



WILLIAM FREMD HIGH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



KURT TENOPIR, PRINCIPAL

June 2019



FROM THE PRINCIPAL:

The end of the year is upon us! In the world of education, we operate in cycles and for your student there will be a break in the typical schedule of the school day with a fresh start awaiting them in summer school or the start of the school year in August. As you approach the summer months with your student, please remember that there are always opportunities to continue his or her learning. Encourage your student to stay mentally active this summer in areas of their interests.

I hope the next few months bring special memories for your family! Good luck to our newest Fremd alumni as they move on to a bright future!

Sincerely,

Kurt Tenopir
Principal

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FremdVikings on Twitter.
Here, you will find general information
about the school calendar, reminders and
upcoming events.

SENIOR PICTURES

Online and over the phone scheduling for class of 2020 senior portraits will open up on June 1, 2019. Senior pictures for the class of 2020 will be taken over the summer at Visual Image Photography's Wheeling studio beginning on June 10th, 2019. You can schedule an appointment anytime before your yearbook deadline of October 1st, 2019 by visiting www.vipis.com. VIP will be doing yearbook or cap and gown only retakes at Fremd High School September 4th-6th from 7:00 am-3:00 pm on the Auditorium Shelf. Information regarding photo sessions will be sent through the mail and email. There is no sitting fee for the basic, yearbook only session. If you choose to do the yearbook only session, VIP will be selecting your image for you and your image will not be retouched. Picture packages or full sessions will incur a charge. If you choose to do any of the paid sessions, you will have the option to select your own yearbook pose, and have the option to have it retouched or not. If you do a paid session and do not choose a yearbook image before the deadline of October 1st 2019, VIP will choose one for you and it will not be retouched. If you have any questions or need assistance to set up an appointment, please give VIP a call at 262.375.4457.

WELCOME TO THE CLASS OF 2023 – FRESHMAN “KICK-OFF”

Incoming freshman students are invited and encouraged to “kick-off” their upcoming Fremd experience with a tour and other activities on Wednesday, August 7th from 11:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. Doors will open at 10:45 a.m. Each student will attend our welcome “Pep Rally,” followed by small group activities/ tours, and lunch. Current students will be on hand to answer questions, give directions and help you catch that **Viking Pride**. The event is sponsored by the Viking Advisory and Mentoring Program (VAMP). If there are any questions, please contact student services at 847-755-2630. Details regarding this event will be mailed later this summer.

dates to remember

June 4th – June 25th	1st Semester Summer School
June 26th – July 18th	2nd Semester Summer School
August 3rd	Athletic on-line registration due for fall sports participants.
August 5th	All athletes must have a current physical on file in the nurse’s office. Physicals are valid for 13 months.
August 7th	Freshman Kick-Off Program (11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.)
August 12th	All fall sports practices begin. Times to be posted on the athletic website at a later date.
August 12th	Opening Day of School
August 29th	Open House – 7:00 p.m. (11:50 a.m. early dismissal)
September 2nd	Labor Day - No School

SUMMER READING PROJECT

As summer approaches, our students will take a much-needed and well-deserved rest from school. We are grateful that so many of our students find ways to incorporate valuable learning experiences into their summer lives. Reading is perhaps the most valuable learning tool, one that every student can and should experience on a year-round basis. With that belief in mind, new and returning Fremd students will join students from other District 211 schools for the 2019 Summer Reading Project.

During the summer, students will be expected to read at least one book; assignments and book choice are dependent on the course in which each student is enrolled. This year students enrolled in most courses have an open choice. This means they can choose any book as long as they have parental approval. Students enrolled in E102, E208, E319, E336 and E419 have been assigned certain books to read. Information regarding book choice and how to find books can be found on Fremd’s summer reading website (<https://adc.d211.org/Page/6289>). During the first week of next school year, each student will write about his or her chosen book in English class, and that assignment will be included in the first quarter grade.

We look forward to instituting the 2019 Summer Reading Project as a way of developing Fremd students as life-long readers and learners.

NEW INFINITE CAMPUS PARENT AND STUDENT MOBILE APPS

Infinite Campus, District 211's Student Information System, is continually evolving to meet the needs of our students and parents. Infinite Campus recently launched an update to its parent and student interfaces. The new mobile apps (<https://www.infinitecampus.com/video/mobile-apps>), Campus Parent and Campus Student, provide real-time access to grades, assignments, attendance, schedules, announcements, and more while bringing uniformity and consistency to the user experience regardless of the device.

District 211 will convert all existing Infinite Campus parent portal accounts to the Campus Parent system and student portal accounts to the Campus Student system on Monday, June 3, 2019.

The Campus Student app has been placed in the self-service portal for students to download and install on their school-issued iPads. Parents can find the free Campus Parent app in the App Store (iOS) and Google Play (Android) and are encouraged to install the app on their devices so they can access the information available within Infinite Campus. The existing Parent Portal and Student Portal apps will be removed from service in June 2019. All users will continue to access the online browser-based web portal at the same address, with the same login credentials, but will see a different look.

Experienced Infinite Campus users will notice some differences when utilizing the new mobile apps or online web portal. Certain features have been renamed and some items have moved to new locations. District 211 has prepared a brief video tutorial highlighting the Campus Parent online web portal and app, and you can view the video on the District website.

CAREER ADVISOR PROGRAM WRAP UP

Getting exposure to various work environments during high school is essential as students make decisions on what to do *before* they go to college or enter the workforce. We have been lucky to have local businesses host us and come in as speakers to help students explore the many career options the world has to offer. In addition to the awesome District 211 Career Expo on March 13 where we had over 150 companies giving career advice, there were a lot of other highlights this semester: We visited Vogue Fabrics, the Palatine Police Station, Pinnacle Advertising and Marketing Group, the Regional Construction/Carpenters Training Center, Harper College for Health Careers Certifications, American Airlines at O'Hare, United Airlines Headquarters at the Willis Tower, Arcon Associates for Architecture, Argonne for STEM Careers, Graphic Arts Careers at Harper College, College of DuPage Culinary Facility, Continental Corporation for STEM Careers, Northwest Community Hospital Wellness Center for PT, OT, Speech, Nutrition, and Personal Training, and construction sites at Orren Pickell and Mastercraft Builders. We had speakers on Genetics, Journalism, Behavioral Health, and Forensics. We had the first ever **Intern Signing Day** to recognize students who are preparing for their futures by signing on to be a summer intern at various companies.

Thank you again to all the businesses and professionals who have been a part of the Career Exploration Program this year. What an incredible amount of professional experience that was shared with our students! If students are interested in Career treks, join the Career Trek schoolology course: G96WM-5GMK9. For internships, join: RPCG6-58VQR. Visit the district website for more information on internships for both students and companies: <https://adc.d211.org/domain/2475>

Please contact me if you would be willing to lend your expertise to our students. Parents are the best resources! Jan Brottman, 847-755-2657, jbrottman@d211.org.

THE 31ST ANNUAL POST PROM EVENT MAY 18, 2019

The Fremd Viking Booster Club proudly sponsors a Post Prom Event in order to provide a safe, affordable and exciting experience for all students. This year we had 300 students attending the Odyssey Moonlight Cruise departing from Navy Pier, Chicago immediately following Prom. Students and chaperones are transported from the Renaissance Center in Schaumburg by luxury coach buses to enjoy a beautiful cruise ship with 3 different decks & dance floors that will each feature a DJ playing various genres of music. In addition, the top floor is an observation deck to take in & enjoy Chicago's Skyline as it cruises Lake Michigan. The moonlight cruise will include a Breakfast Buffet, 2 photo booths, 3 DJ's and dance floors & games.

The Viking Booster Club Post Prom Committee would like to thank the teachers, administration, technology staff and custodial maintenance staff for helping us in the ticket sales process. Also, thanks to all Booster Club & Community Members for their donations throughout the year that have made this wonderful Post Prom Event possible for our FHS students.

If you have any questions about our post prom event, please e-mail us at vikingpostprom2019@gmail.com

SPECIAL HONORS & AWARDS FOR FREMD VIKINGS

- Congratulations to the following Viking Pride winners: Collin Ariagno, Ian Barhorst, Esmeralda Barraza, Jack Bauer, Anthony Behery, Luke Bilek, Jenna Burnett, Addison Burton, Will Chen, Rayna Cheong, Caroline Cochran, Sophia Crescio, Corey Dennis, Tina Desario, Elena DiVito, Maya Duberstein, Swapnika Duvvuru, Thomas Filipiuk, Julia Finegan, Kyla Geitner, Delaney Gerasta, Tina Giannopoulos, Joseph Gillespie, Grant Gruchot, Paul

Grye, Lara Haciosmanoglu, Lydia Hahm, Kelly Hanlon, Maggie Hewson, Olivia Hill, Ryan Higgins, Olivia Hill, Isabella Huynh, Adriana Ibarra, Sastoshi Ikebe, Nyla Jones, Gina Kang, Tatsuki Kato, Mitch Kelley, Hayden Kim, Morgan Koo, Jacob Lewytskyj, Macy Liddy, Roxanne Lisowsky, Elizabeth Lubeck, Rachel Madamba, Mustafa Madhi, Meghana Mangalvedhe, Akari Matsuno, Ryan McIlhon, Kate Miller, Jackie Moghadam,

James Myftiu, Jessica Narasimhan, Madison Neamand, Haley Nelson, Mason Nguyen, Anna Piegza, Snehasri Pothanker, Alexandra Prigge, Nicholas Rattin, Jonas Sales, Nikhil Sriram, Arthur Stanson, Riki Terada, Christian Tirado, Ashley Weidner, Devon Wenger and Koki Yoshikawa.

- Congratulations to the 97 member "New York City Band" that performed in Manhattan, New York and Rutgers University over spring break. The ensemble performed concerts

SPECIAL HONORS & AWARDS FOR FREMD VIKINGS (CONT)

on the flight deck of the USS Intrepid and at the Trump Tower Atrium. The band also participated in a clinic at Rutgers University and a recording studio clinic led by the conductor of Broadway's "Frozen" and vocalist from "Wicked". Students also had the opportunity to see numerous NYC attractions including the Statue of Liberty, Ellis Island Immigration Museum, 9/11 Memorial, Museum of Modern Art, and the New York Philharmonic Orchestra. The Fremd Bands are directed by **Matt Moore** and **JT Teichert**.

- Congratulations to the Fremd Wind Symphony for being selected to perform at the prestigious University of Illinois "Superstate" Concert Band Festival. Being selected for the festival is considered the highest state honor for a band in Illinois, "winning the state title for band". Bands were selected through submitted recordings that were judged "blindly" (not knowing the school name with submitted recordings). Eighty-nine bands applied, with twenty-four being selected in four different school size divisions. This is the third time that the Fremd Wind Symphony has been selected for this honor. The Wind Symphony is directed by **Matt Moore**.
- Congratulations to Coach **Matt Duncan** and the FHS Tennis Team on their 2nd place finish at the Hersey Invite Tennis Tournament.
- Congratulations to Coach **Ray Roth** and the Girls Water Polo Team on their 1st place finish at the Girls Water Polo Invitational beating Maine South, Libertyville and Metea Valley.
- Congratulations to the following award winners at the Buffalo Grove Girls Track & Field invite: 100 Meter Dash - 1st place, **Elena DiVito**, 4th place, **Sumin Cho**; 200 Meter Dash - 7th place, **Sophia Youman**, 8th place, **Nicolle Ofurum**; 800 Meter Dash - 1st place, **Julia Finegan**, 6th place, **Emma Odel**; 1600 Meter Dash - 1st place, **Norah Odel**, 7th place, **Julia LaDuke**; 3200 Meter Dash - 1st place, **Rebecca Markham**, 2nd place **Marisa Ban**; 4x100 Relay - 3rd place, **Sumin Cho**, **Emma Schultz**, **Maria Esquiuel**, **Elena DiVito**; 4x200 Relay - 3rd place **Sumin Cho**, **Emma Schultz**, **Maria Esquiuel**, **Stefania Lawrence**; 4x400 Relay - 2nd place, **Stefania Lawrence**, **Emma Schultz**, **Emma Odel**, **Julia Finegan**; 4x800 Relay - 4th place, **Norah Odel**, **Julia LaDuke**, **Sara Nolting**, **Audrey Klink**; Discus - 8th place, **Alexus Veasley**; High Jump - 3rd place **Heidi Sayre**; Long Jump - 6th place, **Elena DiVito**.
- Congratulations to **Kinllen Peng** for

qualifying to take the USAMO (United States of America Mathematical Olympiad). To qualify for USAMO, a student's combined score from the AMC 10 Math Contest and AIME Math Contest must be in the 250 students nationwide (out of approximately 350,000 test takers). Top scorers from the USAMO exam represent the United States at the IMO (International Mathematical Olympiad) competition. The USAMO contest is a 9-hour contest consisting of 6 math problems taken over the course of two days.

- Congratulations to **Alice Chen**, **Eileen Peng**, **Kinllen Peng**, **Nipun Velupally**, and **Andrew Yin** for earning a semi-finalist prize from the MathWorks Math Modeling Challenge. Of the 877 papers submitted in this year's challenge, this team finished in the top 4% overall (top 12). The students have earned a scholarship in the amount of \$1,500, to be divided equally among the team's members. The MathWorks Math Modeling Challenge requires students to experience what it's like to work as a team to tackle a real-world problem under time and resource constraints, akin to those faced by professional mathematicians working in industry. The students wrote their paper on Sunday, March 3rd over the course of 14 consecutive hours. The modeling challenge for this year focused on the proliferation and impact of substance abuse.
- Congratulations to the Fremd Wind Symphony and Wind Ensemble for their performances at the Illinois State University "Concert Band Festival". Both bands had outstanding performances and clinics from nationally renowned collegiate band directors. The Wind Symphony was also awarded a "Division 1/Superior rating" for their performance. The bands are under the direction of **Matthew Moore** and **JT Teichert**.
- Congratulations to **Thomas Filipiuk** and **Mary Tang** on achieving a perfect score on the ACT Exam.
- Congratulations to **Maegan Jong** on being named Presidential Scholar Finalist and **Kristina Chen** on being named Presidential Scholar Semifinalist.
- Congratulations to Coach **Matt Duncan** and the Fremd Boys Varsity Tennis Team on taking 1st place at the Crystal Lake Central Tournament. All positions were champions! Award winners include: 1st Singles **Casey Hishinuma** - 1st place; 2nd Singles **Arnav Sangamnerkar** - 1st place; 1st Doubles **Ryan Zheng/Arjun Srivasta** - 1st place; 2nd

Doubles **Sean Hishinuma/Nihar Simhadri** - 1st place; 3rd Doubles **Jaeden Hsu/Alex Rudman** - 1st place.

- Congratulations to the following Boys Gymnastics State Qualifiers: **Lukas Styczen** on pommel horse and high bar; **Yuto Nakagawa** on floor exercise and **Dimitar Hristov** on still rings.
- Congratulations to the following Girls Badminton Sectional award winners and State Qualifiers: 1st place Doubles **Hannah Chen** and **Jenny Li**; 2nd place Doubles **Sharon Wu** and **Maggie Wu**; 1st place Singles **Rachel Ye** and 2nd place Singles **Kellie Liu**.
- Congratulations to the Fremd High School Math Team for earning seventh place at the ICTM State Competition at the University of Illinois. The Freshman Algebra I Team (**Sanjeev Devarajan**, **Preethi Jagadeesan**, **Sandro Javakhishvili**, **Zhiwei Jiang**, **Erin Kirsten**, **Maggie Wu**) earned tenth place. The Sophomore Geometry Team (**Stella Chung**, **Gabe Classon**, **Yug Mittal**, **Jai Sehgal**, **Shoya Yamazaki**, **Angelina Zheng**) earned tenth place. The Junior Algebra II Team (**Alice Chen**, **Eileen Peng**, **Kinllen Peng**, **Nipun Velupally**, **Sharon Wu**, **Andrew Yin**) earned fifth place. The Senior Precalculus Team (**Hannah Chen**, **Kristina Chen**, **Ed Guo**, **Kevin Li**, **Anthony Mu**, **Flora Zheng**) earned ninth place. The Freshman-Sophomore 8-Person Team (**Preethi Jagadeesan**, **Zhiwei Jiang**, **Erin Kirsten**, **Stella Chung**, **Jai Sehgal**, **Shoya Yamazaki**, **Angelina Zheng**) earned fourth place. The Junior-Senior 8-Person Team (**Alice Chen**, **Eileen Peng**, **Kinllen Peng**, **Sean Randunne**, **Ed Guo**, **Maegan Jong**, **Kevin Li**, **Flora Zheng**) earned ninth place. The Calculator Team (**Sanjeev Devarajan**, **Gabe Glasson**, **Nipun Velupally**, **Kristina Chen**, **Anthony Mu**) earned fifth place. The Freshman-Sophomore 2-Person Team (**Zhiwei Jiang**, **Stella Chung**) earned tenth place. The Junior-Senior 2-Person Team (**Alice Chen**, **Kinllen Peng**) earned sixth place.
- Congratulations to Coach **Brian Newby** and Coach **Ray Roth** on hosting a Varsity Water Polo Coed Tournament for their last home games of the season and finishing 1st place beating St. Charles and Warren.
- Congratulations to Coach **Bob Hanson** and the Girls Badminton Team on winning the State Championship!