

## **Homestead High School Announcements – Monday, January 29, 2018**

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All girls interested in trying out for softball, a very important sign up meeting will be held this Wednesday, Jan. 31st in Room 701 at 2:45. The meeting will be short but important. Please bring email addresses and phone numbers for you and your parents.

The Kohler Credit Union school branch is now open! Stop by to learn more about the credit union, open an account, simply say hi...or charge your device at their voltage lounge! The branch is open Monday through Friday during lunch periods. They look forward to meeting you!

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## Homestead High School Announcements – Friday, January 26, 2018

Today is our last day of National Drug and Alcohol Fact Week! Did you know that almost 8,000 people die in WI every year from tobacco-related illness? Tobacco is a natural born killer. The list of serious, long term effects includes: lung cancer, throat cancer, heart disease, and losing your teeth.

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Juniors, if you signed up for the free ACT prep class at Homestead, remember that you must return your confirmation form to the Principal's Office by the end of the day today. The form was emailed to you and your parents last week. If you don't return the form, you will be dropped from the class.

Hey Homestead! Did you know that every two seconds someone in the United States needs blood? Well, you can help solve this issue by donating blood at Homestead's annual blood drive on Friday, February 23. Sign-ups start on Monday, January 29th! Stop by the table during A or B lunch. See Ms. Pfaff with any questions.

Attention Slopes for Hope members: There will be a 10 minute meeting today and Monday the 29th after school in room 807 to prepare for the first ski trip on Feb. 2nd. You must attend the meetings if you want to go on the ski trip.

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## Homestead High School Announcements – Thursday, January 25, 2018

Time for another fact as part of National Drug and Alcohol Fact Week. Did you know more Wisconsin students drink than other students in the nation? Yet not EVERY student is drinking. In fact, only about 2 out of 10 students drink alcohol. Your brain is not fully developed until the age of 25! Alcohol or any drug use can have a damaging effect on the brain. If someone asks you to go out to drink alcohol, say no- your brain and your future are too important.

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## **Homestead High School Announcements – Wednesday, January 24, 2018**

There will be a Girls Soccer Meeting today at 2:45pm in Room 701. Contact coach Dorn with any questions.

Programming Club will meet today from 2:45 - 3:30pm in room 209.

HHS Student-Athletes - Today is the day! Jack Renkens from Recruiting Realities will be presenting valuable information for you and your family on the collegiate recruiting process. See you tonight at 7pm in the HHS Orchestra Room!

It's time for another informative announcement as part of National Drug and Alcohol Fact Week. Synthetic drugs have a lot of chemicals in them that are just not safe. These drugs can cause hallucinations, but also a lot of other complications, including death. Synthetic drugs like bath salts can kill you. Stay away from synthetic drugs!

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Congratulations to The Homestead Debate Team for an incredible finish at this year's state tournament! A special congratulations to Aila Khan and Tyler Gao for a finalist finish in the varsity division. Out of 20 speaker awards, Homestead grabbed 6, including 2nd and 3rd place finishes by Isabel Klemmer and Erin Wei. Way to go Highlanders!

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I-Wing Zone 1 will be closed today after school for a Faculty Learning Meeting. There will be no Writing Lab. The South Computer Lab will be open until 3:30 for computer and study use.

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Hey GEMS!!!! Wednesday the 24th is meteorology night! We are going to go to the WISN12 news station and talk with the MARK BADEN. We will even be able to watch a broadcast! This event is from 4:30pm to 7:15pm. To cover the cost of the bus please bring \$5 with you to the event. Remember you can also bring snacks for yourself on the bus! Tell your friends and get excited for meteorology night!!! Weather rocks! Please sign up with Mr. Sivanich or Mrs. Ackmann so we have a head count for the station.

Timers are needed for the boys swim meet on Thursday, Jan. 25th from 5:45 - 8:15pm. No Experience is necessary and it's a fun way to earn Merit award hours. Sign up in the student Office.

For those of you who didn't hear from me yesterday, this week is National Drug and Alcohol Fact Week. Did you know that every day 3,287 teens use marijuana for their first time? FACT! Regular use will drop your IQ. Studies also show those who regularly use lose interest in stuff they care about – like sports, girlfriends, family, friends, videogaming. Weed is addictive. One of every six teens who tries marijuana before age 18 will become addicted to it. Because marijuana is addictive, it can lead to use of other drugs like cocaine and heroin. Don't even start.

## Homestead High School Announcements – Monday, January 22, 2018

Tomorrow is the last day the coaches vs. cancer t-shirts will be on sale for the HHS vs. USM hockey game. Shirts are \$15 and money goes to Relay for Life! Stop by the lunchroom or Mr. Navarre's room during both lunches.

Attention Sophomores and Juniors, are you interested in pursuing a career in the auto, construction, agricultural or financial services industries? Tonight is Ozaukee Youth Apprenticeship night at the Cedarburg community center from 6:00-7:30 pm. This is an exciting opportunity to find out about apprenticeships available in Ozaukee County. Please stop by the Counseling Office and ask for Mr. Wolf if you have questions.

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This week is National Drug and Alcohol Fact Week. All this week, you're going to hear more about drug and alcohol facts. Did you know that only about 5% of kids around 12-17-years-old misuse prescription drugs? This means taking drugs that are not prescribed to you or taking them in way that your doctor did not tell you to! Some of these teens have even died from misusing one pill, one time! In fact, more Wisconsin residents die from drug overdose than motor vehicle accidents, suicide, or firearms. Students of Homestead - don't misuse prescription drugs.

## Homestead High School Announcements – Friday, January 19, 2018

Sophomores- please make sure to complete the "Do What You Are" survey in your family connection account in anticipation of your sophomore conference. These individual conferences are starting next week, so this weekend would be a great time to get this survey completed! See your counselor with questions!

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There is a National Art Honor Society meeting today in the Ceramics room (room 606) after school for a "clay day." This will be fun, so don't miss out! Remember to notify an officer or advisor if you cannot attend!

Attention Best Buddies Members: Our next event is at the Rivoli Theatre Sunday, January 21st from 11:30-1:30. We will be having our own private showing of the movie Coco. Please sign up outside of room 401 if you plan to attend this event. Hope to see you there!

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Volunteers are needed to help with the Wilson Elementary "Ocean Adventure" Fun Fair on Friday February 23rd. Choose an earlier 2 hour shift, or a full 3.5 hour shift for Merit Award hours. Click the link for more information, & to sign up. <http://signup.com/go/XShOUAaon>

Merit award packets are due April 13th. That's 12 weeks from today. If you need a packet, pick one up in the Student Office.

## Homestead High School Announcements – Thursday, January 18, 2018

Come buy coaches vs. cancer t-shirts for Tuesday's HHS vs. USM hockey game. Shirts are \$15 and money goes to Relay for Life! Stop by the lunchroom or Mr. Navarre's room during both lunches.

Attention all Young Conservatives Club members: There will be a meeting today in Magistra Wallach's room immediately after school. Contact Ryan Gerner or Spencer Heth with any questions.

NHS candidates, remember to attend the informational meeting tomorrow morning at 7:10am in I-Wing Zone 3.

We need Make-up artists for our musical "Shrek The Musical." Join us to learn about make-up, stay with us for the fun! Our first meeting is today after school in the Black Box.

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## **Homestead High School Announcements – Wednesday, January 17, 2018**

Programming Club will be meeting this Wednesday.

Girls Lacrosse will be hosting their parent-athlete meeting this Wednesday 7pm - 8pm in the cafeteria for all new and returning players. No previous experience is needed. Attend to learn more!

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## Homestead High School Announcements – Tuesday, January 16, 2018

PDP Applications are due today! Get those into Mr. Sterken as soon as possible.

Seniors, today is the day! All Frank Family Memorial Scholarship Applications and all Local Scholarship Applications are due today by 3 p.m. If you have questions please see your counselor.

A reminder for Seniors completing the Sydney Lauren Tabakin Writing Scholarship, all of the essays are due in the Homestead Counseling Office by 3 p.m. today. More details about the Tabakin Writing Scholarship are available in Family Connection in the LOCAL SCHOLARSHIP application. If you have questions please see your counselor.

DECA meeting after school today. It is mandatory for all members.

Hey Homestead come out tonight and cheer on the girls basketball team as they take on the Slinger Owls. The girls look to hand Slinger their first conference loss! Bring the noise. See you tonight game time is 7:15.

Pursuit Lunch will be held next week on Tuesday and Thursday during both lunch hours.

Attention all Latin students going to State! Our last state meeting is Wednesday the 17th after school in Magistra's room. Your attendance is mandatory. See you then!

Volunteers are needed to help with the orchestra pasta dinner at HHS the evening of Thursday January 18th. This is a great way to earn Merit Award hours. Sign up in the Student Office.