



PEEK AT THE WEEK

OCTOBER 28, 2024

Mission: Our schools provide a challenging and engaging education to prepare all our students to become responsible citizens and succeed in college and career.

HALLOWEEN SPIRIT WEEK

Hey Heights, join Student Council and get involved with Halloween Spirit Week this week!

October 28: May Yourself at Home Monday
Start the week by wearing your spookiest pajamas.

October 29: Trivia Tuesday
During the lunch periods, Student Council will ask a series of Halloween trivia questions for a chance for you to win something sweet.

October 30: Wicked Movie Wednesday
Join Student Council in the Mini Auditorium after school for a showing of "Boo 2! A Madea Halloween."

October 31: Trick or Treat Thursday
End the week by wearing your Halloween costume and be automatically entered in the Student Council's costume contest.

NO SCHOOL: NOV. 5

Reminder, there will be no school for students on Tuesday, November 5 for a Staff Professional Development Day.

School will resume on Wednesday, November 6.

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES: NOV. 6

Parent-Teacher Conferences will take place on Wednesday, November 6 from 2:00 - 8:00 p.m.

The portal to sign up for time slots will be open from Monday, October 28 to Wednesday, November 6 at 2:00 p.m.

[Click here](#) for more information.

STAY IN THE GAME!

KEEP LEARNING, EVERY DAY

CH-UH Schools are proud to partner with the Cleveland Browns Foundation and the Stay in the Game Attendance Network in the 2024-2025 school year.

The District has adopted a plan for communications with persons with disabilities, which is available [here](#).

The plan establishes procedures to ensure that the District's communications with persons with disabilities, including applicants, participants, members of the public, and companions with disabilities, are as effective as its communications with others.

Vision & Expectation: A diploma in every hand. A plan in every head. A purpose in every heart.

Heights High School



BIG FISH THE MUSICAL: NOV. 2 & 3



Cleveland Heights High School is excited to perform **Big Fish** for this year's fall musical! Come out and support the VMD, IMD, Stage Crew, and Cosmetology students in the production of the school edition of the musical.

Performances will take place at **2:00 p.m.** and **7:00 p.m.** on November 2 and 3.

[Click here](#) to purchase your tickets or call (216) 320-3106 for more ticketing information.

[Click here](#) to read about the lead cast's experiences while preparing for this year's musical.

CH-UH HOLIDAY CARD CONTEST: DUE 12/2

Tiger Nation students from preschool through 12th grade are encouraged to participate in the fourth annual CH-UH Holiday Card Contest!

The winning artwork will be featured as the 2024 CH-UH Holiday Card cover. The student's name, grade, and school will be noted on the card. The top 3 winners will be recognized at a Board of Education meeting and receive a \$50 cash prize from the Heights Schools Foundation.



Superintendent Kirby will select one of the winning cards for the holiday card, which will be available for purchase by the community for a limited time. Proceeds will benefit arts education in CH-UH.

Artwork Theme: Happy Holidays/Season's Greetings

Submissions should reflect holiday-spirited or winter themes. Artwork may not reference or contain images of specific religious holiday/religions. Any artwork that depicts copyrighted images cannot be considered.

Any student who is currently enrolled in CH-UH is eligible to participate.

The deadline for submissions is **Monday, December 2.**

[Click here](#) for more information.

HALLOWEEN COSTUME RULES & DOOR DECORATING CONTEST



Costumes are allowed to be worn by students and staff on Thursday, October 31 but the followed will NOT be permitted at school:

- Face masks/coverings
- Inappropriate make-up (replica of blood, gore, etc.)
- No weapons (e.g., toy guns, swords, etc.)

Costumes must follow the Tiger Nation Student Dress Code. If a costume is deemed inappropriate, you will be asked to change clothes.

Staff - it's that time again! Let us see your Halloween Doors. The Student Council is hosting the Halloween Door Decorating Contest. Prizes will be given to the top three spooky doors! Judging will take place on Halloween.

INFINITE CAMPUS ANNUAL UPDATES FOR 2024-2025

All CH-UH K-12 parents and guardians must complete and Annual Update for the 2024-2025 school year through the Infinite Campus Parent Portal. Find the instructions to complete the Annual Update here.

Parent Portal accounts have been created for any parent/guardian that did not already have one, and accounts are created for parents/guardians of new students within one week of enrollment. An email from icportal@chuh.org is sent with username and activation link once the Parent Portal account is created.

Updating your information in Infinite Campus (IC) annually is crucial for ensuring Heights High can reach you in the case of an emergency and for planning field trips and extracurricular activities. If you need any assistance, please not hesitate to contact your student's grade-level office (*see pg. 5 for office contact information*).

MODEL UN CONFERENCE AT CWRU

The Heights High Model UN team will be heading to the fall conference at CWRU on Monday, November 18 and Tuesday, November 19.

Anyone interested in joining is welcome. Model UN looks great on college applications! Click here to join the Model UN Google Classroom.

Anyone interested in attending, please email Ms. Francis at m_francis@chuh.org. Model UN meets on Mondays in Room 314.

SENIOR INFORMATION PAGE

Dennis Kless, Senior Advisor
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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

Make sure to check the Class of 2025 page on the District website throughout the year for regular updates and important information!

PREPARE College & Career Readiness

Look below for information on post-secondary opportunities for seniors and their families to get help with navigating the financial aid and application process.

Upcoming College Representative Visit:

Tuesday, October 29
6th Pd. - Marietta College

To attend any college or university representative visit, you will need to get a permission form in Room 105 from Mrs. McEwen. The form must be signed prior to the visit from your teacher.

Please check Naviance for other upcoming college representative visits to Heights High and for scholarship opportunities.

If you are receiving merit scholarships or acceptance letters from colleges and universities, please email Mrs. McEwen a copy or come to Room 105 with the letter.

Financial Aid Information Night Presentations:

Linked below are the presentations that were shown during Financial Aid Information Night on October 8. These presentation can also be found on the Class of 2025 web page (link above).

For any questions, please contact Mrs. McEwen at t_mcewen@chuh.org.

Financing Your College Education presented by Inez Laureano, John Carroll University

Scholarship Awareness - How To Be Strategic in Finding Money for College

High School 2 the Future!

**Freshman
Checklist**

**Sophomore
Checklist**

**Junior
Checklist**

STAY INFORMED!

LOOKING AHEAD:	Start of National Native American Heritage Month 11/1	Daylight Savings Ends <i>Turn Clocks Back An Hour</i> 11/3	Staff PD Day <i>No School For Students</i> 11/5	CHHS Parent-Teacher Conferences 11/6	IMD Fall Concerts 11/13 & 11/14
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CHUH.ORG - VIEW UPCOMING EVENTS, GRADE INFORMATION, AND THE LATEST DISTRICT HEADLINES.

[/ClevelandHeightsTigers](https://www.instagram.com/ClevelandHeightsTigers)
[/HeightsHighCHUH](https://twitter.com/HeightsHighCHUH)

CHHS Grade Level Offices:

CHHS Social Workers:
Kristin Dadas
 (216) 320-3213
 2028 Cohort - Last Names A - G
 All 2027 Cohort
Allison Craig
 (216) 320-3017
 2028 Cohort - Last Names H - O
 All 2026 Cohort
Latiesa Kirkpatrick
 (216) 320-3125
 2028 Cohort - Last Names P - Z
 All 2025 Cohort

9th Grade Office
 Principal: Ms. Perry
 Attendance Line: (216) 320-3171
 Office Line: (216) 320-3170
11th Grade Office
 Principal: Mrs. Hansen
 Attendance Line: (216) 320-3211
 Office Line: (216) 320-3210

10th Grade Office
 Principal: Ms. Thomas
 Attendance Line: (216) 320-3161
 Office Line: (216) 320-3160
12th Grade Office
 Principal: Mr. Smith
 Attendance Line: (216) 320-3201
 Office Line: (216) 320-3200

CHHS Counselors:

<u>Tandra Menefee</u> Last Names A - E (216) 320-3090	<u>Charlene Searcy</u> Last Names M - R (216) 320-3006	<u>Tiesha McEwen</u> College & Career Readiness (216) 320-3065
<u>Taylor Bryant</u> Last Names F - L (216) 320-3057	<u>Michael Murray</u> Last Names S - Z (216) 320-3068	

SOCIAL & EMOTIONAL SUPPORTS

If you know of a student is in need of social and/or emotional support, please complete the referral form located in the **Quick Links** section of **Heights High's page** on CHUH.org. Anyone can complete this referral form, and submissions are routed directly to the school social workers and counselors for follow-up.



STAFF:

The CH-UH Employee Assistance Program through IMPACT can help you reduce stress, improve mental health, and make life easier by connecting you to the right information, resources, and referrals. **All services are free.** This includes access to short-term counseling and a wide range of offerings - from financial consultation to personal assistant services - **listed here.**

SECURITY SCOOP

FROM MR. WATTERS, COORDINATOR FOR SAFETY AND SECURITY

Our "see something, say something" policy applies to our school community 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Anyone can access the Safe School Helpline to report threats, bullying, or other such behavior.

Call 1-800-4-1-VOICE (1-800-418-6423) ext. 359 to leave your information, or submit a report **online.**

