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AAST in the Burroughs and Chapin Art Competition



Mar. 24 - Mar. 28, 2025



HEY AAST!

CONGRATS ON BEING JURIED IN

to the 25th Annual Horry-Georgetown County High
Schools Juried Art Exhibition at the Art Museum:

EMILY BELL | A DANCE THROUGH DIFFERENT LANDS
ALEXANDRA BELTRAN | MAKE THE IMPOSSIBLE POSSIBLE
JAYSON BUALA | 2ND BIRTH
LEE CAVINEE | 50%
BOKI COOK | TAXI BACK TO 80S REYKJAVIK
EMMELINE CRISP | DUCK LAKE
BROOKLYN DICKSON | PASSING DOWN LOVE
SOPHIA FLEMING | ORIENTAL DWARF KINGFISHER
HEAVEN FLEMING | NATURAL STATE
ELLARIE FLUET | CANNED CRAB
SOPHIEA GILBERT | PRINCESS URDUJA
OWEN GUTOVITZ | FLIGHT OF THE CICADA
CHAYANNE HANFORD | OUT OF PLACE
MAYA HARRIS | GENERATIONAL BLOOM
ELIZABETH LAWSON | COLORS OF THE PACIFIC
GREYSON MCKENZIE | TRANQUILITY OF THE MARSH
STELLA MCWILLIAMS | DISCONNECTED
KAELEEN MULA | THE BEAUTY OF NATURE
ANGELINA NGUYEN | INTERWOVEN IDENTITIES
RYLEE O'LEARY | LOST AT THOUGHT
ZACCHAEUS QUICK | RECONSTRUCTION
WILLIAM ROBINSON | PLAINS
JULIA SALEERY | CONFLICT OF INTEREST
KAYLEE SMITH | THE SUNBEARER
DESTINY TUCKER | OPPOSING A THUNDERSTORM

Twenty-five AAST students have been accepted into the Horry-Georgetown County High School Juried Art Exhibition, also known as the Burroughs & Chapin Competition. This annual art competition offers students the chance to be recognized for their talent and even earn scholarships. An awards reception will take place at the Myrtle Beach Art Museum on Sunday, May 4, and artwork will be on display from May 4th to June 1st. Visitors to the museum will see the assembled work of young artists from across the community and can also vote for their favorite work of art to receive the People's Choice Award.

Upcoming Events



TSA SLC
MAR 28-29

ROBOTICS
MAR 6-8, MAR 21-22

WIN TEST
APRIL 2

CYBERPATRIOT
COMPETITION
APRIL 12

HCS TECH FAIR
APRIL 16

TEDDY BEAR CLINIC
APRIL 10 AND 17

SIDEWALK CHALK DAY
APRIL 17

AAST SPRING GALA
MAY 2

MAY 27
AAST SENIOR CEREMONY

AAST March Student of the Month: Cadence Kenion



Congratulations to AAST's March Student of the Month, Cadence Kenion! Cadence consistently demonstrates exceptional leadership skills both in her classes and as a member of the AAST student council. Her devotion to her school is evident through her commitment to enhancing the school community and encouraging others to participate, notably through her significant involvement in organizing the winter dance. Her exemplary work ethic and positive demeanor are reflected in her punctuality and proactive approach to addressing concerns. Furthermore, Cadence is always eager to lend a hand, readily offering her support to both classmates and teachers. She truly embodies #koipride in all her endeavors.

Studmuffin Volleyball

On Wednesday, AAST held its annual Stud Muffin Volleyball game. Congratulations to all who participated! What a great event to raise money for Meals on Wheels. Thanks also go to Ocean Bay Middle for allowing us to use their gym!



Jostens Photography Workshop

Several members of the yearbook staff attended a photography workshop sponsored by Jostens. The instructor was an award-winning photographer and yearbook advisor. The students worked on skills like stop-motion, framing, camera settings, and enhanced lighting.



Aluminum Assault Team 1287



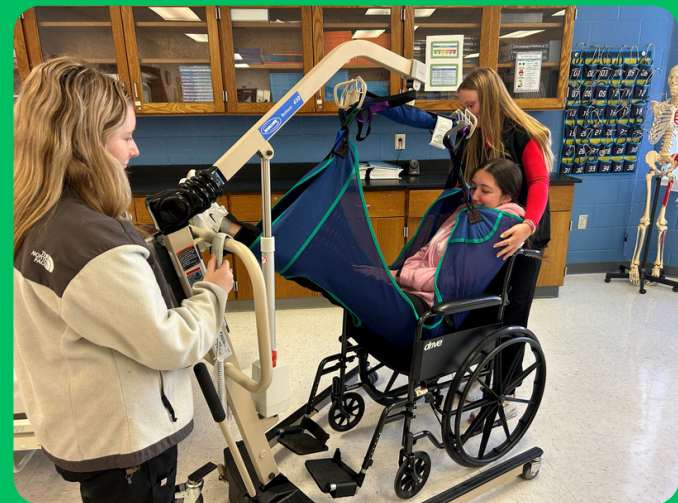
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Clinical Studies Skills



This week in Mrs. Zanelli's Clinical Studies Class, students practiced a multitude of skills including: using a Hoyer lift to move patients safely from the bed to the wheelchair, patient dental hygiene, and using the clock-method for assisting patients with vision impairments how to feed themselves. It was a great week in our Clinical Studies Lab!



HCS SSoY Banquet



On Thursday evening, HCS held a formal celebration to honor the nominees for Support Staff of the Year. Ms. Patricia Bean, AAST's amazing bookkeeper and Support Staff of the Year, proudly represented AAST at the banquet. We greatly value Ms. Bean and deeply appreciate her contributions to our school!

NEHS Backpack Buddies Drive



As part of their latest service project, members of the National English Honor Society spent the month of March collecting donations of food, school supplies, and personal care items for Backpack Buddies, a local organization dedicated to providing food for children in Horry County facing food insecurity. NEHS is proud to assist Backpack Buddies by providing donations that will help deliver nearly 3,000 food packs each week to children in need, making a significant impact in the fight against hunger.

Thanks to the incredible generosity of the AAST community, we successfully gathered 1,111 items to support this important cause! We extend a heartfelt thank you to everyone who contributed—your kindness and support made a difference!



**New HCS
Electronic
Device
Policy**

**Please review
the AAST
Student
Handbook
linked below:
AAST Student
Handbook**

**SAFETY
FIRST**

Click the links below to learn more about AAST's plans to keep our kids safe!

Standard Response Protocol for Parents (English)
Standard Response Protocol for Parents (Spanish)
School Safety Poster

Senior Pre-Med Internships



Mrs. Lewis' Public Health seniors are currently completing their internships at McLeod Seacoast Hospital!

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