

HILL REGIONAL CAREER H.S. PARENT NEWSLETTER

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PTSO Mission Statement: It is our mission to work collaboratively with the school community to provide a quality education for our children, through increased Parental participation, productive communication and assistance, while fostering a warm and welcoming environment. *Alone we can do so little; together we can do so much.* - [Helen Adams Keller](#)



At 10 a.m. Career High School participated with the National School Walkout. In every time zone, organizers as well as teachers, students, administrators, and parents were encouraged to walk out for 17 minutes — one for every person killed at Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School. After the 17 minutes of silence – students took part in an open panel discussion. The panel consisted of a New Haven Alderman, Administrator, our SRO (Police Officer) and Chief of School Security.

CONGRATULATIONS!! Thanks, Rose Murphy (and the NHD students!)

Please congratulate the members of the National History Day team around school this week! They had a fantastic day on Saturday presenting at Southern for the regional division. Marc, Sreya, Dyuthi, Ronnie, Tatiana, Seth, and Sayerah will advance to the state finals in April. You can see some photos of the students, their projects, and competition day [here!](#)

National Latin Exam Students – March 16, 2018

39 students from Latin I, 20 students from Latin II and 7 students from Latin III were selected to participate in the upcoming Nation Latin Exam. Let's wish them luck!

Athletics - Congratulations!! Career' Lady Panthers

The girls' basketball team has made it to the state championship game this weekend at **Mohegan Sun**. The game is set for **Saturday, March 17, 2018 at 3pm**. Hope to see everyone there supporting our Lady Panthers.

Welcome Reception RESCHEDULED for TUESDAY, MARCH 20, 2018

Due to inclement weather the Reception for Dr. Carol Birks, New Haven Superintendent has been rescheduled from March 13th to March 20, 2018 at the New Haven Museum 114 Whitney Avenue, New Haven from 5:00 7:00pm.

Upcoming 10th Grade College Visit - March 21, 2018

On Wednesday, March 21, 2018, every sophomore will go on a college visit. This week, your child will receive a permission slip for you to sign and return by Friday. Lunch will be provided and a free T-shirt. Dismissal will be from school at 2:15. We are looking forward to a wonderful day. Thank you!

New Haven Independent

The Connecticut High School Coaches Association has named Career High School's Larry Kelley its 2018 coach of the year.

Kelley has coached teams at Career for 21 years. For the last 11, he has served as head coach of the school's boys' basketball team.

He is to receive his award May 10 at the association's banquet at AquaTurf Club in Southington.

"He has won many games and titles over the years," schools Superintendent Reggie Mayo stated in a release issued Monday afternoon, "but I am most grateful for the individual attention and support he has provided hundreds of athletes and thousands of students at Career whose lives he has touched for the better."



**You are invited - A FREE SCREENING OF THE 2018 FILM
New Haven Board of Alders-Black and Hispanic Caucus - 2ND ANNUAL HBCU AWARENESS EVENT**



Wednesday, March 21, 2018 at 5:30 PM in the Program Room of the
Ives Main Branch of the New Haven Free Public Library
133 Elm Street, New Haven, CT.

Guidance Corner

Parents, PSAT Scores Announcement

Students received PSAT scores from the test they took in October along with a letter to share with you. Scores are printed across the top of the score sheet for each section; critical reading, mathematics and writing. The highest score in each section is 80. Students can check their answers on their score sheet and refer back to the test booklet. Reviewing the test can help you score better the next time or prepare you for the SAT. Students can also make an account on the Collegeboard website and use the access code on your score sheet (located in the middle on the left and at the bottom) to use My College Quickstart. This is an online way to get to your scores and answers, and shows how you can improve your scores. PLEASE SEE YOUR COUNSELOR IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS.

Seniors:



1. Senior must complete 20 hours of community service (40 hours if PROMISE students)
2. Every senior must earn 28 credits. NO EXCEPTIONS!!
3. SAT and ACT registration forms are available in the Guidance Counselor's Offices or can be done on the collegeboard website. **(High School CEEB Code #070488)**
4. See counselors for upcoming dates for SAT, ACT and AP Exams - Register on-line @collegeboard.com – you must pay by credit card when registering online.
5. Students are reminded that transcripts indicate absences and tardiness as well as grades. Colleges may take this information into consideration.
6. Seniors must complete the Financial Aid Application (FAFSA) and submit it to FAFSA, which will submit it to the colleges you indicate on the FAFSA form. Students and parents must immediately register to get a PIN number (used as a signature online). This can be done now as it does take some time to receive the PIN. Most times the FAFSA deadline is Feb. 1, but check with each college to which your child has applied for deadline dates. FAFSA forms need to be completed in January. Apply ON-LINE at www.fafsa.gov - Financial Aid is limited – **APPLY EARLY!** Any questions see your counselor.

Good Evening Junior Parents, Ms. Rice


There is a district initiative for all juniors to participate in a college visit (one) this spring. Please see the upcoming scheduled college trips. (Trips for students - are first come - first served basis – in the guidance suite. If students do not apply they will be assigned a trip.) These are the following trips and dates:

1. Wednesday, March 28th 8:30 am- UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT
2. Monday, April 2nd 9:15 am- ALBERTUS MAGNUS COLLEGE
3. (Thursday, April 5th Time TBD- COLLEGE FAIR CONSORTIUM at Floyd Little Athletic Center)-ALL juniors
4. Tuesday, April 24th 9:00 am- CENTRAL CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY

MARCH 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11 Daylight Savings	12	13	14	15	16 National Latin Exam	17 
18	19	20	21 ✓ 11 th Gr SAT ✓ 12 th CPR Training ✓ 9 th Gr On Track Celebration ✓ 10 th College Trip	22	23	24
25 	26	27	28 11 th Gr College Trip	29 End of MP3	30 Good Friday No School	31

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1 	2 11 th College Trip	3	4	5 11 th College Trip	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13 Early Dismissal Spring Break <u>Early Dismissal</u> <u>Spring Break</u>	14
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