



## This Week at Hagerty High School...



### *Principal's Message November 10, 2023*

This past week was Holocaust Education Week in the state of Florida. This week coincides with the anniversary of Kristallnacht, which was a major turning point in the persecution of European Jews by the Nazi regime. Because the anniversary of this event falls during the second week of November each year, schools throughout the state of Florida focus on education to prevent the violent ramifications of prejudice, racism, and stereotyping. This is a time where we use the history of anti-Semitism and the catastrophe of the Holocaust to reflect upon what it means to be a responsible and respectful person, to encourage tolerance, and to nurture and protect our own democratic institutions. This week, we made a couple of announcements recognizing the importance of this week and asked our social studies teachers to include one lesson about the Holocaust.

I will not be putting out an update next week, so this is the last one before Thanksgiving vacation. I hope that the upcoming vacation allows your student to disconnect and refresh so that they can come back for the final three and a half weeks ready to finish the semester strong. I wish you and your family a Happy Thanksgiving!

Have a fantastic weekend! Go Huskies!

### *Student Services*

#### SENIORS:

- Please verify the correct spelling of your name for your diploma. Please complete [THIS](#) form ASAP. Thank you!
- **Senior Scholarship Report:** Please use [THIS](#) link to report scholarship decisions. See the attached flyer for more information

**Junior Credit Checks** will continue through the end of the month. Juniors will view a presentation in US History classes then meet with their school counselor to discuss graduation requirements and future plans. Appointments will be limited in November as our counselors meet with 650 juniors to ensure they are prepared for graduation.

**Bright Futures Evaluation Reports** have been posted to Skyward for all juniors and seniors. These reports may be found in the *Portfolio* section of Skyward Family Access. Information is accurate as of August so any test scores, volunteer/work hours or credits completed after August may not be reflected in this report.

**Dual Enrollment Information sessions:** Registration for the upcoming information session is now live on the [Dual Enrollment Website](#). The information session is perfect for prospective DE students and families who have questions about the DE program. Please see the attached flyer for more information. The last information for this semester is scheduled for November 15, 2023.

**Spring 2024 Dual Enrollment Registration** will run from November 2-December 1. Students should review important Dual Enrollment information [HERE](#) prior to booking an appointment to meet with their School Counselor.

*Please check the [Student Services 2023-24 Canvas Page](#) regularly for important announcements, scholarships, volunteer opportunities, college visits and much more!*

### *Important Dates*

November 20-24: Thanksgiving Break (No School)  
December 15-20: Semester Exams  
December 21-January 5: Winter Vacation (No School)  
January 22: Husky Highlight (Curriculum Night)



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### *Hagerty Happenings*

**Jackson Heights Middle School STEAM Night:** Please see the attached flyer for Jackson Heights Middle School's STEAM Night.

**JROTC Raider Team:** Congratulations to the Husky Battalion JROTC Raider Team for competing and winning the Area IV JROTC Raider Competition hosted by Umatilla High School last Saturday! The Husky Battalion placed first in 4 of 5 events and was crowned the Overall Champions. They will represent Hagerty and Area IV in the State Raider Competition on December 2<sup>nd</sup> at UCF.

**NCAA Signing Day:** Congratulations to the 17 student-athletes who signed their National Letter of Intent this past Wednesday for NCAA Signing Day! Please see the attachment for the names of the students and the college or university that they signed with.

**Marching Band:** This past weekend members of the marching band performed at the district 8 Marching Music Performance Assessment at Boone High School and earned superior ratings from the adjudicators. Congratulations to those students for a great ending to this year's marching season.

**Chorus:** Hagerty High School is proud to announce that we have six students who have been selected to be part of the All-State Choruses in Tampa, Florida during the annual Florida Musci Educators Conference!

Aditi Srisailam- Reading Chorus

Michelle Henry- SSAA Chorus

Megan Anderson- SSAA Chorus

Samuel Joyner- TTBB Chorus

Shaun Epperson- TTBB Chorus

Carter Wegman- TTBB Chorus

These students were required to learn five songs over the course of four weeks and then were judged based on the recordings of three songs from a panel of judges throughout the state. We are very proud of all our chorus students, and congratulations to the six who earned spots on the All-State choruses!

### Home Events:

**Monday:** SAC Meeting (5:30); National Athletic Honor Society Inductions (6:00)

**Tuesday:** Girls Soccer vs. Lake Brantley (5:30/7:00)

**Wednesday:** Girls Weightlifting vs. Lake Mary (4:00)

**Thursday:** Girls Soccer vs. Lyman (5:30/7:00)

**Friday:** No Home Events

**Saturday:** No Home Events



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