

APRIL 2024



ORIOLE OUTLOOK

2023 National Blue Ribbon School

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From Mr. Shockley

INSPIRED STUDENTS.
ENGAGED LEARNERS.
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We now have only 18 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 6 and continue through May 17. 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 2023-24 school year to finish strong!

SAVE THE DATE: 2024 Oriole Preview Days will be on July 23rd (9:00am-3:00pm) and July 24th (12:00pm-7:00pm).

GO ORIOLES! #WeAreAvonWeAreOne

Save The Date

May

6th-17th	AP Exams
11th	Prom, Embassy Suites, 7:30pm-10:30pm
14th	Awards Night, invite only 6:00pm 9th-11th grade 7:00pm 12th grade
20th	Senior Final Exam Per. 5, 3:10pm Dismissal
21st	Senior Final Exam Per. 1, ALL Exam Per. 7, 3:10pm Dismissal
22st	Final Exam Per 2 and 4, 11:30am Dismissal
23rd	Final Exam Per 3 and 6, 11:30am Dismissal, Senior Last Day
24th	Final Exam Per 1 and 5, 11:30am Dismissal Commencement, 7:00pm, Indiana Convention Center, NO Tickets

July

23rd	Oriole Preview Days, 9:00am-3:00pm
24th	Oriole Preview Days, 12:00pm-7:00pm
31st	1st Day of School

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 Events

Club Corner



The AHS Student Government had a great Riley Dance Marathon this month! After a long hiatus, Student Government hosted a 3-on-3 basketball tournament and had bounce houses and food trucks for students to enjoy. In the end, the group raised almost \$4,000 for Riley Children's Hospital! We look forward to continuing this event next year!

The Junior Class will be hosting Prom on Saturday May 11th at Embassy Suites in Plainfield from 7:30pm to 10:30pm. Your students can purchase tickets here! <http://elweb.app/zrefesp>



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for the AHS 2024
AP Exam Schedule](#)

AP Testing Begins at AHS on May 6th

Over 1,700 AP exams will be given to over 900 students at AHS beginning on Monday, May 6th. 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

College Boot Camp will be offered this summer for class of 2025 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 Thursday, July 25th: 9:00-11:30am & 12:30-3:00pm. More information is coming soon!

Awards Night

Avon High School's 2024 Awards Night for grades 9-12 will be held on May 14th. This invitation-only event honors an outstanding student from each course at AHS, as well as other academic distinctions. Invitations will be mailed the week of May 6th.

Class of 2024 Decision Signing Day

Avon High School seniors get to announce their college, military, or career plans on Friday, May 3rd, in the Cafe Commons during all lunch periods. Seniors can take pictures with school signs and graduation-themed decorations as they celebrate finishing up at Avon. Congratulations to the class of 2024!



Senior Surveys

All seniors **MUST** complete this [Post Secondary Survey](#) by May 5th. This survey will tell us where to send our final transcripts, whether students will walk at graduation and other important end of the year information. The [Scholarship Survey](#) is also available which helps gather info for our Awards Night.

Indiana Online Summer Courses

Does your student want to take an online course this summer? Indiana Online summer registration is open now for the June 10-July 21 session. Indiana Online offers a wide variety of summer classes, including the graduation requirements of PE and Health. Students must talk to their counselor to get approval, then register at indianaonline.org. Registration is open until May 31st.

****Please note:** Students who drop a course after June 9th will be assessed a fee of \$50 per dropped course on their AHS fall 2024 book bills.

GUIDANCE
Updates

Important Senior Dates

Class of
2024
Avon High School

DATE	EVENT	TIME	DETAILS
Friday, May 3rd	Senior Decision Day	Lunches	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cafe Commons• Seniors get to announce their college, military, or career plans• Take pictures w/friends, school signs and graduation-themed decorations
Friday, May 24	Class of 2024 Commencement Practice	9:15am - 1:30pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Arrive 9:15am to main gym• Bus to convention center for practice (required to attend Friday night)• Bus back to AHS for senior luncheon
Friday, May 24	Class of 2024 Commencement	7:00pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Indiana Convention Center• No tickets required

Watch our [website](#) for updated information
as we get closer to each important senior date.

Order Information for Graduation

BEAUTIFUL BOUQUETS!

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a dozen roses, flower bouquets, graduate kukui nut necklaces, and graduation bears will be available at the ceremony!

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Liam Hoffman, IN Academic All-Star



Evening of Excellence

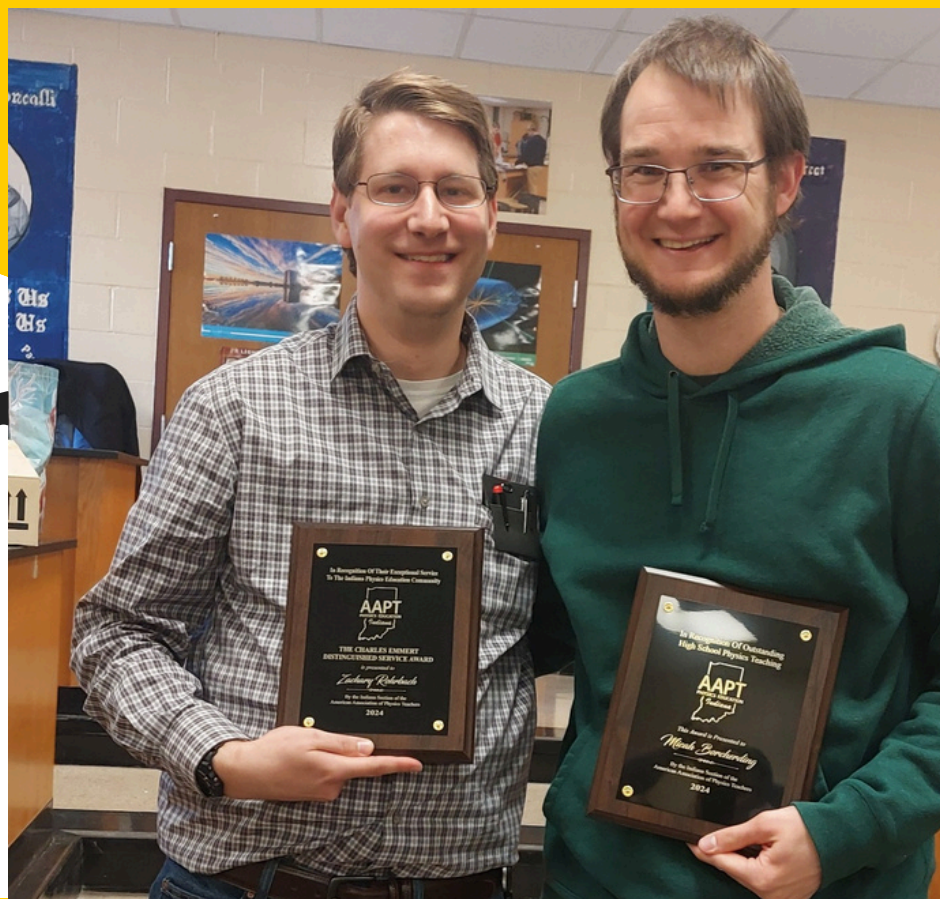


Celebrating the Top 25 of the Class of 2024

Esther Bankole-Brown, JAG National Champion



**Zach
Rohrbach,
Charles
Emmert
Distinguished
Service**



**Micah
Borcharding,
IN Physics
Teacher of
the Year**

Artscape at Avon Library



Athletic Signings



Career Fair



Choir



Mrs. Cope's Earth Space Class



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Shakespeare in Love



Students of the Month

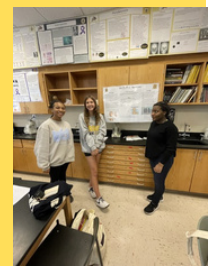
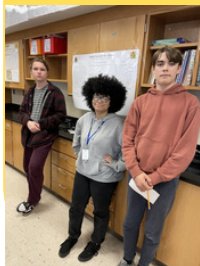


Congratulations to our March Students of the Month. They enjoyed lunch at Charbonos for displaying our values of being Accountable, Respectful, and Engaged.

Art - Dara Tunde-Babalola
Business - Skyln Ragland
FACS - Raigan Johnson
JAG - Esther Bankole-Brown
Language Arts - Jonathan Higgins
Math - Margaret Etta
Multi-Language Learners - Amena Saleh
Science - Noah Himes
Social Studies - Reese Moore
Engineering/Tech Ed - Matthew Eberhardt
World Language - Ian Tolentino

What's Happening in the Library

- **Congratulations to the Library Reading Contest Winners for March:**
- **Eric Mckinney, Aaron Abebe, Lay'Lianna Ballard, Sean Keenan, Kanyinsola Bankole Brown, Jabari Mason, Myah Brashear, and Aissatou Ndiaye**
- **Students have been researching inspirational people, genetic diseases, communication technology, fishing lure design, essential nutrients, sports and leisure in Spanish speaking countries.**
- **The Library Media students created and produced book talks and book trailers based on books in the library.**



[Click here to read more about the Art Show](#)



**AHS ART
SHOW**

TUESDAY, May 7th
5:30 - 7:30 PM
AHS COMMONS
ENTER THROUGH DOOR 33

**Please join us for our TENTH
annual High School Art Show!**

We have some extra special events for the evening along with our student's artwork!

- National Art Honors Society silent auction. Bid on artworks created around the theme of duality. Cash, check and credit accepted
- Makers Market Craft Show! 12 tables of handmade items for sale created by AHS students. Cash only

Riley Dance Marathon



..... Join the

Avon Schools Team!



Become a Substitute Teacher



SALARY BENEFITS

\$110/day (\$120 with valid teaching license)
\$55/half day (\$60 with valid teaching license)



BONUS

Any substitute teacher who completes 12 or more full day equivalent assignments during the course of a calendar month will receive an additional \$10/day compensation for those assignments.



FLEXIBLE SCHEDULES

Work as few as 4 days a month to as many as 4 days a week. Assignments can be accepted in advance to have a set schedule or accepted last minute.

A minimum of 20 credits from an accredited college or university - OR - related experience in an educational setting with a high school diploma.

Ready to Apply?

VISIT



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**[Click Here for
AHS Schedules](#)**

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**Inspired students.
Engaged learners.
Empowered citizens.**



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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 2023-2024 school year.



Immunizations

The Indiana State Department of Health sets the immunization requirements for students attending public schools in Indiana. For the 2023-2024 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.