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From the SUPERINTENDENT'S DESK



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SIGNING DAY MARKS NEXT CHAPTER FOR OUR SENIORS

On Friday, April 10, we proudly recognized an outstanding group of senior student-athletes during our second Signing Day of the school year.

Surrounded by family, coaches, teammates, and staff, these students officially committed to continuing both their academic and athletic careers at the collegiate level. This achievement represents years of dedication, perseverance, and commitment.

We are incredibly proud of this exceptional group of athletes who have earned the opportunity to compete at the next level while continuing their education. Their success reflects not only their hard work, but also the strength of our athletic programs and the support of our school community.

Congratulations to the following:

- **Evan Barker** – Baseball, Hiram College
- **Alex Curry** – Swimming, Hiram College
- **Kennedy Dodds** – Basketball, Ursuline College
- **Nicholas Gallagher** – Swimming, Walsh University
- **Hannah Garman** – Swimming, Ohio Northern University
- **Jake Harrington** – Football, Wittenberg University
- **Danzi Jones** – Cross Country/Track, Regis University
- **Carson May** – Swimming, Grove City College
- **Gino Petrey** – Baseball, Malone University
- **Andrew Rickelman** – Football, Kent State University
- **Tori Wolf** – Cheerleading, Mount Vernon Nazarene University
- **Annabel Zabel** – Girls Lacrosse, College of Wooster

We thank these seniors for representing our district with heart, pride, and determination. Their accomplishments serve as an inspiration to younger students and a source of pride for our entire community

STUDENTS AND TEACHERS TAKE THE COURT

The SMF PTA Council brought energy and excitement to the gym during the Teachers vs. Students District-Wide Basketball Tournament..

With a great turnout from families, staff, and students, the event showcased the strong connections that make our school community so special. There was plenty of friendly rivalry, laughter, and school spirit as teachers and students faced off in a game that was about much more than the final score—the competition was definitely in the air!



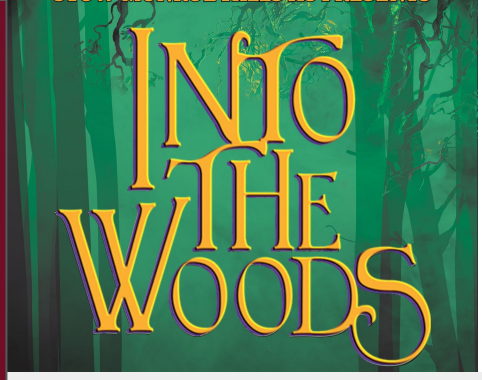






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SMFHS PRESENTS INTO THE WOODS

Stow-Munroe Falls High School is excited to present its spring musical, "Into the Woods," a Tony Award-winning production filled with magic, music, and familiar fairy tale characters brought to life by our talented students.

Performances will be held April 17, 18, and 19. Tickets are available at www.myfot.org, through The Hometown app, or at the door while supplies last.

Important reminders!

- The **Board of Education** will meet at 6 p.m. on Monday, April 13 for a regular meeting at Kimpton Middle School.
- **"Into the Woods"** performance on April 17, 18, and 19. Get your tickets at www.myfot.org.
- Highland Elementary School's choir will sing the national anthem at the **Akron Rubber Ducks** game on Friday, April 17.
- SMFHS Student Council invites K–4th graders and their parents to the annual **Princess Dance** on Friday, May 1, from 7 to 9 p.m. at Stow-Munroe Falls High School. www.stowstuco.org/events



2026 AMERICAN CELEBRATION CONCERT

Join us on Saturday, May 2 at 7 p.m. at Stow-Munroe Falls High School for the 2026 American Celebration Concert. This year, they're pulling out all the stops to celebrate The Music of Disney, performed by the Wind Ensemble and Choirs, as well as honor our incredible Armed Forces and ring in America's 250th Birthday.

Bring the whole family for a night of beautiful music and celebration. You won't want to miss this spectacular performance by our talented students!



KINDERGARTEN INFORMATION NIGHT FOR 2026/2027 SCHOOL YEAR ON APRIL 21

We are pleased to host our upcoming **Kindergarten Information Night** for parents of children who will be 5 years old by August 25, 2026. The event will take place on Tuesday, April 21 from 6 to 7 p.m. at Stow-Munroe Falls High School.

This parent-only evening is designed and led by our staff to help families feel informed and confident as they begin the kindergarten journey. Parents will learn more about the kindergarten program, hear from building principals, and have the opportunity to connect with teachers.



GET READY TO MAKE A SPLASH & HELP SUPPORT STUDENTS

The World's Largest Rubber Duck is coming to the Ohio Rubber Duck Festival & Dash on Thursday, April 23 to Saturday, April 25 in downtown Cuyahoga Falls.

Adopt a rubber duck today to support local student leaders in the **Six District Compact EntrepreNEW** program - including students from our district - as they learn real-world business skills. Not only does your adoption power an amazing community festival weekend, but it also enters you for a chance to win prizes!

Help empower the next generation of entrepreneurs while having a quack-tastic time. Adopt your ducks and learn more here: www.ohiorubberduckdash.com.

