

...TalkNNHS...



April 8, 2019

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Good Morning Huskies,

Thank you, Thank you, Thank you to all of our volunteer parents who made Senior Celebration a monumental success for our soon to be graduates!! The kids were so appreciative of your hard work and dedication, thoroughly enjoying the night. It was simply outstanding!!

Reminder that Wednesday is NOT a late start due to testing. See attached schedule for details.

Reminder: with our snow days this year, we will have our Review day on May 28th and exams will be May 29-31. All students will be expected to be in attendance on those days to take exams.

Have a wonderful week,

Stephanie Posey

Registration at Naperville North will have two required parts:

Part 1- Complete the Online Annual Update in the [Infinite Campus Parent Portal account](#) before May 3, 2019. This online update will replace much of the paperwork that was previously sent home. This annual update is required for all returning students.

Part 2- Students attend Registration at Naperville North in August. This process will look much like it has in the past for students with the advantage of paperwork being completed online in advance. Students will receive Chromebooks, textbooks, handbooks, school ID, locker assignment, and schedule of classes. Please mark your calendar for the following dates of Registration:

- Monday, August 5 – Freshman Registration
- Tuesday, August 6 – Sophomore Registration (Freshmen may attend)
- Wednesday, August 7 – Junior Registration (Freshmen & Sophomores may attend)
- Thursday, August 8 – Senior Registration (All students may attend)

Please note: Students may attend any day after their scheduled registration day. Students who are not able to attend during registration week, will be able to attend Late Registration on Wednesday, August 14.

News from NNHS Student Services – follow us on Twitter @NNHSDOSS

I Was Waitlisted - Now What?

Over the past few days, we've had a number of students visit the College & Career Center and the Student Services Office with questions about being waitlisted at a college/university. While there is no exact science for how the process will play out, there are some general do's & don'ts when on the waitlist. The follow list includes tips for students from on-line resources:

- [You've Been Wait-listed to College. Now What?](#) (CBSNews.com)
- [5 Things Not to Do if You Are Waitlisted at Your Dream College](#) (HerCampus.com)
- [What to Do When You Make the Wait List](#) (Fastweb.com)
- [What to Do When You're Stuck on a College Waitlist](#) (NPR.org)

The best overall piece of advice we can offer: **DO NOT harass the Admissions Office/Representatives.**

Rising Seniors: College & Career Readiness Seminar This Summer!

Naperville North is proud to offer our College & Career Readiness Summer Seminar for the sixth straight year! This four-day seminar is designed to help rising seniors learn more about the college search, application, and selection processes – and will include instruction on Naviance, Career Cruising, soft skills, interviewing, and social etiquette. The cost is \$50; all classes will be held in the College and Career Center at Naperville North High School from 7:45-10:30 AM. **Week 1 is currently FULL – there are still some spots available for week 2 (June 10-13).**

Questions regarding the program should be directed to counselors Brian La Porte (blaporte@naperville203.org) and Angelo Georgacopoulos (ageorgacopoulos@naperville203.org). For more information and to register, please see our [Summer Seminar Registration Form](#).

TONIGHT (April 8): Juniors Exploring Engineering Program

Purdue University will be hosting a day specifically targeted to young women in their junior year of high school! Students will explore their choice of two engineering disciplines, obtain knowledge regarding the First-Year Engineering program, admissions, student life, and engineering in the "real world." Campus tours will also be offered, with an opportunity to meet Purdue professors, current engineering students, and some awesome women alumni. For more information, [click here](#).

April 17: STEM Career Expo

Fermilab will be hosting a STEM Career Expo on April 17th, at Fermilab's Wilson Hall. Students will be able to meet with math, science, engineering & technology experts from a wide variety of careers. For more information on this event, [click here](#).

April 20: Military Education Day

Lewis University will be hosting a Military Education Day on April 20th. Prospective military students will be able to learn about the United States Military educational benefits, meet recruiters from every branch of service, and learn more about our opportunities at Lewis University. This event will take place on **Saturday, April 20, 2019 at 10:00 AM** and will include lunch. To register, [click here](#).

College of DuPage: "Tuesdays with Rio"

We are happy to announce that we will be continuing our "Tuesdays with Rio" lunchtime series this school year! Student can stop down to the College & Career Center during their lunch hour on the dates listed below. Each "Tuesdays with Rio" visit will have a different theme. You can find our schedule below:

April 23

Please see Mr. La Porte or Ms. Novak with any questions.

April 25: What's Next? The Multiple Pathways to Your Purpose

The Alive Center & Dealer Inspire will host a community event to provide information to students and families who are interested in post-high school options to include community colleges, career and technical schools, with an emphasis on entrepreneurship, trades, technical careers and more. For more information, [click here](#).

April 27: STEMCON 2019

College of DuPage will be hosting STEMCON, a public outreach event designed to inspire and educate K-12 students in the fields of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics. This family-friendly event encourages scientific discovery through hands-on activities and demonstrations while providing the opportunity to learn about scientific careers from actual researcher, industry representatives, and STEM educators. For more information, [click here](#).

April 30: TEC Spotlight

College of DuPage will be hosting TEC Spotlight at their Technical Education Center (TEC) in Glen Ellyn. Students can visit the state-of-the-art labs and learn about educational and career opportunities in a broad range of technical areas. During the TEC Spotlight, attendees can tour specialized labs, meet with COD faculty, and explore careers and salaries in variety of fields, including Architecture, Automotive, Electromechanical, Electronics, Horticulture, HVACR, Interior Design, Manufacturing and Welding. For more information, [click here](#).

Summer Pre-College Programs

Students looking for summer pre-college programs can check the Summer Programs listing in Canvas on the College and Career Center Course homepage.

Part-Time Jobs

Students looking for part-time jobs can check the Job Board in Canvas on the College and Career Center Course homepage.

Student Services Shout-Outs

Congratulations to senior **Brett Martin**, the recipient of the \$2500 scholarship and Corey Walgren Memorial Trophy for 2018-19. He was selected for his commitment to Naperville North hockey, his sportsmanship, and overall academic achievement.

The **Naperville North Northern Lights Winter color guard** were named 1st place champions in their class at the 2019 Midwest Color Guard Circuit championships that took place in LaPorte Indiana 3-30 and 3-31. Congratulations to the entire team for an impressive win and an outstanding season!

Congratulations to our three \$2500 National Merit Scholarship winners: **Karen Ge, Emma Connelly, and Ryan Robbins**

Congrats to senior **Chandani Bansal** who was selected as a 40 Acres Scholar at the University of Texas at Austin. She is one of 2 out-of-state students in the US to earn this scholarship which includes tuition, room/board, books, and a global experience stipend.

Kudos to senior **Clement Siu**, named one of the first Amazon Future Engineer Scholarship recipients.

Have good news to share? Send articles, awards, and notifications to Jeffery Farson, Director of Student Services, at jfarson@naperville203.org.

Student and Parent Information

All senior Eagle Scouts and Gold Award Recipients who want to participate in the graduation ceremony should see Mrs. Jungnickel in the Principal's Office ASAP. The deadline to submit your name is April 30th.

Coffee with the Principal

All NNHS families are invited to learn about NNHS at an informal, adult only evening of coffee and conversation with Naperville North Principal Stephanie Posey.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0c4ba8ad29a7fa7-jrhigh1>

Family Connection Senior Campaign:

Senior year end activities are upon us and we are requesting your assistance to fund events for those in need. Please consider sponsoring any of the following:

One of 25 Prom Tickets @ \$80.00 each

Or

One of 5 Senior Brunch Tickets @ \$40.00 each

Or

One of 10 Yearbooks @ \$50.00 each

Of course we appreciate all donations and **THANK YOU** in advance for all you do to create a supportive environment for all our students and families at NNHS.

GO HUSKIES!!!

Donations Payable to NNHS Family Connection may be dropped off at the Principal's office or mailed to:

Family Connection NNHS
c/o Jill Jungnickel
899 Mill Street
Naperville, IL 60563

A Few Spots Left for Senior Yearbook Baby Photo Ads

Even though the final deadline for submitting your senior's yearbook recognition ad has passed, there is a VERY limited amount of ad space still available for late submissions. If you are still interested, **don't delay**, submit your ad as soon as you can. We don't want you to miss out on this very special opportunity. To submit your ad online, please visit www.TheYearbookCompany.com. We can only accept additional ads until the limited available space is filled. If you have already purchased a yearbook ad, thank you for your support! Your student will be excited when s/he opens her/his yearbook.

Parent Organizations

Home and School

We cannot provide all the great things we do for students without the help of parent volunteers. You can volunteer to work at student registration in August, help with dances, mailings, schedule a regular time in the school store, or donate refreshments for events. These are just a few of the opportunities available. It is quick and easy to sign up. Please complete the **NNHS Home & School Volunteer Interest Form** at <https://www.naperville203.org/Page/6350>. Our committee chairs will contact you with details. Thank you for volunteering!

If you would like to still support NNHS H&S and receive the NNHS Student Directory, you can still contribute! For \$15 you will have year round access to the directory and support the many great Home and School activities. Please submit your \$15 to the office, (please Label Home and School) and include your student(s) name and your email along with your \$15 and you will soon receive an email and access to the directory.

If you have any questions, please email Tara at napernorthdirectoryspot@gmail.com

The next Home & School meeting is Wednesday April 17th at 9:00 a.m. in room 108. The guest speaker is the Director of Diversity for District 203, Dr. Leakes. For more Home & School information visit the webpage at <https://www.naperville203.org/Page/6334>

Stay updated with Home & School news by liking our Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/NapervilleNorthHomeandSchool/>

NNHS Booster Club

The Booster Club is proud to financially support NNHS athletics and student activities, as well as contribute to capital improvements in and around the Naperville North campus. We raise over \$125,000 per year!

If you haven't had a chance to join the Booster Club yet, and are interested in supporting student activities and athletics, visit www.nnhsboosters.org to sign up or renew your membership. (Select menu item "membership registration".) We look forward to meeting you!

Jim Boddy and Doug Ritzmann
NNHS Booster Club Co-Presidents

SFCP (School Family Community Partnership)

NNHS School Family Community Partnership welcomes author Harlan Cohen presenting “College Success Night: For Parents, Seniors, and Juniors” Tuesday evening, April 9 at 7pm in the NNHS Learning Commons.

College success is more than getting in – it’s about staying in, thriving on campus, and graduating with a degree, a purpose, and a passion. *New York Times* bestselling author and top college life expert Harlan Cohen helps seniors, juniors, and parents know what it takes to be successful in college. Join us for this interactive, lively, and informative event. Parents, seniors, juniors, and families are welcome to attend. For more information about Harlan, visit www.HarlanCohen.com.

SUCCESS

S.U.C.C.E.S.S which stands for “School Using Coordinated Community Efforts to Strengthen Students”; is a parent-led, parent-driven volunteer organization, devoted to inspiring and empowering black/minority students to reach their full academic potential within Naperville's School District 203.

A “huddle” is an action of a team gathering together, to plan, motivate or celebrate. The S.U.C.C.E.S.S. Huddle meetings are designed to encourage that definition and provide ongoing coordinated parent/student resources for elementary through high school level S.U.C.C.E.S.S. expansion.

The Huddle meetings are open to all District 203 grade levels every 2nd and/or 4th Sunday during the school year.

Click [HERE](#) for more information or visit: <https://www.facebook.com/SUCCESSNaperville203/>

Orchestra Parents Organization

ORCHESTRA AUDITIONS

April 8 for next year.

OPA MEETING

Meet us from 6-7pm in room 259. All parents are welcome and appreciated. Meeting dates are: April 9, and May 7.

MUSICAL

April 24-28. 7-9p. Please see School flyers for details.

JAMBOREE

April 29, NNHS Freshman Jamboree.

6-8p.

CONCERT

May 15, Orchestra Farewell Concert. NPAC

7-9pm.

FIELD TRIP

May 18. Dinner and Cruise followed by West Side Story at the Lyric Opera House.

ORCHESTRA WEBSITE

Look for the school year's events which are posted on <https://www.nnhsorchestra.org> Thank you for supporting your wonderfully talented students.