

# Trumbull High School Daily Announcements

Monday, October 21, 2024

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## NEW INFORMATION

- **SHADES:** Join SHADES after school on Thursday 10/24 to learn more about the Hindu celebration of Dwali. There will be crafts, snacks, learning, and fun. We'll learn about and paint clay diyas which we'll donate to the celebrating community. Donations are welcome! See you in B10.
- **School Magazine:** Submit any creative artwork or writing to the school magazine! First deadline is Monday, December 2nd! Check your grade level classrooms for directions on how to submit!
- **The Geography Club** is meeting on Monday 10/21 afterschool in A18.
- **Eagles Eye:** The THS school newspaper, Eagle's Eye, will have a full-staff meeting on Monday 10/21 immediately after school in the library. All current and prospective members are encouraged to attend. Bring your story ideas!
- **My Friend Abby, Inc.** Opportunity for volunteer community service hours! My Friend Abby, Inc. invites you to join us on Friday, Oct 25th from 3-4:30pm in the SENIOR LOUNGE. Come and listen to guest speaker Johnny Crowder, mental health entrepreneur, TEDx speaker, and CEO of Cope Notes. Johnny will share his inspiring story on resilience and perseverance through life's challenges.
- **Volunteer Activity** --> After Johnny's Q&A session, you would participate in two simple & creative projects of "positive affirmation". One project will be utilized at a community event that evening, and one project is yours to keep. Everyone and anyone are welcome!! To sign up, email [sofia@myfriendabby.org](mailto:sofia@myfriendabby.org)
- **The Great Pumpkin Classic** needs student volunteers on Sunday October 20th from 7:30-11:30am. Students can sign up to volunteer at Great Pumpkin Classic Volunteer Registration ([runsignup.com](https://runsignup.com)) or contact Ms. Lobdell in A House. [clobdell@trumbullps.net](mailto:clobdell@trumbullps.net). If you wish to run or walk please sign up at Great Pumpkin Classic ([runsignup.com](https://runsignup.com)). Come on out and support the THS Scholarship Foundation and have a lot of fun too!!!
- **Dia de los Muertos:** Please join us in C29 for Spanish club after school on Monday, the 21st of October. We will be celebrating Día de los Muertos (Day of the Dead) with fun activities, friends and food!
- **Boys Basketball:** There will be a Boys Basketball meeting held on Thursday, October 24th at 2:45 in the Aux gym for any boys interested in trying out for Boys Basketball this year. Please plan to attend to learn more about the registration process and tryouts.

- **The Red Cross Club** will meet after school on Wednesday, October 23rd in Room B1. New members are welcome to attend. Hope to see you there!
- **Best Buddies:** The next Best Buddies meeting will be on 10/30 in the Senior Lounge, 2:30-3:15. Hope to see everyone there!
- **Junior Cotillion:** Table sign-ups for Junior Cotillion will be occurring Thursday, October 24th after school in B31 (Upper No Name). Sign up forms will be made available on the Class of 2026 google classroom on 10/21 and in house offices. Only one person from each table needs to come after school to have their table verified by the class officers and advisors. Tables can fit up to 10 people, and groups smaller than 10 will be placed with other groups.
- **Allies for Angels:** The next meeting of Allies for Angels will take place on Thursday, October 24 after school in A17. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Rubano at [rubanok@trumbullps.org](mailto:rubanok@trumbullps.org).
- **COLT POETRY RECITATION CLUB:** We have a meeting next Thursday 10/24 in C33. We will be selecting our languages, levels and poems! New members are welcome!
- **October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month** and the Trumbull Public Schools are taking '**The Pink Pledge**' to support the Norma Pfriem Breast Center. 100% of proceeds go directly to their patients. Trumbull students are encouraged to wear pink and send in a \$1 donation in an envelope marked "**Pink Pledge**". To donate online, please use THS's fundraising link <https://www.justgiving.com/page/trumbull-high-school-pinkpledge24?newPage=true>.
- **THS goes PINK** on Friday, October 18th in honor of Breast Cancer Awareness Month. We encourage everyone to wear pink during the school day and at the football game. Limited edition 2024 "merch" is on sale in the school store NOW.

T-shirts are \$20 and Hoodies are \$30 with a portion of proceeds being donated to support this important cause. The school store accepts cash, credit cards, and Apple pay. We will also have beads, sunglasses, and pink eye black stickers so you can really show your spirit!

- **SENIORS** - Graduation cap and gown orders are now being accepted through the Infinite Campus portal. A complete package including a gown, cap and tassel is \$50. A cap and tassel only is \$35. The strict deadline for purchase is January 31, 2025. Place your order soon. No online orders will be accepted after February 1, 2025.
- **Soaring Eagles Studios:** Hey there eagles! We are thrilled to introduce you to Trumbull High Schools newest club; Soaring Eagle Studios. A student run broadcasting network, including 3 subdivisions: Eagle News Network (ENN), Aspire 2 Inspire, a 1v1 interview show and lastly 'Trumbull Talks: Beyond the Nest', our podcast where you can talk about anything and everything that you would like. Join us for our first meeting on **Thursday October 10th!** If you can't make it don't worry, it's never too late to join! We meet every Thursday afterschool in M16. Check out our link.

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- **DECA:** The next meeting will be Monday October 21st. All students attending Fall Leadership MUST attend. We will also discuss campaigns at this meeting.
- **The Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW)** is sponsoring the Voice of Democracy essay contest. This year's theme is, "Is America Today Our Forefathers' Vision? This is a great opportunity for you to win a scholarship. The deadline to submit the essay is October 31. For more information, please see Mrs. Rubano (Upper B House Social Studies Office) or send an email to [rubanok@trumbullps.org](mailto:rubanok@trumbullps.org) or [krubano@trumbullps.net](mailto:krubano@trumbullps.net). Flyers are posted on the bulletin boards of A, B, and C Houses.
- **The Interact Club** meeting will be held on October 21st at 2:30 in B13. New members are always welcome!
- **Rock Climbing:** If you've ever wanted to try rock climbing, now is your chance! Rock Climb Fairfield is hosting an open house for THS students on Sunday October 27th. Come climb for free. Email Mr. Bracksieck to RSVP or if you have any questions. Get added to the Climbing Classroom for more updates and announcements. For more information, check out the flyer: <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1t1QLJCSHmOkbudjNww1eottZaSnMEEs5/view?usp=sharing>
- **Jane Ryan's 42<sup>nd</sup> Pumpkin Fair:** Volunteers needed to help out on Oct.19th. Use this link to sign up. <https://pta.ivolunteer.com/jr2024pumpkinfair>
- **Powderpuff Football:** Save the date! The Powderpuff game will be held on Friday, November 25<sup>th</sup>. Volunteers are needed. Please email Beck Rizzo at [rlionsrizzo@sbcglobal.net](mailto:rlionsrizzo@sbcglobal.net) or text 203-260-8454 for more information.
- **Parks & Recreation Fall Festival** - volunteers requested - Trumbull Town Hall & Gazebo - 10/26 11:30-3:30 pm (rain date 10/27) - please email Erica Pivor [epivor@trumbull-ct.gov](mailto:epivor@trumbull-ct.gov) if you're interested in volunteering
- **Two volunteer opportunities:** (1) Friday, October 25, 2024 to help decorate the NIA House for Halloween and put favor bags together, 1773 Huntington Turnpike, Trumbull. 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. (2) Sunday, October 27th Annual Halloween Parade/Party. Arrive at the United Methodist Church Parking lot across from the NIA House at 1:30 p.m. Help check guests in at the event, help lead kids to the NIA in a parade, help judge costumes, give out goody bags and prizes, help kids with crafts. Time: 1:30 to 4:00 p.m. Attire: Dress in costume if you like or orange or black clothes. Volunteer Contact: Katie Miller-Creagh, cell # 631-275-0442.
- **Wrestling:** Any person, Male or Female who is interested in wrestling this year, please see Coach Anderson in the gymnasium at your convenience. You will be invited to join the Wrestling Google Classroom.
- **The next Book Club meeting** is on Monday, October 28th at 2:30 in B13. New members are always welcome!
- **Trumbull Tutors:** Nonprofit organization specializing in providing free tutoring services to students K-12<sup>th</sup> grade in Trumbull. Please visit the website: <https://trumbulltutors.org/>.

- **Student Correspondent:** The PTA Council is looking for a student to provide reporting on the fun and exciting activities happening at Middlebrook, Daniels Farm and Booth Hill schools. Student will reach out to each school and provide a quick 2 minutes summary on the recent and future activities at each school. Meetings will be held: 10/28, 1/27 and 4/28. If interested, please reach out to the PTAC President Jonathan Dizney by 10/4 ([yale97man@yahoo.com](mailto:yale97man@yahoo.com)).

## COLLEGE & CAREER

**CT State Community College** - for any students considering CT State Community College, Housatonic is having an open house 11/6 from 4:30-7 pm - learn about academic/workforce programs, the free tuition program, hear from students/faculty and tour campus - for more information contact Earl Graham: [earl.graham@ctstate.edu](mailto:earl.graham@ctstate.edu)

**Tufts Regional Information Session** - October 17th 7 pm - Fairfield Ludlow High School - Join a session to learn about Tufts, ask questions, and meet an admissions officer. Register: <https://ugrad.admissions.tufts.edu/register/?id=bb9490e0-eaad-4351-9fc5-8892fe66e265>

**College Rep Visits** - begin on September 16th for juniors/seniors in the college & career center, they will take place both in-person and virtually this school year, please see the list of schools visiting in Naviance and watch this short video on how to attend and what to expect: <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1IEHBmVOyNiN-BdmyKUptfuMrvOhUT9XZ/view>. Please reach out with any questions, [sacollins@trumbullps.org](mailto:sacollins@trumbullps.org)

**Computer/HER @ Curry College** - Conference - October 16th - 9 am-2:30 pm - one-day conference designed to engage and inspire young women looking to pursue careers in data & computer sciences. Sophomores, juniors and seniors are welcome to attend. There is no charge, lunch is included. More information, registration: <https://www.curry.edu/about-us/news-and-events/events/comput-her-conference-2024-at-curry-college>.

**Henkel** – November 15th - For all junior/senior students interested in careers in Chemistry or Chemical Engineering, we will be taking a field trip to Henkel in Trumbull on November 15th. Permission slips can be picked up in the college & career center. Please turn in permission slips to Mrs. Collins in the College & Career Center by November 8th. Spots are first-come, first-served (once Mrs. Collins has your permission slip). Please see Mrs. Collins with questions.