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Weekly Update – February 7, 2025

Good Afternoon, THS Families,

Our mild winter has started to shift this week! Students have begun to engage in the course selection process for the next school year. To learn how your student can make an appointment with their school counselor, please see the letter sent earlier this week by [clicking here](#). A complete list of our offerings can be found in our [Program of Studies](#) should you want to review choices with your student. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out to your student's counselor.

During the week, we learned of two of our students who placed first in the PTA-sponsored "Reflections" contest. Congratulations to Ria Beri, '27, who won in the Literature category for a submission called "The Cracked Clay Lamp", and Melanie Hoyuen, '27, who won in the Film category for a film entitled "Koshka and His Magic 8-Ball". We are very proud!

This past Wednesday, we hosted our annual Transition program for the class of 2029; we are very excited to welcome them officially as Trumbull Eagles this coming August!

Finally, please continue to read below to learn about our students recognized for displaying one of the skills or dispositions listed in Trumbull Public Schools Vision of the Graduate, as well as use the links to review additional details about upcoming events and happenings at THS.

Go Eagles!

Sincerely,

Todd G. Manuel
Principal, Trumbull High School

To keep up on all other THS happenings, please follow us on social media @trumbullhs on Facebook, Instagram and X.

Office of the Dean's List – January

We are excited to share our continuation of our student recognition program. On Wednesday, Trumbull High School honored 24 students for the January Office of the Dean's List. These students were nominated by a staff member for demonstrating one of the skills and dispositions of the Trumbull Public Schools [Vision of a Graduate](#) during the month of January. Each student demonstrated one or more of the following skills and dispositions: collaboration, communication, critical thinking & problem solving, emotional intelligence, growth mindset, integrity, and self-efficacy.



Please join me in recognizing the following students, in alphabetical order:
Alyssa Algeri, Isabella Ayres, Luis Borba, Allie Borgia, Henry Cooke, Abigail Dayton, Delia Fruin, Kayla Gbado, Conor Glynn, PJ Gramesty, Eliza Harry, Edson Hernandez, Jenny Hua, Sara Kubicko, David Kuhn, Lucas Leon, Noor Nasir, Matt Pires, Shia Reid, Sabrina Shimonov, Mirivon Tavares. Not pictured: Kyla Hilinski, Jorge Shopis, Edihanne Vilsaint

<p>Notable Events - Please Mark Your Calendars!</p>	<p>Feb. 14 No School Feb. 15 WGI Winter Percussion Regional Show Feb. 17 No School – Presidents’ Day/Washington’s Birthday Feb. 25 7:00 pm TPAUD-Sponsored Virtual Screening, “Screenagers”</p> <p><u>Looking Further:</u> March 6 Parent/Teacher Conferences (Save the Date) March 8 Design Thinking Sprint & Competition, see flyer March 14-16, 21-22 THS Musical Performance: <i>Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat</i> March 17 No School for students, Professional Development Day April 2 CT SAT school day administration April 4 Sophomore Dance @ Trumbull Marriott May 30 Senior Prom @ Amber Room</p>
<p>SAT Prep Courses Get Ready!</p>	<p>SAT prep courses in ELA and Math will be offered through Trumbull Continuing Education beginning January 2025. More information, including descriptions of offerings, will be posted on the website www.trumbullconted.org. <i>Trumbull High School’s school day SAT for Juniors will be on April 2, 2025!</i></p>
<p>Cafeteria Clean Up Expectations</p> <p>Your help is needed please!</p>	<p>As many students have different lunch waves than they did in semester 1, it is a great time to remind and reinforce expectations. In an effort to keep our cafeteria/commons and lounge areas clean, we have an expectation that students clean up and dispose of their food in the identified garbage, recycling or compost receptacles. We appreciate your taking time to discuss this expectation with your student(s).</p> <p><i>Let’s each please take pride in keeping our school as clean as possible!</i></p>
<p>IMPORTANT: Student Absence Notification</p>	<p>Our families will continue to have the ability to report full day absences, late arrivals and early dismissals via their Infinite Campus Parent Portal using the mobile app or website in place of calling the school attendance line. For specific directions on how to report an absence via the Infinite Campus Portal, click here.</p> <p>As a reminder, families will receive notification of absences on an ongoing basis when students exceed the allowable absence threshold for each of their classes. This notification is aligned to TPS Policy 5113 High School Attendance/Loss of Credit, which can be viewed here. Also, a visual regarding the allowable number of absences per course can be found on page 4 of the policy or via this link.</p>
<p>Yearbook Information</p>	<p>Yearbook Purchases - The pre-order period for yearbooks has closed. We placed our order and there are a small number of extra copies available. Sales will continue online (Yearbook Order Center, use job number 14201) until we run out of copies.</p> <p>Senior Yearbook Dedications - We have approximately 1 page of space in our senior dedications section. Did you miss your chance to place a dedication ad? Contact THSTrillium@gmail.com to reserve a 1/16, 1/8, or 1/4 page space. You can also use ad space for businesses or sports booster ads. Visit this link to view prices/sizes. These ads will be sold on a first come, first served basis.</p>
<p>Weller Scholarship Opportunities for the Class of 2025</p>	<p>Senior students have an opportunity to win a Weller Foundation Scholarship. To gather more information about the various Weller Foundation Scholarships offered by the Weller Foundation, please access the following link: https://bartonwellerfoundation.com/foundation/ and click on the “Our Scholarships” tab. Students should read the criteria as well as the rules and regulations regarding each of the scholarships. Please bring applications and secondary materials (if required) to Mrs. Codd in C- House by February 24.</p>
<p>TPAUD-Sponsored “Screenagers”</p>	<p>Join us for a free, virtual film showing and discussion panel of Screenagers: Under the Influence on Tuesday, February 25th, from 7-8:30 pm. Examine the impact of our digital age on teens’ decision-making in relation to substances such as vaping, drugs, and alcohol, exploring the latest research and learning more about the personal experiences of teens and families. The film highlights the changing landscape of substances themselves, offering solutions for how we can best empower our teens to make informed and healthy choices. Register here or at www.TPAUD.org.</p>

PTSA Information



Please join via the QR Code!

THS PTSA Meetings - We encourage parents, teachers, and students to attend. Future meetings, 7:00 p.m., Senior Lounge, are March 10 and May 12.

Volunteers Needed! POST PROM is in the planning stages. All grade-level parents are needed to make this a success. Please reach out to Diana Inesta to volunteer: dianainesta124@gmail.com
The next Post Prom meeting is Tuesday, 2/11/25, 7:00 pm, Hillcrest Middle School, front entrance.

THS Ski Trips! There is still time to sign up for the THS Ski trips! Trips are Feb. 8 and March 8. More details and sign-up form can be found in your student's Google Classroom. If your student already signed up, please be sure you have sent in your payment.

We are excited to offer you this link to access our [PTSA Newsletter!](#)