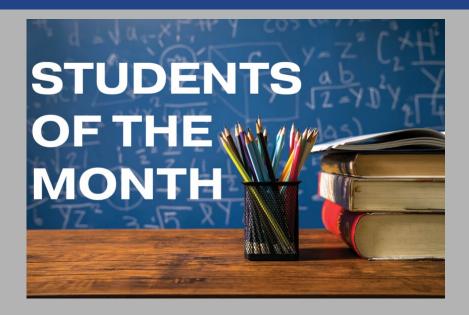


KITTATINNY REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL NEWS & UPDATES

WEEK OF: February 26, 2024

Announcements



Congratulations to the following February Students of the Month:

<u>I Have Cougar Pride:</u> Dominic Buff, Julie Curtis, Sal Lombardo, Reese Redden and Evan Saul

<u>Academic:</u> Grace Benson, Gianna Goedeke, Al Hassan, Charlie Lindo, Tobias Pilger and Alexis VanKirk

Fine Arts: Ashton Frint

<u>Most Motivated:</u> Marissa Maggio, Lizeth Vargas Hernandez Extracurricular: Malena Johnson, Naila Watley Gonzalez

Kittatinny Artists Honored

Over the weekend, Peters Valley hosted their closing ceremony honoring many local High School artists. Out of 10 schools and 100 entries, Kittatinny won the HIGHEST HONORS of "1st Place Sculpture": AND BEST IN SHOW!!!" Annalyse Tattoli won for the 2 foot long hollow Sculpture she created of a Large Hand-built Snail. (Which took almost 9 weeks to create) This entitles her a Scholarship to take ANY Peters Valley workshop of her choice this Summer. (Some of which total over \$1000.) Other participants include...

Nina Huether "Cosmic Witch" Carley Wikander "Whale Shark" Laryssa DaSilva "These Boots Were made for Walking" See photos below....

So many talented Cougars! This is just a sampling of some of their work. Congratulations to Annalyse on receiving this very special recognition and to all who participated in this show. Who knows where we will see their work in the future!











PARENT NIGHT REGARDING USE OF SOCIAL MEDIA



Join us for the Kittatinny Region Parent Night featuring the use of Social Media

RSVP HERE:

http://tinyurl.com/25z7hzvj

SOCIAL AWAKENING: SOCIAL MEDIA AND YOUR KIDS



Date: Thursday, March 7, 2024 @ Kittatinny Regional High School

Time: 7:00 pm
Presenter: Max Stossel

Info: "Social Media and Your Kids" is a keynote designed for educators and parents. This presentation includes an overview of how students are using social media and gives recommendations on how to improve focus and diminish distraction in learning environments. This session concludes with time to discuss what's working and not working in our classrooms and households. Check out Max Stossel on YouTube. Do not miss this presentation! Students in grades 5-6 will attend a presentation at KRHS on the morning of

3/7.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xdvNpsiggFk&t=1s

RSVP Here

Come see what being a Cougar is all about. KITTATINNY REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE









Grades 5th - 8th
MONDAY, MARCH 25
5:30 P.M. - 7 P.M.
For More Information Call
973-383-1800









High School News

High School Student Council Goes to Michigan

The high school student council officers went to Ann Arbor, Michigan this week. There they attended many innovative workshops, toured the Domino's World Headquarters and successfully pitched their extensive and detailed "Wonders of Wellness" project and were awarded a \$2000 grant to help implement their

planning process and had some fun along the way!!! Congratulations to these fabulous leaders!







Jr. High News

Cougar CAT Award

Congratulations to the following Junior High students who received a CAT award (Caring and Thoughtfulness) Award for the month of February. Sometime during the course of each month, faculty members will nominate a student(s) they have observed doing something that was caring or thoughtful for someone else. Thank you to the following students for making a positive influence on those around you each and every day here at Kittatinny.

Mia Browne
Brayden Colvin
Phillip Gely
Ciara Hurley



Claire Meyler Peyton Richards Emery Sanchez Laney Steffens Congratulations to the following Junior High students who received a PAW (Positive Attitude Winner) for the month of February. The PAW Program allows teachers to nominate students as many times as they wish when they witness positive actions occurring in their classrooms.

Antonina Berrocal Olivia Clark Ayden Degan Kathrine Dziadosz Leah Hrynoweski



Maci Lubeck Channing Muller Evan Saul Jason Tiari



KALEIDOSCOPE SERVICE LEARNING PROJECT

NATIONAL YOUTH LEADERSHIP COUNCIL
YOUTH AS SOLUTIONS TEAM IN ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE

This year, students in Kaleidoscope 8 have been exploring the issue of water scarcity and its impact on people. One in nine people worldwide face an insufficient supply of water.

In 80% of water-deprived households, women and girls carry the burden of water collection. In rural parts of India, women and girls walk an average of 2 miles a day in the heat carrying water on their heads, known as "head loading." A container filled with water typically weighs between 40-50 pounds, about the same weight as a checked piece of luggage on an airplane. This leads to health issues, limits opportunities for employment or education and traps families into poverty.





Wells on Wheels provides a solution to some of these issues. The Water Wheel is a large drum fitted with handles that can be rolled along the ground, even rough terrain, alleviating neck, back and head health issues. It also can carry five times more water than a pail, cutting water collection time almost in half.

A donation of \$35 for each Water Wheel positively impacts the life of a family.

Learn more at https://www.wellsonwheels.co.uk/





HOW CAN YOU HELP?

To raise funds for Wells on Wheels, Kaleidoscope 8 is selling reusuable water bottles for \$20 with \$5 donated to Wells on Wheels.

See flyer below for more information.

Students can join us in our H₂O Heroes Homeroom Contest from March 1 through March 15. Earn "Water Superheroes" for every \$5 collected. The top 3 homerooms will earn prizes.



HELP KALEIDOSCOPE 8

MAKE A POSITIVE SPLASH
IN THE WORLD





PURCHASE A REUSABLE WATER BOTTLE





\$5 OF EVERY PURCHASE WILL BE DONATED TO WELLS ON WHEELS

THE WATER BOTTLES ARE 28 OZ. MADE BY H2GO SURGE. IT IS A SINGLE WALL ALUMINUM WATER BOTTLE WITH THREADED SNAP-FIT LID AND CARRYING HANDLE. IT IS 10.25 INCHES TALL AND 3.5 INCHES WIDE.

CONTACT MRS. ELLEN KOLONOSKI ROOM E205 -- EMAIL EKOLONOS@KRHS.NET OR USE THE QR CODE TO PLACE YOUR ORDER.



Guidance News

Scholarship Newsletter

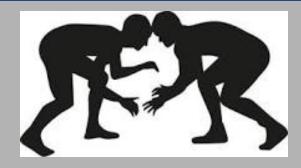
Click the button below to check out March's Scholarship Newsletter

March Scholarship
Newsletter

Cougar Athletics

Cougars Take on AC!!

Congratulations and good luck to Bryce Coesfeld, Ethan Dalling, Reece Smith, and Liliana Zaku- Ramos as they wrestle States in Atlantic City this weekend. Go Cougars!





Coesfeld Earns 100th Win!

Congratulations to Bryce Coesfeld who earned his 100th win in the first round of wrestle-backs in Atlantic City! He notched his name in Kittatinny wrestling history! Congrats and well deserved.



The Winter Sports Awards will take place on Tuesday, March 5th at 7pm.

The program will begin in the auditorium and teams will hold
their awards presentations in separate locations.

Golf Meeting

Attention Golfers: Anyone interested in joining the high school golf team, please attend a preseason meeting on Tuesday in room B40. The meeting will start at 2:20 and run until 3:00. If you are unable to attend, please email Coach Majka to acquire the necessary information.





Boys Tennis Meeting

There will be a Boys Tennis meeting for any High School students interested in joining the team for this upcoming Spring Season. The Meeting will be on Thursday, March 7th in Room C5-A after school at 2:30. If you are unable to make the meeting and would like to join, please contact Mr. Paolucci.

KRHS Weight Room Fundraiser



VISIT OUR WEBSITE
TWENTYFOURINK.COM/COLLECTIONS/KITTATINNY-WEIGHT-ROOM

Reminders

Science Roundtable is Here!

We have exciting news! Along with Math and English Roundtable, we now have a Science Roundtable! Do you need help with homework? Is studying for tests getting you down? Maybe you need help putting your labs together. If so, science roundtable is the place for you. We will be meeting Monday through Thursday until 3:30 in room B14! Come join Mrs. Lippert and Dr. Haug for some extra help!



Please Check the Parent Portal for Student Obligations

Dear Kittatinny Parents/Guardian:

Please log onto your Parent Portal to see if your child has any outstanding obligations, including negative cafeteria balances, for the 2023-2024 school year. If the obligation is not met the following will be withheld until any and all obligations have been fulfilled:

Student's grades and report card information (withheld)

You can access your Parent Portal using the following URL: https://www.fridayparentportal.com/kittatinny or through the Kittatinny website @ www.krhs.net, click on the Parent tab and then the Parent Portal.

- Outstanding Fees: Once on the Parent Portal, scroll down under Menu and click on "Fines." If your child has an outstanding obligation, it will be displayed on the "Fines" page.
- Negative Cafeteria Balances: Once on the Parent Portal under Menu, click on "Food Services" to view your child's account. If your child has a negative cafeteria balance, you have been receiving weekly notifications on the amount due.

You can either send in a check made payable to KRHS for the outstanding obligation or pay online with PaySchools Central @ https://payschoolscentral.com/. If you have not registered for a PaySchools account, you will find the PaySchools Central account setup guide through Kittatinny's website @ www.krhs.net, click on the Parent tab, Parent Resources then Payschool.

* Technology fee cannot be paid online through PaySchools. Please send in payment of cash or check made payable to KRHS.

Any questions, please feel free to contact:

Colleen Chiariello, x1610: Activity fee/Negative Cafeteria balances Rob Erlemann, x1550 (IT Department): Technology fee April Orozco, x1440: Athletic fee Cindy Bizik, x1290: All other fees **COME OUT AND SUPPORT!**

HTEF'S WINTER DINNER DANCE





SATURDAY MARCH 2ND, 2024



DOORS OPEN 5:30 PM - BAND UNTIL 10PM



THE BARN @ HILLSIDE PARK 146 LAKE ILIFF RD., NEWTON

JOIN THE HAMPTON TOWNSHIP EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION FOR OUR WINTER FUNDRAISER FEATURING THE SNAKE OIL WILLIE BAND!

TICKETS INCLUDE DINNER, OPEN BAR AND MUSIC. DINNER SERVICE STARTS AT 6:15PM.

EARLY BIRD!

\$50 PER PERSON UNTIL JAN. 31ST! SINGLE TICKET PRICES INCREASE TO \$60 STARTING FEB. 1ST.



ORDER YOUR TICKETS VIA QR CODE OR LINK BELOW:

http://tinyurl.com/HTEFDinnerDance



Order Tickets Here!



Lincoln Tech Trip

Hello HS Parents.

NJ campus) on Friday, March 8th. The bus leaves at 8:00am and we will return at 2:00pm. The following programs are offered at Lincoln Tech:

Automotive
Electrical/Electronics
HVAC
Machining and Manufacturing
Welding Technology

If you think your child is interested in any of these areas as a potential career or if you just want to see what Lincoln Tech is all about, please have them sign up with Mr. DeMartini. He will only be taking the first 50 students to sign up. The sign-up sheet will be on his office door in Guidance with permission slips.

If you have any questions please contact Mr. DeMartini at ext. 1240.

Thank you, Guidance Department





Presenting CFPC's 24th Annual Alcohol Awareness Month Contest





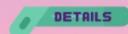




An exciting opportunity for Sussex County students grades 4-12 to shine by igniting your creativity and passion for a healthier future!

What are your goals and dreams? Ask yourself....

- 1. Big Picture! Picture yourself achieving something you really want. What is it? How do you look or feel when achieve it?
- 2. Facing Challenges! Imagine a goal or dream. How could staying away from alcohol give you a boost in achieving your goal?
- 3. Healthy Habits! What habits, choices, hobbies, and activities help you stay healthy and choose to stay alcohol-free?



Contest Theme: Achieving My Dreams, Alcohol-Free

Contest Formats:

- · Poster Art (drawing, sketch, painting)
- · Writing (essay or poem)
- · Video

Contest Submissions

- · Deadline: March 12
- *Entries must include a submission form (see submission form and website for more details)



Contact:

Kaitlynecenterforprevention.org

centerforprevention.org/AAMC2024



TOP 10 Posters: Featured in NJ Herald on April 7

TOP 3 Essays: Recorded at iHeartRadio and broadcast on WSUS 102.3 and WNNJ 103.7

TOP Video: Shared on CFPC's social media

Selected Entries: Displayed at Sussex County Community College during CFPC's Youth Empowerment Showcase community event on April 10

New Jersey Herald









Contest presented by the Caalition for Healthy & Safe Communities, a program of the Center for Prevention & Counseling

Entry Form

THE KITTATINNY PLAYERS

present



THURSDAY, MARCH 14, 2024 7:07 PM

FRIDAY, MARCH 15, 2024 7:07 PM

SATURDAY, MARCH 16, 2024 1:23 PM

AT KITTATINNY REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL 77 HALSEY RD, NEWTON, NJ 07860

FOR ADDITIONAL INFO AND TO PURCHASE TICKETS: www.KittatinnyPlayers.com

"Sister-to-Sister" Prom Shop!

Journey Family Success Center @ Project Self-Sufficiency





Project Self-Sufficiency-127 Mill Street, Newton, NJ, 07860-973-940-3500



Kittatinny Education Foundation

The Kittatinny Education Foundation (KEF) would like to invite all members of the Kittatinny School Community, which includes current Cougar Parents, Cougar Alumni, and parents of our Cougar Alumni, to join in our efforts to enhance the educational opportunities for all of our students in the Kittatinny School District and to engage the entire community in philanthropic giving that strengthens our public schools, supports our teachers, and inspires our students.

The KEF is a philanthropic Non-profit 501-3C organization whose goals are to raise private funds which are tax deductible donations. These funds will assist in helping to provide the excellent programs that Kittatinny has long been known for in our school and around our campus. This funding will help offset the loss in aid that we have experienced over these last five years due to state aid cuts and will allow our school and programs to thrive. Our vision is to provide our School Community with the same quality programs and facilities that are a hallmark of Kittatinny, by raising money through sponsorships, private donations, and fundraising events. These fundraising events will become regular opportunities to reconnect and have some fun with former Kittatinny Cougar families as well as our current Cougar families. Although some of us have moved away, many in our Cougar Community still live in our area and we hope that ALL of our Cougar Family, near and far, would enjoy an opportunity to reconnect with our Cougar Nation!

If you are interested in getting involved with and want to help the **KEF** please send your email and cell phone information to:

Mrs. Jane Meyers (Jane Meyers) <u>ijunoir@krhs.net</u> or Dr. Craig Hutcheson <u>chutches@krhs.net</u>

We thank you for everything you do for the Kittatinny Community and we hope to connect with everyone very soon!

With Warm Regards,

The Kittatinny Education Foundation



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Replacement cost without insurance

\$100.00-\$300.00

Replacement Cost

*Does not cover accessories, unless specified. In order to take advantage of this opportunity, coverage must be purchased within 30 days of receiving your device. Credit card payments are subject to a 4% processing fee. **Coverage excludes known damage/losses which are present at the time of purchase.

Kittatinny Regional School District

Student Name:

Grade Level:

Mailing Address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Home Phone:

Cell Phone:

Email (Mandatory):

*Unit Serial Number:

(Policy Documents are emailed)

Date:

Signature:

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https://schooldevicecoverage.com/signup

Call/Questions: 1.888.978.3515

Mail a check with this form to:

- School Device Coverage 3390 Auto Mall Drive Westlake Village, CA 91362
- Checks need to be payable to: School Device Coverage
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Printable Flyer

Coverage Website

Kittatinny Assessment Testing Schedule 2023-24

Test Dates Resources

PSAT 9	March 5, 2024 Grade 9	https://satsuite.collegeboard.or g/psat-8-9
NJPGA (ELA, Math)	March 11-15, 2024 (makeups March 18 - 22, 2024) Grade 11	https://nj.mypearsonsupport.co m/ForParent/
Linklt Benchmark C (ELA, Math, Science)	April 22-25, 2024 Grades 7-11 (approximately 60 minutes)	
Dynamic Learning Maps (DLM) Year End (YE) Model: ELA, Math & Science	April 29 - May 17, 2024	https://dynamiclearningmaps.or g/sites/default/files/documents/ StateBonusItems/Parent Brochur e.pdf
Advanced Placement (AP) Eng. Lit., Eng. Lang, Calc AB, Calc BC, Chem, Computer Science A, Computer Science Principles, Drawing, 2D, 3D, Enviro, Euro, Macroeconomics, Precalc, Physics 1, Physics C Mechanics, Physics C Electricity & Magnetism, Stats, US Gov, US History, World History	May 6 - May 17, 2024 (makeups May 22,23,24) Grades 9-12 Please refer to the link for information on the duration of each test. Test scores available in July 2024.	https://apcentral.collegeboard. org/
NJSLA (ELA, Math, Science) Grade 7-9 (Alg I,Alg II, Geo)	April 29, 2024 - May 24 , 2024 (makeups May 28–May 31) Grades 7-9	https://nj.mypearsonsupport.co m/ForParent/ https://www.nj.gov/education/a ssessment/resources/district/unit _test_times.shtml

New School Store Items Available Online

Show your Cougar spirit with this amazing new collection of items from the online school store!





Click here to shop the new collection or scan the QR Code above

Important Upcoming Dates

March 5: PSAT 9

March 9: SAT @ KRHS

March 10: Daylight Savings Times Starts

March 11&13: NJGPA Testing

March 19: Tri-M Induction Ceremony

March 25: Close of MP3 March 25: Open House

March 25: District Band/Choir Concert

March 26: Band Concert March 27: Choir Concert

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