

August 2023

Dear Hortonville High School Parents, Guardians, and Community,

Greetings and welcome to another school year at Hortonville High School,

Welcome back to the 2023-2024 school year. This school year will continue to be full of changes and updates as our referendum project ends here at HHS. I thank our school community for their support to update and expand our spaces at the High School.

This school year, we will continue to see growth in the size of our building and the number of students, as we expect to have around 100 more students attend the high school this year. Student success and well-being are the continual focus here at Hortonville High School, and our staff works together to ensure every student can reach their full potential in academics, the arts, and athletics.

HHS Administration is committed to providing the best experience for you and your family at HHS, and we will do anything to ensure your student(s) have the best experience possible during their four years within our building. I encourage you to visit or contact us if you have any questions or want to learn more about Hortonville High School.

 We will host the 3rd annual Hortonville High School curriculum night on September 18th to allow families to meet your student(s) teachers and learn more about their courses. Please see the handout for more details.

Upcoming Events:

August 18th - Pictures, yearbooks, Fee Payments 7:00am-6:00pm.

Photos (7am-2pm)

August 22nd- Pictures, yearbooks, Fee Payments 7:00am-6:00pm.

Photos (10am-5pm)

August 23rd - Pictures, yearbooks, Fee Payments 7:00am-3:00pm.

Photos (10am-5pm)

September 5th – Freshman Orientation Day - see below for details.

New/Transfer students 10-12 Orientation 1-3pm- see below for details.

September 6th – First Day of School for All Students

• During the 2023-2024 school year, high school administration will once again be conducting Parent Forums during the 2nd Monday of each month from 5pm-6pm. These sessions provide parents/guardians with an opportunity to learn more about the events and happenings at HHS. These forums will once again be provided using Microsoft Teams as last year's format seemed to allow more parents to participate in these events. Look for links sent via Skylerts a week prior to each event.

RollBears!

Tim Rietveld

Student Pictures, Yearbook Pick-up, and Fee Payments

Again this year, the high school has set up dates in August for students to take school pictures, get required student IDs, pick up previous year's yearbook, order 2023-24 yearbooks, buy parking permits for any student driving and parking on campus, purchase a school issued lock for their main locker or gym locker and pay any school fees not paid on-line.. By providing this opportunity prior to the start of school, students are better prepared for the start of the school year and the first week of school can be more focused on getting accustomed to new classes and expectations. Below are the dates and times that families can plan to visit the high school to complete the above-mentioned tasks:

August 18th from 7:00am – 6:00pm
 August 22nd from 7:00am – 6:00pm
 August 23rd from 7:00am – 3:00pm
 Photos Available from 10am-5pm
 Photos Available from 10am-5pm

Yearbooks- \$42.00, Parking Permits- \$20.00, Locks- \$8.00

Hortonville High School does NOT have an Open House on Wednesday, August 30th.

Counseling Information

The Counseling Department will be conducting their Parent Programs throughout the year. These are excellent opportunities to obtain information that is specifically relevant to each grade level. The dates of the Parent Programs are as follows:

- Senior Parent Night September 18
- Sophomore Parent Night October 9
- Financial Aide Night for Seniors January 22
- Freshmen Parent Night November 11
- 8th Grade Parent Night January 8
- Junior Parent Night February 13

Freshman Orientation Schedule

8:35 – 9:45	Freshmen Assembly	Fieldhouse
9:45 – 11:45	Small Group Work - led by Link Crew Leaders Teachers are expected to be in the	
11:50 – 1:25	Lunch and Tours	
1:30 – 3:15	Modified Scheduled Day (Students will attend classes)	Classrooms
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	Red Day 1:30 – 1:37	
	2:18 – 2:25 ELT <u>White Day</u> 2:30 – 2:37 1 st Block 2:42 – 2:49 2 nd Block 2:54 – 3:01 3 rd Block 3:06 – 3:13 4 th Block	
3:15 – 3:35	Freshmen Assembly & Send Off	Fieldhouse

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Transfer/ Foreign Exchange Student Orientation

Welcome to Hortonville High School! The Counseling Team invites you to a New Student Orientation on Tuesday, September 5th at 1:00 p.m. Greeters will meet you right inside the main entrance in the Commons area to escort you/direct you to the Library. The orientation will include valuable information that we hope will make your transition to Hortonville High School easier! You will be able to meet your counselor and some of your peers. Tours of the building will be provided. We will be concluding the orientation around 3:00 p.m

Daily Schedules 2023-2024

Red Day Schedule

0 Hour	1 st Hour	2 nd Hour	3 rd Hour	ELT	4 th Hour
7:05-8:30	8:35-10:05	10:10-11:35	11:40-1:30	1:35-2:05	2:10- 3:35

White Day Schedule

0 Hour	1 st Hour	2 nd Hour	3 rd Hour	ELT	4 th Hour
7:05-8:30	8:35-10:05	10:10-11:35	11:40-1:30	1:35-2:05	2:10- 3:35

Early Release Schedule

0 Hour	1 st Hour	2 nd Hour	3 rd Hour	4 th Hour	Lunch
7:30-8:28	8:35-9:35	9:40-10:38	10:43-11:41	11:46-12:44	12:44-1:10

Delayed Late Start Schedule

1 st Hour	2 nd Hour	3 rd Hour	4 th Hour
10:35-11:34	11:39-12:37	12:42-2:32	2:37-3:35

Red and White Day Schedule 2023-2024

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Curriculum Night Information 2023-2024

Dear Hortonville High School Parent/Guardian,

The faculty and staff of Hortonville High School invite you to attend the 3rd annual Parent Curriculum Night on *Monday, September 18, 2023*. During the evening, parents will have the opportunity to follow their student's schedule, attend teacher presentations about learning objectives and course expectations, and visit with members of our Pupil Services Department.

1st Period Red Day will begin promptly at 6:00 PM.

Freshmen Parents - Location: HS Auditorium

We will be running a pre-session that night for Freshmen Parents beginning at 5:30. We realize that many of our parents are experiencing high school for the first time as a parent. We will be providing you information about basic information about the high school and what you should be expecting to see and hear as a high school parent. Topics that will be covered:

- Curriculum Development and consistency
- Communication
- Schedules
- Introduction to School Administration/Counselors/School Psychologist
- Other Available Resources

Additionally, we will be holding an ACP informational session that will follow the schedule below. This informational session will be offered during release time in your students' schedule or beforehand at 5:30pm.

Academic and Career Planning – Hortonville High School Library

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The HHS Counseling team will briefly overview how we prepare our students for life following high school.

*** Please be sure that you bring a copy of your child's schedule so that you can easily follow along during the night. Feel free to have your child also complete the schedule form below to assist you that night.

Please note that this evening is designed for **parents only.** If you have any questions about the night's events, please contact the High School Office at 920-779-7933.

Sincerely,

Tim Rietveld

Attendance Information 2023-2024

Attendance matters! - Please help your student by supporting them in daily attendance here at school. If your child is healthy, please support them in getting to school each school day. Every day of school is an important opportunity for students to learn as well as connect to peers and their teachers.

HASD allows a maximum of 10 excused absences (all or part of a day) in a school year before requiring a doctor's excuse. Beginning with the 11th absence, a doctor's note will be required in order for the absence to be excused. Absences beyond that, without the medical excuse, will be marked unexcused which could potentially lead to a Truancy referral and citation.

We realize some absences are for health or other reasons. Excused and unexcused absences both mean *missing* classroom learning time. Absences can add up. <u>Missing just two days every month puts students at risk of falling behind</u>. Attending school has a huge impact on student success.

If your family or your child needs support, please reach out to us for assistance. We have many resources we can connect you to and are happy to help. If your student regularly misses school, we would like to partner with you to improve their attendance so we can keep them engaged and learning.

Attendance Tips:

- Make sure your students keep a regular bedtime and establish a morning routine.
- Turn off all electronics including TVs, phones, and tablets at bedtime.
- Check with our school nurse or office staff if you are not sure about when to keep your child at home due to illness.
- Avoid scheduling vacations or appointments when school is in session. If your child attends a medical appointment, please ask for a proof of appointment slip upon exit and return that to the school office upon return from the appointment.
- Talk to teachers and counselors for advice if your student feel anxious about going to school.
- Develop a back-up plan for getting your child to school if something comes up. Call on a family member, neighbor, or another parent to take your student to school.

To report an absence call: 920-779-7940.

Tardies – A tardy will be documented anytime a student is late 15 minutes or less to class (except for ELT). More than 15 minutes late to class is considered an unexcused absence. Students who are consistently tardy to class will receive a lunch (or after school detention) for every 3 tardies. Questions regarding this should be directed to Student Services at 920-779-7933 ext. 13190



CALLING ALL JUNIORS AND SENIORS STILL INTERESTED IN
YOUTH APPRENTICESHIP FOR THE UPCOMING SCHOOL YEAR!
REACH OUT TO DAWN GRENZER-STUMPF, YOUR
COORDINATOR, AND SUBMIT YOUR ONLINE APPLICATION.
WE'RE EXCITED TO CONNECT YOU WITH BUSINESS AND
INDUSTRY PARTNERS

LOOKING TO HIRE MID-AUGUST.

DON'T MISS OUT ON THIS CHANCE TO GAIN VALUABLE
WORK EXPERIENCE AND

KICKSTART YOUR CAREER!









HASD Music Boosters Food Truck Tailgate Parties

Join us for the 2023 HASD Music Boosters Tailgate Parties! This year we will hold the event at ALL HHS Varsity Football games! And there will be MORE trucks available!

Here is the lineup:

Friday, August 18

Kona Ice, Travelin' Tom's Coffee, Zoua's Egg Rolls, Osario's Latin Fusion & Smokehound BBQ

Friday, Sept 1

Kona Ice, Travelin' Tom's Coffee, Zoua's Egg Rolls, Osario's Latin Fusion & Hot Biddys

Friday, Sept 22

Kona Ice, Travelin' Tom's Coffee, Zoua's Egg Rolls, Osario's Latin Fusion & Inferno Subs

Friday, Oct 6 (Homecoming)

Kona Ice, Travelin' Tom's Coffee, Zoua's Egg Rolls, Osario's Latin Fusion & Inferno Subs

- All events will be held in the HHS Parking lot from 4:15-7:30 PM
- This is OPEN TO THE PUBLIC and you do not need to purchase a football game ticket to join us!

 Special programs performance by the HHS Band on 10/6 for homocoming!
 - Special pre-game performance by the HHS Band on 10/6 for homecoming!
- 10%-30% of profits from sales goes back to the Music Boosters for student scholarships and funds to support the HASD music programs!