

A message from the Superintendent of the Cherry Hill Public Schools.



CHPS WEEKLY

District News for the week ending December 20, 2019

Happy Holidays!

WE are entering one of the longest Winter Breaks we've ever had in the Cherry Hill Public Schools. Enjoy the time with family and friends!

UPCOMING
EVENTS

SCHOOLS CLOSED

Today's full day of school ushers us into a 10-day break, from tomorrow through January 1. I would like to take this opportunity to thank our entire staff and all of our parents for the continued hard work and support you all contribute toward the success of our students! The greatest part of the Cherry Hill School District is the people; the teachers and educational assistants, the administrators and nurses, the counselors and custodians, the secretaries and technology specialists, the volunteers and the service providers, and most importantly the students. As you plan for 2020, be sure to stay in touch with us on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) and [Instagram](#), where you'll find reminders, updates and wonderful stories about what's happening throughout CHPS.

As a reminder, grade-level-specific surveys seeking input on our strategic plan were emailed to all parents on Monday, December 16, and our staff received surveys as well – please fill out and submit these short surveys (you received one for each grade level your children attend) by January 10. **WE** greatly value your input and appreciate your voice! An [online survey for community members without children in our schools](#) also has been widely publicized, and is available in paper form at the Cherry Hill Public Library. Please encourage your friends, neighbors and relatives who are not CHPS parents to submit survey responses by January 10.

May your holiday celebrations be happy and your New Year be bright! Let's all contribute to 2020 being a Year of Kindness... tag us on social media ([@ChpsTweets on Twitter](#), [Cherry Hill Public Schools on Facebook](#), and [@chpsinsta on Instagram](#)) with examples of acts of kindness in our wonderful community! I will do the same!

I look forward to seeing you next year – on January 2, 2020!

Regards,

Joe Meloche

Joseph Meloche

Superintendent, Cherry Hill Public Schools

"Be a rainbow in someone's day."

December 23-January 1

[Policy & Legislation Committee Meeting](#)

January 6 @ 6 pm
Malberg Administration Building, 45 Ranoldo Terrace

[Committee agendas available online](#)

[Curriculum & Instruction Committee Meeting](#)

January 6 @ 7 pm
Malberg Administration Building, 45 Ranoldo Terrace

[Committee agendas available online](#)

[Business & Facilities Committee Meeting](#)

January 7 @ 6 pm
Malberg Administration Building, 45 Ranoldo Terrace

[Committee agendas available online](#)

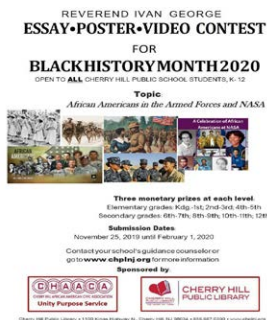
[Board of Education Reorganization Meeting](#)

January 7 @ 7 pm
Malberg Administration Building, 45 Ranoldo Terrace

[Strategic Planning Committee Meeting](#)

January 7
Immediately following 7 pm Reorganization Meeting
Malberg Administration Building, 45 Ranoldo Terrace

[Committee agendas available online](#)



Black History Month Essay, Poster, Video Contest Now Accepting Entries

The Rev. Ivan George Essay/Poster/Video Contest for Black History Month 2020 is now accepting entries from all Cherry Hill Public School students K-12. This year's topic is "African Americans in the Armed Forces and NASA." Entry deadline is February 1, 2020.

Three monetary prizes will be awarded at each grade level: K-1st; 2nd-3rd; 4th-5th; 6th-7th; 8th-9th; 10th-11th; and 12th.

[Details and official rules are available online.](#) More information also is available from your school guidance counselor and on the [Cherry Hill Library web site.](#)



Cherry Hill Hispanic Civic Association Hosts Three Kings Day Events

The Cherry Hill Hispanic Civic Association invites the community to join them in celebrating Three Kings Day on January 4, 2020, from 5-8 pm in the Cherry Hill High School West Cafeteria at 2101 Chapel Ave.

The celebration will feature Latin-inspired dishes such as empanadas, tacos, churros, and rosca de reyes. Food will be for sale for \$2 per item. Cash and credit cards will be accepted.

Also offered: FREE dance lessons!

For more information, please email chlatinos@gmail.com



High School Students Named to All South Jersey Instrumental Groups

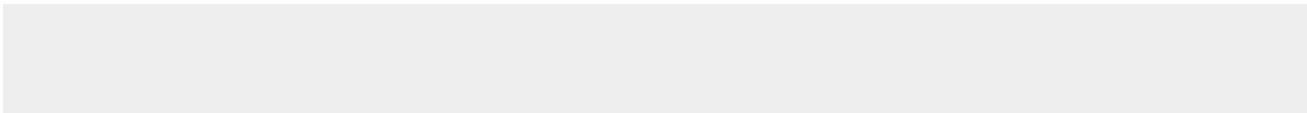
The All South Jersey Orchestra this year will benefit from 27 CHPS high school students who earned spots in the prestigious orchestra. Cherry Hill High School East's representation of 26 students marks the highest number of musicians who passed the exam out of all South Jersey high schools participating! East students also earned the highest scores for the violin, viola, cello and bass sections:

Rebecca Kim - Highest score in violin section, 1st chair
 Sehoon Kim - 2nd chair
 Erik Li - 3rd chair
 Joelle Kang - 4th chair
 Youbin Park
 Yitian Hope Xu
 Daniel Kwon
 Youjin Park

Kevin Zhou
Alan Zheng
Erik Li
Gary Yu
Amanda Chen
Vincent Lau
Ben Fu
Tyler Wegrzyn
Veronica Oreshko
Darren Zhou
Jaclyn Kim - Highest score in
viola section, 1st chair
Alena Zhang - 2nd chair
Emmanuel Kim
Manish Thirumoorthi
Noah Wu - Highest score in
Cello section, 1st chair
Jessica Wang
Bernard Chen - highest
score in bass section, 1st
chair

Cherry Hill High School West
sophomore flutist Sarah
Davidson earned a seat not
only in All South Jersey
Orchestra, but in All South
Jersey Wind Ensemble, and
in All South Jersey Flute
Quartet.

Congratulations to all!



You are receiving this email because of your relationship with Cherry Hill Public Schools. If you wish to stop receiving email updates sent through the Blackboard service, please [unsubscribe](#).

Cherry Hill Public Schools | 45 Ranoldo Terrace, Cherry Hill, NJ 08034 | 856-429-5600