

PEEK AT THE WEEK

OCTOBER 10, 2022



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

TRUSTED ADULT SURVEY

The Trusted Adult survey will be disseminated next week.

Students will be asked to identify an adult in the building they can go to for assistance and/or confide in.

PBIS MONTHLY RAFFLE WINNERS

HEIGHTS TIGER NATION **AUGUST & SEPTEMBER** **HEIGHTS TIGER NATION**

**CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING
PBIS RAFFLE WINNERS:**

Aniyah Bell Maurice Gosselin
Brionne Hill Kaylin McGhee
Michia Moses Caleb Moses
Xy'lia Owens Lorenzo Wallace
Quentin Van Benthuyssen

BE RESPECTFUL BE RESPONSIBLE
BE SAFE

PSAT Reminder

Date Wednesday, October 12, 2022

Time Report for test at 8:00AM-- Doors open at 7:30AM
Lunch will be offered from 1:00-1:45PM in the cafeteria.

Don't forget to bring a calculator and No. 2 Pencils!

HEIGHTS PTSA NIGHT

Join the PTSA at the Cavs games on Oct. 30 or Nov. 30 to cheer on the Cleveland Cavaliers and raise money for the PTSA.

Purchase your tickets [here!](#)

PTSA FIRST FRIDAY LUNCH

Have lunch on the PTSA!

Every first Friday of the month the PTSA will host a 'First Friday Lunch' in the mini auditorium for 20 Heights High students featuring outside speakers, board games, and more. [Sign up here!](#)

Please see Mr. Dubsy in office 326 to receive your prize from the PBIS swag shop or keep your eyes open for the PBIS "Swaggin Wagon" to make a prize delivery directly to you in class.

Heights High School



ATHLETIC EVENTS

Heights Athletics Ticket Policy

- 1) Tickets are required for ALL students who wish to attend athletic events.
- 2) Students MUST present their CHUH Student ID to enter. If you do not show your student ID you will not be permitted entry to the games. No refund will be issued.
- 3) Bookbags are NOT permitted inside CHUH athletic events.
- 4) NO outside food or drinks are permitted at CHUH athletic events.

BECOME A MEMBER OF SADD

We are looking for students to join SADD (Students Against Destructive Decisions). The mission of SADD is to empower and mobilize students and adult allies to engage in positive change through leadership and smart decision making. All are welcome!

Please contact [Mrs. Craig](#) or [Ms. Kirkpatrick](#) for more information.

BLACK MEN IN WHITE COATS YOUTH SUMMIT

University Hospitals of Cleveland and Case Western Reserve University (CWRU) School of Medicine are proud to partner and host the first ever Black Men in White Coats (BMWCx) Youth Summit in Cleveland on **Friday, October 21** and **Saturday, October 22**.

The goal of this inaugural event is to engage Black youth (boys/girls/non-binary) in grades 3-12 to consider careers in medicine through mentorship, networking, and exposure. They welcome students, caregivers, educators, and guidance counselors to join UH and CWRU for this informative, interactive, fun-filled weekend.

Check out the [event flyer](#) for additional information.

[Register here.](#)

EDUCATIONAL TALENT SEARCH RECRUITMENT

Educational Talent Search is looking for you! We are looking to recruit first generational students (all students) to be in our program. We prepare students for the postsecondary life. Students will have opportunities for tutoring, eligible for scholarships and college and career exposure trips; plus so much more.

For more information, please reach out to Ms. Esyla in room 219 or Mrs. Bing in room 220! Parents and students can [click here](#) to fill out the application.

PARENT HELP NEEDED FOR THE VMD

Greetings Parents! VAPO is requesting all parents/guardians of our amazing students in the Vocal Music Department to please send your contact information.

They want to be able to contact you with important updates, and are in desperate need of help with fundraisers.

If interested, please contact VAPO at VAPOchuh@gmail.com.

THE TIGER SHOP IS OPEN

The Tiger Shop supplies Tiger Nation gear while providing students with the opportunity to gain manufacturing and retail experience. All proceeds go back to the students for activities and senior scholarships.

Check out our merchandise in the [Tiger Shop](#)!

Open after school Wednesday - Friday and by appointment.

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

The Class of 2024 and DECA will host a community blood drive with the American Red Cross on **Monday, October 24** from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. in the Heights High competition gym.

Incentives are: a \$20 Amazon electronic gift card, a scoop of Mitchell's ice cream, and a choice of Red Cross t-shirts, water bottles, socks, etc. PLUS you are helping someone in need of blood!

Students ages 16 and up can donate with a permission slip - see Mrs. Parker or the Nurse!

For more information or to make an appointment to donate, contact Mrs. Parker at 216-346-0797 or sign up online [here](#).

PBIS MONTHLY RAFFLE

Attention all Heights High students!

The staff has the ability to write a **positive referral** to celebrate your good behavior anytime you are caught making Heights High school a better place. The positive referrals serve to reward and reinforce students for the monthly character development or the building level behavior expectations of **BE RESPECTFUL, BE RESPONSIBLE, and BE SAFE**.

Your grade level principal will process the referral in order to make you eligible for a **monthly raffle** to win Heights High gear!

VMD FALL MUSICAL

The Heights High VMD is performing **Sister Act - The Musical** for this year's fall musical!

Performances will be Nov. 3, 4, and 5 at 7 p.m. and Nov. 6 at 4 p.m.

Visit www.clevelandheightschoirs.com to purchase your tickets or call 216-320-3105 for more ticketing information. Tickets will go quickly so buy yours early!



SCHOOL SOCIAL WORKERS CORNER

October is a month of several important awareness observations. Just to name a few: October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month; Domestic Violence Awareness Month; and Emotional Wellness Month.

In addition, October 2 - 8 was **Mental Illness Awareness Week**. Mental health affects how we feel, think and act. Including some physical activity and exercise into your daily routine helps to improve mental health. Remember the national mental health crisis number is **988**.

Heights High Social Workers:

Allison Craig - c/o 2023 & c/o 2026 (I-Q last names)

Kristin Dadas - c/o 2024 & 2026 (A-H last names)

Latiesa Kirkpatrick - c/o 2025 & c/o 2026 (R-Z last names)

High School 2 the Future!

**Freshman
Checklist**

**Sophomore
Checklist**

**Junior
Checklist**

SENIOR INFORMATION PAGE

Patrick Fisher, Senior Advisor
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Karen Kastor, 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 \$43.52. Information for additional graduation packages, class rings, and letter jackets can be found here.

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 2023 page on the district website throughout the year for regular updates and important information!

PREPARE College Career Readiness

Look below for more information on the colleges that are visiting Heights High this week and opportunities for seniors to get help with navigating the financial aid and application process.

College Visits for the Week in the Mini Auditorium:

Tuesday, Oct. 11

2nd Period - Saint Mary College
3rd Period - Kenyon College
5th Period - University of Toledo

Thursday, Oct. 13

2nd Period - Niagara College
3rd Period - Wittenberg University
4th Period - Oberlin College
6th Period - Case Western Reserve University

Friday, Oct. 14

1st Period - PennWest Edinboro University
3rd Period - Saint Francis University
5th Period - Northeastern University (MA) Virtual
6th Period - Loyola University

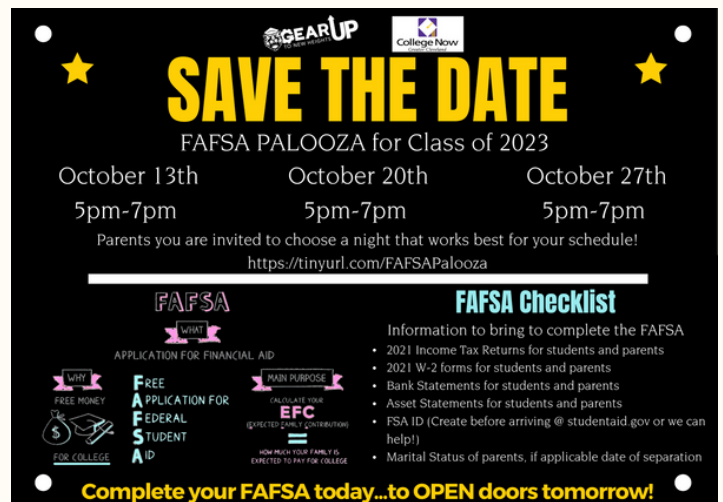
Every Wednesday starting on October 19th during lunch periods Seniors can get help applying for financial aid and college applications. More information to come!

FAFSA Palooza:

FAFSA Palooza is an opportunity for Senior parents to get help with filling out and completing their student FAFSA. GEAR UP is offering help on **October 13, October 20, and October 27** from 5pm-7pm.

Please choose a date that works best for you, or you can sign up for a different date by emailing Mrs. Bing.

[Click here](#) to sign up!



SAVE THE DATE
FAFSA PALOOZA for Class of 2023

October 13th	October 20th	October 27th
5pm-7pm	5pm-7pm	5pm-7pm

Parents you are invited to choose a night that works best for your schedule!
<https://tinyurl.com/FAFSAPalooza>

FAFSA
APPLICATION FOR FINANCIAL AID

FAFSA Checklist
Information to bring to complete the FAFSA

- 2021 Income Tax Returns for students and parents
- 2021 W-2 forms for students and parents
- Bank Statements for students and parents
- Asset Statements for students and parents
- FSA ID (Create before arriving @ studentaid.gov or we can help!)
- Marital Status of parents, if applicable date of separation

Complete your FAFSA today...to OPEN doors tomorrow!

STAY INFORMED!

LOOKING
AHEAD:

PSAT Testing
Grades 9 - 11
10/12

Red Cross
Blood Drive
10/24

Records Day
No School for
Students
10/28

Sister Act - The
Musical
11/3 - 11/6

Senior Picture
Day
11/6



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

**COUNSELOR
INFORMATION**

DATA DIVE

Attendance Data - 86.25%
Goal -> 90%

Referral Data - Month of September

17 staff members wrote
53 positive referrals for
65 students, resulting in
14% of all referrals that
were positive

54 staff members wrote
468 discipline referrals
for
431 students

PBIS FOCUS: GENEROSITY

When each one of us shares with one another, we collectively make our world a better place.

Let's really strive to contribute to causes larger than ourselves. For example, make a donation to the Puerto Rican Hurricane Fiona Relief Drive, tutor a friend, help an elder in the community or volunteer at a foodbank.

You'll be surprised at how full your heart feels when you give of yourself!

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.

