



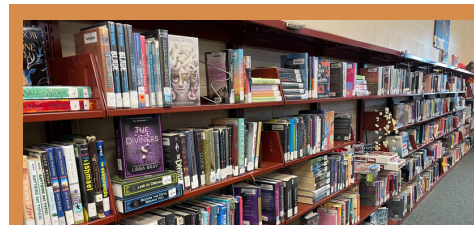
# THE DISTRICT DISPATCH

*The monthly update for Northridge Schools & Community*



## MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL MEDIA CENTER MAKEOVER

Library Innovation Teacher Kim Garee gave the 6-12 library media center an extreme makeover this summer. "The Port," which will be used by both middle and high school students, is filled with books, magazines, puzzles, technology, brain teasers, games, and more. It even has special spaces dedicated to specific genres. Mrs. Garee shared the updated media center with students by sending them on a FUN scavenger hunt using books and technology. In only one week's time, hundreds of books have been checked out of the library! We are excited for our media center's new look not only to inspire reading but to host Mrs. Garee's partnerships with middle and high school teachers on research and information literacy lessons!



# HELLO September

## Elementary School Picture Day

Thursday, September 7  
All Day



## Athletic Boosters Meeting

Monday, September 11  
7:00pm HS Media Center

## PreK-8 Grade PTO Meeting

Tuesday, September 12  
3:45pm Elementary Library

## School Board Meeting

Monday, September 18  
6:30pm District Office

## Homecoming Parade & Game

Friday, September 29  
6:15pm Viking Stadium



## HS Homecoming Dance

Saturday, September 30  
7:00pm - 10:00pm

# CONGRATULATIONS!



*Gretel Lloyd*  
Excellence in  
Education Award



*Rachael Ashbrook*  
Senior Certified  
Employee



*Scott Stewart*  
Senior Classified  
Employee



## *Northridge Finance Team*

Congratulations to Mr. Lewis and his team for earning a Clean Audit award for the 10th year in a row!



## *Mackenzie Hannahs*

Mackenzie was honored at September's BOE meeting for being the Better Business Bureau's Student of Integrity Award 2023 winner!!

The award is for a student who personifies high character through leadership, community service, overall personal integrity, and academic accomplishments and comes with a \$1,000 scholarship paid to the college/university of their choice.



**CLICK HERE TO VIEW  
THE VIKING BAND IN  
ACTION WITH THEIR  
WELCOME BACK TO  
SCHOOL VIDEO**



## **Senior Band Members**



**CLICK HERE TO READ  
ABOUT THE STADIUM  
GROUNDBREAKING IN  
THE NEWARK  
ADVOCATE**

## HAVE YOU COMPLETED YOUR PARENT CHECKLIST?



COMPLETED UPDATE SITE - REQUIRED YEARLY FOR ALL RETURNING STUDENTS



ADDED MONEY TO LUNCH ACCOUNT - CHECK OR ONLINE PAYMENT ONLY (NO CASH)



APPLIED FOR FREE OR REDUCED LUNCHES





## GREAT TURNOUT FOR NEW STADIUM GROUNDBREAKING CEREMONY

Past, present and future Vikings gathered for the groundbreaking ceremony on August 15th. Led by the Northridge Marching Band and Cheerleaders, the atmosphere was electric! District administrators, coaches, donors, Boosters and athletes all participated in the shovel ceremony and shared in the excitement to mark the start of this project. It was a wonderful opportunity to recognize all who have helped make the stadium *Dream Come Alive!*



*Help us meet our  
\$2 million goal!*

QUESTIONS OR  
TO DONATE -  
CONTACT  
BRIAN ELDER  
740-739-7020





## NORTHRIDGE ATHLETIC BOOSTERS

*Invites you to*

### A NIGHT AT THE RACES

**Saturday, Sept. 9th at 6 pm**

Hartford Fairgrounds - Ramsey 4H Center

\$30 admission to "own" a horse  
\$20 general admission  
Bet on each race for a chance to win!

Admission includes food and fun!  
Beer available for purchase.

Payment through Venmo  
@Northridge-Boosters

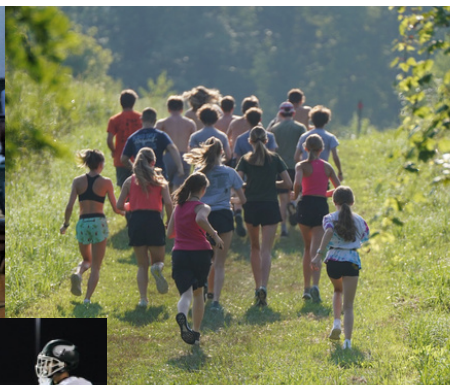
**ONLY 100 HORSES AVAILABLE!**



## ATTENTION!

**September 24th**  
**Kids Connect**  
**6:00pm-7:30pm**  
**Croton Church**  
**of Christ**  
**Kidz Zone**  
**PreK-5th**

**FOR MORE INFO.**  
**TRACI LASLO**  
**(614)507-5147**



**CLICK HERE FOR FALL ATHLETIC SCHEDULES**

**CLICK HERE FOR ATHLETIC PASS**

## SEPTEMBER LIBRARY EVENTS

Check out the Alexandria and  
Homer Libraries websites for  
this month's community  
activities and information:

Alexandria Library:

<https://alexandrialibrary.org>

Homer Library:

<https://www.homerlibrary.org>

