

February 7, 2020

Dear Croton-Harmon High School Families,

Highlights at CHHS

Please join us for the CHHS Shakespeare Club's performance of *Twelfth Night* tonight at 7 pm and tomorrow at 7 pm. I have had the opportunity to see some sneak previews as students rehearsed and it is going to be a fantastic performance. I look forward to seeing you there!

Congratulations to 4 of our senior athletes who have recently committed to play college level sports next year: **Grace Reyer** (Emory University), **Evan Hunter** (Middlebury College), **Wyatt Robinson** (Middlebury College), and **Maddie Fate** (Trinity University). We are proud of you!





On Wednesday evening we had an orientation for families of the class of 2024. If you have an incoming freshman and were not able to attend, the slides are posted on the CHHS website under quicklinks and I have also included a copy here: [Class of 2024 Orientation Slides](#).

Attention Parents of Seniors:

Class of 2020 Wear, designed by Senior Wyatt Robinson, is now available for purchase. Funds raised will help pay for Senior End-of-Year activities. Please visit [CHHS Class of 2020](#) to purchase a long sleeve tee, a short sleeve tee and/or a hoodie. The sale ends 2/26/20 and items will ship around 3/12/20.

Families of All Students: Don't forget that you can order **spirit wear** through the CHHS PTSA: [Spiritwear Site](#). The online store is open through 2/16 and orders will be delivered to the school for pickup. This is a great opportunity for students to get their gear before our March spirit week!

Reminder: Our **May and June exam calendars** are now posted on our website. For your convenience there is also a link here: [CHHS Parent Letter & May/June 2020 Schedule](#)

Please review with your children to make sure you are aware of dates for all end of year/end of course exams including AP exams and Regents exams.

Reminder: Friday, March 13 is now a regular day of school for students (it was previously slated to be a superintendent's conference day, but the conference day was moved to December 11 in lieu of using a snow day).

Upcoming Events

- *Twelfth Night* Performances - **February 7-8 at 7pm.** (Snow date is February 9 at 1pm)
- **Monday, February 10 (G Day)** - mandatory interest meeting at 8:00 am- please click on the [link](#) for information about the Big Buddy Program.
- **Wednesday, February 12 - 7:30 pm** - PTSA Meeting
- **February 17-21** - Winter Recess - Schools Closed
- **Tuesday, February 25** - Principal's Coffee at 9am (discussion topics will include restorative approaches/code of conduct)
- Qtr. 3 Interims Published - **Friday, February 28**
- Here is a link to the [athletic calendar](#) to see our upcoming events.
- Save the date - **Wednesday, March 11** 7:30 pm - the CHHS PTSA is hosting a budget discussion with Dr. O'Connell and Mr. Griffiths

Other Information/Announcements

- **All NYSSMA audition registration will be completed online this year. Up-County solo registration closes on Monday, February 24th. Piano registration will close Friday, March 27th.**

To register with Ms. Dwyer for a PVC band instrument solo, please visit <https://www.locallevevents.com/events/details/9216>

To register with Ms. O'Brien for a level 5, 6 or All-State string solo, please visit: <https://www.locallevevents.com/events/details/9426>

To register with Ms. Zantay for a CET or HS band instrument solo, please visit: <https://www.locallevevents.com/events/details/9425>

To register with Mr. Katzman for a vocal solo, please visit: <https://www.locallevevents.com/events/details/9422>

To register for a piano NYSSMA audition, please visit: <https://www.locallevevents.com/events/details/9424>

- If you are a parent with a medical or mental health background who would be interested in serving as a judge for the WESEF science competition (Westchester Science and Engineering Fair) please see this link for information: [Judges](#)
- Support the CHHS PTSA while you shop by designating them as your **Amazon Smile Charity**. [Follow this link](#) to begin shopping. You can also access the link through the PTSA website: <http://www.chufsd.org/chhsptsa>.

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