



## Parent - Staying Informed November 16, 2018

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### **Parent/Guardian News**

- We will be starting a new tradition this year that has been in the works for several. Historically, students have posted letters of acceptance (or rejection) to college outside of the guidance hallway. While on the one hand this celebrates individual student accomplishment, it also isolates students who didn't get into their top choice or who take a less traditional path, and contributes to an unhealthy, unrealistic, and unnecessary competition among students against the mythology of what a successful Cohasset student is supposed to look like. We want to celebrate the diversity of our students and the diversity of paths that our seniors will take after their time at CHS. Therefore, we will be hanging pennants of the colleges to which students are accepted outside of guidance in lieu of letters.
- On behalf of the faculty, thank you to Ms. Corwin and Ms. Garriga for bringing a little joy into the building.

### **Student Life High School**

- NHS Inductions were held last night. Thanks to Eileen Norton, Stephanie Moriarty, our custodial staff, the faculty council, and all of the student mentors for helping make it a success.
- Coach A and the football team will be supporting the Cohasset Food Pantry again this year. Help them fill the truck! Donations can be made at the loop.

### **Student Life Middle School**

- Thank you to Kathy Cerrutti for hosting the Cohasset Cares! Sustainability Symposium happening the last week of November. Experts interviewed include Ms. McCarthy (Adjustment Counselor), Mr. Henricksen (Health and Wellness), Ms. Skeiber (Technology Coordinator), Mr. Girardi, President of the Cohasset Alternative Energy Committee, Ms. Dunn and Ms. Gangemi, organizers of Cohasset's plastic bag ban, and Ms. Galkowski, Executive Director of the South Shore Recycling Cooperative. The Symposium will run periods 2 and 7 from 11/26-11/29.
- There will be a "Team Jersey" Spirit Day on 11/16/18.
- Stay tuned for more information on grade level activities for the half day before the holiday.



### **Athletics**

- Congratulations to our three athletes who signed National Letters of Intent on Thursday. Jane Hansen will continue her lacrosse career at Northwestern; Dean Spicer will continue his swimming career at Loyola University; and Mason Fitzgerald will continue his lacrosse career at Providence College. Thank you to Athletic Director Rotondi for coordinating the signing.
- The football team takes on St. Mary's @ Medford HS on Saturday, November 17<sup>th</sup> at 1:00. Winner goes to Gillette!

### **Dates to Remember**

- 11/17/18 District Auditions
- Safe Harbor 11/18/18 Power of Prevention, 1:00 – 4:00 p.m. Lester J. Gates Middle School, 460 Parish Road, Scituate
- Safe Harbor 11/20 Peer Leadership Conference/Gillette Stadium
  - Natasha Arnold, Margaret Curley, Evelyn Dickey, Morgan Sile, Kira Jamieson, Vy Nguyen, and Page Hewitt will represent Cohasset.
- Powder Puff 11/21/18 5:00 p.m.
- Alumni Breakfast 11/21/18 10:40 a.m.
- 11/21/18 Early Release
- 11/22 Thanksgiving Day Football Game - Home
- 11/22 – 11/23/18 Thanksgiving break