

HURON HIGH SCHOOL
INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE WORLD SCHOOL

Fifty-seventh
**COMMENCEMENT
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6:00 PM, Wednesday, June 4, 2025
EMU George Gervin GameAbove Center
Ypsilanti, Michigan

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HURON HIGH SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION

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| Ché Carter | <i>Principal</i> |
| Marcus Edmondson | <i>Assistant Principal/Grades 11 (A-K) & 12</i> |
| Claire Federhofer | <i>Assistant Principal/Grades 10 & 11 (L-Z)</i> |
| James Trush | <i>Assistant Principal/Athletic Director</i> |
| Karen Siegel | <i>Dean</i> |

HURON HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR CLASS PERSONNEL

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| Marcus Edmondson | <i>Assistant Principal</i> |
| Kaylene Larsen | <i>Office Professional</i> |
| Joel Hacker | <i>Counselor (I-Mars)</i> |
| Tiffany Kincaid | <i>Counselor (Mart-P)</i> |
| Emily Mashal | <i>Counselor (Rising Scholars)</i> |
| Nicole Nunlee | <i>Counselor (Q-Tan)</i> |
| Nina Perko | <i>Counselor (Tar-Z)</i> |
| Heather Potocki | <i>Counselor (A-Chi)</i> |
| Caitlin Van Cleve | <i>Counselor (Cho-Gl)</i> |

Program

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| PROCESSIONAL <i>Pomp and Circumstance</i> | Symphony Band and Orchestra Edward Elgar |
| NATIONAL ANTHEM <i>The Star Spangled Banner</i> | Choir Seniors Francis Scott Key |
| WELCOME | William Epps Class of 2025 |
| PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE | Ché Carter Principal |
| MUSIC SELECTION <i>America the Beautiful</i> | Bel Canto and A Cappella Choirs, Symphony Band, and Orchestra Samuel Ward, arr. Dragon |
| CLASS MESSAGE | Eseose Onehireba Class of 2025 |
| MUSIC SELECTION “(I’ve Had) The Time of My Life” Bill Medley & Jennifer Warnes | Raphael Allen, LaMar Ashford III Kai Farjo, Jay Hoskeri Selene Koremenos-Tsebelis, Lianne Liu Desmond Lorenz, Yair Martinez, Cameron Payne and Irene Wang |
| PRESENTATION OF THE CLASS GIFTS | Selene Koremenos-Tsebelis & Katherine Ma Class of 2025 |
| ACCEPTANCE OF CLASS GIFTS | Board of Education |
| HURON ALMA MATER <i>On the Banks of the Huron</i> | Bel Canto and A Cappella Choirs, Symphony Band, and Orchestra Berofsky (’18), Collins (’18), and Hoffmeyer (’19) Noah Walter, Student Conductor |
| CITIZENSHIP AND SCHOLARSHIP HONORS | Ché Carter Principal |
| COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS | Eric Geiger Mathematics Teacher |
| PRESENTATION OF THE CLASS OF 2025 | Jazz Parks Superintendent of Schools |
| PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS | Ché Carter Principal |
| LAST OFFICIAL ACT | Marcus Edmondson Principal, Class of 2025 |
| RECESSIONAL <i>Throne Room and End Credits from Star Wars</i> | Symphony Band and Orchestra John Williams |

Seniors

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| Yaseen Omar Abdala | Julia Lynn Brinker | * Ethan Bradley Demps |
| Jenna Maamoon Abufarha | † Walker Jerry Brose | Aaron Kevin Denlar |
| * Ismail Abdulkadir Adan | Kaleb Nathaniel Brown | Aidan David Dennis |
| Ian Joseph Advey | Mason Douglas Brown | † Olli Katherine Dey |
| Hasibullah Afghan | Charmin Lyn Brownlee Jr | Diego Diaz-Randolph |
| Tamana Afghan | Dallis C Bryant | Jennifer Jasmine Diaz Jr |
| Dulce Areli Aguilar Aguinaga | † ◇ Olivia Joann Burk | Brandon Jaime Dixon |
| * Yousif Basil Ali Al-Askary | Angel LaShay Burns-Hargrove | Trent Christopher Dixon |
| † Aryo Alesafar Jr | † Δ ◇ Kelsey Darragh Burton-Weisman | † Δ ◇ Phuong-Anh Minh Do |
| Sedrah Mohammad Alghazawi | Jayden Michael Bush | ¥ Aidan Douglas Dooley |
| * ◇ Isa Sameer Alhachami | Seniya Jaiden-Nicole Byrd | † Δ Selah Joy Dowell |
| Fautimah Ali | Isabella Rae Caddell | † Δ ¥ Finn Malachy Doxey Van Heest |
| † ◇ Raphael Silva Allen | † Δ ¥ ◇ Julia Blythe Caird | † Savannah Paige Duman |
| Adyien Jokoi Alston | * Nathaly Anai Callejas-Gomez | Alvin D Dumas III |
| † ◇ Maya Alzebdeh | † Δ Charlie Joseph Calvin | * Liam Douglas Engling |
| Amilcar Alfredo Amador-Juarez | Marcos Fransisco Carbary | * William D Epps |
| † Cayley Letonia Angeli | † Δ ¥ ◇ Grace Olivia Caris | Brenda Patricia Escalante Carmona |
| * Danari Takay Anthony | † ◇ Nathaniel Grant Caris | † Eliana Maria Esteva |
| Guadalupe America Aparicio | † Δ ¥ ◇ Olivia Anne Carlson | † Δ ◇ Anthony Jiangyu Fan |
| † Achilles Marcus Pantola Aquino | * Avalon Carridine | † Δ ¥ ◇ Kai Ziad Farjo |
| * ¥ Hamza Eli Romero Archer | Ashon Shelton Carter | Daniel Lawrence Feltner |
| Mohamad Aryan | † Δ Ψ Antonio Cassone | Aliyah Dynelle Ferguson |
| Bryan Eduain Asencio-Escobar | Ryan Josue' Cerdas | † Benjamin Arthur Ferguson VI |
| LaMar Ashford III | † Δ Anna Meidi Chang | † Shannon Valentina Fiddy |
| † ¥ ◇ Mazen Ihemed Assanein | † Δ ◇ Ψ Serena Joyce Chang | † Δ ◇ Sophia Alice Fine |
| Jude Reem Awad Sr | † Δ Rebecca Xier Cheng | Diego Ivan Flores Monroy |
| Laila Nasima Azad | † ◇ Alice Choi | Rome David Fromm |
| Mohammad Elham Azizi | † Δ ◇ Kirsten Eurim Choi | Taij Diyin Frye |
| † Δ ¥ Rebecca T Backues | † ◇ Imani Jazilah Chowdhury | † Δ Kyle Fu |
| † Damani G Bah | † Julianna Scarlett Colbeck | † Δ ◇ Maya Fu |
| † Δ ¥ Martin Castle Bailey | † Δ ◇ Emmi Conrad | † Joseph David Fuller |
| Katherine Nicole Banta | Braylon Neiko Cooper | Trenton LaMar Gabriel |
| † Graham Michael Barnett | Eric J Cooper | † Erich Leal Gaffield |
| * ¥ Nathan Phillip Barnett | Anyela Gissel Cordon Perdomo | † Adonis Emilio Garcia Sr |
| † ◇ Ashe Miguel Baskey | † Juliana Marina Cordon Salguero | Ria Sutomo Gardner |
| Tessa Grace Bates | † Δ Svetlana Michelle Corneil | Lidia Juliel Garduno Ronquillo |
| † ¥ Porter Joseph Batzdorfer | Damien Matthew Corry | Catherine Olivia Gaul |
| Jose Javier Bautista Reyes | * Min Shu Coulombe | Daniel Majed Ghussaini |
| Caleb Q Beach | † Akeira Vonyae Covington | ¥ Selina Noelle Edrina Gibbs |
| Hezekyah Malik Bell | ¥ Ψ Eloise Saoussen Ksenia Cras | † Becker Gibson |
| * Alyssa Bellaire-Jones | Charis Danielle Crawford | Sophie Grace Gibson |
| Jamison Black Bear | * Maximo Edison D'Andrea | * ¥ Nakkia Marie Gimson |
| † ¥ Jonathan Mark Boerst | Azareya Dameron-Fly | Cantona Kamau Gitau |
| Kendra Nicole Bogan | Siri Tseganesh Darby-Zhao | Kahun Isaiah Glenn |
| † Δ Angela Niu Bolon | † Δ Manisha Datar | Peter Tom Goffas |
| † Devin Kemna Boster | Javon LeSane David-Perez | † Δ ◇ Iris Jialu Gong |
| † Ravinath Boulton | Will James Luke Davies | † Δ Fabrizio Jahred Gonzalez-Flores |
| † Δ ◇ Ψ Bernhard Joseph Bowman | † Cristina Camille Davillier | † Raquel Gonzalez-Romero |
| Ashton D Brann | Allison De La Cruz-Morales | Orlando Argeliz Gonzalez |

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| † Brandon DeWayne Graham Evan Jason Gray Julia Isabel Gray | † Δ ◇ Helen Marie Kolias Seth Allan Konapek Nouhoum Kone | Kerstin Abigail Mejia Martinez Katya Rachel Mendez-Reyes * Arthur Adrian Menor |
| † Δ Rowan Paul Grenier | † ◇ Selene Koremenos-Tsebelis | † Mackenzey Marie Mills |
| † Δ ¥ ◇ Wilhelmine Weeks Guenther * Warren Petrocella Gunnar Angie Guo | † ◇ Jonah Forrest Kraft | Maida Mohamud Mohamed |
| † ◇ Valerie Ann Habib | † Δ Dominic Virgilio Krzesowiak Aditya Kumar | † Δ ◇ Madeline Elizabeth Montgomery Lizzie Danaija Iris Moore Macari T Moore |
| † Δ ¥ Audrey Marie Hargett Christian Jacob Harris | † Δ Max James Kunnath | Daniel Ray-Louis Morton Jr |
| † Δ ◇ Jackson Lohman Harris | † Mikael Isiah LaGrand-Thomas Jr Sam Lama | † ◇ Aiko Leighton Motohara |
| † Jay Copado Hatch Thomas Carleton Hathaway V | † Kaimi B Maiki Larkin Miriam Yaneth Lazaro Hernandez Wilmer Arturo Lazo-Garcia | † ¥ ◇ Sala Leighton Motohara |
| † Kennady Taylor Haygood Taylor Leona Hayward | † Δ Anna Yerri Lee | † Ψ Nathan Yves Mouliere |
| † Janine M Hazucha Grace Ellen Heard Christopher Hermida Nunez Rashelle Alexandra Hernandez-Calleja Alayna Joyce Hester Vladimir Maurice Hill | † Δ ◇ Joel Sung Lee | † Δ ◇ Kendra Elizabeth Muenz |
| † ◇ Jay Nikhil Hoskeri Destiny Ceierra Houge | † ¥ ◇ Sophia Grace Grzelak Lee Tiara Tania Leggett Prince Devin Patrick Lewis | † Δ ◇ Aditya Mahendra Muli |
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| † Δ ◇ Ψ Myra Ye Jamin Cameron Lee Jarvis | † Δ ◇ Qian Li | † Δ Thaian Xuan Nguyen |
| † Δ Isabelle Thi Jeppesen | † Ψ Zara Lin | † Trang Phuong Nguyen Ahmad Mustafa Noori Irene Nyiramugisha |
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| † Khalil Gabriel Jones Miguel Jose De Jones Nahla Jones Santana Jayden Jones Alondra Jurado | † Ariana Renee Lonsbury | * ¥ Adeyinka Olowoye |
| † Djaba Kaba Mohamed Baba Kaba | † ¥ Elia Marquesa Lopez | * Eseose Virtue Onehireba |
| † Δ ◇ Olivia Grace Kalikin Holly Lynne Kangas Sarine Allegra Kazanjian | † Δ ◇ Katelyn Anya Lu | † Elliot James Oostendorp Avigail Zara Ortiz-Trejo |
| † Δ Jaydon Craig Keefer Sunny Siobhan Kernahan Jordan Daniel Kerr | † ◇ Jonas Taylor Lyle | † Δ Evelyn Lorraine Ostergren |
| † Δ Elise Ruth Khang | † Δ ◇ Ethan Toby Lyu | † Δ Kiara Padilla |
| † Δ ◇ Ashley Kim | † Δ ◇ Ψ Katherine Annie Ma Gabrielle Simone Mack | † Δ ◇ Lucinda Grace Paliani Jeremiah Devante Pankey |
| † Δ Hajune David Kim Ryan Christopher King Kashan Christopher Klein * Joseph Rolland Knudsen | † Δ Maxwell Lantz Maley Siarrah Sylvia Martin Jose de Jesus Martinez Delgado * Emanuel Martinez-Salazar * Aaron John Martinez Damian Christopher Martinez Tuula Esther Martinez Yair Cerda Martinez | † Δ ¥ Ψ Elsa Pasquariello |
| | † Δ Maya Erica Martinson Kayden Curtis Mashtare * Alazar Alexis Masumbuko | † ¥ ◇ Ashley Margaret Paterson |
| | † ¥ Noah Cooper Mattson Addyson Saraya Mayo KeShawn Caven McBride | † Δ ◇ Caleb Nicholas Patterson Zanei Nivon Patterson Nevaeh Jamee Pena |
| | ¥ Nicholas Andrew McCalla | † Solana Maria Peralta Ingrid Yesenia Perez Lopez * Christopher Ryan Petzak |
| | † Talia Marie McCommons Noah Major McCoy Raeshawnna Kimberly Delise McCullough | † Δ Brady Pinto |
| | † Δ Nathan Patrick McGough Brianna McLaughlin | * ¥ Eliana Victoria Piper |
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| | † Δ ◇ John Burr McWilliams Justin Michael Meath Mahdi Mechlih Briana Ann Meikle | † Δ ◇ Miles Zhi Yong Pratt † Jesslyn Anna Pryor † Ryland Kyle Quann Julia Lynn Quantock |
| | | † ¥ ◇ Rania Rafiq Leonardo Vitor Raizel Leela Ramaswami Asavia Reeves * Adrian Braxton Reid Jr Vincent Ren † Emilee Addison Rhodes † Δ ¥ ◇ Grant Darius Richmond |

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| * Lucy Madeline Riley | Bianca Sotorrio | Shamila Wakileey |
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| ¥ Jacob K Robinson-Mayer | † Δ ◇ Greta Sperre | † Δ ◇ Claire Yuewei Wang |
| Jayvon Sencear Robinson | † Δ ◇ Anna Marie Stenger | † Δ ¥ Clarrie XiaoHe Wang |
| Lidia Karen Rodriguez-Trejo | * Joshua Watts Stephany | * Irene Wang |
| Josue David Romero-Acosta | * Terron Kenyatta Stewart | Timothy Tianming Wang |
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| * Bailey Cecile Rowland | † Δ ◇ Maya Ariana Sudhan | Ciara Arlise Wesley |
| Helen Christine Runowski | * Jada An Sundrla | † ¥ Mackenzie Renee West |
| Lauren Marie Moral Rustia | Sinai Ivana Sutton | Rylan Thomas Whaley |
| † Δ Madison Rose Sabel | † Δ ¥ ◇ William J Sutton | Bryan Oneal White |
| Setayesh Sahibzadah | † Δ ¥ ◇ Ψ Itono Suzuki | Shamari Marie White |
| ◇ † Δ Jamal Max Samaha | † Δ ¥ ◇ Ψ Koito Suzuki | † ◇ Ana Chang-Guo Wilkins |
| † Javeriya Sana | ◇ Alexander Olegovich Svintsitski | † DeAndre Williams |
| Rashad Nassirou Sani | † Eli Rey Tafoya | Isaac Newton Hezekiah Simon Williams |
| † Δ ◇ Chloe Jude Sasena | † ¥ Asishram Reddy Tamalampudi | Savannah Jamiah Jahara Williams |
| * Asher Roth Sawatzky | † Δ ◇ Xingzhi Tan | Dominick Perry Williamson |
| † Δ Seth Benjamin Schiller-Childs | † Δ ¥ ◇ Ψ Sandra Johanna Tarnutzer | Jason Winterhalter |
| † Anna Elizabeth Schneider | * K'Lyn Emon Taylor-Neely | Michael Craig Wood |
| † ¥ ◇ Molly Catherine Schneidewind | Shekenih Taylor | † Spencer Julian Wood |
| Joseph Nah HyunSoo Schult | † Δ ◇ Dominic Joonseok Tchun | ¥ Derrick Keith Wynn III |
| Julius Ashton Seal | † Δ Adam Thanaporn | † Δ ◇ Luochen Andy Xu |
| * Julian James Sedayao | Dominic Torres | † Δ ¥ Zachary More Xu |
| ¥ Alexis Andrea See | Jean Claude Kwami Toviave Jr | Yakub Saidzoda Yakubov |
| † Δ ◇ Anjali Maathurii Senthooan | Devin Mallik Traylor | † Δ ◇ Grace Xinyi Yang |
| † ◇ Davina Seth | † Lael Joy Trent | ¥ Zander Tximmeej Yang |
| Jaya Nichelle Shah | † Lucas Tudose | † Lucas Pereira Yiu |
| † Kyce Shamma | † Keegan Aaron Turley | † Δ Hyun Ji Yoon |
| Jaden John Shelton | Skyler Susumu Lawrence Tuttle | Layla ChaAnn Young |
| Koya Tecumseh-Matsuzaka Siegfried | ¥ Yehor Tytiuk | † Kendan Ho Ming Yue |
| Evelin Valeria Silvar-Rodriguez | Heillin Valencia Mendoza | † Δ ◇ Hosanna Zerisenai |
| Angelica Gabriela Simionescu | Mariah Claudette Vasquez | † Δ Matthew Zhang |
| ¥ Sheadyn Addison Simoneau | Jennifer Vega-Corona | † Δ ◇ Yuanchen Zhao |
| † Kelsey Lynn Sinkiewicz | Cruz Gerardo Vergara | † Δ ¥ Leo Alexander Zielinski |
| * Nailah Chenucha Sirirathasuk | * Azalia Starr Vetter | † Δ Lily Amelia Zocher |
| Caleb Ricardo Smith | † ¥ Tristan Ben Villa | † ◇ Irmuun Zolboo |
| Harmony Grace Smith | † Δ ◇ Adit Vuppala | † Bright Mawuli Zor |

PROGRAM LEGENDS

- Δ SCHOLAR AWARD – Cumulative grade point average of 3.90 or better
† HONOR AWARD - Cumulative grade point average of 3.50 or better
* COMMENDED AWARD - Cumulative grade point average of 3.20 to 3.49
¥ INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE CANDIDATE
◇ NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY
Ψ SEAL OF BILITERACY

GOWN ACCENT SIGNIFICANCE

- WHITE CORD - Annual Honor Award for one year
BRONZE CORD- Annual Honor Award for two years
SILVER CORD- Annual Honor Award for three years
GREEN CORD - Annual Honor Award for four years
GOLD CORD - National Honor Society

Huron High School Faculty and Staff

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| Allison Andres | Peter Cunningham | Sheri Horwitz | Samantha Monroe | Pamela Thomas |
| Gina Angeli | Michael Damron | Melissa Hosman | Lauren Moon | Suzanne Thompson |
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| Jennifer Barcelata | Samantha Dye | Michaela Kass | John Packard* | Caitlin Van Cleve |
| Shaima Basuni | Allison Echlin | Anna Kauffman | Shenida Page | Kelly Van Ee |
| Trevor Bechtel | Marcus Edmondson | Tiffany Kincaid | Benjamin Patterson | Daniel Verdugo |
| Maureen Becker | Sharell Elam | Kristie King-Freyre | Antonina Perko | Lyndsey Vockel |
| Kevin Behmer | Christopher Erickson | Noa Knoerl-Morill | Nicole Pilkins | Viviana Vogiatzi |
| Lisa Benton* | Daniel Etz | Lisa Kohl | Bruce Popejoy | Kent Wattleworth |
| Joshua Bihary | Claire Federhofer | Timothy Krohn | Heather Potocki | Stephen Wheeler |
| Sarah Boehm | Garai Fields | Kristin Kubacki | Evaristo Rodriguez | Marie Whybark |
| Susan Bowes | Rhonda Ford | Lauren Kuta | Toni Royer | Stephanie Wiggins |
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| Ann Burdick* | Kristen Fraser | Kaylene Larsen | Jeremy Schuitman | Joshua Williams |
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| Jennifer Colby | Aimee Grant | Tristan Marshall-Diver | Sara Smigell | Megan Wyandt |
| Andrew Collins | Phillip Drue Gray | Emily Mashal | Andrew Smith* | Christina Zager |
| Pauline Conley | Sara Gudzinski | Kristin McDowell | Reid Smith | |
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| Steve Copeland | Martha Hale | Laura Mills | James Troy Stevens | |
| Linda Corlew | Darryl Hayes | Luke Milne | Anthony Stewart | |
| Daniell Crowley | Michele Heiney | Melissa Mistak | Victoria Sturt | |

* *Retirees*

Huron High School Retiring Faculty and Staff

Lisa Benton ~ closes her 31-year journey in public education with 25 of those years dedicated to Huron High School. A dynamic and passionate science educator, Lisa has taught nearly every science course imaginable, including Chemistry at every level, Physics, Environmental Science, Biology, and even Algebra and Life Skills in alternative settings. Her classroom was a place of curiosity, experimentation, and rigor. While she doesn't name one single proudest moment, she reflects with gratitude on a career filled with powerful, unforgettable memories with students. Lisa is excited for a retirement full of snowboarding, sailing, gardening, and reading simply for joy. Her parting wisdom to future educators is clear: hold fast to good teaching, no matter the trends, and always make time for yourself

Ann Burdick ~ retires after 25 years as a school nurse, following a 15-year career as a staff nurse at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital. Over the past six years at Huron, Ann has been a compassionate and steady presence for health-impacted students and their families, many of whom she's supported since their elementary years. Her proudest moments come from hearing families say, "We're so glad you're the nurse at Huron." Ann has served countless AAPS buildings and Willow Run Community Schools, building deep trust and relationships. She looks forward to "relaxed starts", travel near and far, and more visits to her children in Washington, D.C., California, Texas, and Mexico. Her advice to new school nurses is heartfelt: learn from your students, lean on your peers, and allow yourself to grow into the role. Ann shares her life with her husband Fred and their four grown children and hopes to adopt a cat pending spousal approval.

Carrie James ~ concludes a 30-year career in education, having spent the last 7.5 years at Huron High School. Carrie began teaching in 1999 and brought a wealth of experience from Lahser High School and Bloomfield Hills before making a tremendous impact at Huron. While she taught a range of social studies courses, including World Studies, U.S. History, and AP Economics, it was her work designing and launching the Career-related Programme that stands as her proudest professional accomplishment. Carrie's love for students, colleagues, and community was evident in every relationship she built, and she leaves behind a program that is transforming students' lives and futures. In retirement, she looks forward to exploring hobbies, diving into family genealogy, and supporting historical societies. Carrie encourages new educators to love their work and make wise financial choices early. She shares her journey with her husband Mike, their two children, Andrew and Lauren, and a lively group of pets: Monty the dog and two cats, Cookie and Josh.

Andy Smith ~ retires after an extraordinary 38-year career in education, 26 of which were spent at Huron High School. Andy brought German to life for thousands of students and sprinkled in lessons from history and philosophy along the way. His classroom was a space for thought, laughter, and discovery. For Andy, the proudest moments came not in the spotlight, but in quiet notes and visits from former students who told him how deeply his teaching had shaped their thinking. He now looks forward to visiting his son in Austria, volunteering, gardening, and perhaps even substitute teaching from time to time. Andy reminds new educators to build systems that make the work sustainable. He is grateful for the partnership of his wife, Roxanne, and proud of his son Jakob, who is finishing a Ph.D. in Vienna.

PRESIDENTIAL SCHOLAR CANDIDATES

Claire Wang

NATIONAL MERIT FINALISTS

Julia B. Caird
Olivia A. Carlson
Albert Y. Hu
Myra Y. Jamin
Olivia G. Kalikin

Selene Koremenos-Tsebelis
Qian Li
Katelyn A. Lu
Maya E. Martinson
Soobin K. Na
Hah Jin Jin Oh

Brady Pinto
Claire Y. Wang
Claire X. Wang
Grace X. Yang
Matthew Y. Zhang

LOCAL AWARDS

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| AAACF Community Scholarship | Fabrizio Gonzalez-Flores, Cesar Ojeda, Trenton Gabriel, Alexis See, Danari Anthony |
| ABM Services Scholarship | Selina Gibbs |
| Bob Ufer Memorial Scholarship | Maya Martinson |
| Burt Black Memorial Scholarship | Trenton Gabriel |
| Chartwells Scholarship | Terron Stewart |
| Darlene Tankersley Scholarship | Wilmer Arturo Lazo-Garcia, Cesar Ojeda |
| Durham Transportation Services Scholarship | Christopher Hermida Nunez, Kendan Yue |
| Jane Landefeld Scholarship | RoFael Jackson Jr. |
| Kent Overbey Scholarship | Walker Brose |
| Linda Grasselli Sprinkle Scholarship | Ryland Quann, Kendan Yue |
| Lisa Ann Gallagher Scholarship | Angela Bolon, Anna Stenger |
| Max E “Toby” Tobias Scholarship | Maya Sudhan |
| Mike Lapprich Memorial Scholarship | Kyle Fu |
| Morse B. Barker Memorial Scholarship | Danari Anthony, Mariah Vasquez, Jane Ireland |
| Southeastern Conference All-Academic Award | Damani Bah, Ashe Baskey, Julia Caird Jaydon Keefer, Maya Martinson |
| Wendy Moorhead Scholarship | Julieta Turon |

PTSO AWARDS FOR EXCELLENCE

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| CTE: Auto Services Technology | Dominick Williamson |
| CTE: Business | Ryland Quann |
| CTE: Cosmetology | Talia McCommons |
| CTE: Family Consumer Science | Mariah Vasquez |
| CTE: Health Sciences | Eseose Onehireba |
| CTE: Homebuilding | Noah Mattson |
| CTE: Hospitality and Culinary Arts | Tayla Nesmith |
| CTE: Marketing | Alexis See |
| CTE: Project Lead the Way Engineering Program | Jaydon Keefer |
| Computer Science | Erich Gaffield |
| Counseling | Cayley Angeli |
| English | Audrey Hargett |
| Humanities | Max Kunnath |
| IB Career Program | Jonathan Boerst |
| IB Diploma Program | Elsa Pasquariello |
| Mathematics | Brady Pinto |
| Music: Band | Liv Kalikin |
| Music: Choir | Eliana Esteva |
| Music: Orchestra | Trevor Nelson |
| OSE | Adrian Reid |
| Physical Education/Health | Joseph Knudsen |
| Science | Anna Stenger |
| Social Studies | Davina Seth |
| Visual Arts 2D | Jay Hatch |
| Visual Arts 3D | Lily Zocher |
| Visual Arts: Digital | Angie Gao |
| World Language: Arabic | Grant Richmond |
| World Language: French | Sophia Lee |
| World Language: German | Greta Sperrie |
| World Language: Mandarin Chinese | Wilhelmine Guenther |
| World Language: Spanish | Clarrie Wang |

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HURON HIGH SCHOOL CITIZENSHIP AND SCHOLARSHIP HONORS

Huron High School gives special recognition to seniors who are designated by the faculty and staff to be outstanding scholars and citizens. The following awards will be given out this evening to twelve top seniors.

Paul K. Meyers Award

Named for the first principal of Huron High School, this is a recognition of good scholarship, clean personal character, leadership of fellow students, and dependability in worthy enterprises and service to the school in athletics, public speaking, dramatics, music, art, publications, student government, etc.

University of Michigan Citizenship Award

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Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Award

Special recognition to those who have made outstanding contributions in the field of civil rights. The intent of this award is to honor those students who have personal relations that reflect respect and consideration for others regardless of race or status, display leadership in promoting respect and consideration, have been actively engaged in organized efforts at Huron High to improve human relationships and have challenged the students and faculty to recognize those prejudices which interfere with good human relationships.

Dr. Joetta Mial Understanding and Sharing Diversity Award

Special recognition to those who have made outstanding contributions to understanding, sharing, and appreciating the cultural diversity of Huron. The intent of this award is to honor those students who demonstrate the following characteristics: a knowledge and understanding of cultural, ethnic, racial, and religious differences; an appreciation of the contributions, styles, and values of others; an ability to communicate and actively share their understanding and appreciation with other students; and scholarship and citizenship should be considered.

Charles Baird Humanitarian Award

This award is not intended to be given for popularity or academic achievement, or leadership or extensive participation. It is intended for humanitarian service toward others using the following items of basic guidelines: humanitarian attitude toward classmates; high moral character and outstanding dependability; and an unselfish outlook.

Dr. Arthur L. Williams Integrity Award

Named for the former principal of Huron High School, this recognition is given to those who have made outstanding contributions to Huron High School. The intent of the award is to honor those students who have made positive contributions to the Huron climate and display the characteristics of friendship, understanding, and optimism



ALMA MATER

On the Banks of the Huron

Facing a new day, we turn toward the light.
The dawn shines again through Ann Arbor.
Armed with our pencils, we study and write
On the banks of the Huron.

The days turn to months, and the months turn to years.
We've learned and we've grown, and we've conquered our fears.
Embracing our differences, now we stand strong
On the Banks of the Huron.

Now we're surrounded with friends near and far,
As we face the world and its wonders.
With hope for tomorrow, we gaze at the stars
On the banks of the Huron.

The nights when the dawn seemed like miles out of sight
Together we stand 'til the morning brings light.
Through joy and through suffering, we've carried on,
On the banks of the Huron.

*Written by Charles Berofsky ('18), Mary Collins ('18),
and Kaye Hoffmeyer ('19), in celebration of the
50th Anniversary of Huron High School*



Dear Guest of the 2025 Huron High School Graduating Class:

Welcome to the 2025 Commencement. This graduation ceremony honors four years of high school education. We attach a high value to that education and believe that you do the same. That value is best represented by a dignified graduation ceremony, one that the graduates can cherish with pride. Help us to ensure that dignity by refraining from any of the following types of activities that can tarnish a beautiful occasion:

- Cheering for individual graduates out of respect for fellow students.
- Using noise makers such as sirens, horns, etc.
- Leaving your seat (except for emergencies) during the ceremony prior to the time that the graduates have left the arena floor.
- Pictures may be taken from your seats. If we can have the cooperation of the audience with this request, we will have demonstrated in a most appropriate manner our respect not only for their education but also for the graduates themselves.
- Families and guests of graduates will remain seated until all of the graduates have been dismissed and have exited the arena floor.

On behalf of the Class of 2025, we thank you for following our expectations and guidelines.

Sincerely,

The Huron Administrative Team



MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of Ann Arbor Huron High School is to inspire and advance academic achievement for all students through excellence in teaching, learning, and equitable practices. Students will be challenged to be successful, caring, life-long learners and active members of the global community.