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From the principal:



Saxon Academic Scholars Recognized

On April 26, the following students and their parents were recognized for being the top 24 students of their class based on unweighted and weighted grade point averages after seven semesters. Students, their parents and a teacher of their choice, attended a dinner and awards ceremony at Chandlers. Congratulations to:

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| Matthew Aberman | Sarah Liu |
| Andrew Bird | Nina Lober |
| Samuel Chen | Joshua Nichols |
| Isaiah Chu | Matthew Nicholson |
| Alexandra Cook | Priya Patel |
| Akira Di Sandro | Dhivan Patel |
| Robert Dutka | Leilah Petit |
| Kevin Eberhardt | Sarah Podkowa |
| Kathryn Farb | Aditi Singh |
| Ann Finneran | Courtney Stone |
| Courtney Heitzler | Hitha Uday |
| Varsha Kalangari | Kshitij Vashi |

Sincerely,

Timothy Jay Little
Principal

Senior Snippets

One last reminder about the Senior Exam Exemption Criteria:

- have less than six absences in the course
- have no trancies from the course
- have no suspensions from class
- have a C average or better
- not be incomplete on assignments

Exit with Class

We are asking and seeking support of parents to encourage seniors to finish their days as Saxons with dignity and pride. Celebrations that endanger others or disrupt school on the last days are inconsiderate and reflect on the overall reputation of the class. Please do not support activities that are disruptive including: parking lot celebrations, tee-peeing, etc. Almost always these events lead to vandalism, someone getting hurt and police involvement. The Board of Education has passed specific policies applying to these circumstances which include suspension, loss of graduation, loss of exam exemption privilege, and other senior activities. We need parent support to encourage students not to risk all they have looked forward to for such silliness.

Exiting with pride shows the maturity and leadership that is expected of seniors in high school. I'm sure with your support, the Class of 2017 will set a fine example and Exit with Class.

Frosh Immunizations

State law requires each student entering high school (ninth grade) to have a physical examination and immunization record on file at school. A completed physical examination form and proof of immunization must be submitted to the Student Services Department to complete registration because **students cannot begin school until the examination and immunization requirements are met.** Please contact your physician regarding your child's immunizations. Forms should be turned in during the summer and no later than the first day of school, August 14, 2017.

Final Exams soon approaching

Just a reminder that final exams for the second semester will be given, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, May 24 - 26.

EXAM SCHEDULE:

WEDNESDAY, May 24

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| Period 1 | 7:30-9:00 |
| Period 3 | 9:10-10:40 |
| Period 5 | 10:50-12:20 |

THURSDAY, May 25

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| Period 2 | 7:30-9:00 |
| Period 4 | 9:10-10:40 |
| Period 7 | 10:50-12:20 |

FRIDAY, May 26

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| Period 6 | 7:30-9:00 |
| Period 8 | 9:10-10:40 |



If you require assistance while visiting our school, please contact the principal's office at (847) 755-4600.

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Schaumburg High School DATES TO REMEMBER

- May 15 Honors Convocation
7:00 p.m. – Auditorium
- May 16 Spring Choir Concert
7:00 p.m. - Auditorium
- May 17 Spring Sports Awards, 6:00 p.m.
- May 18 Orchestra Concert
7:00 p.m. - Auditorium
- May 19 Early Dismissal, 11:50 a.m.
- May 23 Graduation Rehearsal
7:30 a.m.
Senior Brunch –
The Seville, 10:30 a.m.
- May 24 Graduation
7:30 p.m., Sears Centre
- May 24,25,26 Second Semester
Final Exams
- May 29 Memorial Day – No School
- May 31 First Semester
Summer School Begins
- June 22 Second Semester
Summer School Begins

Summer Office Hours

Beginning May 30
Student Services will be open:

Monday – Thursday
7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Fridays
7:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Main Office will be open

Monday – Thursday
7:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Fridays
7:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Regular hours of 7:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Monday – Friday
will resume on Monday, July 31.

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Congratulations to...

- ❖ The District 211 Honor Band participants. Schaumburg students include: **Leilah Petit, Caitlin Wilkes, Vincent Chang, Seira Walter, Daniel Burke, Jennie Sirichusinwong, Minaini Takizawa, Nina Teves, Becca Hinz, Michael Burke, Neeti Joshi, Matt Aberman, Myriam Brito, Abigail Fledderman, Josh Kim, Madison Rodatz, Akira Di Sandro, Christian Montalvo, Gene Wagner, Brandon Jaimes, Joaquin Lainson, Keneni Godana, Elliott Ross and Nicole Zagorski.**
- ❖ The The Schaumburg Debate Team for winning the IHSA State Debate Tournament. Medalists included Freshman **Sam Nakano**, and **Angela Lee**; Sophomores **Baigalmaa Gansukh, Viraj Desetty** and **Stefanie Portillo**; and Seniors **Sarah Liu, Hannah Hyman, Seerat Kaler, Joanne Lee**, and **Isaiah Chu**. Senior **Kshitij Vashi** placed 2nd overall and Junior **Sandy Saikumar** placed 1st.
- ❖ Kudos to the following Saxon Pride Award Winners:

Skylar Aiden	Bobby Huber	Lexi Ruscheinsky
Ami Akeda	Lisette Hurtado	Erik Schaak
Stephen An	Thomas J. Gonzalez	Conor Skrobot
Ashley Behrens	Evelina Kozyra	Edwin Suresh
Jacob Bishop	Brianna Lopez	Ameen Uddin
Enriqueta Chavez-Rivera	Ashley Nichols	Alexis Zepeda
Connor Czarniak	Angalynn Perez	
- ❖ Student of the Month: **Alexandra Cook** – April and **Jordyn Harberts** - May

Help Your Teen Learn How to Handle End-Of-Year Work

Your teen is probably faced with an array of finals and year-end projects as this school year draws to its close. This much homework can be daunting.

Here are some tips you can pass on to your teen to keep end-of-the-year homework manageable:

- **Homework comes first.** Some teens like to do homework when they first get home from school. Others work better after some time to unwind. Still others are best later at night, but homework must get done on time. It must have top priority.
- **Keep track of key dates.** Few high school students can successfully remember when all their many assignments are due. Keep a date book or calendar and write everything down. Check the calendar daily.
- **Jot down reminder notes** during the school day. Writing “Bring history book home tonight,” on the front of a notebook really can help your teen remember to bring the book home.
- **Be careful about distractions.** . The television, the phone, and the Internet may not be a problem when you have a lesser workload. Many teens learn to fit it all in, but at the end of the year, when the workload may be doubled, you may have to make a stronger effort to avoid distractions.

High School Parents, May 2000

Off-Campus Lunch Permission Forms

Off-Campus lunch parent/guardian permission forms for next year's juniors (2019) and seniors (2018) will be available in the Attendance Office for student pickup beginning May 15th. To be eligible for off-campus privileges, students must pass all classes in the semester preceding use of this privilege. Signed forms are due back by September 1, 2017. **No late forms will be accepted.**

The Sharks are Circling! Are You Ready to Swim?

Student teams from Palatine, Fremd, Conant, Schaumburg, and Hoffman Estates will present their business ideas to community “sharks” for seed money to start real businesses.

Students enrolled in B397 Business Incubator have worked all year to develop a viable business idea using the lean startup methodology. They have worked not only with their classroom teacher, but have had unprecedented support from community content experts and mentors. The best teams from each school are selected to compete at the District Pitch Night for funding. One team walked away with \$25,000 in seed money last year!

Please join us on Monday, May 15 at 6:00 p.m. at NIU Hoffman Estates (near Sears Centre). All students, parents, and community members are welcome. Please contact Anna Griffin at agriffin@d211.org if you have any questions.