

# Athens High School

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*parent newsletter*

October 2023

*From the Desk of Principal Vernon Burden ~*

Dear Athens High School Community,

As the vibrant colors of autumn surround us, I am thrilled to welcome you to the October edition of our newsletter. This month is especially significant as we celebrate a remarkable milestone – the 50th anniversary of Troy Athens High School. It's a testament to the enduring spirit of our school, and I'm excited to share this journey with each and every one of you.

### **Celebrating 50 Years of Excellence**

Throughout the month of October, we will be commemorating five decades of academic achievement, personal growth, and community spirit. Our school has been a beacon of education, character development, and innovation, and we couldn't have achieved this without the dedication and passion of our students, staff, parents, and alumni. Please join us for special events and activities throughout the month, as we look back at our history and forward to the limitless possibilities of our future.

### **Parent-Teacher Conferences - October 12, 2023**

We believe that open communication between parents and teachers is essential for student success. Our Parent-Teacher Conferences will be held on October 12th, providing an opportunity for you to connect with your child's teachers, discuss their progress, and address any concerns. We encourage all parents to participate actively in these conferences to support your child's academic journey. These conferences will be held in either a virtual or in-person format.

### **Homecoming Celebration Recap**


Our Homecoming celebration in September was a resounding success, thanks to the enthusiastic participation of our students, alumni, parents, and staff. The energy and pride displayed during the festivities were truly inspiring. This could only be done because of the incredible sense of community we have here at Athens High School. I want to express my gratitude to everyone who contributed to making Homecoming Week a memorable event.

As we move forward into October, let's continue to embrace our school's rich history, celebrate our achievements, and work together to create a bright future for our students. The Athens community is reminded daily to live out our core values: Be Thoughtful, Act with Integrity, and Make an Impact. Thank you for your unwavering support and commitment to Troy Athens High School.

Warm regards,

*Vernon Burden*

Vernon K. Burden, Principal  
Athens High School  
(248)823-2900

 @Mr\_Burden\_TA



## Fall Conferences

Thursday, October 12th  
In-person 12:30-3:30 pm &  
Virtually Microsoft Teams 5:00-8:00 pm

On Thursday, October 5th, at 6:00 am,  
parents will be given access to reserve  
appointments at

<https://athenshs.schoolsoft.com/>

## Picture Re-take Day

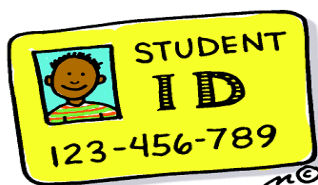
Friday, October 20th is the re-take date for students who are not satisfied with their original pictures. Students must turn in their picture packages to Kaiser to have a re-take on October 20th. Sign up for re-takes using the SignUpGenius <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0C4EA9AA22ABFB6-44595567-kaiser> Re-takes are only for new photos to replace your order and in the yearbook, a new ID is not given. If you need a new ID, you can get one printed in the Media Center for \$5.

For students who are NEW to Athens or were not here for Picture Day or Make-Up Day, this is your last chance to have your photo taken for the yearbook and receive an ID Card. Sign up using the SignUpGenius below and write "Make-up" in the comments.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0C4EA9AA22ABFB6-44595567-kaiser>

## Student ID Cards

Students are **required** to carry their picture ID cards during school and at all student activities. The ID card is used for identification, for attendance late arrival, to purchase lunches, and used as a library card.



## Club Photos

Club photos will be held on **October 20th during the school day**. A detailed list of the time each club is being photographed will be posted to the Schoology group for each grade one or two days before 10/20.

Students will report to the gym for a few minutes to get their picture taken with their club and then return to class. Questions? Email [sbes@troy.k12.mi.us](mailto:sbes@troy.k12.mi.us)

## Student Absences

Please remember to call the **Attendance Line** if your student is going to be **absent, arriving late** or **leaving early**. Include student's name, student ID number, reason for absence, and the time of arrival/dismissal.

**Attendance Line: 248.823.2901**

See full attendance policy on page 7.

## Parent Teacher Conferences

Parent-teacher conferences are scheduled for **Thursday, October 12th**. Parents have the option to meet teachers in-person from **12:30-3:30 p.m.** or virtually from **5:00-8:00 p.m.**

**Due to the limited availability of appointment slots, please do not feel obligated to sign up for a conference if you do not feel like it is necessary.**

How and When to Sign-Up:

- You may begin to sign up for conferences on **Thursday, October 5th, at 6:00 a.m.** You will be able to sign up through Thursday, October 12th, at 10:00 a.m.
- Parents will sign up for conferences with individual teachers using Conference Manager. Please visit <https://athenshs.schoolsoft.com/> starting October 5th to sign up for your appointment(s). If it's your first time visiting the site, click "**REGISTER NOW**". Once you create an account, you will be able to select the teachers with whom you'd like to meet. If you attended previous conferences, you won't need to register again. You may simply log-in and select your teachers.
- If you are unable to schedule an appointment for conferences, please know that teachers are available to communicate via Schoology, email or phone about your student's progress in class.

Noteworthy Information:

- Conferences are five minutes each to allow for teachers to see as many parents as possible. Please be courteous and conscientious of this when meeting with teachers because the timing of your conference will impact future conferences.
- We recommend that, if possible, you schedule appointment(s) on the same floor near the same time, minimizing your walking. It is recommended that you leave adequate travel time between conferences.
- Please print your conference schedule and/or take a picture of it with your phone so you have that information when you arrive at Athens.
- Counselors and social workers will be available for individual, sign-up conferences.
- If you sign up for the evening virtual session, please leave your most accessible phone number when registering through Conference Manager. On the evening of conferences, a link will be sent to you containing the teacher's Microsoft Teams Link. Once you click the link, the teacher will allow you to enter the conference session. In case of any technology issues, the teacher will call the phone number provided in lieu of Microsoft Teams.

*Athens Administrative Team*



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# Athens Abroad

Join Athens students and teachers on an educational tour of England, Ireland, and Scotland in June of 2025! We will visit Dublin, London, and Edinburgh and other cities along the way! Please see our Instagram [@Athens\\_Abroad](#) or contact Mrs. Syme ([ssyme@troy.k12.mi.us](mailto:ssyme@troy.k12.mi.us)) for more information. Spaces are limited!

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Social Studies Department  
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## National Honor Society

NHS Information will be distributed later this month to juniors and seniors with a GPA of 3.500 and above. They will receive an online packet to apply for NHS membership. Applications will be collected and reviewed by a faculty committee, and new members will be inducted in January. Please contact Mrs. Rice or Mrs. Syme with further questions.

Please be aware: Many families are receiving information from an organization named NSHSS (National Society of High School Scholars). Please be aware that this organization is NOT the Athens Chapter of the National Honor Society and is not connected to Athens High School in any way.

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# 2025 Class of

## Attn: Juniors - Class of 2025

All Juniors will be taking the PSAT/NMSQT on October 18, 2023 (details forthcoming).

Please see Ms. Henry or Mr. Munaco if you have any questions. Click the following for ways to practice test.

<https://satsuite.collegeboard.org/psat-nmsqt/preparing>

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## Parking Passes

A current PARKING PASS is required to drive to school. If you have not visited Ms. Harris in the Main Office at Athens to register your car, please do so ASAP. The cost is \$40.00. The following documents are required to purchase a parking pass - Driver's License, Proof of Insurance, your car registration. Tickets will be issued to all cars that do not have a parking pass. Please register your car today.

ATHENS  
PARENT  
ORGANIZATIONS

Athens Athletic Boosters: Marti Steiner  
Athens Band Boosters: Julie Johnson  
Athens PTO: Colleen Geyer, President  
Clinic Volunteers: TBD  
Senior All Night Party: Kristen Stachura

# Congratulations!

## Semifinalists in the 2024 National Merit® Scholarship Program

We are very pleased to announce the following students who have qualified as Semifinalists 2024 National Merit® Scholarship Program and has an opportunity to continue in the National Merit Scholarship competition.

Vansh Baxi	Ismail Qamar
Rahul Dandavolu	Akash Sarad
Rohan Gajula-Ghosh	Ananya Sri Raja Kalidindi
Kevin Hartwell	Raghav Subramaniam
Mahee Kavdia	Eric Wong
Brandon Mendoza	Nathan Zerilli
Sneha Nandwani	

## Commended Students in the 2024 National Merit® Scholarship Program

Abraar Baig	Eesha Ray
Deeak Chilukuri	Alexander Rebits
Abhinav Daram	Chris Sebastian
Jessica Gao	Saisha Srivatsan
Ali Hakim	Teodor Topon
Nikhita Kowsika	



# WE'RE HIRING

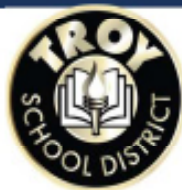
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**Troy School District** students.

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- Paid sick days and holidays
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- Shift ranges from 4-5 hours/day, Monday-Friday

Please reach out to the Food Service Office at 248-823-5245 or email [ngervais@troy.k12.mi.us](mailto:ngervais@troy.k12.mi.us)



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# **TSD ATTENDANCE POLICY**

There is a direct correlation between academic achievement and regular attendance. Frequent absences excused or unexcused, or tardiness in a class may seriously impact a student's academic progress.

The Revised School Code (380.1561) states that "...every parent, guardian or other person in this state having control and charge of a child from the age of six to the child's eighteenth birthday shall send that child to the public schools during the entire school year. The child's attendance shall be continuous and consecutive for the school year fixed by the school district in which the child is enrolled."

A student may be excused for chronic/serious illness, religious observances, family bereavement, mandatory court appearance, college visits or other reasons approved by a building administrator. When a student is absent from school, their parent/guardian must follow the attendance procedures outlined below.

A student with an excused or exempted absence has the right to complete the work missed and receive credit for it. Class discussions and activities cannot be duplicated. Students will receive one day for each day excused absent to make up work. This includes tests and quizzes. It is the responsibility of the student to obtain all necessary makeup work. Assignments or assessments given to the student prior to their absence will be due upon the student's return. School-sponsored activities are exempted absences. This includes field trips, athletic contests, counselor appointments, student club obligations, school business, etc.

When entering or leaving the building at times other than the beginning or end of the school day, a student must "sign in" or "sign out" in the attendance office. Students will receive an admittance slip to get into their classroom if they arrived late or the student will be given permission to leave the building if they are signing out.

## **Attendance Procedures – Middle School & High School**

**Tardiness** – Students are expected to arrive on time to all classes. Students who arrive within five minutes after the start of class will be marked tardy to the class. Students who arrive later than five minutes will receive an unexcused tardy. Students are afforded 3 tardies per class per secondary marking period without penalty. Subsequent tardies in any specific class will prompt the assignment of a detention. Ongoing tardiness in the same class shall cause additional disciplinary action.

**Absences** – Students are expected to attend class on a regular basis. Excused absences include mandatory court appearance, chronic/serious illness, religious observances, school suspension, family bereavement, school-sponsored field trip/activity, or other reasons approved by a building administrator. Students should work with their assigned building administrator to ensure that attendance records are accurate. The student and family maintain the responsibility for communicating with the school about the nature of any absences and providing all necessary documentation for absences of a specialized nature. Furthermore, any documentation substantiating special absences from school must be provided to a school administrator in a timely fashion following the absences. For an absence to be excused, a parent must call the attendance office to notify the school of the absence within 24 hours of the absence.

Long-term absences, in excess of 5 days, must be prearranged and approved one week in advance through the submission of an Extended Absence form available in each school's attendance office. This will allow students to receive assignments in advance of the absence when possible and notify the school ahead of any extended time away from school.

Long-term absences and chronic absences have a negative impact on student achievement. Many classroom experiences are not able to be recreated (discussions, lab work, group assignments) and can negatively impact a student's grade.

Families will be informed of poor attendance patterns; email communication will be provided including class attendance status at the 5, 7 and 9 absence point in any semester. The communication will be issued by the school including the course name, total number of absences, and the absence designation as excused or unexcused. Chronic absenteeism will result in a meeting with school staff and a referral to Oakland County Truancy Officer and other county resources.

If an absence is unexcused, students may not be permitted to make up the work missed or due during that period (this includes missed assessments/tests, labs, presentations, or other assignments). Any absence that is not excused within 24 hours of the absence, it will remain an unexcused absence.



# ATTENTION SENIORS

## THE YEARBOOK NEEDS YOUR SENIOR HEADSHOT



SCAN THIS QR CODE TO SIGN UP. LINK WILL ALSO BE ON SENIOR SCHOOLGY PAGE.

PRESTIGE WILL BE AT ATHENS ON **Thursday, October 12, from 1pm-7pm**

This free headshot, taken by Prestige, will go into the yearbook and will appear on the free senior composite.

**\*Note:** Only photos taken by Prestige are included in the senior composite, as that is a gift from Prestige. However, students who do not take a headshot with Prestige can still be in the yearbook.

### SENIOR HEADSHOT FAQs

**WHAT IF MY STUDENT CAN'T MAKE IT TO THE FREE HEADSHOTS ON 10/12?**

**Prestige will be back at Athens on 11/13 for a make-up session.** Also, you can schedule an appointment with Prestige at anytime by calling their Ferndale studio at (248) 871-9898.

**WHAT IF I WANT MORE POSES THAN JUST THE HEADSHOT TAKEN?**

Our free event is only for headshots. You can schedule an appointment with Prestige at anytime by calling their Ferndale studio at (248) 871-9898.

**WHY ARE ONLY HEADSHOTS TAKEN BY PRESTIGE INCLUDED IN THE SENIOR COMPOSITE?**

The senior composite is a generous free gift that Prestige makes and gives to families of seniors. Because it something from the company, they only use the photos they take, as those are the photos they have access to.

**WHAT IF I ALREADY TOOK A HEADSHOT WITH PRESTIGE?**

Then you are all set! When Prestige sends all of the headshots to the yearbook, your headshot will be included.

**WHAT IF I WANT TO USE A DIFFERENT PHOTOGRAPHER FOR MY STUDENT'S SENIOR HEADSHOT?**

That's fine! You'll need to send in a photo that meets the below specifications.

-Must be an INDOOR headshot photo (just shoulders and head; outdoor and full body poses are not permitted for the senior headshot section of the yearbook)

-Must be 1.375" by 1.875" at 300 dpi in jpeg format

-Must have a WESTCOTT MOONLIGHT CLOUDSCAPE background

-Must be emailed to athensyearbook5475@gmail.com by

Monday December 4th, 2023 at 11:59pm

-Late submissions will NOT be accepted.

**WHAT IF MY STUDENT DOES NOT TAKE ANY SENIOR HEADSHOT? WILL THEY BE IN THE YEARBOOK?**

Yes, in that case, we would include your student's ID photo.



# Attn: Parents of Seniors

This last year at Athens will be an exciting and event-filled one for you and your twelfth grader. It also can be an exhausting and expense-filled year, as well. "First-timers" especially, find the numerous costs associated with getting through this last year of high school staggering. The following is an overview of many senior expenditures. It is far from complete, but does cover major events. All fees are approximates.

Senior Portrait	Aug-Nov	\$150+	No, but Prestige will take a free composite/yearbook picture at Athens on October 12th from 1:00-7:00 pm in the Auditorium Lobby.
Senior Panoramic Photo	October 26 7:45 am in gym	\$25	No
College Application Fee	Fall - Winter	Varies	Varies
College Visitation	Fall - Winter	Varies	No (but a good idea)
Senior Class Mementoes (T-shirt, Coffee Mug, etc.)	Sept - June	\$50+	No
Yearbook	Sept - March	\$75+	No
Announcements	Online - Jostens	Approx. \$1.30 ea	No
Cap & Gown	Online - Jostens	Approx. \$40	Yes (to participate in ceremony)
Prom	May 10, 2024	Ticket/attire	No
All Night Party	TBA	TBA	No (but a good idea)

## Senior Calendar

### October

12 Free Senior Head Shot for Composite/Yearbook  
 1:00-7:00 pm- *Signup Genius to follow*  
 12 Parent/Teacher Conferences,  
 12:30-3:30 pm, 5:30-8:00 pm  
 26 Senior Panoramic Photo, 7:45 am –  
 Gym- *Wear Senior Sweatshirts*

### November

03 No School  
 08 Early Release 7:20 am-12:40 pm  
 22 No School  
 23 No School  
 24 No School

### December

06 Early Release 7:20 am-12:40 pm  
 22 Winter Break Begins

### January

08 Back to School  
 16 First Semester Exams, Hours 1 and 2  
 17 First Semester Exams, Hours 3 and 4  
 18 First Semester Exams, Hours 5 and 6  
 19 No School  
 29 No School

### February

12-16 Charity Week  
 19-20 Mid-Winter Break  
 29 Parent Teacher Conferences, 5:30 - 8:30 pm

### March

06 Early Release 7:20 am-12:40 pm  
 22-29 Spring Break

### April

25 1/2 Day

### May

10 Prom, Andiamo in Warren 7-11 pm  
 TBA Senior Honors Convocation Practice  
 TBA Seniors Last Full Day  
 TBA Seniors Only, EXAMS Hours 1,2,3  
 TBA Seniors Only, EXAMS Hours 4,5,6  
 TBA Senior Picnic, 11:00 am- Parent Planned  
 TBA Senior Honors Convocation, 5:00-7:00 pm

### June

TBA Commencement  
 TBA All Night Party- Parent Planned

**Senior Pictures - Prestige Studio**  
 • (248) 548-7660 Royal Oak or (248) 377-2444 Oakland Township  
**Cap & Gown/Announcements – Jostens (586)781-5618**  
 \*All dates are subject to change.

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# SENIOR YEAR - TIMELINE CHECKLIST

*Seniors*  
CLASS OF 2024

- Take a Fall SAT and/or ACT if needed (have test scores you want by December)
- Attend any information workshops or meetings your school hosts
- Narrow down your list of colleges to apply to
- Begin applying to colleges
- Stay organized with your deadlines throughout the application process
- Send transcripts and request letters of recommendation
- Write thank you notes for letters of recommendation
- Fill out the FAFSA
- Attend any Financial Aid Workshops offered by your school or local universities
- Send test scores through testing agencies
- Apply to scholarships
- Make a college decision and secure your spot by paying your deposit
- Celebrate!!

## ATHENS CLUB INFORMATION 2023-2024

Interested in joining a club? Check out our club list to see what Athens has to offer. We encourage all students to get involved. Please contact the advisor for club information. Note: Club list is subject to change based on minimum student membership.)

Club	Advisor	Email address
AHS TECH CREW	Mr. Minchella	gminchella@troy.k12.mi.us
AHS INTERNATIONAL THESPIAN TROUPE #3729	Ms. Manfredi	kmanfredi@troy.k12.mi.us
AHS POETS SOCIETY	Ms. Smit	dsmit@troy.k12.mi.us
AMBASSADORS CLUB	Ms. Lynch	slynch@troy.k12.mi.us
ART CLUB	Ms. Velk	mvelk@troy.k12.mi.us
BADMINTON CLUB	Mr. Sanders	jsanders@troy.k12.mi.us
BIOLOGY CLUB	Ms. Boogren	rboogren@troy.k12.mi.us
BSA - BLACK STUDENT ALLIANCE	Ms. Briguglio & Ms. Dent	rbriguglio@troy.k12.mi.us adent@troy.k12.mi.us
BOOK CLUB	Mrs. S. Vought	svought@troy.k12.mi.us
BPA	TBA	TBA
CHEMISTRY CLUB	Mr. E. Beregszaszy	eberegszaszy@troy.k12.mi.us
CHESS CLUB (November to February)	Mr. M. Reimann	mreimann@troy.k12.mi.us
CHINESE CLUB	Mr. J. Sanders	jsanders@troy.k12.mi.us
CIRCLE OF FRIENDS	Ms. B. Matti	bmatti@troy.k12.mi.us
COMPUTER CLUB	Mr. J. Pudaloff	jpudaloff@troy.k12.mi.us
COMPUTER SCIENCE HONOR SOCIETY	Mr. J. Pudaloff	jpudaloff@troy.k12.mi.us
DANCE CLUB	Ms. J. Riley	jadalana612@gmail.com
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GIRLS AND FRIENDS WHO CODE	Mr. J Pudaloff	jpudaloff@troy.k12.mi.us
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HAWK NEST CLUB	Ms. M. Feeley	mfeeley@troy.k12.mi.us
HOPE FOR THE HUNGRY	Mr. D. Said	dsaid@troy.k12.mi.us
HUM CLUB (Helping Unique Minds)	TBA	TBA
IASA (Indian American Student Association)	Ms. S. Krishnan-Nair	skrishnannair@troy.k12.mi.us
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JAPANESE CLUB	Ms. M. Mori	mmori@troy.k12.mi.us
JAPANESE HONOR SOCIETY	Ms. M. Mori	mmori@troy.k12.mi.us
JAPANESE QUIZ BOWL	Ms. M. Mori	mmori@troy.k12.mi.us
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LITERARY MAGAZINE	Mr. J. Morang	jmorang@troy.k12.mi.us
MATHEMATICS CLUB	Mr. M. Mitchell & Ms. A. Stefanski	mdmitchell@troy.k12.mi.us astefanski@troy.k12.mi.us
MEDICAL CLUB AND HOSPITAL HEROS	Ms. R. Peterson	repeterson@troy.k12.mi.us

## ATHENS CLUB INFORMATION 2023-2024 - continued

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NATIONAL TECHNICAL HONORS SOCIETY	Ms. A Olsen	aolsen@troy.k12.mi.us
NO PLACE FOR HATE	Ms. H. Nagi & Ms. A. Dent	hnagi@troy.k12.mi.us adent@troy.k12.mi.us
P7 CLUB	Ms. M. Mori	mmori@troy.k12.mi.us
PEER MEDIATION	Ms. K. Manfredi	kmanfredi@troy.k12.mi.us
PEP BAND/SPIRIT CLUB	Mr. A. Cable	acable@troy.k12.mi.us
PHYSICS CLUB	Mr. J. Augustine	jaugustine@troy.k12.mi.us
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VIDEO CLUB	Mr. A Burns	aburns@troy.k12.mi.us



Athens Theatre Company  
Presents...



November 10, 17 - 8:01 pm  
November 11, 18, 19 - 3:00 pm

\$20.00 Adults / \$15.00 Students/TSD

\$5.00 Seniors / Special Patrons

All Seats Reserved ~ Call 248.823.2923 to reserve tickets

Athens High School 4333 John R Troy, MI 48085

[www.athens.k12.mi.us](http://www.athens.k12.mi.us)



## TICKET ORDER FORM

### Performance Dates

Friday, November 10      8:01 pm  
Saturday, November 11      3:00 pm  
Friday, November 17      8:01 pm  
Saturday, November 18      3:00 pm  
Sunday, November 19      3:00 pm

Please circle the performance and indicate in the box below the number of tickets needed, name, and phone number.

Use ONE form for each performance.

**MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: ATC**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name (please print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number

### Tickets

**\$20.00 Adults \$15.00 Students/TSD**

**\$5.00 Seniors / Special Patrons**

**AHS Staff**  **TSD**

**Patron YES NO**

**ALL SEATS RESERVED**

Total # of Tickets: \_\_\_\_\_

**NO ADDITIONAL TICKETS ARE ABLE TO BE ADDED ONCE THIS RESERVATION IS RECEIVED. BE SURE TO INCLUDE YOUR WHOLE PARTY ON ONE ORDER.**

### **Athens Theatre Company**

4333 John R Road

Troy, MI 48065

Attr: Krista Manfredi

For assistance or any questions, call: 248.823.2923



# ATHENS HIGH SCHOOL WINTER SPORTS 23-24 TRYOUT INFORMATION



Your current sports physical must be uploaded into Final Forms prior to any sport tryout. [www.finalforms.com](http://www.finalforms.com)

## BOYS BASKETBALL -

Varsity Coach - Dave Scott [dscott@troy.k12.mi.us](mailto:dscott@troy.k12.mi.us)

If you are interested in playing boys' basketball this season, join our Schoology group for all information about this upcoming season. Our Schoology access code is:

**WFVBK-NSHZR**

Also, follow us on Twitter and Instagram:  
**@troyathenshoops**

We currently have workouts after school Monday, Wednesday and Thursday. HAWK Week will be 11/6-11/10 and our tryouts will be 11/13 and 11/14.



## GIRLS BASKETBALL -

Varsity Coach - Stacie Klumpp  
[sklumpp@troy.k12.mi.us](mailto:sklumpp@troy.k12.mi.us)

**Lady Red Hawk Basketball:** Please find more information at Twitter @AHSGirlsHoops and Schoology Group Access Code: **B9MJ9-7H227**

**Open gyms and Conditioning:** Sessions are voluntary and prospective players in all grades are encouraged to attend. They will take place on Tuesdays and Wednesdays 2:30-3:30 pm and Thursdays 6:00-7:00 pm.

**Tryouts 2023-2024:** Prospective players attend all sessions prior to Team Selections

Monday, November 20 -  
5:00-7:00 pm in Main Gym

Tuesday, November 21 -  
5:00-7:00 pm in Main Gym

Wednesday, November 22 - TBD

Monday, November 27 -  
6:30 pm Program Parent Meeting In TACC



## GIRLS SYNCHRONIZED SWIMMING -

Head Coach - Lori Uchwal-Hollier

For information please contact the coach at:  
[luchwal@troy.k12.mi.us](mailto:luchwal@troy.k12.mi.us)



## BOYS SWIM & DIVE -

Head Coach - Matt Butka

For information please contact the coach at:  
[mattbutka62@gmail.com](mailto:mattbutka62@gmail.com)



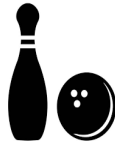
## BOYS / GIRLS BOWLING

Head Coach - Angie Vieira  
[rayv1228@gmail.com](mailto:rayv1228@gmail.com)

The season runs November - February

Tryouts are Monday, November 13th and Tuesday, November 14th, 5:00-7:00 pm at Escape Lanes.

First practice is Thursday, November 16th, 5:00-7:00 pm at Escape Lanes and we practice there Monday - Thursday 5:00-7:00 pm.



## WRESTLING -

Head Coach - Robby Keyes  
[keyesrobby@gmail.com](mailto:keyesrobby@gmail.com)

First practice is November 13th and will be held on the East Deck from 3:00-5:00 pm. There are no tryout and no experience is necessary. There are boys and girls divisions. Please contact the coach with any questions.



## COMPETITIVE CHEER -

Varsity Coach - Tina Brown  
[troyredhawkscheer@gmail.com](mailto:troyredhawkscheer@gmail.com)

Competitive Cheer tryouts will be November 6-10, 6:00-8:30 pm West Deck.



## TROY UNITED HOCKEY -

Coach Josh Brown - [jbhockey0827@gmail.com](mailto:jbhockey0827@gmail.com)

11/2-11/3 3:15-4:45 pm \$10 each skate  
@ Buffalo Wild Wings Arena

Contact the coach for any additional information.



For additional information, contact: Todd Heugh [theugh@troy.k12.mi.us](mailto:theugh@troy.k12.mi.us) or Lisa Buscemi [lbuscemi@troy.k12.mi.us](mailto:lbuscemi@troy.k12.mi.us)

# AHS COUNSELING

Follow Athens Counseling on  @AHS Counseling  
athenscounseling.weebly.com

**College Board Student Search Service** - Is your student planning to go to college? Please follow the link below to learn more about what the College Board Student Search Service can do for your college-bound student.

<https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/about/benefits/student-search-service>

- AP Testing - Please see flyers on pages 19 & 20 for AP Registration.
- For specific standardized testing information - visit [www.sat.org](http://www.sat.org) and [www.act.org](http://www.act.org)
- Transcripts - Request your transcript through [www.parchment.com](http://www.parchment.com) Create an account to request transcripts for colleges and NCAA. Instructions can also be located on the Counseling Weebly website: <http://athenscounseling.weebly.com>

## Michigan College Month Application Fee Waivers October 2023



### COLLEGES WITH NO APPLICATION FEES

- |                                |                                   |                                 |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Adrian College                 | Jackson College                   | Oakland University              |
| Albion College                 | Kalamazoo College                 | Rochester University            |
| Alma College                   | Kellogg Community College         | Saginaw Valley State University |
| Alpena Community College       | Kettering University              | Schoolcraft College             |
| Aquinas College                | Kirtland Community College        | Siena Heights University        |
| Concordia University Ann Arbor | Lake Superior State University    | Southwestern Michigan College   |
| Davenport University           | Macomb Community College          | Spring Arbor University         |
| Ferris State University        | Madonna University                | University of Detroit Mercy     |
| Glen Oaks Community College    | Michigan Technological University | University of Michigan*         |
| Gogebic Community College      | Muskegon Community College        | University of Michigan-Dearborn |
| Grand Rapids Community College | North Central Michigan College    | University of Michigan-Flint    |
| Grand Valley State University  | Northern Michigan University      | University of Olivet            |
| Henry Ford College             | Northwood University              | West Shore Community College    |
| Hope College                   | Oakland Community College         |                                 |

\* Students can request a fee waiver in the application. Waivers are automatically granted to students who qualify for free or reduced price lunch.

### COLLEGES WAIVING APPLICATION FEES

Institution	Dates	Waiver code (if needed)
Calvin University	Oct. 1-31	1876
Central Michigan University	Oct. 1-31	None for CMU app, FireUp2024 on Common App
Eastern Michigan University	Oct. 1-31	MCAM
Lawrence Technological University	Oct. 1-31	OCTOBER1932
Michigan State University	Oct. 1-21	Spartan1855
MSU Institute of Agricultural Technology	Oct. 1-31	
Saginaw Chippewa Tribal College	Oct. 1-31	
Western Michigan University	Oct. 1-31	

For institution-specific information on all 83 public and private, 2-year and 4-year institutions in Michigan, including admissions and financial aid, please visit MCAN's Michigan Institution Updates page at [tinyurl.com/mcanupdates](http://tinyurl.com/mcanupdates) or scan the QR code below with your smart device.





**PSAT / NMSQT**  
**11TH GRADE TESTING**  
**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18TH**

ALL JUNIORS WILL BE TAKING THE PSAT/NMSQT TEST IN THE AUX GYM ON OCTOBER 18TH. ADDITIONAL DETAILS COMING SOON.

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ATHENS HIGH SCHOOL

# COLLEGE & CAREER WEEK 2023



OCTOBER 16-20

MONDAY- COLLEGE CONVERSATION DAY

TUESDAY- CAREER DAY

WEDNESDAY- QUIZ DAY & JUNIOR PSAT

THURSDAY- CLASS CONTEST DAY

FRIDAY- COLLEGE SHIRT & RIVALRY DAY

## UPCOMING COLLEGE REP visits

- KETTERING UNIVERSITY 10/2/2023 8:30 AM
- MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY (auditorium) 10/3/2023 12:30 PM
- UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN (auditorium) 10/5/2023 9:30 AM
- CENTRAL MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY 10/9/2023 8:30 AM
- OAKLAND UNIVERSITY 10/10/2023 8:30 AM
- ALMA COLLEGE 10/11/2023 12:30 PM
- KALAMAZOO COLLEGE 10/16/2023 1:15 PM
- PURDUE UNIVERSITY 10/17/2023 8:30 AM
- UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA 10/20/2023 12:30 PM

*All visits in Counseling Office, Room 134, unless otherwise noted. Go to Sign-Up Genius to reserve your spot. Juniors & Seniors only. Please be sure to check in with hour teacher.*

### U.S. Selective Service - Registration for Men 18-25

Selective Service registration is required by law as the first part of a fair and equitable system that, if authorized by the President and Congress, would rapidly provide personnel to the Department of Defense while at the same time providing for an Alternative Service Program for conscientious objectors. By registering, a young man remains eligible for jobs, state-based student aid in 31 states, Federally-funded job training, and U.S. citizenship for immigrant men.

<https://www.sss.gov/Home/Registration>

Selective Service accepts early registrations as young as 17 years and 3 months. The Selective Service System has not now, or in the past, collected or shared any information which would indicate a man's immigration status, either documented or undocumented.

# MAAP

## Michigan Assured Admission Pact

Beginning with the class of 2024, MAAP ensures every Michigan high school graduate with a 3.0 GPA or higher will be admitted to participating universities.



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# **REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT INFORMATION FOR THE 2024 ADVANCED PLACEMENT (AP) EXAMS**

**SEPTEMBER 11 - OCTOBER 30, 2023:**  
**1ST SEMESTER & FULL-YEAR AP COURSES DEADLINE**

**JANUARY 22 - MARCH 4, 2024:**  
**2ND SEMESTER AP COURSES ONLY DEADLINE**

## **REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT CHECKLIST:**

\_\_\_\_\_ You must register for EVERY AP Exam that you plan on taking using the "Join Code" provided by your AP teacher(s). After joining your AP Classroom, you are automatically enrolled for the exam. **You must notify the counseling department if you no longer wish to take the exam BEFORE the deadline.**

\_\_\_\_\_ Complete payment for your exam(s) through the School Pay tab on the PowerSchool Parent Portal, or by check to "Athens High School". The cost of each AP exam is **\$100.00. AP Seminar & AP Research is \$145.00 each.**

<b>Example Number of Exams</b>	<b>Example of Cost</b>
1 Exam*	\$100
2 Exams*	\$200
3 Exams (1 is AP Seminar)	\$345
4 Exams*	\$400
AP Research OR AP Seminar	\$145

**Any student that has not completed all required steps will not have exams ordered. There are no refunds or late-testing exam orders after the registration deadline.**

Families who are enrolled in the **National Free and Reduced Lunch Program** may contact Mrs. Blazoff ([kblazoff@troy.k12.mi.us](mailto:kblazoff@troy.k12.mi.us)) for a reduced-price request. All requests are subject to review.

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## Athens Schedule for the First Week of AP Exams

	ARRIVE AT 7:20AM	ARRIVE AT 11:20AM
Monday May 6	U.S. Government	Chemistry
Tuesday May 7	Human Geography Microeconomics	Seminar Statistics
Wednesday May 8	English Literature	Computer Science A Comparative Government and Politics
Thursday May 9	Environmental Science	Psychology
Friday May 10	United States History	Macroeconomics

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## Athens Schedule for the Second Week of AP Exams

	ARRIVE AT 7:20AM	ARRIVE AT 11:20AM
Monday May 13	Calculus AB Calculus BC	
Tuesday May 14	English Language	Physics C: Mechanics Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism (2PM)
Wednesday May 15	French Language	Computer Science Principles
Thursday May 16	Spanish Language	Biology Japanese Language
Friday May 17		Physics 2

*For additional information, please visit the College Board website  
or the Athens Counseling Weebly Page:*

<http://athenscounseling.weebly.com/ap-testing.html>

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# ATTENTION PARENTS OF THE CLASS OF 2024: SENIOR PORTRAIT, YEARBOOK, SENIOR RECOGNITION AD INFO

The following few pages contain everything you need to know regarding **senior portraits, purchasing yearbooks and purchasing senior recognition ads.**

## SENIOR PORTRAITS

### Prestige:

- The following page contains a detailed letter from Prestige Portraits. Prestige is the preferred photographer of Athens. The yearbook program automatically receives the portraits of all students who take their portraits with Prestige. Once the portrait is taken, students will need to select their preferred pose. After that, everything is taken care of for them regarding the yearbook.
- Students can make their own appointment at any Prestige location anytime before the deadline.
- Athens will also be providing two dates in the fall for students to get their portraits taken at school for **FREE** (this is only for the headshot pose; any other desired senior poses would require an appointment). **Exact dates will be announced in the fall.**
- Students who take their headshot with Prestige also receive a copy of the senior composite. This is a **free gift from Prestige that includes all students photographed by Prestige.** Because it is a gift from Prestige, students who do not take a photo with Prestige cannot be included. **However, the senior composite is not the same thing as the yearbook; students who do not take a headshot with Prestige can be included in the yearbook (see below for more info).**

### Independent Photographers:

- While we do prefer students to enjoy the convenience and professionalism of Prestige, we understand that some may prefer to use an independent photographer. If you would like to submit a senior portrait from an independent photographer, the **required specifications are below:**
  - Must be an **INDOOR** headshot photo (just shoulders and head; outdoor and full body poses are **not permitted** for the senior headshot section of the yearbook)
  - Must be **1.375" by 1.875" at 300 dpi in jpeg format**
  - Must have a **WESTCOTT MOONLIGHT CLOUDSCAPE** background
  - Must be emailed to [athensyearbook5475@gmail.com](mailto:athensyearbook5475@gmail.com) by **Monday, December 4th, 2023 at 11:59 pm**
  - **Late submissions will NOT be accepted.**

**Note:** If you do not take a headshot with Prestige or submit your own from an independent photographer, we will include your school ID photo.

## PURCHASING YEARBOOKS:

- Yearbooks must be purchased online at [www.jostens.com](http://www.jostens.com)
- Search for Troy Athens High School once there
- More info/dates on following pages

## SENIOR RECOGNITION ADS:

- Senior recognition ads must be purchased online at [www.jostensadservice.com](http://www.jostensadservice.com)
- You will design the ad on this website; the yearbook staff does not design ad
- More info/dates on the following pages

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# MORE INFO ON SENIOR PORTRAITS FROM PRESTIGE

Dear Parents & Seniors of the Class of 2024 -

**Congratulations!** The excitement of senior year is just around the corner. Now is a good time to give your some information regarding your senior portraits.

The senior portrait - is there a more captivating or cherished remembrance of the senior year? We expect the ver best portrait program for our Red Hawk seniors. That is why **Prestige Portraits** has been serving our Athens community for many years and will continue to do so this year. These are just a few benefits of **Prestige Portraits** that we'd like to pass on:

- **Unsurpassed service and value!** Prestige offers early-bird specials and other incentives throughout the year to fit any budget. Assistance is also provided to every customer to help you select the best package to fit your needs!
- **Full-service yearbook support!** Your yearbook photos are delivered to the Athens yearbook adviser for you! Prestige also provides professional group and candid photos for the yearbook.
- **State-of-the-art facilities!** We encourage you to visit any of Prestige's convenient locations to check out the newest sets and backgrounds. Plus, each studio has steamers, hair dryers, and health/beauty supplies to be sure you look your best!
- **Class Composite!** As a gift you to and Athens, Prestige provides a class composite for the school and a copy for every student photo- graphed by Prestige.



Prestige wants to make our senior portrait experience as enjoyable as possible. Please call their **Ferndale Studio at 248.871.9898** or **Oakland Township at 248.377.2444** if you have any questions. If you would like to schedule an appointment, please do so early in order to guarantee availability.

**Deadline to be photographed  
(by Prestige) for the  
2024 yearbook:  
NOVEMBER 18th, 2023**

**Deadline to SELECT your  
preferred portrait/pose (through  
Prestige) for the yearbook:  
DECEMBER 4th, 2023  
at 11:59PM**

*\*If you do not select a portrait by the deadline date, the default portrait will be selected for you.*

The professional and friendly staff at Prestige are looking forward to hearing from you and are happy to assist you with your needs.

Sincerely,  
Sadie Best  
sbesl@troy.k12.mi.us  
Athens High School  
The Odyssey Yearbook Adviser

## PRESTIGE PORTRAITS LOCATION

Royal Oak/Ferndale  
1230 Woodward Hts  
248.871.9898

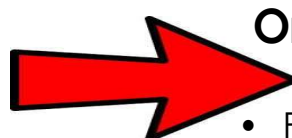
Oakland Township  
4906 Adams Rd.  
248.377.2444

Novi  
40000 Grand River Ave.  
248.427.1002

Shelby Township  
46855 Hayes Rd.  
586.532.9300

# MORE INFO ON PURCHASING A SENIOR RECOGNITION AD

Senior recognition ads are a great way for parents, families, and friends to commemorate student achievements and important milestones. In addition, revenue from senior recognition ads helps our school create a better yearbook. To purchase your ad online, follow the instructions below. **Jostens is managing all yearbook ad sales for Athens, so please do not send materials to the school regarding senior ads.** Please take into account the content guidelines below when creating your ad.



**Order your ad by January 26, 2023**

**Ads are full color**

- Full Page Ad (includes a free yearbook): \$375
- Half Page Ad: \$190
- Quarter Page Ad: \$100
- Eighth Page Ad: \$65

**EASY PAYMENT PLAN AVAILABLE FOR ORDERS OF \$30 OR MORE**

## CONTENT GUIDELINES AND FAQs

- Athens reserves the right to edit ads per our guidelines. Please make sure all submitted materials are appropriate for school publication
- We retain the right to remove any explicit text, graphic photos, or copyright-protected imagery or photos
- For your ad to appear in the yearbook, your ad must be purchased by the order deadline
- We will make every effort to use your layout and text as indicated. A proof will not be provided and **no changes can be made after purchase.**

### How are the ad prices determined and what is the money used for?

Ad prices are determined by the school. The revenue from ads helps support our yearbook and keep it affordable for everyone.

### How is the ad deadline determined?

The deadline is set by our school based on the production schedule for yearbook.

### Can I create my student's ad on my mobile device?

Yes, yearbook ads can be created online from both desktop or mobile devices.

### Can I send my materials to the school?

No, please do not send your materials to the school. Athens has selected Jostens to assist with our ad program. Please call our customer service number (800.358.0800) if you have questions or need assistance creating your ad.



**MORE QUESTIONS?  
CALL JOSTENS AT  
800.358.0800**





# SUPPORT TROY YOUTH ASSISTANCE



**Troy Youth Assistance is a non-profit organization focused on prevention and dedicated to the protection and advancement of at-risk youth.**

We have been supporting youth and families in Troy since 1958. As one of 26 Youth Assistance programs in Oakland County, our office operations are tri-sponsored by the Oakland County Circuit Court-Family Division, the Troy School District, and the City of Troy. **We rely on personal donations to fund the majority of our youth programs.**

#### Services provided:

- **Casework Services** offer confidential, short-term, family-centered counseling and referral services for youth
- **Family Education** offers youth workshops and parenting programs tailored to today's issues
- **Camp/Skill Building** provides scholarships for activities to youth who may need financial assistance
- **Mentors Plus** matches adult volunteers with youth who may need a mentor
- **Youth Involvement** sponsors activities to help youth interact positively with one another and their community
- **Youth Recognition** awards "Boost Grants" to high school students to help them overcome obstacles and continue their journey toward reaching their academic and professional goals

Contact us at 248-823-5095 or [TroyYouthAssistance@troy.k12.mi.us](mailto:TroyYouthAssistance@troy.k12.mi.us)  
[www.TroyYouthAssistance.org](http://www.TroyYouthAssistance.org)

**Please help us continue our work with your donation!**

Scan the QR code to give online  
or visit [www.TroyYouthAssistance.org/Donate](http://www.TroyYouthAssistance.org/Donate)



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**Mail your check to Troy Youth Assistance** with this form:

TYA, 4420 Livernois Rd., Troy, MI 48098

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

If you have a child in Troy schools, which school? \_\_\_\_\_



## Meet the Troy Foundation for Educational Excellence

Strong Schools. Strong Community.

We are a community-based nonprofit dedicated to supporting Troy School District students and teachers. Each year, we aim to give up to \$100,000 in **scholarships** for graduating seniors and **grants** to teachers, schools, and the whole district!

This year, we're asking for your help in reaching our goal!

### RECENT TFEЕ GRANTS

More than \$35,000 granted to classrooms, bringing teachers' great ideas to life for our students

\$55,000 granted to create classroom libraries for every TSD Middle School English, Language Arts and Special Education Teacher

Every TSD elementary school received thousands of new teacher selected books thanks to a \$40,000 literacy grant

With your support, we can do even more!

Giving is simple! You can donate online by visiting [TroyFoundation.org/Donate](https://TroyFoundation.org/Donate), scanning the QR code to the right, or by mailing a check made out to the Troy Foundation for Educational Excellence to 4400 Livernois Rd., Troy, MI 48098.



Scan to give online!

P.S. Do you know of a business that would be interested in supporting the TFEЕ? Contact us at [troyfoundation@gmail.com](mailto:troyfoundation@gmail.com) to learn about our new business partnership program!

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Mail donation and form to TFEЕ, 4400 Livernois Rd., Troy, MI 48098 or visit [troyfoundation.org/donate](https://troyfoundation.org/donate) to give online today!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

If you have children attending TSD, which school(s) do they attend? \_\_\_\_\_

## OCTOBER

04..... Count Day  
06..... Football Game - Home vs. Royal Oak 7:00 pm  
11..... PTO Meeting 7:00 pm  
12..... 1/2 Day - Conferences - Afternoon & Evening  
12..... Prestige Free Senior Headshots 1:00-7:00 pm  
13..... Football Game - Home vs. Troy 7:00 - 9:30 pm  
15..... AHS/THS Choir Cabaret at Athens 2:00 pm  
17..... Orchoberfest - 7:00 pm  
18..... Juniors ONLY - PSAT/NMSQT  
20..... Picture Re-Take Day  
20..... Football Game Away - Henry Ford II 7:00-9:30 pm  
26..... Senior Panoramic 7:45 am Main Gym

## AHS Administration

**Mr. Vernon K. Burden**  
*Principal*

**Ms. Megan Henry**  
*Asst. Principal A - L*

**Mr. Mike Munaco**  
*Asst. Principal M - Z*

## NOVEMBER

02..... End of 1st Marking Period  
03..... NO SCHOOL  
22-24 ... Thanksgiving Recess - NO SCHOOL

## TSD Administration

**Dr. Richard M. Machesky**  
*Superintendent of Schools*

**Mrs. Christine DiPilato**  
*Asst. Superintendent,  
Secondary Instruction*

### Board of Education

*President, Mr. Karl Schmidt  
Vice-President, Dr. Nicole Wilson  
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Trustee, Mrs. Vital Anne  
Trustee, Mr. Matthew Haupt  
Trustee, Dr. Nancy Phillippart*



Life starts all  
over again when  
it gets crisp  
in the fall.

- F. Scott Fitzgerald