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TODD G. MANUEL, PRINCIPAL

Weekly Update – November 6, 2026

Good Afternoon THS Families,

I am excited to share that our new parking lot in front of THS is now open! We ask all visitors to please use the available spaces in this new lot when visiting our school. Thank you for your patience and flexibility throughout this Town Capital Improvement project!

On Monday evening, our Junior Class celebrated their annual Harvest Ball (Jr. Cotillion) at The Waterview in Monroe. All our student who attended were great and it was fun to watch them spend time together in a formal setting. A sincere thank-you to Mrs. Jorge, Mrs. McManus, and Mr. McLaughlin for the time and energy they put into making this evening a memorable one for our students.

While students had the day off on Tuesday, teachers and staff from across the district came together for a day of professional learning. Through workshops, collaboration, and shared conversations, our educators continued to build on their work to support student successes and bring clarity to all our classrooms. I am grateful for their commitment to learning from one another and strengthening the experiences we provide for our students.

I would like to remind families that Parent-Teacher Conferences will take place next Thursday, November 12th. Families may schedule appointments through Monday, November 9th, with both virtual and in-person options available. Students will be dismissed at 12 p.m. on conference day. Please see the Fall Parent/Teacher Conferences section below for additional information.

Overall, it was a great week, one that brought a number of significant recognitions to our school, each of which reflect tremendous dedication and hard work. First a huge congratulations to our THS Marching Band and Mr. Murphy for earning first place at the US Bands Class 3 CT Open State Championship last weekend! They will now compete at MetLife stadium tomorrow! Also, a well-deserved shout out to Noelle Ivanovich ‘29, who won an individual FCIAC Championship in the 100-yard backstroke and broke the THS school record in doing so, with an impressive time of 56.34! We are very proud!

Finally, to our families, friends and staff who celebrate Diwali, we wish you and your families a bright and joyful holiday.

Please continue reading below for important updates, upcoming events, and other highlights from around THS.

Have a wonderful weekend.

Go Eagles!

Sincerely,

Todd G. Manuel
Principal, Trumbull High School

To see more photos, highlights, and updates from THS, be sure to follow us on social media @trumbullhs on Facebook, Instagram, and X

Upcoming Events



Nov. 6	Football Game vs Fairfield Ludlowe – Away – 6 p.m.
Nov. 9	PTSA Meeting – 7 p.m.
Nov. 12	Early Dismissal for Conferences– 12 p.m.
Nov. 12	Parent / Teacher Conferences (1-3pm virtual, 6-8 pm in person)
Nov. 13	Football Game vs Fairfield Warde – Home – 7 p.m.
Nov. 17	Advisory Day – Students Dismiss at 12 p.m.
Nov. 18	Football Game vs Brien McMahon – Home – 4 p.m.
Nov. 18	"Positive Choices, Healthy Kids" 9th Grade Forum – 7-9 p.m.
Nov. 20	Powder Puff Game – 6:30 p.m.
Nov. 24	String Fling Concert – 6:30 p.m.
Nov. 25	Early Dismissal – 12 p.m.
Nov. 26	Thanksgiving Day Away Football Game vs St. Joe's - 10 a.m.
Nov. 26-27	Thanksgiving Recess
Dec. 3-5	Agriscience Holiday Plant Sale 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Our Athletic events and schedules can be found here

Fall Parent / Teacher Conferences



Parent-Teacher Conferences at Trumbull High School will be held on Thursday, November 12th. Afternoon conferences (1:00–3:00 p.m.) will take place virtually, while evening conferences (6:00–8:00 p.m.) will be held in person. Parents may begin scheduling appointments with their child's teachers on schoolappointments.com. Because conference times are limited and may not accommodate all families, we encourage parents to prioritize meeting with teachers where there are specific or significant concerns about their child's progress.

Additional information can be found here.

Grade 9 Families!

November 18th "Positive Choices, Healthy Kids" Forum

Please Save the Date!
As part of the Trumbull Public Schools' Health Curriculum, all 9th grade students AND their parent(s)/guardian(s) are scheduled to attend the following **mandatory event** - "Positive Choices, Healthy Kids" Freshman Forum, Wednesday, November 18, 2026, beginning at 7:00 p.m. Student participation fulfills a requirement of the Health/Physical Education Curriculum. **All 9th grade families are asked to please RSVP here.**

Driving Safely on Campus



Please review the Parent/Guardian Drop Off / Pick Up – traffic pattern images here.

The safety of our students and staff on our campus is paramount. There has been an increase in unsafe driving on our campus. Please take a moment to speak with your student about the importance of driving safely, following all campus traffic rules, and being mindful of the safety of others. Thank you for helping us keep our campus safe for everyone.

Mental Health Resources



If you are looking for information on mental health resources, please click here.

Yearbooks 2026-2027



Senior Activities Form. If seniors participated in any THS clubs, sports, or honor societies during high school, we will list them next to their senior portraits. Students should use the form on Google Classroom (Class of 2027) to list their activities and how they want their name to appear (we include nicknames). This form is due Nov. 18. All seniors must fill this form out to have their activities included. ***If they don't do the form, we will not include their activities.***

2027 Yearbooks are On Sale! Visit the Yearbook Order Center (use job number 14201) to reserve your copy of history. This year the yearbook will feature Creative Minds, the THS art and literary magazine. Families of seniors experiencing financial hardship should contact their school counselor about our need-based yearbook scholarship program.

DECA Chipotle Night	**Support THS DECA at Chipotle**! Take a night off from cooking and support Trumbull High School DECA! Join us on **Saturday, November 7, from 4:00–8:00 PM** at Chipotle (701 Bridgeport Avenue, Shelton). **25% of eligible sales will be donated to THS DECA** to support our student members and their DECA experiences! Simply show the attached flyer when ordering in person or order online for pickup using code **PBXPWKC**. Enjoy a delicious meal while supporting our future business leaders!
PTSA Information JOIN THE PTSA	**Please mark your calendars:** The next PTSA meeting will take place on November 9th at 7 p.m. in the Senior Lounge. If you are interested in joining the PTSA, please click here. Afterschool snacks are sold in the Commons Mon-Thurs as a PTSA fundraiser. ALL funds go to the PTSA so they can provide a great post-prom party, offer scholarships, provide mini-grants to teachers and clubs, and to show appreciation to our teachers! It really is the shortest and easiest volunteer assignment. Please click the link below and sign up if you can be at the school between 2-2:50 on any given Mon, Tues, Wed or Thurs. Thank you! Trumbull PTA Volunteers - THS Afterschool Snacks 26/27 Additional questions? Contact Shelly Alvarado at thsptsa1234@gmail.com
POWDERPUFF FOOTBALL	**Parents of Seniors:** Please save the date: The **2026 Powderpuff Game** will be held on November 20, 2026, at 6:30 p.m. at McDougall Stadium. Watch the senior girls play some football!

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Noelle Ivanovich ‘29
FCIAC Champion
100 Backstroke



THS Interact Club
Community Leaf Raking



THS Band – Class of 2027
US Bands Class III
Open State Champions



Girls Cross Country
Class LL State Championship Runners Up
Maura Kane ‘27, Becca Drury ‘28, Sophia Lindade ‘28, Mia Romano ‘27, Ula Harrell ‘30, Elle Dustin ‘30, and Elizabeth Dervishaj ‘29



Thespians Fall Play (student-run)
“The Government Inspector”