



## PRINCIPAL'S NEWSLETTER

May 10, 2019

Happy Friday, Vikings!

*"We rise by lifting others."* It's one of my favorite quotes because it embodies our Viking spirit, and after this past week's events, we're all soaring high! Countless staff have shared stories with me about letters of kindness and appreciation they received, and I, too, was the recipient of many thoughtful notes and goodies.

On Monday, the **Viking Backers** treated our staff to an ice cream sundae bar and SGA students, **Justin Carguilo, Starina Chang, Grayson Fleck, Caroline Siedlecki, Haley Kampert, Mackenzie Strozyk** and **Luke Burkitt** helped get everything ready.

On Tuesday, our **PTSA Hospitality Committee** spearheaded by **Terri Gainey** and **Erin Lanthier**, jumpstarted our morning with a fantastic breakfast complete with specialties like a yogurt parfait bar, hard-boiled eggs and a fresh fruit and cheese platter.

On Wednesday, the **Viking Backers** treated us once again – this time it was "Grab & Go Breakfast Carts." Our wonderful Science Lab Manager **Kathy Canby** decorated the science carts for us so we could stop by each classroom personally to deliver breakfast. Many thanks to our Assistant Principals **Cherilyn Brown, Katie Clark** and **Dwayne Williams** who helped yours truly push the carts along with our ever-energetic (even at 7am) SGA students: **Justin Carguilo, John Ross, Jason Van Tine, Mateo Brown, Luke Burkitt, Haley Kampert, Grayson Fleck, Bryce Kampert, Mackenzie Strozyk, Starina Chang, Molly Peterson, Lynzee Loudon, Sajan Mehta, Caroline Siedlecki, Veronica Kim, and Saniya Mahate.**



On Thursday, our tireless SGA sponsors, **Katie Engelstatter** and **Phil Herdman** coordinated a Squisitos luncheon for the staff, and on Friday, our incredibly generous Indian Parent Group (a sub-committee of our PTSA) made the most amazingly delicious lunch for all of us! So yummy!!

We're all a little happier (and a little heavier 😊) this week. You have lifted us so high and from the bottom of my heart, I want you to know how much I appreciate each of you.

Still soaring,  
Joelle

## **FOLLOW US & STAY CONNECTED**

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Website: <http://mhhs.hcpss.org/>

Student Online Newspaper: The Mountain: <https://mthmountain.com/>

## **UPCOMING DATES/EVENTS**

See the [calendar](#) on our website for additional dates.

<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Event</b>
May 13-17	7:30-11:30am, 11:30am- 3:30pm	AP Exams @ Crossroads Church of the Nazarene
May 13	5:30-7pm	Teen Advisory Council @ Barn/Teen Center in the Oakland Mills Village Center
May 13	6:30-8:30pm	Youth in Conversation @ Oliver's Carriage House
May 14	6-9pm	Senior Class Night @ Savage Mill
May 16		Interim Reports Issued for Quarter 4
May 16	During Lunch	Senior Next Steps Extravaganza in the Senior Court Yard.
May 16	7pm	Community Awards Ceremony in the Auditorium (All seniors & parents are welcome to attend)
May 16-23		Mandatory Final Exams for Seniors
May 17		3-hours Early Dismissal @ 11:10am
May 18	9am-5pm	Safe Space Training @ Wild Lake High Cafeteria
May 21	7:25-9:10am	Mandatory Graduation Rehearsal in the Auditorium
May 22	7:25-9:10am, 12:20-2:10pm	Mandatory Graduation Rehearsal in the Auditorium
May 23	By 2pm	Seniors last day to pick-up medication from the Health Room
May 23	9:00-11:15am	Senior School Awards Ceremony in the Auditorium (Caps & Gowns required), Class picture, Graduation Ticket and Senior Banners Distribution
May 23		Last Day of School for Seniors
May 27		School Closed for Memorial Day
May 30	1:30pm	Early Dismissal for Graduation
May 30	3pm	Graduation @ Merriweather Post Pavilion
June 3	6:30pm	Viking Backers Meeting in the Media Center
June 5	6-8pm	College Night in the Auditorium
June 18		1st Final Exam (Full Day)
June 19, 20, 21		Final Exams for HS/ Early Dismissal @ 11:10am
June 21	11:10am	Last Day of School
September 5	6:30pm	Back to School Night for 2019-2020

# CELEBRATIONS!

*\*\*For even more celebrations & good news, follow us on Twitter: [@hcpss\\_mhhs](https://twitter.com/hcpss_mhhs)*

**Congratulations** to Mt. Hebron student artists and photographers: Seniors **Sierra Faish, Irina Ivanova, Joshua Starling** and **Madison Wright** and Juniors **Erin Park** and **Mackenzie Strozyk** who were awarded for their hard work by selection into the Annual Senior Show and Portfolio Development Exhibition. Students attended an award ceremony at the Rouse Theatre in Columbia and have their work up at the Board of Education until May 15th.



**Congratulations** to Senior **Eliza Munns** who was chosen as one of fourteen winners of the 2019 Minds in Motion Scholar-Athlete Scholarship!

Each recipient will receive a \$1,000 scholarship at a luncheon held in their honor in the Ravens Locker Room at M&T Bank Stadium on May 30th. This year's guest speaker at the luncheon is the highly acclaimed Omari Pearson of "Passion to Purpose".

Click on this link to read more:

<https://www.mpssaa.org/fourteen-scholar-athletes-chosen-for-the-2019-minds-in-motion-scholarships/>

We are so proud of you, Eliza!!

Teacher Appreciation Week is the perfect time to announce our **Content Teachers of the Year** (as voted on by our Senior Class)! **Congratulations** to:

CTE & TOY: Ms. Carter  
English: Mr. Barth  
ESOL: Ms. Viglotti  
Fine Arts: Mr. Shumway  
Health/PE: Mr. DeCrispino

Math: Mr. Sankey  
Science: Ms. Mongano  
Social Studies: Mr. Lindsenmeyer  
Special Education: Tommy Tittsworth  
Student Services: Trish Marton  
World Language: Ms. Gonzalez



**Congratulations** to some of the **ESOL** students at MHHS who have spent the past week exploring values and beliefs along with social issues. One of the overarching concepts is how important the sense of belonging is.



**Congratulations** to Mt. Hebron Varsity Tennis Team!! It has been a wonderful 4 years on the team. Thanks for coming out for the Senior Night to support!! From left to right: **Avani Rastogi, Noah Villiger, Ayush Khurana, Michael Kimack** (boys captain), **Noora Rahman** (Girls captain), **Ben Williams, Rohit Priyakumar, and Arvind Singh**.



**Congratulations** to the It's Academic team of **Yashas Anil**, **Chase Blanchette**, and **Khiem Doan** (alternates Co-Tu Doan and David Wang) who placed second in the playoff round of the WJZ sponsored It's Academic competition. Good luck to graduating seniors Yashas, Chase, and Khiem in their next endeavors. **Be sure to watch their semi-final round this Saturday at 10:00 on WJZ-channel 13.**



Congratulations to Senior **Haram Chun** who is one of the recipients of MELLFIN (*Maryland English Language Learning Family Involvement Network*) scholarship!

This year there were two scholarships available for Howard County students and Haram was one of the winners!

So proud of you Haram!



Monday was National Nurses Day, so we took a moment to celebrate **Karen Torpey** and **Michele Wilder** who take care of our students in our health room every day!

## **NEW NEWS**

**SENIORS: Graduation Instructions (which you have previously received) are reprinted at the bottom of this newsletter should you need them.**

### **HCPSS Budget Shortfall for Next Year**

The County Council is balancing the budget and asking the Board of Education (BOE) to reduce the amount of money it is asking for. The Superintendent and BOE are working hard to figure out options, which could potentially include finding savings by surplussing teachers and increasing class sizes. To learn more about this topic and what you can do about it read the home page blog on the PTSA website at <https://mthebronptsa.com> or see the same info posted on the PTSA's Facebook page @MHHSPTSA. Time is of the essence - there is an opportunity for public testimony Monday, May 13 @ 1pm and you may email the County Executive and Council members any time before the budget vote May 29.

### **Senior Next Steps Extravaganza!**

Student Services is hosting a Senior Next Steps Extravaganza on Thursday, **May 16 during all lunch shifts** in the senior court yard! Students should wear their military, college or career t-shirts to celebrate their next step! We will have a "signing" table for students, free frozen treats and giveaways at each lunch shift.

## High School Final Exam Schedule, June 18-21

### **Tuesday, June 18 (Full day of school; B Day)**

- **Period 1 Exam**, 7:25-9:05 a.m.
- Period 2 Class, 9:10-9:50 a.m.
- Period 3 Class, 9:55-10:35 a.m.
- Period 4B Class and lunch, 10:40 a.m.-12:40 p.m.
- Period 5 Class, 12:45-1:25 p.m.
- Period 6 Class, 1:30-2:10 p.m.

### **Wednesday, June 19 (Schools Dismiss Three Hours Early)**

- **Period 2 Exam**, 7:25-9:05 a.m.
- Brunch, 9:05-9:25 a.m.
- **Period 3 Exam**, 9:30-11:10 a.m.

### **Thursday, June 20 (Schools Dismiss Three Hours Early)**

- **Period 4A Exam**, 7:25-9:05 a.m.
- Brunch, 9:05-9:25 a.m.
- **Period 4B Exam**, 9:30-11:10 a.m.

### **Friday, June 21 (Schools Dismiss Three Hours Early; Last Day of School)**

- **Period 5 Exam**, 7:25-9:05 a.m.
- Brunch, 9:05-9:25 a.m.
- **Period 6 Exam**, 9:30-11:10 a.m.

**Calling ALL Superintendents, Principals, Directors, and other Educational Leaders!**

MARYLAND FAMILIES ENGAGE

# The 2019 Maryland Family Engagement Summit

## Understanding Implicit Bias: Engaging Families in Culturally Responsive Ways

**SAVE THE DATE!**

Join the Conversation:  
PreK-Grade 2 Suspension and Expulsion  
Panel Discussion!

**Thursday, Aug. 8, 2019**  
7:30 am - 4:30 pm  
Maritime Conference Center  
Linthicum Heights, MD

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**Featuring Keynote**  
**Dr. Rosemarie Allen**  
a nationally-recognized  
early childhood author,  
leader and expert

### **Save the Date!**

College Night is **June 5th<sup>th</sup> 6 pm-8 pm** and will begin in the MHHS Auditorium!

Multiple experts including College Representatives will be presenting. The rotation format of the evening will allow attendees to view at least 3 presentations!

- Get an Insider's View of The College Application!
- Learn to Dissect a College!
- Become a Financial Aid Expert!
- Hear about the benefits of a Community College...including transfer options/honors programs! And more!!!!

Students & Parents in all grades are welcome. **HOWEVER**, 11<sup>th</sup> grade parents/students are **STRONGLY ENCOURAGED** to attend. Don't miss it!

## **WORTH REPEATING**

### **Seniors with Medication in the Health Room**

If your Senior has medication in the Health Room, it must be picked up no later than **Thursday, May 23, 2019 at 2:10PM**. Any remaining medication will be destroyed. Students may pick up their Inhalers, Epi Pens and Benadryl. Any questions, please call 410-313-8178.

### **Graduation is May 30th @ 3pm**

Last day of school for seniors is May 23rd. Early dismissal for all students at 1:30 on May 30<sup>th</sup>. More information to follow soon. The complete graduation schedule is available on the HCPSS website at <https://news.hcpss.org/news-posts/2019/03/2019-high-school-graduation-schedule/>

### **Values at Hebron**

What Values do you have when you think of the learning environment at Mt. Hebron High School? Answer this 2-question survey and let your voice be heard! Parent responses will be combined with feedback from students and staff to create a theme for the 2019-2020 school year. Click here to take the short survey: <https://forms.gle/e1w3a3cLaXWx5oyT9>

### **Community Awards Night**

We hope you plan to attend our evening awards ceremony to honor those members of the Class of 2019 who have received individual awards and scholarships from organizations and colleges outside of Mt. Hebron High School. No tickets are required, so bring all friends and family who want to celebrate your accomplishments! Come out and recognize the achievements of the class.

Thursday, May 16<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00pm in the MHHS Auditorium **Students should wear professional attire for this ceremony and arrive by 6:30pm**. So that we can be sure to recognize you, we've created an online form where you can easily enter your award information. Please report this information by Monday, May 6<sup>th</sup> to be recognized at Community Awards Night. You must submit your award information here to ensure that we will be able to recognize you! Questions about this event can be directed to Ms. Flores ([monique\\_flores@hcpss.org](mailto:monique_flores@hcpss.org)) and/or Ms. Downey ([allison\\_downey@hcpss.org](mailto:allison_downey@hcpss.org)).

## Important Information about AP Exams

**Location** – Exams will be administered at **Crossroads Church of the Nazarene** (2750 Rogers Avenue), except Chinese (arrangements will be made with those students), and Studio Art, which is handled at MHHS.

- When students arrive at Crossroads via the traffic circle, the building entrance will be just off the circle. If students drive themselves, parking is to the right. If parents are dropping students, they should drop them at the church entrance off the traffic circle and proceed to the left and exit onto Rt. 99.
- For almost all exams, all students will take the exam together in the large gymnasium. For larger tests, this could be up to 140 students in the same space.

**Arrival** – All students should arrive no later than 7:30am for an 8am exam and 11:30am for a 12pm exam.

- If you need to be picked up, all morning exams should be finished by 11:30am, and all afternoon exams should be finished by 3:30pm.

### **Be sure to bring the following:**

- Please bring pencils and black or blue pens.
- Photo ID – government issued or school ID.
- For AP Biology, Calculus, Chemistry, Physics, or Statistics, you may bring up to two calculators. Visit [apstudent.collegeboard.org/apcourse](http://apstudent.collegeboard.org/apcourse) and click on the link for their course for the specific calculator policy.

### **Prohibited Items:**

- Phones and Smart Watches are not permitted. Additionally, watches that beep or have alarms are prohibited. If you bring either of these items, they will be bagged, labeled, and kept with Ms. Comberiate, AP Coordinator, for the duration of the test.
  - If you bring your cell phone or smart watch, you will submit it to Ms. Comberiate before testing, and will retrieve it after testing.
- You are discouraged from bringing backpacks and other personal belongings. But, if you need to bring something, it will be kept in the front of the testing room.
- No food or drink is allowed in the testing area. If you have two tests on the same day, your lunch will be kept in the front of the testing room.

### **In Case of Emergency:**

- In case of an emergency on the test date, please contact Ms. Comberiate at (410) 404-8396

2019 AP Exam schedule			
Week 2	Morning 8 a.m.	Afternoon	Afternoon
		12 noon	2 p.m.
Monday, 13-May-19	Biology	Physics C: Mechanics	Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism
Tuesday, 14-May-19	Calculus AB	Human Geography	
	Calculus BC		

<b>Wednesday, 15-May-19</b>	English Language and Composition	Macroeconomics	
<b>Thursday, 16-May-19</b>	Comparative Government and Politics	Statistics	
	World History		
<b>Friday, 17-May-19</b>	Microeconomics	Computer Science A	
	Music Theory		

### **Student Mentors Needed from Our Community**

Have you ever considered serving as a mentor to a high school student? The Mt. Hebron High School Gifted and Talented Research Program is seeking professionals to be mentors to students enrolled in the Intern/Mentor Program for the 2019-2020 school year. This is a wonderful opportunity for students who wish to evaluate a career or college major through a research-based course while in high school. Students generally spend five hours each week working with their mentor in a variety of ways.

Students receive credit for their time with you and engage in a number of activities! For example, a student with a doctor in an operating room might simply shadow the mentor during various surgeries; a student in a research lab would be assigned part of the research study; a student in a law office might work with documents, sit in on client meetings, and go to court. The opportunities are limitless!

We are currently in need of mentors in the following fields:

Local Politics	Pediatrics/NICU nursing	Clinical psych research
International Relations/Policy	Physical Therapy	Social Work (children)
Criminal Law and other areas of Law	Clinical Medicine – Any field	Mental Health
Broadcast Journalism	Cardiac Surgery	Finance/Accounting
Investigative Journalism	Anesthesiology	Marketing
Architecture/Construction – Project development and management	Ophthalmology	Business/Entrepreneurship
Mechanical Engineering	Clinical pharmacy	Business/Finance
Aerospace Engineering	Cardiology (clinical or research)	Business - tech industry
Chemical Engineering	Neurology/Neuroscience - lab setting	Supply Chain Management
Electrical Engineering	Pharmaceutical Research	Chef/Restaurant Manager
Software Engineering	Energy/Agriculture - Lab	
Cybersecurity	Microbiology Lab Research	
Data Analytics	Biotech Lab	
	Physics Research	

If you work in one of the fields listed above and might be open to working with a high school student next year, please contact Dr. Melissa Kiehl, GT Resource Teacher, at [mkiehl@hcpss.org](mailto:mkiehl@hcpss.org).

### **Safe Space Training**

**Saturday, May 18<sup>th</sup> 2019, 9:00am - 5:00pm**

**Wilde Lake High School – Cafeteria**

*(light breakfast & coffee at 8:30am, lunch provided)*

**Registration required at [grassrootscrisis.org/events](http://grassrootscrisis.org/events)**

**For additional information, contact Katie at 410-531-6006, ext. 1761**

*The Safe Space training has been designed by Grassroots as a suicide prevention and intervention model that focuses on the LGBTQ+ population and their increased risk for suicide.*

*The training program combines cultural competence with prevention and intervention strategies to reduce stigma, reduce suicidality, and ultimately save lives. Safe Space is free for Howard County students, residents and individuals that work in Howard County. Students must be 16 years of age or accompanied by an adult if younger than 16. Service hours are available for students. CEUs are available for adults.*

### **2019 Viking Basketball Summer Academy**

**Boys Week:** July 15-19

**Co-ed Week:** July 22-26

**Girls Week:** August 5-9

#### **Hours & Location:**

9am-2pm

Mt. Hebron HS Gymnasium

9440 Route 99, Ellicott City, MD 21042

#### **Age Group:**

Campers entering 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade through 9<sup>th</sup> Grade. Participants will be grouped by age, ability, and experience level.

**Tuition - \$200**

**\*Tuition includes: MTH camp team jersey, awards, and a basketball!**

**Gift Incentive! Send your child to two weeks of camp and receive an additional takeaway on their second week!**

#### **HOW TO REGISTER**

- 1. Go to the website: [vikingbackers.org](http://vikingbackers.org)**
- 2. Click the link “Summer Sports Camps”**
- 3. Follow instructions in the “Registration and Fees” Section**
- 4. Click link for registration completion**
- 5. Click links for payment completion**

**General Camp Information:**

The camp is planned to provide comprehensive skill instruction for beginning, intermediate, and advanced basketball players. Emphasis will be placed on fundamentals, individual skill development, and team strategy. In the first phase of the day, players will work in stations, learning important drills to improve all aspects of their craft. In the second half of day, students will compete in league play and various daily competitions. Campers will also have an opportunity to watch current & former players demonstrate individual and team drills.

### **Questions?**

For Boys & Coed Week: Email [jared\\_ettinger@hcpss.org](mailto:jared_ettinger@hcpss.org)

For Girls & Coed Week: Email [tierney\\_ahearn@hcpss.org](mailto:tierney_ahearn@hcpss.org)

### **Teen Advisory Council**

HC DrugFree's Teen Advisory Council (TAC) meets one Monday evening a month from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at The Barn/Teen Center in the Oakland Mills Village Center and is open to all Howard County high school students. Community service hours are available for all meetings and events. TAC will meet on **Monday, May 13th**. To register, please visit [www.hcdrugfree.org](http://www.hcdrugfree.org) and go to the Teen Advisory Council page.

Refreshments provided at meetings, so must RSVP to [Admin@hcdrugfree.org](mailto:Admin@hcdrugfree.org) or call 443-325-0040.

### **After-School Bus Dates Remaining**

The following are the after-school bus dates for the remainder of the school year.

May: 14, 16

Pick up time is approximately 4pm. The bus will stop at the following locations:

- 1) Liler Court and Liler Drive
- 2) Hollifield Station Elementary Station
- 3) Town and Country and West Springs Drive
- 4) Worthington Elementary
- 5) Brunswick Zone/Dunkin Donuts

### **ATTN: Current and Former MTH Band Students**

We are *looking for any MTH band instruments that might be lying around your house*. It seems that several instruments have been borrowed over the years and not returned to the band program upon graduation or leaving the program. If you have an instrument that belongs to Mt. Hebron, please kindly return the instrument to the front office or directly to Mr. Fischer in the Band Room. No questions asked. Thanks for your assistance as we work together to ensure the success of the band program for years to come.

### ***Do you play a Woodwind, Brass or Percussion instrument? If YES, I have just the thing for you... JOIN BAND!***

I wanted to reach out and let you know how excited I am to be joining the Mt. Hebron community as the new Band Director. I know that for many of you, band was once an important part of your daily schedule, and I am reaching out to encourage you to consider joining band again. The Mt. Hebron Band Program has a storied history that dates back to 1964 when the band first performed as an integral part of the Mt. Hebron

Community. I am looking forward to building on the tradition of excellence that has become the cornerstone of the program.

I recognize that there are many reasons why students choose not to participate in band in high school. I respect that band may no longer be a top priority or even an interest, however I want you to know that I would love to speak with you to discuss ways that you might enjoy band in high school. You can find me in the band room before school or during lunch (4A). There is a place for everyone in our band family. So... If you currently play, used to play or wish you could play an instrument, stop by to see me or feel free to contact me directly at [joe\\_fischer@hcpss.org](mailto:joe_fischer@hcpss.org). I look forward to meeting you and building an even greater band program together.

### **Youth in Conversation**

**Youth in Conversation** is a group of high school students who want to “talk about the things no one talks about.” The goal is to build community by having conversations about identities we have in common and issues that separate us, such as race, culture, religion and gender.

All HCPSS high school students are welcome & free dinner will be provided by #OneHoward and the Columbia Association each evening we meet

We will meet **the second and fourth Monday of every month from 6:30 – 8:30 p.m.** at Oliver’s Carriage House, 5410 Leaf Treader Way, Columbia, MD 21044 (also known as Kittamaqundi Community Church)

Remained Meeting Dates in 2019: 5/13. Please see the FRONT OFFICE for a form if you would like to participate.

**Your next VALHALLA VOICE will be published May 13th with the latest news from your parent advocacy groups and community.**

### **Graduation Instructions**

1. Participation in the graduation ceremony is not mandatory. Students who elect not to participate in the ceremony and rehearsals are still expected to attend school from 7:25am to 2:10pm during each school day through May 23, 2019. All students must have an approved absence or early dismissal note for any absence from school.
2. Although participation in the graduation ceremony is voluntary, **attendance at all senior meetings is mandatory.** Students need to be on time and stay for the full event.
3. If a student experiences an emergency illness on the day of a scheduled practice, the student’s parent or guardian must call the office at (410) 313-2880 by 7:30 a.m. to explain the reason for the absence.
4. Caps and gowns are required attire for the Senior Awards Assembly on May 23, 2019 and Commencement Ceremony on May 30, 2019. The decorating of caps is strictly prohibited.

5. Females should wear a dress or dress pants and dress shoes. **No sneakers, tennis shoes, boots, flip flops, or other such footwear is allowed.** Avoid large earrings and bracelets that can get caught on caps and gowns.
6. Males should wear a collared shirt with a necktie and long pants with dress shoes. **No sneakers, tennis shoes, boots, flip flops, or other such footwear is allowed.** All shirts are to be buttoned, and collars are to be worn inside the gown.
7. Students who are recognized for school-based academic accomplishments are welcome to wear that organization's cord or stole whenever caps and gowns are worn.
8. When students receive their graduation gowns, **they should hang it up!** Wrinkles can be removed by hanging the gown in the bathroom, where the steam will smooth the material.
9. **Each graduate will receive 10 graduation tickets.** If extra tickets are needed, the student must submit the **Additional Ticket Form**, which can be found on the school website under "Graduation Information" or may be picked up from the main office. On the form, students must designate to whom the first 10 tickets will be given and must include a justification for the number of extra tickets requested. The form must be signed by a parent or guardian and must be brought to the auditorium during ticket distribution on May 23, 2019.
10. **Questions?** Call Ms. Gutierrez or Ms. Miles at 410-313-2880 or email at [Brittany\\_gutierrez@hcpss.org](mailto:Brittany_gutierrez@hcpss.org) or [Leigh\\_Miles@hcpss.org](mailto:Leigh_Miles@hcpss.org)

## SENIOR ACTIVITIES AND COMMENCEMENT

### CLASS OF 2019

DATE	EVENT
Tuesday, May 14	<b>Senior Class Night 6:00 – 9:00pm</b> <b>The Great Room at Savage Mill</b> <b>8600 Foundry Street</b> <b>Savage, MD 20763</b>
Thursday, May 16	<b>Period 1 – Exam</b> Regular Classes for Periods 2-6  *Students must take their scheduled AP exam and work with their teachers to make up the missed final exam.  <b>Community Awards Ceremony – 7pm</b> <b>(All seniors and parents are welcome to attend.)</b>
Friday, May 17	3 Hour Early Dismissal Regular Class Schedule

Monday, May 20	Period 1 – Class <b>Period 2 – Exam</b> Period 3 – Class Period 4B – Class Period 5 – Class <b>Period 6 – Exam</b>
Tuesday, May 21	7:25am – 9:10am <b>Mandatory Graduation Rehearsal (Auditorium)</b>  Period 3 – Class <b>Period 4A – Exam</b> <b>Period 5 – Exam</b> Period 6 - Class <i>*Students leaving after period 5 must have a note for early dismissal.</i>
Wednesday, May 22	7:25am – 9:10am <b>Mandatory Graduation Rehearsal (Auditorium)</b>  <b>Period 3 – Exam</b> <b>Period 4B – Exam</b>  12:20pm – 2:10pm <b>Mandatory Graduation Rehearsal (Auditorium)</b>
<b>DATE</b>	<b>EVENT</b>
Thursday, May 23	Last day for seniors ☺  7:25am <b>Dress in cap and gown</b> <b>Meet in auditorium seats for attendance, announcements and final graduation rehearsal.</b>  8:15am – 8:45am <b>Class of 2019 Picture</b> <b>Location: Stadium (weather permitting)</b> <b>Rain Location: Main Gym</b>  9:00am – 11:15am <b>Mandatory Senior Awards Assembly (Auditorium)</b>  11:15am – 11:45am <b>Graduation Ticket Distribution</b>  11:45am – 2:10pm <b>Senior Class Picnic at Mt. Hebron HS</b> <i>*Students should submit picnic permission slips during any of the graduation rehearsals</i>

Thursday, May 30

**Commencement Ceremony – 3:00pm  
Merriweather Post Pavilion**

**Seniors must be in your seats for attendance by  
2:00pm at Merriweather.**