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THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER FOR FAMILIES

September 27, 2024



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Happy Friday NPHS Families,

It was a week full of spirit and excitement around here. Students sported some fantastic looks and a great time was had by all. Thank you to Student Government, Ms. Costello, Ms. Seim, and all of the Class and Club Advisors for such a memorable time. Thank you to the Athletic Association for decking the halls.

As a reminder, please send all absence notes to HSAttendance@newpaltz.k12.ny.us. You can also find the email on our homepage on the website.

This is the end of the fourth week. Please work with your student(s) to ensure that they are passing all of their classes as we approach the midpoint of the marking period. At the 5 week progress mark we will assess each student's eligibility based on Academic progress, Attendance, and Behavior. Students who do not meet certain benchmarks will be deemed ineligible to participate in Sports, Clubs and other school events until they demonstrate positive changes.

Please join us for tonight's Football game and we are looking forward to our first dance tomorrow, September 28, from 6-9pm. Tickets (\$10) may be purchased at the door. No outside students or backpacks allowed.

Stay Spirited,
Principal Simms

Important Dates

September 27th- Homecoming Game 6:30pm

September 28th- Homecoming Dance 6-9pm

Any seniors who have not yet sat for their FREE Prestige Senior Portrait, please make your appointment for October 7th, 8th, or 9th at www.prestigeportraits.com

Bike Club's first ride is set for Friday the 27th and all staff welcome to join as well

October 3 Holiday-Rosh Hashanah

October 4 End of 5-week marking period

October 10 Financial Aid Night @ 6:30 pm

Around NPHS

National Merit Scholarship Recognition

In September 2024, more than two-thirds (about 34,000) of the high scorers on the PSAT/NMSQT were designated as Commended Students. Congratulations to Charles DePoala and Cora Shuryn, who were named on the basis of a nationally applied Selection Index qualifying score, placing them amongst the top 2-3% of test takers.

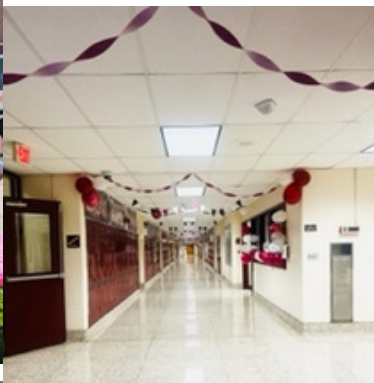
In recognition of their outstanding ability and potential for academic success in college, NMSC will honor these students by sending Letters of Commendation to them, and they may be candidates for Special Scholarships offered by corporate sponsors.



COLLEGE VISITS

Iona University	Karina Contreras Lopez	Mon September 30, 2024	9:00 AM
SUNY College of Technology at Canton	Ross Gules	Mon September 30, 2024	11:00 AM
Rutgers University-New Brunswick	Katie Keogh	Tue October 1, 2024	9:30 AM
U.S. Navy	Simone Linday	Tue October 1, 2024	11:00 AM
State University of New York at New Paltz	Jesse Retamozo	Tue October 1, 2024	1:00 PM
Endicott College	Maeve Caldwell	Wed October 2, 2024	11:00 AM
University of Massachusetts-Dartmouth	Jason Loele	Fri October 4, 2024	9:00 AM
Maryland Institute College of Art	Sophia Belkin	Fri October 4, 2024	9:30 AM
New Jersey Institute of Technology	Yenitza Ruiz	Fri October 4, 2024	12:00 PM
Boston University	Abby Timmins	Fri October 4, 2024	1:00 PM

PEP RALLY





The PTSA supports a variety of events & activities including:

Scholarships for Graduating Seniors

Orientation and Open House

HS Staff & Transportation Appreciation

Graduation Reception

Field Trips

College Planning & Parent Education Events

Social Emotional & Wellness Activities

Join & Donate



Volunteer



Connect



2024-2025 Meeting Schedule

All meetings take place at 6pm in the HS Library

Wednesday, 9/25/24

Wednesday, 11/13/24

Wednesday, 1/8/25

Wednesday, 3/12/25

Thursday, 5/8/25

The NPHS PTSA aims to strengthen the connections between students, parents, the community and schools.

