

PEEK AT THE WEEK

FEBRUARY 27, 2023



Mission: We expect all students to strive for "B" or better. We have support available for all students to experience academic success.

11TH GRADE SAT TESTING DAY - MAR. 1

All 11th graders will be take the SAT on March 1. Students will need their Chromebooks and chargers the day of the test.

Grades 9, 10, and 12 are to follow their regular schedule for the day.

2023-24 COURSE PLANNING GUIDE

Scheduling for the 2023-24 school year has already begin. Please review the [Course Planning Guide](#) for descriptions of the courses that will be offered, course sequencing, and graduation requirements.

Any questions or concerns about scheduling? Please email your student's assigned [School Counselor](#) to make an appointment.



BEE
awesome
and join us in the NHS
Academic Lab!
Every Tuesday & Thursday in 217

**The
Black & Gold**
The February issue
of the student
newspaper is out!
Make sure to check
out the latest school
news.

**THE TIGER SHOP
IS OPEN!!**
WHERE?
Room 124A
WHEN?
Afterschool Weds.
through Fri.
& by appointment

CHECK OUT
THEIR
PRODUCTS!

TIGER TRIUMPHS

February 20th - 26th

SHOUTOUT TO:

Everyone who made the **IMD Centennial Concert** on Saturday possible! It was an outstanding performance and opportunity to see so many alumni and students perform together on the Heights High stage.

Darion Thompson, Robbie Caldwell, and Ahmon Wright for being last week's LEL Players of the Week!

Boys Basketball for their Sectional win against Avon Lake and for advancing to the **District Semifinals!**

Boys Wrestling for a great season and the **6 District qualifiers and 4 alternates.**

Gio Lacy, Sule'T Lunda, Henry Perrymond, and Jay'Vier Kerr for being the top 4x400 relay team in Ohio and 22nd in the nation!

Good luck to all **boys and girls indoor track** members who are competing in the State Meet on March 4.



BLACK HISTORY MONTH

Events at CHHS

Every Week

- HBCU Wednesdays
- Daily announcements highlight Black History Month quotes
- BHM door decorating contest

MSAN BHM CALENDAR

Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
 <h1 style="margin: 0;">COME TO MSAN FOR MORE INFORMATION!</h1> 						
9	Kickball ¹⁰ Game	11	12	13	Movie Night ¹⁴	MSAN FAMILY FUED ¹⁵
16	17	18	19	20	Beauty ²¹ and Barbershop Talk	SOULFOOD COOKOUT! ²²
23	24	25	26	27	POETRY SLAM! ²⁸	



MADAM C.J. WALKER
(1867-1919)



ANNIE TURNBO MALONE
(1869-1957)

The first Black female millionaire in America, Madam C.J. Walker made her fortune by creating a homemade line of hair care products for Black women. Born Sarah Breedlove, she was inspired to create hair products after experiencing a scalp disorder and hair loss. It led to the creation of the Walker system of hair care. She built an empire selling products directly to Black women, then employing others to sell them. She used her fortune to fund scholarships for women at the Tuskegee Institute and donated to the NAACP, the Black YMCA, and other charities.

Millionaire, chemist, entrepreneur mentor of Madam C.J. Walker. Malone developed a hair product to straighten African American women's hair without damaging it, and eventually created a line of hair care and beauty products. She and her assistants sold the products door to door giving demonstrations before business took off after the World Fair in 1904. Malone established Poro College, a cosmetology school and training center in St. Louis in 1918. She had thirty-two branches of the school throughout the country in the mid-50s.

Heights High School



COMMUNITY BLOOD DRIVE - MAR. 15

Spring into life
Give blood

Class of 2024 & DECA
Blood Drive

Wednesday, March 15
9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Cleveland Heights High School
13263 Cedar Road
Competition Gymnasium

Students - please see Mrs. Parker in
room 124 for a Permission Slip

For an appointment, please visit
redcrossblood.org
Or call 1-800-RED CROSS
(1-800-733-2767)

The Class of 2024 and DECA will host a community blood drive with the American Red Cross on Wednesday, **March 15 from 9:00 a.m. to 2:45 p.m.** in the Heights High competition gym.

Donors with all blood types are needed but especially those with types O, negative A, and negative B.

Each donor will receive a \$20 Amazon gift card, a \$10 Visa pre-paid gift card, and a t-shirt.

Students who are interested in donating must be at least 16 years of age, weight at least 110 pounds, and need a permission slip. Please see the School Nurse or Mrs. Parker in room 124 for a permission slip

For more information or to make an appointment to donate, contact Mrs. Parker or sign up online [here](#).

SWIM CADETS SHOW - MAR. 9, 10, 11

The Swim Cadets are ready to "rock out" during their 84th Annual Show at 7:00 p.m. on March 9, 10, and 11!

Tickets are \$12 each and can be purchased from a swim cadet.

The show will also be livestreamed on the CH-UH YouTube page on Friday, March 10.

THE CHHS SWIM CADETS PRESENT
ROCK OUT!

JOIN US FOR THE 84TH ANNUAL SWIM CADETS SHOW!

MARCH 9, 10, 11
7:00-10:00 PM
TICKETS ARE \$12 EACH
PURCHASE A TICKET FROM A SWIM CADET OR TUNE IN TO THE LIVESTREAM ON FRIDAY!

VMD MIDWINTER CONCERT - MAR. 3



The Vocal Music Department is back and ready to serenade the community at their Midwinter Concert this Friday, March 3!

The concert will start at 7:00 p.m. and there will be **no admission cost** for the concert.

YALE INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

This upcoming summer, the Yale International Relations Association is hosting the 2023 Yale International Relations Leadership Institute (YIRLI)! YIRLI is an intensive and exhilarating week-long summer institute that aims to immerse high school students in international relations.

Applications for YIRLI are now open until **March 24th, 2023 at 11:59 PM EST**.

Here is the link to the application: <https://form.jotform.com/230525241736148>

This year, YIRLI will take place on Yale's campus from **August 6-11, 2023**, allowing students to take part in phenomenal international relations lessons and Model United Nations challenges, innovate with peers on global problems, develop public speaking and leadership skills, hear from inspiring Yale professors, interact with Yale students who serve as mentors, conduct meaningful research, and draft policy proposals.

Students will gain:

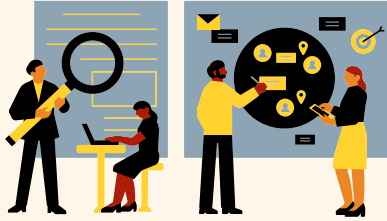
- a stronger understanding of international relations and global affairs
- refined Model United Nations and debate skills, such as public speaking, research, and analytical thinking, through workshops and simulations led by Yale students from the Yale International Relations Association
- enhanced leadership skills
- entrepreneurial resources, instruction, and advice
- experience with the YIRLI Global Impact Challenge, where students work with one another on initiatives related to the UN Sustainable Development Goals
- friendships with inspiring students from all around the world, and a platform to collaborate with each other in the future
- the opportunity to connect with and learn from Yale students, who serve as mentors to YIRLI students
- exposure to Yale professors and campus resources
- phenomenal visiting speakers (past speakers have included Andy Rabens, Special Advisor for Global Youth Issues at the U.S. Department of State, and Asha Rangappa, CNN analyst and former FBI Special Agent)

For more information or if you have any questions reach out to yirli.communications@yira.org at any time, or email Executive Directors, Maheen and Arshnoor, at yirli@yira.org.

CAREER TECH SPOTLIGHT

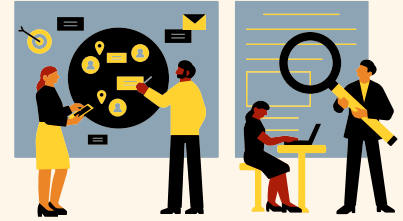
Heights Career Tech offers courses through a five-district consortium, which includes Bedford, Cleveland Heights, Maple Heights, Shaker Heights, and Warrensville Heights High Schools.

The 22 academic programs are open to 11th and 12th graders who have the opportunity to earn professional certifications, industry-recognized credentials, and college credit.



This Week's Featured Program:

Business Management



Business Management students will study business and finance related topics that include; International Business, Finance, Human Resources, and Microsoft Office Applications.

The program is designed to prepare students for an entry-level position in the Business environment, and/or college readiness.

PROFESSIONAL PATHWAY

Retail Management
Human Resource Management
Communication Analyst
Accountant and Auditor
Business Manager
Administrative Business Assistant

COLLEGE CREDIT OPPORTUNITIES

Cuyahoga Community College
7 hours of credit could transfer to
any state school



TWO YEAR PROGRAM:

Grade 11:

- * Business Foundations
- * Fundamentals of Business and Administrative Services

Grade 12:

- * Finance Foundations
- * Human Resources Management

INDUSTRY CREDENTIALS

Office Specialist and/or
Entrepreneurship and Small Business

To learn more about the Business Management program or any of the other Heights Career Tech programs, click on the icons below.



Heights
Career Tech



SENIOR INFORMATION PAGE

Patrick Fisher, Senior Advisor
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ORDER Get ready for Graduation!

It's time to prepare for graduation! You must place the order for your cap and gown. Order today at www.jostens.com or call 880-567-8367 to order only the cap and gown for \$47. Information for additional graduation packages, class rings, and letter jackets can be found here.

Commencement will take place on at 6 p.m. on Wednesday, May 31, 2023
at the CSU Wolstein Center, 2000 Prospect Avenue E, Cleveland OH, 44115.

ORGANIZE Senior HS2Future Checklist

To help you prepare to go from high school to the future, we have created a senior checklist for your convenience. This will assist you with college and career planning as well as keep you on track to graduate.

UPDATE Senior Class Page & Remind

Make sure to check the Class of 2023 page on the district website throughout the year for regular updates and important information!

Parents, stay up to date on important Senior dates, events and announcements by texting code **@chuh23** to **81010**

PREPARE College Career Readiness

Look below for more information on opportunities for seniors and their families to get help with navigating the financial aid and application process. Any questions? Please see Mrs. McEwen in room 132.

Seniors please check Naviance for additional scholarships and check deadlines that are coming up soon Seniors.

Why fill out college applications? It's no surprise that earning your college diploma will offer career benefits, but applying to and attending college gives you access to life-defining experiences that you're unlikely to get anywhere else. You can join clubs that help grow your professional or extracurricular interests and build your résumé.

Filing a FAFSA® is the single most important thing you can do to get money for college. It's the gateway to more than \$150 billion in college grants, work-study funds, and federal student loans, as well as certain state-based aid. If you don't complete the FAFSA, you won't be able to receive federal financial aid. You may also be ineligible for certain types of institutional and state aid.

High School 2 the Future!

**Freshman
Checklist**

**Sophomore
Checklist**

**Junior
Checklist**

STAY INFORMED!

LOOKING
AHEAD:

Start of
Women's
History Month
3/1

11th Grade
SAT Test Day
3/1

VMD
Midwinter
Concert
3/3

Swim Cadets
Show
3/9 - 3/11

Red Cross
Blood Drive
3/15



CHUH.ORG - VIEW UPCOMING EVENTS, GRADE INFORMATION, AND THE LATEST DISTRICT HEADLINES.

DATA DIVE

Attendance Data -

9th Grade - 85.38% 11th Grade - 89.99%
10th Grade - 87.75% 12th Grade - 86.36%

 **GOAL - 90%**

Referral Data - Month of January

12 staff members wrote
49 positive referrals for
49 students, resulting in
22% of all referrals that were
positive

55 staff members wrote
221 discipline referrals for
244 students

Top 3 Infractions:

Unexcused Class Absences -Truancy
65 referrals for **75** students

Out of Assigned Area - Other
62 referrals for **48** students

Out of Assigned Area - Tardy to class
22 referrals for **36** students

PBIS FOCUS: PERSEVERANCE



When each one of us shows determination despite difficulty, we collectively make our world a better place. During the month of February, let's consciously make an effort to complete a task that takes some energy. I mean cognitive energy, brain energy. Work harder for your grades. Score higher on your assessments. Study every night for each class. I repeat, study every night for each class. Are you up to the challenge, Heights High?

Check out this [video!](#)

SECURITY SCOOP

FROM MR. WATTERS, COORDINATOR FOR SAFETY AND SECURITY

Full facial masks are no longer permitted at Heights High School. A full facial mask is one where we can see only your eyes. If you need a mask to cover your nose and mouth, please seek one in your cohort office.

Sunglasses are not permitted to be worn in the building.

