert, 7:00pm, Auditorium
- 11 Evening of Excellence, 5:50pm, CRG Event Center
- 13 Choir Concert, 7:00pm, Auditorium
- 14 Prom, 8:00pm, Plainfield Embassy Suites
- 17 Honors Night, 6:00pm, Auditorium
- 20 Band Concert, 7:00pm, Auditorium
- 24 Senior Final Exams, 7th Per for all students
- 25 Final Exams
- 26 Final Exams, Senior last day
- 27 Final Exams, Underclassman last day
Commencement, 7:00pm, Indiana Convention Center

June

#AVONISALLIN
[Click here for AHS Events](#)

Club Corner



Student Government is hosting a cultural fair on May 7 from 4:00-8:00 in the parking lot behind the football stadium. The fair is entitled Worlds of Avon and will feature many of the cultures represented at our school. There will be a variety of food trucks, local restaurants, games, and entertainment. It is open to the entire community. We look forward to sharing this time together and learning about the wonderful diversity our school has to offer.



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AP Exams
Overview

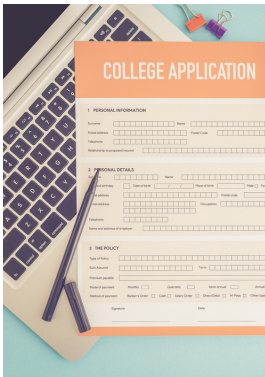
2022 AP Exam Dates

AP Testing Begins at AHS on May 2nd

Avon High School offers over 25 Advanced Placement courses in many different subject areas. Completing the course and the required test potentially provides access to valuable college credit. 2022 AP testing will begin Monday, May 2nd. Click on the boxes to the left for more information including Avon's exam schedule. Click [here](#) for the letter to families of current AP students.

Avon High School College Boot Camp

Our senior counselors will be offering a College Boot Camp this summer for rising seniors. Topics covered include filling out the Common App, essay writing for college applications, using Naviance to navigate the application process, and more. Two sessions will be offered on Wednesday, July 6th: 9:00-11:30am and 12:30-3:00pm. More information is coming soon!



Decision Signing Day

Avon High School seniors get to announce their college, military, or career plans on Friday, April 29th, in the ALC Commons during all lunch periods. Seniors can take pictures with school signs and graduation-themed balloons as they celebrate finishing up their time at Avon. Congratulations to the class of 2022!



Tips to Finish the School Year Strong

- **STAY ORGANIZED**
Keep track of your assignments and test dates in a planner or calendar to prepare for end-of-the-year projects and tests.
- **DON'T PROCRASTINATE**
Putting off school-related responsibilities will leave you scrambling and stressed at the last minute.
- **TAKE CARE OF YOURSELF**
Taking care of yourself by eating well, exercising, and getting the proper amount of sleep will help you remain focused.
- **TAKE A MENTAL WELLNESS BREAK**
Visit Avon's [Mental Wellness webpage](#), where you can find this [Study Break Routine](#) for high school students.



Attention Seniors



CLASS OF 2022, IT'S TIME!

It's time to remember. To look back with pride, and forward with anticipation. It's time to cheer. Time to stand up for what matters. It's time to move forward, to take on the world. It's your Senior year, and it's time to get ready for graduation!

Avon High School Students and Parents,



Congratulations Seniors! It's your time to celebrate. It's your Senior year! Whatever the season, whatever your mood, Herff Jones is proud to be your ultimate resource for all your graduation essentials.



We presented to the Class of 2022 on October 27th. Please be on the lookout for important information to come home with your student regarding graduation caps and gowns, announcements and accessories and Senior apparel.

Class of Two Thousand Twenty-Two

ORDER AT SCHOOL: Thursday, November 4th, 11:30 am-6:00 pm

NEXT STEPS

1. **BROWSE THE CATALOG** by scanning the QR code below to see what's new for the 2021-2022 school year.
2. **SCAN THE CUSTOM FLYER QR CODE** below to access important deposit, pricing and payment information. You will also find your school's custom graduation announcement here.
3. **ORDER AT SCHOOL** Thursday, November 4th, 11:30 am-6:00 pm



Grad Products Catalog



Custom Flyer



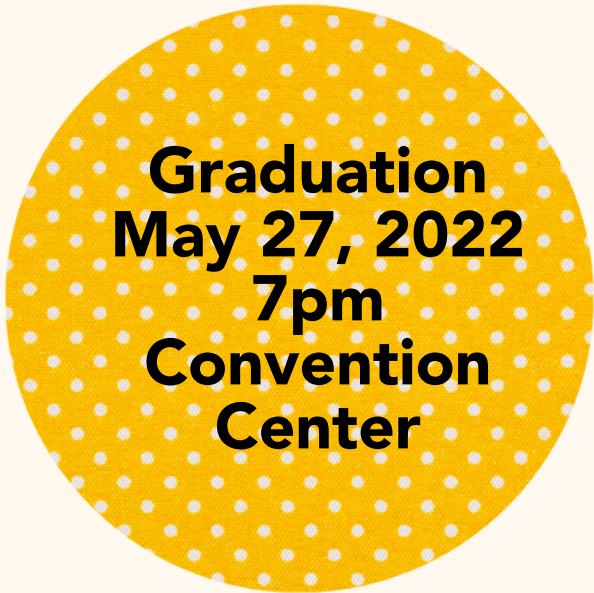
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If you still need to order graduation items, please visit www.highschool.herffjones.com or call Herff Jones at 317-839-1600 to order. Herff Jones will deliver graduation items, including cap & gown, during all lunches on Friday, April 22, 2022.



Graduation May 27, 2022 7pm Convention Center



Students of the Month



Congratulations to our March Students of the Month. They enjoyed lunch at Charbonos for displaying our values of being Accountable, Respectful, and Engaged.

Art - Hadley Zeller
Business - Connor McLaughlin
English - Huy Anh Nguyen
Communications - Martha Abraham
FACS - Arizely Marte Valencia
JAG - Jeanne Chen
Math - Jonathan Loh
Performing Arts - Leah Crook
PE/Health - Isaiah Morris
Science - Drake Scheessele
Social Studies - Abdulhaseeb Pirzada
Tech Ed - Noriko Chu
World Language - Ericka Keller

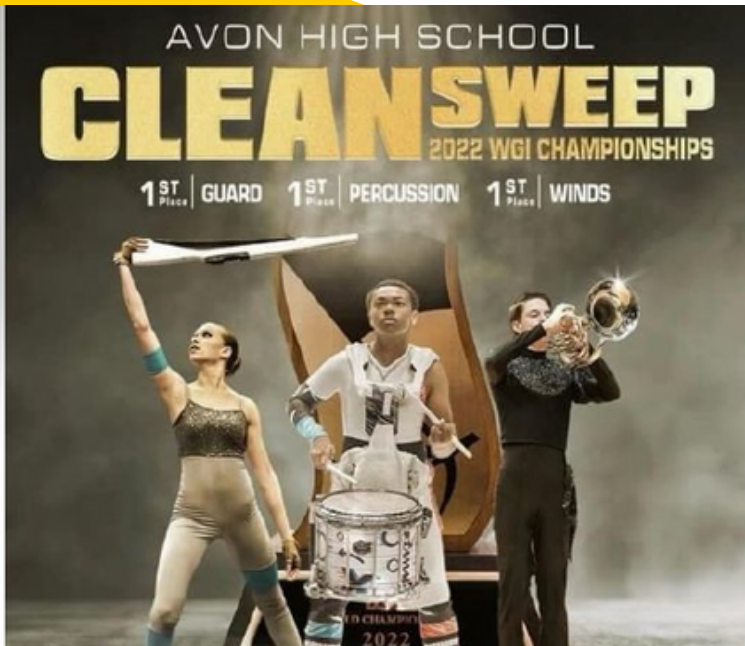
Indiana Academic All-Star



Congrats to Valedictorian Emma Cooper for being selected as an Indiana Academic All-Star (1 of only 40 in state) and her honored educator Mr. Tony Record for the impact he's had on her and countless others! Emma is attending Purdue University in the fall and received a \$1000 scholarship from Purdue University for her academic, extra-curricular, and service work! For more information on the Indiana Academic All-Star Program and past winners, click [here](#).

Performing Arts

Band made history winning WGI Triple Crown: World Guard, Avon Indoor, and World Drumline all earning national championships in past 3 weeks. Speaks to our incredible teachers, band personnel and students! Unbelievable.



Spring Play



Spring Play
Failure A Love Story

[Click here to see pictures.](#)

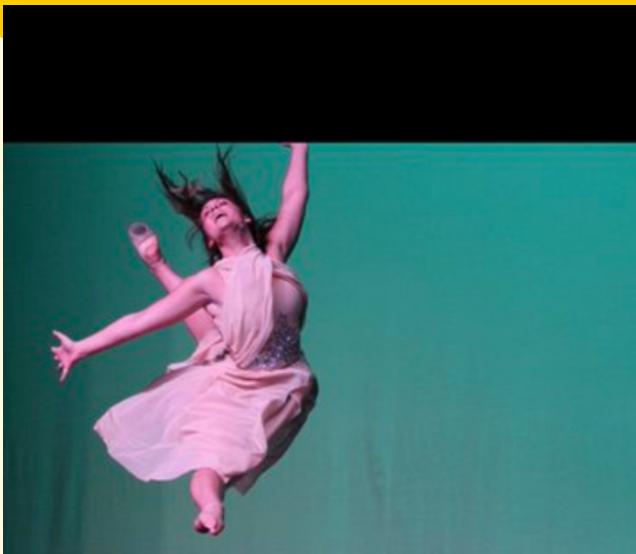
Attraction Show Choir

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2ND PLACE

Dance Recital



Dance Recital

[Click here to see pictures.](#)

Classroom Highlights

**AP Environmental
Science
Water Testing Lab**



**Level 1- Japanese Game Time
& Sumo Tournament in Osaka**

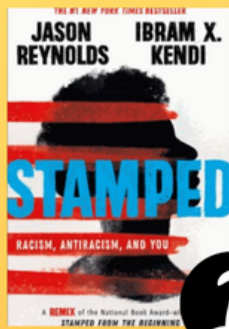




**NHS INDUCTION/CORD
CEREMONY
FOR JUNIORS AND
SENIORS
MAY 4, 2022 AT 7:00 PM
AHS AUDITORIUM**

On Wednesday, May 4, 2022 the National Honor Society will induct new Junior members into our local chapter. As part of this ceremony, Senior members in good standing will be bestowed with their cords which will be worn at graduation. All family members of Juniors and Seniors in National Honor Society are invited to attend.

Top **5**
Top Student Choice
Checkouts from the
AHS Library
April 2022



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Unified Seniors
Front Row: Emma Byrd, Ma'Kay Harris, Oliva Slavens, Lin Im
Middle Row: Brittany Crabtree, Beth Janotta, Courtney Taylor,
Josie Morrical, Alondra Colin
Back Row: Jacob Quasebarth, Andrew Thomas, Alex Ratz,
Derek Wheeler

Avon BPA represented well at SLC 2022!

Amani Johnson - 1st Place in Fundamentals of Web Design

Krishna Mattu - 2nd Place in Medical Terminology Concepts (Open Event)

Gurleen Kaur - 4th Place in Legal Office Procedures

Abel Barkat-Masih - 6th Place in Fundamentals of Web Design

BPA State Leadership Conference





River Birch Seniors

**We want to celebrate you and your accomplishment!
Wear your cap and gown to walk through the halls of
River Birch one more time before graduation!**

Meet at River Birch on Wednesday, May 25, 2022
3:15pm (Door 1)



*You're
Invited!*

SYCAMORE SENIORS

Congrats!

**We want to celebrate you and your accomplishment!!
Wear your cap and gown to walk through the halls of
Sycamore one more time before graduation!**

**MEET AT SYCAMORE ON
THURSDAY, MAY 26, 2022
2:38 PM (DOOR 1)**



*You're
Invited!*

CEDAR SENIORS

Congrats!

We want to celebrate you and your
accomplishment!!

Wear your cap and gown to walk through the
halls of Cedar one more time before graduation!

**MEET AT CEDAR ON
FRIDAY, MAY 27, 2022
2:30 PM (DOOR 6)**

AVON HIGH SCHOOL Art Show

Tuesday, May 10th 2022
5:30-7:30



Earthbound

Silent Auction
NAHS Induction Ceremony 6pm
Silent Auction Closes 7:15pm

Entry at Door 33

On April 21-23, Twenty-two PLTW Biomedical Science students attended the Indiana State HOSA Leadership Conference. The AHS chapter began in the fall of 2014.



2022 Indiana HOSA State Leadership Conference Results:

The following Students were State Medalists:

ATC AAFP Family Medicine Test: 1st Place-Simran Shergill

ATC Occupational Health & Safety: 1st Place-Luwam Hailu; 2nd Place Hannah Prickett

Creative Problem Solving: 2nd Place- Krisha Mattu, Caron Singh & Komal Tung (Team)

Nutrition: 2nd Place-Regina Edo

The following students were top 10 finalists:

Cultural Diversities & Discrepancies in Health Care: Katherine Luna & Camryn McCollum

Healthy Lifestyles: Tramy Cao & Esther Kujore

Sports Medicine: Jessica Mangat, Aryan Chander, Esther Kujore, Camryn McCollum

Forensic Science: Aryan Chander & Hannah Prickett (Team); Nate Dixon & Luwam Hailu (Team)

Anatomege Anatomy Challenge: Jessica Mangat, Bana Abraham, Simran Shergill, Komal Tung (Team)

Interviewing Skills: Carden Davis

Public Health: Nate Dixon, Luwam Hailu, Krisha Mattu & Hannah Prickett

Nutrition: Aryan Chander

Healthcare Issues Exam: Kat Luna

ATC AAFP Family Medicine Career Test: Jazmin Gridley & Kat Luna

ATC Leadership: Nate Dixon



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AHS Schedules](#)

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Attendance

If your child misses school or is late for any reason, call the Attendance line, (317) 544-5000, option #1. You may call this line 24 hours a day.

Students will be marked 'unverified' (unexcused) without a call from a parent.

If your student was marked unverified in a class for the day, you will receive an automated call that evening. An unverified absence means we have not received a phone call from a parent/guardian about the absence. If you receive this phone call and feel it is in error, please have your student talk with the teacher who marked the absence or you can contact the teacher via email. If the absence needs to be marked differently, the teacher will contact the Attendance Office to make the change.

All medical verification can be emailed to AHSAttendance@avon-schools.org.

Early Dismissals

Occasionally, students may need to be dismissed early from school. Please email early dismissal information to AHSStudentServices@avon-schools.org. Please include student name, grade, time student is to be dismissed and reason for dismissal. Or, you may call Student Services at 317-544-5000 ext. 5200 and leave a message with all of the aforementioned information. We will deliver the early dismissal pass to the student before dismissal time.



Bus Passes

We will not be providing bus passes for the 2021-2022 school year.



Immunizations

The Indiana State Department of Health sets the immunization requirements for students attending public schools in Indiana. For the 2021-2022 school year, all students in grades K-12 will be required to have 2 appropriately spaced doses of Hepatitis A vaccine and a second dose of Meningitis is required for seniors. Contact your health care provider to ask what vaccines your child may need. Low-cost immunizations are available at the Hendricks County Health Department at (317) 745-9222.