

Conant Media Center Newsletter

HELLO APRIL...

April brings longer days, blooming flowers, and the fresh energy of spring. It's the perfect time to refresh our goals, embrace new ideas, and enjoy the energy that spring brings.

National Poetry Month

National Poetry Month is the world's largest literary celebration, held each April to highlight the vital role poetry plays in our culture. Established in 1996 by the Academy of American Poets, this month-long event celebrates poets, supports publishers, and encourages people of all ages to read, write and share poetry.



Upcoming Events

- April 3 - no school
- April 6 - Book Club Meeting
- April 9 - Stick Together Mosaic
- April 10 - I-Fair
- April 13 - Deck the Books
- April 15&16- ACT Testing
- April 19-25 - National Library Week
- April 20 &22 - Resume Workshop
- April 23 - Senior Job Fair @SHS
- April 24&25 - Spring Play
- April 28 - Late Start

National Library Week

April 19-25, 2026

National Library Week is a time to celebrate the many ways libraries bring people together, spark imagination, and support lifelong learning. From books and digital resources to computer assistance and creative programming, libraries play a vital role in building strong, connected communities.

For more information about National Library Week, please visit here.



Please return your books

All library books are due on:

SENIORS : May 1st

ALL OTHER STUDENTS: May 8th

We'll be visiting classrooms soon to check on students with overdue books. Want to skip the visit? You can return your books early—just drop them off at the library anytime!

Author Day Recap

We were excited to welcome our visiting authors last month! Students had a wonderful opportunity to hear about the writing process and the publishing world. Students were able to ask questions and connect with stories in a meaningful way. We were especially proud of the students who participated by reading their own writing. Thank you to our authors—and to our student readers—for an inspiring and engaging day!



STAFF BOOK RECOMMENDATIONS

The Inheritance Games by Jennifer Lynn Barnes

Hollow Fires by Samira Ahmed

Better Than the Movies by Lynn Painter

The Fault in Our Stars by John Green

The Kiss Bet, Vol. 1,2,3 , Ingrid Ochoa

Legends & Lattes by Travis Baldree

The Alchemist by Paulo Coelho

The Hunger Games by Suzanne Collins

XOXO by Axie Oh



Visit from the Schaumburg Library

A big thank you to Miss Abbey from the Schaumburg Public Library for visiting our school library! Students enjoyed a fun, hands-on activity making their own keychains, and had a great time talking about books and sharing their reading experiences.



Book Club Meeting

Thank you to all book club participants who attended the last meeting. Don't forget our next Book Club Meeting will be on **Monday April 6th**, after school in the library. We will discuss the book:

Join the library's
Schoolology Group
to stay on top of
current library
events:
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**Six Crimson
Cranes by
Elizabeth Lim**



We would like to thank all the students who participated in Book Club throughout the whole school year! Students who would like to join next year can join our Schoolology Page for more information.

Stick Together Mosaic

Stick Together Mosaic - April 9

One of the things that makes CHS truly special is our strong and supportive community of students and teachers!

Celebrate our community by visiting the **Stick Together Mosaic in the Media Center**. One half of the mosaic will be completed by teachers, and the other half by students.

Let's see which group finishes their side first!
All are welcomed and we'd love to see you.

APRIL

2026

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Book Club Council	2	3 No School	4
5	6 Book Club Six Crimson Cranes	7	8	9 Stick Together Mosaic	10 I-Fair	11
12	13 Deck the Books	14	15 ACT Testing	16 ACT Testing	17	18
19 National Library Week!!!	20 Resume Workshop Day 1	21	22 Resume Workshop Day 2	23 Senior Job Fair @SHS	24	25
26	27 Build your TBR Mini Books Update	28 Late Start	29 *End of the Year Party	30		

Library Spotlight

Resume Workshop and Senior Job Fair

During the lunch periods, the CHS Media Center is hosting a **2-Day Resume Workshop**. Mrs. Schmitt and Ms. Stricker will be assisting in creating and editing resumes to prepare for the **Senior Job Fair** on **Thursday, 4/23, at Schaumburg High School**



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Book Club

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Genre:
Fantasy
Pages:
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