



PRINCIPAL'S NEWSLETTER

November 8, 2019

It's Opening Night at the Theatre, Vikings!

As the iconic line from *DAMN YANKEES* reminds us, "You gotta' have heart," and our theatre students have both amazing hearts and incredible talent, which will be on full display over the next two weekends. Sixty-four years ago, *DAMN YANKEES* was the top grossing musical of the year on Broadway. It's a show about baseball and rooting for the underdog (so timely given that our own Washington Nationals just won the World Series!) and the struggle to learn that getting what you want doesn't always mean you get what you need. It's a timeless lesson and important reminder for all of us.

There are so many things to love about this show, not the least of which is that over 100 of our students have come together to make theatre magic. There are 68 students in the cast, 18 in the crew and 22 in the pit band. And as always, the students have been led by **Mr. Tom Sankey** as well as our fantastic new theatre teacher, **Ms. Kathryn Carlsen** whom we are beyond excited to be able to call a Viking! Orchestra teacher, **Mr. David Shumway** is directing the pit band and multi-talented math teacher, **Ms. Brittany Gutierrez** assisted with choreography. **Ms. Kathy Bondura**, once again, made the characters come to life through her costume work, and finally, my heartfelt thanks to math teacher, **Ms. Michelle Vealey**, for agreeing to help with ticket sales for the show. "You gotta' have heart" to work as tirelessly as they do, especially after putting in a full day teaching in the classroom, and our students and community are so incredibly lucky to have such dedicated staff as well as all of the volunteers who came together to give our students an opportunity to shine.

Our gift to the community, as in past years, was a free matinee for our senior citizens yesterday. This event is always so well attended, and we appreciate everyone's support of our theatre arts program more than we can say. It's time to "Play ball!" and fun fact: on the cast team of the Washington Senators in the show, we have 6 actual baseball players who are on our Vikings baseball team! They can play ball and they can sing!

If you haven't already bought your ticket, they'll be available at the door. Looking forward to seeing you at the theatre because if there's one thing I know about this community, it's that we definitely "have heart!"

Joelle



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

UPCOMING DATES/EVENTS

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

Date	Time	Event
November 8, 9	7pm	'Damn Yankees' Theatre production
November 11		1 st Report Cards Issued
November 11	6pm	Winter Sports Parents/Coaches Mtg. in the Auditorium
November 12	6:30pm	SAT/ACT info night for parents in the Media Center
November 12	7pm	PTSA Meeting in the Media Center
November 13		Last Day for Winter Sports Registration
November 13	7-8:30pm	GT Parent Academy in the Auditorium
November 13	7-8:30pm	HCASC Student Council meeting @Homewood School
November 13	7-9pm	Career Academies Information Session @ ARL

November 14-16	7pm	'Damn Yankees' Theatre Production
November 18	5:30-7pm	HC DrugFree Teen Advisory Council Meeting @ The Barn/Teen Center in the Oakland Mills Village Center
November 20	2:15pm	Making Sandwiches for Grassroots by Viking Service Club in the Cafeteria
November 20	7pm	Pops Concert (Band, Orchestra)
November 22	6-10pm	Viking Backers Basket Bingo @The Lodge in Catonsville
November 25, 26		3-hour early dismissal at 11:10am
November 26		Staff Luncheon Provided by PTSA
November 27-29		Schools closed for Thanksgiving Holiday
December 10	7-9pm	Career Academies Information Session @ ARL
December 12, 13 (Snow Date 12/14)	7pm	Concert Band (Band, Orchestra, Choir)
December 16	5:30-7pm	HC DrugFree Teen Advisory Council Meeting @ The Barn/Teen Center in the Oakland Mills Village Center
December 17 (Snow Date 12/18)		Winter Assembly for All Fine Arts
Dec 23-Jan 1		Schools closed for Winter Break
January 11		MS/ HS Honors Band Rehearsal
January 20		Schools & offices closed/ Martin Luther King Jr. Day
January 22-24		HS only 3-hour early dismissal at 11:10am
January 27		Schools closed/Professional Work Day for Staff
January 31	7pm	Jazz Showcase
February 17		Schools closed for Presidents' Day
February 28	7-8am	Restorative Justice in Education Book Discussion over Coffee Sponsored by PTSA in the Media Center
April 3		3-hour early dismissal/ Professional Work Day for Staff
April 6-13		Schools closed for Spring Break
April 14	6:30-7pm	Guest Speaker on Restorative Justice in Education Implementation
April 14	7pm	PTSA Meeting in the Media Center
April 28		Schools closed for Primary Election Day
May 15		3-hour early dismissal/Professional Work Day for Staff
May 25		Schools closed for Memorial Day
May 28		Last day for After School Activities Bus
June 22		Last possible school day if all 5 snow days are used

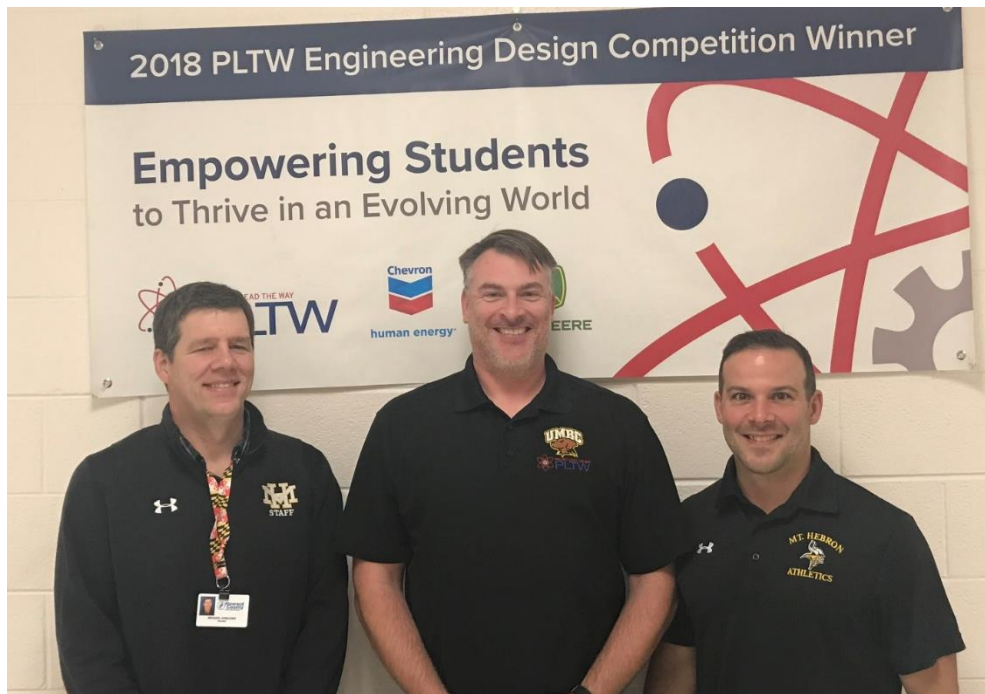
CELEBRATIONS!

*****For even more celebrations & good news, follow us on Twitter: @hcpss_mhhs***

We now have over 2,000 followers!!! Go Vikings!!

Congratulations to our Boys Soccer Team!! They will play in the State Semifinal tomorrow at Linganore High School vs. Wild Lake at 2:30pm. Tickets are \$8. Good Luck Boys Soccer Team!!

Congratulations to Hebron's Cross Country team!! They will have the State Meet at Hereford High School. All tickets \$10.00 Girls Race at 10:00am & Boys Race at 11:00am -- Good Luck!!



Congratulations to teachers, **Mr. Mike Gorleski, Mr. Dennis Champney & Mr. Dave Lucania** for receiving the Technology and Engineering Association of Maryland (TEEAM) award for Exemplary Program at the High School Level.

We appreciate all the hard work that you have put into making the Mt. Hebron Project Lead the Way Program such a success. Thank you for your dedication to your students and your efforts to further STEM educational opportunities in the HCPSS!



Congratulations to Nashrah Rahman who spoke on behalf of the Howard County Teen Interfaith Initiative to advocate for diversity and inclusion in the Howard County Public School systems in front of Dr. Martirano and the board of education. The initiative is proposing to mandate classroom education for all Howard county high school students where

they learn about diversity, acceptance, tolerance, and inclusion of different backgrounds. The initiative also wants to continue to keep the students of diverse backgrounds safe in our county and encourage achievement opportunities for minority students.

Congratulations to the following students on their selection to the HCPSS HS GT Band. Students will join other talented student from across the county to rehearse and perform under the baton of guest conductor Colonel Timothy Holtan, former Director and Commander of the US Army Band and US Army Field Band.

Ayeesha Fadlaoui - Oboe
Trent Donaldson - Bassoon
Lexi Cucchiaro - Trumpet
Noick Pascarelle - Trumpet

Ryan Saitta - Trumpet
Aboli Dahiwadkar - Horn
David Hopkins - Horn
Kevin Taylor - Euphonium



Congratulations to the Mount Hebron Cycling Club and the Mountain Lions Composite Racing Team. Our very own Mt. Hebron Riders pushed to earn a #3 overall win for the season as a High School Team.

Our riders are as follows: **Jared Bennett, Trevor Grieff, Evan Kocsis, and Sarah Young.**

The Maryland Interscholastic Cycling League is a part of the National Interscholastic Cycling Association. The Mountain Lions Composite Racing Team consists of racers 6th grade - 12th grade. These student athletes compete in 4 races per season and practice almost year round.



Please contact Mr. Dennis Champney, dennis_champney@hcpss.org for more information.

You can also visit <https://www.marylandmtb.org/>

On behalf of the MHHS Student Services Team we wanted to say thank you for helping us make the college visits to UMD, Towson, Mount St. Mary, Salisbury and JHU a success yesterday!







NEW NEWS

Canned Food Drive Kicks Off Monday!

As we approach this year's Canned Food Drive, we hope that everyone is becoming just as excited as we are! The CFD will begin on Monday, November 11th. Each year during the Canned Food Drive, Mount Hebron High School strives to feed as many families as possible who are living in undesirable situations within our community. We raise thousands of cans and thousands of dollars that are used to purchase fresh produce and bags upon bags of groceries for each family. Each year we increase our goal in order to satisfy the needs of even more families.

Each school day beginning next week, students are encouraged to bring in money and cans to their sixth period class to be donated. There are competitions between classes where prizes are awarded for the class that contributes the most on a particular competition day. SGA is working every day after school calling families, organizing cans, counting money, advertising this major project, and taking attendance for the many students that volunteer their time after school to help retrieve cans from class rooms. The donations continue until right before winter break when the students of Mount Hebron High School are sent out to deliver the fresh groceries and cans to the hundreds of families in need. Students that help with retrieving cans after school will be selected to participate on delivery day.

In order to have a successful Canned Food Drive we need participation from not only the school, but the community as well. The contributions that are made to our Canned Food Drive are imperative for its success. We are attempting to feed hundreds of families with an abundance of food and in order to do this, Mount Hebron High School will be reaching out to the community for cans and money. Please encourage students, teachers, and other community members to get involved and help out SGA in order to have a successful CFD.

If you have any questions please contact the SGA sponsor Phil Herdman at philip_herdman@hcpss.org

STUDENT DELEGATE APPLICATIONS DUE by NOV. 30th

Students who wish to apply to serve as a delegate to the Student Member Convention on February 18, 2020 and select the final 2 candidates for Student Member of the Board of Education must:

- Submit a Student Delegation Application (found on Student Canvas Page) to the FRONT OFFICE by November 30, 2019.
- Read the Delegate Cover Letter.
- Request staff to complete the Student Delegate Evaluation forms and submit them to the principal by November 30, 2019.
- Complete an interview with the principal in December, 2019.

A successful delegate will:

- Demonstrate an understanding of the role of the Student Member
- Demonstrate respect for the ideas of others
- Work well with other students
- Evaluate the Student Member applicants before convention
- Complete a training program for delegates
- Give and receive constructive feedback
- Serve as a representative leader
- Demonstrate cultural awareness and sensitivity
- Promote the position of Student Member of the Board

Questions? See Mr. Herdman in room 107.

Howard County Student Council Meeting

HCASC welcomes All Middle and High School Students to attend HCASC Meetings the second Wednesday evening of each month at the Homewood School 10914 Clarksville Pike Ellicott City, MD 21042

Middle and High School students who attend will-

- Work with student leaders from across HCPSS
- Meet with the Student Member of the Board of Education
- Gain Leadership Skills
- Turn ideas into actions
- Learn about Leadership and Community Service opportunities
- Practice civic engagement and serve as an informed citizens

Next Meeting Wednesday 11/13 7-8:30pm at the Homewood School

For more information please contact cindy_drummond@hcpss.org

HC DrugFree Updates

Teen Advisory Council: HC DrugFree's Teen Advisory Council (TAC) meets one Monday a month from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at The Barn/Teen Center in the Oakland Mills Village Center. TAC will meet on **Monday, November 18** and **Monday, December 16** and is open to all Howard County high school students. Community service hours are available for all meetings and events. To access the registration form, please visit HC DrugFree's Teen Advisory Council page at www.hcdrugfree.org/teen-advisory-council-1 Refreshments provided at meetings, so teens must RSVP to Admin@hcdrugfree.org or call 443-325-0040.

Record-Breaking Collection of Medication and Sharps: HC DrugFree's volunteer team collected 1,262 lbs. of medication (50 lbs. more than our highest to-date!) and a record number of sharps at HC DrugFree's drive-thru location on Saturday, October 26 in only 4 hours! Medication was guarded and transported by the Howard County Police and the DEA. Visit HC DrugFree's website at www.hcdrugfree.org and go to the Events/Drug Take Back Day page for photos and more information about medication disposal; let us know you plan to volunteer in April 2020 for the next collection by emailing Admin@hcdrugfree.org or calling 443-325-0040. Together, we made Howard County a safer place to live.

Community Service Hours: All students (elementary through college) can receive community service hours for volunteering during any HC DrugFree event. For information, please email Admin@hcdrugfree.org or call 443-325-0040.

SPECIAL SECTION for SENIORS

Senior Portrait

Senior Portrait days will be Wednesday, Nov. 20, Thursday, Nov. 21, and Friday, Nov. 22. If you haven't already had your senior portrait done, you will need to contact Lifetouch at 410 644-7700 to schedule an appointment for here at Mt. Hebron on those dates. You should have received an appointment card in the mail. The final date here at Mt. Hebron will be Tuesday, January 7. Portraits are due by Friday, January 31, 2020, if you want your portrait to be in the yearbook.

Any outside portraits should be mailed to the yearbook email:

yearbook.mounthebron@gmail.com

All other questions can be answered from the FAQ on the yearbook webpage

<https://mhhs.hcpss.org/yearbook>.

Free Help Financial Aid Process Help

We are very fortunate to have Ms. Velma Green, from the Maryland Educational Opportunity, at Mt. Hebron to help navigate through the financial aid process for your student's college education. She is knowledgeable in working on the FAFSA, as well as with many grants/loans. This is a FREE service.

She will be available by appointment on Mondays beginning Oct. 7th in Student Services office between 9am-1:00pm (last appointment). There is limited space so please do not delay.

Please contact Ms. Linda Mathias in Student Services, to schedule an appointment.

You are encouraged to bring any pertinent financial statements.

We hope that coming onsite to your school is helpful for your students and families, and will encourage early completion of the FAFSA to maximize your student's financial aid opportunity.

Students/parents should bring the following information with them:

- a. The student/parents FSA ID, if they already have one.
- b. The student/parents social security number
- c. A copy of the student and/or the parents 2018 Tax Returns, if they have filed taxes.
- d. A copy of the student and/or parents 2018 W2's and,
- e. All 2018 untaxed income information. Untaxed information includes but is not limited to child support paid or received, housing, food, and other living allowances, veterans non-educational benefits, etc.

Please contact Ms. Linda Mathias in Student Services at 410-313-2883, OR your student's counselor to sign up with the following information:

- a. The student's name
- b. The parent's name. If they plan to attend
- c. Appointment time and,
- d. An email address for us to follow-up

Senior Events Calendar

Event	Date	Location	Cost
Lifetouch Portrait by APPT	November 20-22, 2019	Auditorium	
Final Portrait from Lifetouch @Hebron	January 7, 2020		
Portrait Due	January 31, 2020		
Senior T-shirt	January		Free
Prom	May 2, 2020		
Class Night Dinner & Dance	May, 2020	TBD	
Senior Picnic	May, 2020	TBD	
Graduation	Date announced in April	Merriweather Post Pavilion	Free

WORTH REPEATING

Winter Sports Information

Sports Registrations: All winter sports registration will be done online through the parent Connect portal. www.hcpss.org/connect All registrations should be complete prior to Nov 14th. Students who are missing any information in Connect will not be eligible to tryout. You must use the parent/guardian portal to register students. You cannot register students through their student portal of Connect.

Winter Sports Tryout Times and Locations

(All students must be registered to tryout through Connect)

Please click the link below to access coaches' emails if you have sport specific questions.

<https://mhhs.hcpss.org/athletics/teams>

Boys JV Basketball: Nov 15th 6:45-8:45 Main Gym, Nov 16th 12:00-2:00 Main Gym, Nov 18th 6:45-8:45 Main Gym

Boys Varsity Basketball: Nov 15th 4:45-6:45 Main Gym, Nov 16th 10:00-12:00 AM Main Gym, Nov 18th 2:45-4:45 Main Gym

Girls JV Basketball: Nov 15th 2:45-4:45 Main Gym, Nov 16th 8:00-10:00 AM Main Gym, Nov 18th 2:45-4:45 Aux Gym

Girls Varsity Basketball: Nov 15th 2:45-4:45 Main Gym, Nov 16th 8:00-10:00 AM Main Gym, Nov 18th 4:45-6:45 Main Gym

Boys and Girls Indoor Track: Nov 15th 2:20 on the track, Nov 16th 9:00 AM on the track, Nov 17th 2:20 on the track

Wrestling: Nov 15th 2:30-5:30 Wrestling Room, Nov 16th 8:30-11:30 Wrestling room, Nov 18th 2:30-5:30 Wrestling Room.

Winter Cheer: Nov 19th 4:45-6:45 Aux Gym, Nov 20th 2:45-4:45 Aux Gym, Nov 21st 2:45 Aux Gym, Nov 22nd 2:45 Aux Gym.

Allied Bowling: TBD

Here is some information about our upcoming show, "Damn Yankees". Please let me know if you have any questions.

Vikings Service Club Sandwich Making

Viking Service Club is at it again! We will be making sandwiches in the cafeteria on Nov. 20th at 2:15, and all sandwiches will be delivered to Grassroots that afternoon.

Please help us by signing up to contribute sandwich fixings!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080E48ABA628A1FD0-sandwich1>

If you are a STUDENT who would like to volunteer to help us make sandwiches, please sign up here:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080E48ABA628A1FD0-volunteers1>

Howard County G/T Program Parent Academy, Nov. 13

Wednesday, November 13, 7 – 8:30 p.m. – Mt. Hebron High School Auditorium, 9440 Old Frederick Road, Ellicott City, 21042

Navigating the College Admissions Process

Presented by Bailey Jackelen, Assistant Director of Admissions, Johns Hopkins University

Preparing for the college application and admissions process can be a really exciting time for students—a time to explore their interests, think about their future and begin to take ownership of their life plans. It can also be a stressful time not just for them but their entire families. In this session, discover how to prioritize the things that can best impact the process, focusing conversations and energy on the things that matter most. We'll review important steps for preparation, key conversations to have as a family, and the best ways to prepare for the outcomes.

Bailey Jackelen is an Assistant Director of Admissions in the Office of Undergraduate Admissions at Johns Hopkins University. An experienced admissions officer, she will present on the college search and selective admissions process.

For more information, please email hcpssgtac@gmail.com or alyson_tommins@hcpss.org or call 410-313-6800.

Free Drop-In Tutor on Tuesday and Thursday

The Media Center will be open every Tuesday and Thursday until 4pm. National Honors Society tutors will be available for free drop-in tutoring. All students are welcome. Please contact danielle_borgia@hcpss.org with any questions.

Career Academies Information Sessions

Career and Technology Education (CTE) Career Academies Information Sessions will be held for interested students and their parents on **November 13, 2019 and December 10, 2019** from 7-9pm at the Applications and Research Laboratory on Route 108 near the Board of Education.

Arts Media and Communication

Animation and Interactive Media
Graphic Design

Apprenticeship Maryland

Business Management and Finance

Academy of Finance
Accounting
Marketing

Career Research and Development

Construction and Development

Architectural Design
Construction
HVAC

Consumer Services, Hospitality and Tourism

Culinary Science

Environmental, Agricultural Natural Resources

Agricultural Science

Health and Biosciences

Academy of Health Professions - Certified Nursing Assistant, Clinical Research in Allied Health, Emergency Medical Technician, Physical Rehabilitation
Biotechnology

Human Resource Services

Homeland Security and Emergency Management
Teacher Academy of Maryland

Information Technology

Computer Programming
CyberSecurity Networking - Computer Networking, PC Systems

Manufacturing, Technology and Engineering
Aerospace Engineering: Project Lead the Way
Engineering: Project Lead the Way
Systems and Project Engineering

Transportation Technologies
Automotive Technology

Get Your Mt. Hebron Sideline Jacket!

There is no reason to be cold on the sidelines this year! Get your official Mt. Hebron sideline jacket complete with the Mt. Hebron logo and your name.

This sale is a fundraiser for the Mt. Hebron field hockey team but all sports can benefit from this warm and cozy offer. Go to <http://www.mthebronfieldhockey.com/> to check it out!

Are You A Proud Viking? Become A Viking Backer!

We invite you to join the Viking Backers, Booster Club for Mt. Hebron High School. The Viking Backers is an all-volunteer, parent organization which supports ALL student extracurricular activities including academics, arts & athletics.

Visit www.vikingbackers.org to join online. We no longer are taking paper forms or checks; everything is going through the website. Your membership supports ALL students at Mt. Hebron.

After School Activities Bus Running Again This School Year!

The Activities Bus is available for any student staying after school for academic support or extracurricular activities. The dates for the bus, as well as the stops, are listed below. Both are subject to change. If your child is interested in taking the bus, please fill click on the link & complete the form. **Students may not ride the bus without parent/guardian permission.**

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1hfuJg83ak7JXXsSaOv-1Hrly6lvIbQea0HtTzOdfwmo/edit>

Bus Dates:

November: 12, 14, 19, 21
December: 3, 5, 10, 15, 17, 19
January: 2, 7, 9, 14, 16, 21, 28, 30
February: 4, 6, 11, 13, 18, 20, 25, 27
March: 3, 5, 10, 12, 17, 19, 24, 26, 31
April: 2, 14, 16, 21, 23, 30
May: 5, 7, 12, 14

Bus Stops (Pick up at MTH @ 4:10 pm)

*Maple Rock Dr and East Stayman Dr
*Hollifield Station ES
*High Ridge Rd and Rosemar Dr
*Town & Country Blvd and West Springs Dr
*Wheaton Way and Normandy Woods Dr
*George Howard Bldg - 3430 Courthouse Dr
*Worthington ES

Update Your Emergency Information ANNUALLY

Parents/guardians may now complete/update their Family File emergency information. *Parents must verify or update information for each child, each school year.* Access your Family File by logging in to [HCPSS Connect](#), selecting the Family File tab on the left and then selecting Family File. [Details and resources](#) can be found on the HCPSS website.

Cold and Flu Season is Approaching

Prevention Tips:

- Avoid close contact with sick people
- Practice good hand washing. Wet hands, lather with soap and scrub well for 20 seconds, and dry thoroughly.
- Practice good health habits: getting adequate sleep, good nutrition, and exercise.
- Cover your nose or mouth with a tissue if you cough or sneeze to prevent spreading the illness to others.
- Get the flu vaccine

Symptoms of flu may include: Fever, body aches, chills, fatigue, vomiting, diarrhea, cough, sore throat, congestion or runny nose.

What Should I do if I get Sick? Howard County Public Schools require that any student with a temperature over 100.0 be picked up from school. Keep your child at home until fever free for 24 hours without fever reducing medication. Consult with your health care provider if fever persists and/or symptoms worsen.

AP Exams - A Guide for Mt. Hebron Parents

AP Exams – 2019-2020



2020 AP Exam schedule			
Week 1	Morning 8 a.m.	Afternoon 12 noon	Afternoon 2 p.m.
Monday, May 4, 2020	United States Government and Politics	Physics C: Mechanics	Physics C: Electricity and Magnetism
Tuesday, May 5, 2020	Calculus AB	German Language and Culture	
	Calculus BC	Human Geography*	
Wednesday, May 6, 2020	English Literature and Composition	European History	
Thursday, May 7, 2020	Chemistry	Physics 1: Algebra-Based	
Friday, May 8, 2020	United States History*	Computer Science A	
	AP 2-D Art and Design, 3-D Art and Design, and Drawing – last day for coordinators to submit digital portfolios (by 8 p.m. ET) and to gather 2-D Art and Design and Drawing students for physical portfolio assembly.		
Week 2	Morning 8 a.m.	Afternoon 12 noon	
Monday, May 11, 2020	Biology	Chinese Language and Culture*	
		Environmental Science	

Tuesday, May 12, 2020	Spanish Language and Culture	Psychology
Wednesday, May 13, 2020	English Language and Composition	Microeconomics*
		Music Theory
Thursday, May 14, 2020	World History: Modern	Macroeconomics
Friday, May 15, 2020	Computer Science Principles	Statistics
	French Language and Culture	

Testing Location:

- All exams will be administered at **Crossroads Church of the Nazarene** (2750 Rogers Avenue) [Exams listed with a * may be combined with other schools and held elsewhere. Students will be alerted if this is the case. Chinese is only administered at Centennial High School – students who wish to take that exam should see Dr. Kiehl in room 109].
- Transportation is not provided to or from the exam site. Students are asked to arrive 30 minutes before the exam begins. Plan to be at Crossroads for roughly four hours from the start of the exam.
- Students may not bring a cell phone into the exam, and should make transportation arrangements in advance.
- Students are not expected to attend school on the day they take an exam. You will sign a form in Naviance that allows the student to be excused for a school-based activity.

Cost and Deadlines:

The **cost** is \$94/exam. Payment must be made at the time of registration (see registration instructions below). After students select their exams in the Portal and submit the online Naviance registration, they are asked to submit a printed copy of the Naviance form along with proof of payment (check, or print-out of online credit card payment).

Student Registration	Exam ordered by Nov. 1	\$94
HCPSS Late Registration	Exams ordered between Nov. 6 and 15th	\$94+\$20 fee
Late registration	Ordered Nov. 16–Mar 13	\$94 + \$40 fee
Unused/ canceled exam	Exam that is canceled or not taken by the student	\$40 fee *Refund before Feb 8 th for on time registration - \$54 **Refund after Feb 8 th for on time registration - \$45

- If students elect to register after November 1st, there is no guarantee their registration can be processed in time to avoid fees.
- There is no discount for multiple exams.
- Students who are self-studying or in Virtual AP courses must follow the same deadlines, but need to see Dr. Kiehl to acquire the join code for registration.
- Fee waivers are available for students who meet certain financial need criteria. Details will be available in Naviance.

Registration:

- **Step 1** – If you submitted your permission form to use the College Board portal for registration, log into the Portal using your account. **myap.collegeboard.org**
- **Step 2** – Your teachers provided you with a unique join code for each AP class in which you are enrolled. If you haven't done so already, enroll in the course. You should see a button on the course page that says, "Register for Exam." Click that button to register and confirm your decision on the pop up window. You will need to do this for each exam you wish to take.
- **Step 3** - Sign-in to Naviance (linked through **hcpss.me**)
- **Step 4** - Read the instructions for "2020 AP Test Registration" on the Naviance homepage
- **Step 5** - Click on the "About Me" tab near the top of the homepage
- **Step 6** - Choose "My Surveys" and then either, "Surveys not started" or "Surveys in Progress." Then select "2020 AP Exam Registration & Fee Waiver Request"
- **Step 7** - Complete the registration form
- **Step 8** - Print the form
- **Step 9** - Click submit
- **Step 10** - Bring the printed form with a parent/guardian signature with your online payment receipt or a check or money order made out to **Mt. Hebron High School**, to the administrative hallway near Student Services, and drop it off in the AP Box (please staple the payment to your form).

AP Coordinators

Melissa Kiehl – Room 109, mkiehl@hcpss.org, 410-313-2880

- Dr. Kiehl can answer questions at Mt. Hebron regarding testing and registration.

Amy Comberiate – amy_comberiate@hcpss.org, 410-313-2880

- Ms. Comberiate will be in charge of test administration at Crossroads during the two-week testing window.

Join the Plastics Student Task Force

Are you concerned about plastics in our waterways?

Students from each high school are encouraged to apply to the plastics student task force.

Please see your teacher for an application.



All meetings will take place at the Howard County Conservancy, 10520 Old Frederick Rd, Woodstock, MD

11/6 5:30-7 Work Group
12/11 5:30-7 Work Group
1/8 5:30-7 Work Group
2/5 5:30-7 Work Group
3/4 5:30-7 Work Group

Your next **VALHALLA VOICE** will be published November 11th with the latest news from your parent advocacy groups and community.