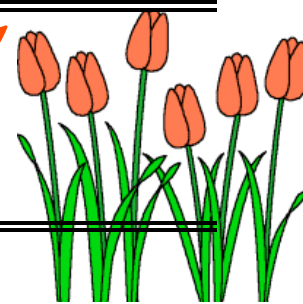


# "The Foxworthy"

April 2010



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## From the Principal Jeffrey S. Theodoss

Dear Parent / Guardians,

Learning needs to be valued as an ongoing process that requires the daily interaction of students with their teachers and peers. Tardiness and absence from class affects this learning process.

Recently there has been a large increase of student tardiness which in turn causes disruption to the first period classes already in session. Please take a moment and review with your student the importance of arriving to 1<sup>st</sup> period classes at 7:33 a.m. each day. The following is from page seven (7) of the FHS student / parent handbook for you and your student to review.

### TARDINESS TO SCHOOL

Tardiness disturbs classes and hinders the ability of other students to learn. All tardiness will result in office detention unless the student who arrives late is either accompanied by a parent or brings in a note when he/she is admitted to school. A student must bring the note explaining the tardiness to the front office. All tardy notes should include that day's date, explanation for the tardiness, parent signature and a phone number where the parent can be contacted to verify the reason for the tardiness. Only 5 (five) explained tardies will be accepted per semester. Each tardy over the 6th, per semester, will result in office detention regardless of a note.

...Jeff Theodoss



### Coffee with Principal Theodoss

The next "Coffee with the Principal" is scheduled for Thursday, April 29<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 a.m. in the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor Media Center. The meetings are an open discussion of topics of interest to parents and guardians with Principal Jeff Theodoss. The schedule could change, so be sure to confirm the meeting dates on the school calendars. Please join us!!

## The Music Department

...Mrs. Leanna Pink - Sewell

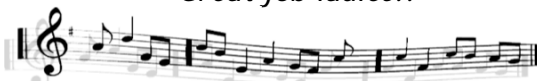
### Congratulations to:

Meghan Lowey (2010), Danielle Lavieri (2011), and Kaileigh Riess (2012) who participated in the Chaminade Music Club scholarship auditions. Chaminade Music Club of Attleboro announced the 50th annual awards for music students in grades 10, 11, 12.

The auditions for these awards took place on Sunday, March 7<sup>th</sup> at the Florence Hayward Sweet Club House in Attleboro. The auditions for this year were for vocal musicians.

The prizes were: First Place- \$500.00  
Second Prize- \$300.00 and Third Prize- \$200.00  
For more information visit the Web site at  
[www.chaminademusicclub.org](http://www.chaminademusicclub.org)

Meghan Lowey was awarded first place and Kaileigh Riess was awarded second place.  
Great job ladies!!



### YEARBOOK - 2010



Orders are being accepted for the 2010 Yearbook. The cost of the yearbook is \$65.00 and order forms are available in the Main Office. Any questions, please contact

Yearbook Advisor, Mrs. Kelly Arcacha at  
[arcachak@foxborough.k12.ma.us](mailto:arcachak@foxborough.k12.ma.us)

## *The National Honor Society*



*The National Honor Society has had a busy few months performing a variety of community service activities. Over February vacation a group of students took time to help at the Greater Boston Food Bank. At the bank, the students sorted 6,393 pounds of food. The bank salvaged 80% of the food that was sorted, resulting in 3,948 total meals made possible from their work.*



*Students have also been raising money for earthquake relief in Chile and Haiti. Led by NHS President, Michaela Bero, students have been canning at basketball games and raffling off the chance to throw a pie at a teacher during the Student / Faculty basketball game. Thank you to Ms. Wasilewski and Mr. Murray for offering to get pied in the face and especially to Ms. Wasilewski who actually got the pie in the face.*

*National Honor Society member, Carolyn Augusta, made several hundred ribbons that she is selling for \$1.00. All proceeds will be donated to the American Red Cross.*



**American  
Red Cross**

*Community Service Coordinator, Gina Kackloudis, is also in the process of organizing a prom dress fashion show. The show will feature 25 senior girls and five senior boys. All proceeds will go to Belle of the Ball, which is an agency that provides dresses and other services to girls who would not be able to afford to go to the prom (<http://www.antons.com/belle/>).*

*The fashion show is scheduled for March 25th at 6:30.*



*The National Honor Society ran the student-faculty basketball game. Select seniors took on the faculty team. The student team used a balanced approach to defeat the faculty. They were led by Gabe Brown, Lindsay Shapiro, Lynnea Gleason, Jeremiah Washington, Eddie Ryan, James Keenan, Rob Hay, Joe McGahan, Miguel Alicia and Zach Hadge. Varsity players Kristin Hoffman, Rachel Jamieson, Asad Hardwick and Ty Spencer all displayed tremendous skill on the court. The students were well coached by Gabe Brown, Brian Williams and John Hurley. The game was announced by Brandon Homer. NHS would like to thank the athletic staff, the students and the faculty for their support.*

## *Community Service Star of the Month*



*All members of the National Honor Society are required to perform four (4) hours of community service a month, but most students perform more than the minimum amount of hours. The advisors of the National Honor Society would like*

to recognize one of their students for going over and above her community service commitment.

Meg Lowey: Meg is very active in the Uncommon Theater. The past few months Meg has volunteered her time directing the children's show *The Little Mermaid*. Meg has spent over 30 hours per month volunteering. Keep up the great work Meg....



.....From N.H.S. Advisors: Kelly Shaughnessy and Caitlin



Annicelli

*Give the Hometown Gift of Foxboroughopoly!*

*Price Reduced to \$10  
Hurry...Quantities are very limited!*



The Burrell Elementary School Playground Committee has produced a limited edition home town treasure that plays just like America's favorite board game.

Games may be  
purchased at

*Foxboro Stop &  
Shop*

or by emailing [foxborogames@comcast.net](mailto:foxborogames@comcast.net)



All Proceeds Benefit the Burrell PTO  
Playground Fund  
We thank you for your support!  
The Playground Committee,

*Mabelle M. Burrell Elementary  
School*

## Seniors

*Have you forgotten to pay for your Cap & Gown?*



*Cap and Gown payment is due. Please  
see  
Mrs. Sneyd in the main office if you  
have any questions.*

FOXBOROUGH HIGH SCHOOL  
CLASS OF 2010

Cap & Gown/ Photograph

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Cap and Gown \$ 25.00

Graduation Picture:      Yes      No \$ 8.00  
(Optional)

**Total:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## NEWS FROM THE MATH DEPARTMENT

... From Mrs. Susan Hutchison

Mrs. Hutchison's "Topics in Math" class recently constructed three amusement park ride models for their trigonometry unit. They assembled the *Super Swing*, *Ferris Wheel*, and *Octopus Swirl* rides. They figured the angular and linear velocities of each ride. Emilio Perez and Connor Whalen cleverly adapted their rides with more powerful motors to make the rides more exciting. The class had a lot of fun and learned something at the same time.



copies of previous MCAS tests are available via the Massachusetts Department of Education website.

*Good Luck, Sophomore Class!*

## F.A.C.E.S. Grant Program

Due to the generosity of the FACES grant program, the English Department was able to welcome *Shakespeare Now!* to Foxborough High School on Friday, March 12, 2010. The actors and actresses from this company performed William Shakespeare's *Romeo and Juliet* to an appreciative audience of freshmen. After the performance, students were able to participate in a "talk-back" with the actors and actresses who had performed in the show.

The freshmen were an exemplary and well-behaved audience, and they seemed to genuinely enjoy the play. Freshman Katherine Saliba commented, *"I think the play was very interesting; I think the actors were amazing. They were descriptive like in the book, and used mainly the important details."* Vincent Giaccoppo added, *"I thought the play today was very good. It was very funny and comical. Also, it helped me understand the book more. The actors did a great job."*

Members of the senior class also had the opportunity to see a Shakespearean comedy when they travelled to Providence, Rhode Island to see a

performance of *Twelfth Night* at Trinity Repertory Company. In addition, Senior Advanced Placement Literature students "kicked off" their studies of Chinua Achebe's Nigerian novel, *Things Fall Apart*, with a visit to an African-themed restaurant (Providence's CAV) after the play!

## English Department News !

*From Ms. Laura Cronin, English Department Head*

### ATTENTION SOPHOMORE PARENTS

MCAS 2010 has begun! The MCAS in English Language Arts were given on March 23<sup>rd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>. Sophomores and their teachers have been working diligently to prepare for this examination. Student who were in need of "last minute" review were reminded that there are many resources that could help them. Foxborough teachers as well as library-based tutors are available during their free periods and after school. MCAS review books are available in the English office. In addition,



Look for more information in future *Foxworthy's* on our two next performances:

March 24<sup>th</sup> – “Macbeth”  
 April 6<sup>th</sup> – “Julius Caesar”

.....Ms. Laura Cronin



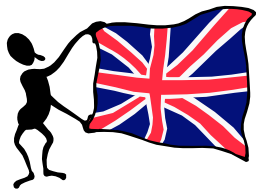
## “Once Upon A Mattress” ... Thrills the crowd!

Once again, the Drama Club has brought down the house with another fantastic show! Congratulations to the cast and crew of the Drama Club’s spring musical *Once Upon A Mattress*! The show was a huge success and received rave reviews- thank you to our wonderful audiences and to the parents who helped out. A special thank you to Ms. Linda Barbieri for her vocal coaching and to Mrs. Kristen D’Errico for her terrific choreography! Stay tuned for announcements about the student directed show coming to an auditorium near you on May 25<sup>th</sup>!

.....Ms. Shannon Wasilewski - AKA Ms. Waz.....

“No one knows what he can  
 do till he tries.”

.....Syrus



## The Drama Club goes went to London!

Members of the Drama Club “crossed the pond” in February to tour London. We were treated to tours of not only London, but Windsor Castle, the Greenwich, and Avon. We also famed “Jack the Tour”, which very creepy alleys in the glad we were



Tower of London, Stratford-upon-got to go on the Ripper Walking took us to some backstreets and East End- I’m with a large

group! Being a Drama Club, we wanted to see a show in London’s fabled West End—and did we ever! The comedy, *The 39 Steps*, turned out to be uproarious! We also were able to tour the new Globe Theatre, which is a recreation of Shakespeare’s original theatre. We learned that when they reconstructed it, they were so faithful to the original design that they only used tools and materials which were available during Shakespeare’s time. The trip was not only a visual experience, but also a tasty one too, with the kids trying such famed English dishes as “Toad in the Hole”, bangers ‘n mash, and fish ‘n chips—very exciting! Our trip to London was truly an incredible experience.

The Drama Club would like to make this trip an annual event—if you are interested in learning more about this exciting opportunity, please email Shannon Wasilewski, Drama Club advisor, at wasilewskis@foxborough.k12.ma.us.



## Spanish and French Exchanges

Once again the Spanish and French students traveled during February vacation and stayed with their host families.

## Spanish Exchange

After a long overnight flight to Spain, the Foxborough students and chaperones first stop was at the City Hall in Xirivella (Valencia) where they were received by the Mayor. He was extremely impressed

with the Foxborough student's knowledge of the Spanish language. Special thanks to the Spanish teachers (Ms. Irene Titmas and Ms. Kathy Joseph) at FHS in preparing the students for this journey of a lifetime.



The students met each morning at Ies Ramon Muntaner School in Xirivella (Valencia). Day trips included attending Centro Historico de Valencia, Torre del Micalet, Torres de Serranos, Plaza de la Virgen, Mercado Central and Lonja. Trips to the Fallas workhouses and Museum Ciudad del Artista Fallero, Gulliver's Park, Museum of Modern Art and Viveros Park, Oceanografic / Hemisferic were highlights of the trip. Students traveled by coach bus to Barcelona where they stayed in a hostel overnight. Sights in Barcelona included, La Rambla, Barri Gotic, La Sagrada Familia, Montjuic, Tibidabo and so much more.

Below are some of the student's comments on their trip.

...*Tanaïs Garcia*

Being in Spain was one of the best experiences that I have had in my life. I learned about a different and vibrant culture. If I could relive the experience I wouldn't change a thing. I made very good friends in Spain and I hope to return one day.

...*Lianne McCarthy*

Choosing to get involved in the Spanish Exchange this year was one of the best decisions I've made. I loved the different lifestyle, old buildings and small communities. I will never forget my host family and the many new friends I made there, and I hope to return in the future.

...*Anna Sangree*

Visiting Spain was an experience that I will always remember from the beauty of the Mediterranean Ocean, to the park designed by Gaudi, Park Guell, to the home of my exchange host student... there are so many memories! Most of all, I will remember the people whom I shared this experience with, both the Espanola's and the American's. I am blessed to have had the opportunity to visit Spain this year.



Students at the Mediterranean Ocean!

....*Amber Scotton*

Going to Spain was the experience of a lifetime. I loved being surrounded by a different culture and trying new foods! I made friends that will last a lifetime and I can't wait to return one day.

....*Deirdre Botsch*

ESPAÑA... Traveling to Spain was a life changing experience! I will never forget the people we met and the times we shared. Living in Spain for 10 days was different but I loved every second of it. I cannot wait to go back and continue to maintain the relationships I made there.

....*Danielle Lavieri*

The best part of the trip for me was going to Barcelona. What an amazing city! Just seeing the culture over there was such an eye-opener. Everything is so different, and family life is huge! My host family ate 4 out of the 5 meals together and talked around the table for an hour each meal. This trip to Spain was by far the best experience of my life!

## French Exchange

Fourteen students and two teachers from Foxborough High School traveled to France during February vacation as part of the ongoing French Exchange with Lycée Jacques Prévert in Longjumeau, France. We were cordially received by the principal, town administrators, teachers and students of the lycée and spent a wonderful (albeit cold!) week visiting our friends in Longjumeau and sightseeing.

Our visit to the Cathedral in Chartres was enhanced by the expertise of a longtime guide, Malcolm Miller, who has devoted his life to the study of this gothic marvel. We toured the Châteaux of Amboise and Chenonceau in the Loire Valley and marveled at the beauty of these incredible palaces of French kings. The trip to Normandy where we visited the town of Arromanches – site of the Allies' landing during the Second World War- and the American Cemetery were inspiring moments for the students. Our trips to Paris to visit the Louvre, Montmartre, Sacré Coeur, Notre Dame Cathedral, and the Eiffel Tower were all memorable and exciting. Students spent a day at the lycée and had the opportunity to make some interesting comparisons between a French lycée and an American high school.



The most important part of the trip however, was the connection students made with their French hosts. During the week that students spent living with French families, they not only improved their communication skills and fluency in the language, but they experienced a different culture and formed many friendships which will undoubtedly last for many years to come.

.....Student - Alex Noonan

My favorite memory of France is when my exchange student, Robin, and I went to Paris with Andrew Steel and his exchange student, Julian. Julian wanted to take us to his favorite café. We ended up wandering around the Notre Dame quarter. We got lost and after 40 minutes Julian admitted that we were lost and we got on the métro and went to the right place. It turns out that if we walked about 300 yards back, we would've been exactly where we wanted to be. Well, c'est la vie.



*French Exchange Advisors  
Ms. Barbara Eaton and Ms. Debra Grant*

## RECYCLE ATTENTION ALL PARENTS AND GUARDIANS



To help defray the costs and support the girl's tennis team, the "Tennis Booster Club" is not only raising money for the tennis team, but also helping to clean up the earth!

Under the supervision of Ms. Schaaf, she is collecting used inkjet and laser printer cartridges and cell phones. These items are then sent to the Funding Factory ([www.FundingFactory.com](http://www.FundingFactory.com)) where in turn she received a check that is used towards the tennis team.

So don't throw away the old ink jet cartridges or used laser printer cartridges, or even those dead cell phones. Donate them!!! If you have any of these items, please have your son/daughter drop them off at the high school. There is a box located in the main lobby for these items.

## Junior Prom

The junior prom is scheduled for May 8<sup>th</sup> at the Venezia Waterfront Restaurant and Banquet Facility  
20 Ericsson Street, Boston  
[www.venezia-onthewater.com](http://www.venezia-onthewater.com)



## Prom Contract Signing Night

On **Tuesday, April 13, 2010 at 7:00 p.m.** in the high school auditorium there will be a Prom Contract Program. The program will last approximately 45 minutes. An attorney from a Boston law office of Campbell and Campbell will discuss the importance of "Social Host Liability". Immediately following, Principal, Jeffrey Theodoss will give the audience an explanation of the terms of the contract, and then an opportunity for parents and students to sign contracts.



All students who plan to attend the prom must have on file at the high school a prom contract which they and their parents have signed, and a parental consent form. Prom guests who are not students at FHS must also have contracts signed by their parents unless they are 18 years of age. These students may sign their own contracts.

The purpose of the contract is to help ensure that the prom will be a substance free event. Contracts must be signed in the presence of a school administrator. No contracts will be sent home for signing, and no student may purchase a prom ticket until a contract has been signed.

Contact the class advisors, Ms. Shannon Wasilewski or Mr. Andy Servedio with any questions.



## TUTORING

Mathematics and English tutors are available to give academic support throughout the school day and after school. We have a certified English and Math teacher in the building from 7:30am-3:00pm daily, in the upstairs Media Center. Please encourage your child to attend this beneficial service, which does not interfere with classes and has no financial obligation.

# FHS Students Get Fit!



Foxborough high school students pictured above participated in a physioball workout during wellness classes. In an effort to improve fitness levels one wellness class per cycle is designated as a Fitness Focus Day. On fitness Focus Days, 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> grade students are taught health-related fitness skills to help them understand the importance of cardiovascular fitness, flexibility, muscular endurance, and strength and body composition.

*From Wellness Teacher – Ms. Janelle Erskine*



**F.A.C.E.S.**

## Foxborough A Community Enriching Schools

The Board of Directors of FACES has announced fundraising plans for 2010. In lieu of a gala in March, FACES is going to raffle a 2-week stay in Hawaii: one week at the Marriott Ko'Olina Beach Resort on Oahu and one week at the Maui Marriott Resort in Kaanapali Maui, plus \$5,000 cash so that the winner can purchase his or her own airline tickets and rental cars. The suites are booked for Aug. 28 through Sept. 11.

FACES will be selling 1000 tickets at \$50 each. Every FACES director will have tickets to sell as well as each of the five schools. Wendy Wills at the Administration Building will also have tickets. The winning ticket will be drawn at Founders Day in June.

If you cannot contact one of the FACES directors, you can complete the raffle ticket order form, which will be available at all the schools, at the Library and at Head To Toes. Send it to either: Jim Freeman, c/o FACES, 10 Cocasset St. Foxboro, MA 02035 or Judee Harrington, c/o FACES, 39 Shoreline Drive, Foxboro, MA 02035 along with your check made payable to FACES.

*....Thank you....*

# Student Council News



*From: Senorita Smith*

An incredible way to spend your summer!

The Massachusetts Association of Student Councils sponsors a leadership conference at Stonehill College every summer. This week long conference is one of the best things a young person can do to realize their leadership potential. You do

not need to be an officer of a club or a captain of a team to attend. Everyone has leadership potential and it is a quality that teachers consider when giving student recommendations for National Honor Society, colleges and scholarships. Young people can be leaders in the classroom, on the field or even within their group of friends.

Here's what a couple of F.H.S students said about their Student Council leadership conference experience last summer:

*"I met friends instantly and not just friends, best friends! I have never felt so accepted, so happy, and so free to be me. My council became incredibly close over the course of simply five days. We were all very different, came from different towns, liked different things, different backgrounds, etc. but we all came together for five days and made the most of everything and really bonded. I have had reunions with friends from camp and still keep in close contact with my entire Silver Council! It was great to see your own Foxboro friends once in awhile, but honestly you make so many new friends and are always doing something that you really don't have to cling to the old but instead experiment with the new!" "Life is short and MASC camp taught me to smile a little bigger, laugh a little harder, love a little more, and reach for the stars." ....Gretta*

*"The staff and campers brought an indescribable energy everywhere we went. Whether we were in smaller groups or all together in an auditorium, it was a blast. It was also so inspirational and motivational, more than you would ever believe. A positive attitude and optimism are definitely qualities you leave the camp with. From speakers to activities to the theme of the week, all held a life lesson and created a drive to achieve our dreams, because we all can." ... Emily*

*"MASC Camp is a great experience from the moment you arrive, to the moment you leave. Throughout the week, I learned different leadership skills, along with learning about how other schools plan their events, etc. I especially liked the activities we did during our*



sessions as a council, because they were always interesting and entertaining. But, the best part of camp is definitely the friends you make! During the week I became really close friends with kids from all over the state, many of which I keep in contact with weekly. I think everyone should consider going to MASC camp because it was definitely a really fun learning experience, and you make so many good friends. I definitely plan on going back next year!" ... ..**Eddie**

\*M.A.S.C. summer leadership conference is from **July 12<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup>, 2010**. Please stop by room 225 and see Señorita to pick up more information. You may also email me at [smithc@foxborough.k12.ma.us](mailto:smithc@foxborough.k12.ma.us) or call at 508-543-1616 ext. 225.



**Mark your calendars!** Student Council will be hosting an **Ice Cream Social** at Baskin Robins at Patriots Place on April 16th from 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. The local comedy group "Improv Soup" will be performing and there will be "guest scoopers" from the F.H.S. faculty. Please support the Student Council and come enjoy this fun event.

The Mr. FHS pageant was a great success! The audience enjoyed an original song written by two of the contestants, unicycling skills, and other musical acts. Connor Foley ('11) was crowned Mr. FHS followed by runners up Ben Alden and Ben MacDonald. Thank you to the audience for bringing packs of gum to be donated to the soldiers.



The proceeds of this event and of the concessions from that night have helped us reach our goal of raising \$1,500 to send one family to Camp Sunshine in Point Sebago, Maine. The Student Council is very pleased to have achieved this goal that they have been working on since the fall of this school year.

The Student Council successfully collected six boxes full of toiletries, gum and non-perishable food items to send to our troops. Thank you to all of our teachers and students who contributed to this collection.

Blood Drive May 14th in F.H.S. gym. 8 a.m. -1 p.m.  
.....*Senorita Smith*

# Guidance Department News

Department Head...Mrs. Laureen White

## MCAS Testing

**All 10<sup>th</sup> graders took the ELA MCAS on:**

March 23-Tuesday	Long Comp.
March 24-Wednesday	Session 1 & 2
March 25-Thursday	Session 3

**All 10<sup>th</sup> graders will be taking the Mathematics MCAS on:**

May 17 – Monday	Session I
May 18 - Tuesday	Session II

**All 10<sup>th</sup> graders will be taking the Science MCAS on:**

June 2 – Tuesday	Session I
June 3 - Wednesday	Session II

## Credit Fair for Life

This is an interactive financial decision-making fair for seniors that illustrate basic personal financial management skills. Students will be given a financial profile of themselves at age 25 with the occupation they choose and figures of income, debt and savings. The day of the fair will be April 14<sup>th</sup>. We will leave Foxboro High School at 8:15 in the morning and head to Gillette Stadium (where the fair is being held). We will be returning to Foxborough High School via the bus at about 1:00 p.m.

This is a great day! They will learn a lot about budgeting and finance and there will be many "surprises" as the day progresses.

## Summer School

The Foxborough Summer School Program will be held at Foxborough Ahern Middle School - beginning July 5, 2010 and running through July 30, 2010. Registration will be held at the Foxborough High School's guidance department on June 23<sup>rd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>. Registration will be from 7:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. Students wishing to register early may fill out the registration form below and hand-deliver it to the guidance office at the High School. Courses for high school students, grades 9-12 are found in the Program of Studies Handbook. A copy of the handbook can be found on the Foxborough web page at <http://fps.vinsin.com/fhs.htm>

Courses in mathematics and English are offered.

The cost of each course will be \$275.00. For those students taking two courses the fee will be \$500.00. This fee is non-refundable after July 9, 2010. The course(s) will run as follows:

**Session I from 7:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.**

**Session II from 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.**

**There is NO public transportation for students.**

**Tuesday, July 6<sup>th</sup> is the first full day of classes.**

**(Session I will begin promptly at 7:45a.m.)**

For further assistance please contact:

Laureen White - 508-543-1620

[whitel@foxborough.k12.ma.us](mailto:whitel@foxborough.k12.ma.us)

You may also receive information on the Foxborough High School website: <http://fps.vinsin.com/fhs.htm>

### **Junior Timeline – Class of 2011**

#### **SAT AND ACT TEST DATES AND REGISTRATION DEADLINES**

Make appointment for your ACT's and SAT's. We recommend taking the ACT's at least once and the SAT's at least twice.

\*Fee waivers are available for students with financial need. See your counselor for more information.

#### **ACT Testing dates:**

##### **Test Date**

April 10, 2010 (@FHS)

June 12, 2010

##### **Registration Deadline**

\* Stand-by registration is still available.

May 7, 2010

#### **SAT Testing dates:**

##### **Test Date**

May 1, 2010 (@FHS)

June 5, 2010

##### **Registration Deadline**

\*Stand-by registration is still available.

April 29, 2010

**SAT Subject Tests**- Some colleges require that students take one or more SAT Subject Tests. Take these in the spring when the material is fresh in your mind. You can download "Taking the SAT Subject Tests", which offers test-prep advice from [www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com).

#### **SAT Subject Test dates:**

##### **Test Date**

May 1, 2010 (@FHS)

June 5, 2010

##### **Registration Deadline**

\*Stand-by registration is still available.

April 29, 2010

\* Please speak to Mr. Servideo in Guidance for details about stand- by registration for the ACT and SAT testing.

To prepare, download practice booklets from [www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com) (for the SAT) or from [www.act.org](http://www.act.org) (for the ACT).



#### **What should juniors be doing now?**

Start making a list of your abilities, social/cultural preferences, and personal qualities. List things you may want to study and do in college. Look at the Naviance website

(<http://connection.naviance.com/foxborough>), to complete the career interest inventory, "Do What You Are," as well as college exploration.

Learn about colleges. Look at their websites. Make a list of college attributes and features that interest you.

Make a file to manage your college search, testing, and application data.

With your family, start to learn about financial aid. Read the *Department of Education's Funding Your Education*. Use *Getting Financial Aid* published by the College Board and the financial aid calculator at [www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com) to estimate how much aid you might receive. Begin a search for financial aid sources. National sources include the *College Board Scholarship Handbook* and electronic sources. Do not overlook local and state aid sources.

MEFA is a great resource free of charge for Massachusetts's students. The phone number is:

1-800-449-6332 or you can look into it online at [mefacounselor.org](http://mefacounselor.org).



#### **In the Spring Juniors should:**

Visit some local colleges - large, small, public, and private. Get a feel for what works for you. February and April vacation are great for visits. Attend local college fairs.

Develop a list of 15-20 colleges that attract you. Request view books and information about financial aid and academic programs that interest you.



Take the ACTs and SATs.

If you are considering military academics or ROTC scholarships, contact your counselor before leaving school for the summer. If you want a four-year ROTC scholarship, you should begin the application the summer before your senior year.

*If you have any further question, contact Mr. Joe O'Neil, College Admissions Advisor in the guidance department to set up an appointment at 508-543-1620x 147 or [oneilj@foxborough.k12.ma.us](mailto:oneilj@foxborough.k12.ma.us).*



### Advanced Placement Testing Schedule

Test	Date	Time
French Language	May 3rd	12:00pm
Spanish Language	May 4th	8:00am
Statistics	May 4th	12:00pm
Calculus AB	May 5th	8:00am
Calculus BC	May 5th	8:00am
English Literature (12)	May 6th	8:00am
U.S. History	May 7th	8:00am
European History	May 7th	12:00pm
Biology	May 10th	8:00am
Physics- cancelled	May 10th	12:00pm
Chemistry	May 11th	8:00am
Environmental Science	May 11th	8:00am
Psychology	May 11th	12:00pm
English Language (11)	May 12th	8:00am
Art History	May 12th	12:00pm
<b>Late Testing</b>		
Statistics	May 19th	8:00am
Biology	May 20th	12:00pm
Chemistry	May 21st	12:00pm

Aheli is now eligible to enter State Science fair that would be held at Massachusetts Institute of Technology in June this year.



## Senior All-Night 2010

To: Seniors and Parents of Seniors:

**Important information about the Senior All-Night Graduation Party**



**Date & Time:** June 13, arrival time: 10:30PM (no later than 11PM) end time: 5AM

**Place:** Foxboro Invensys YMCA, 67 Mechanic Street, Foxboro

**Who Is Invited:** All Foxboro residents graduating from high school in 2010

**Cost:** \$60.00

**For More Information:** [www.fhsseniornight.com](http://www.fhsseniornight.com)  
Registration and other important forms will be on-line and mailed to families in April.

**Wish List from Parents for our Raffle:** Gift cards in any denomination for a gift card tree, summer Red Sox game tickets or concert tickets.

**Wish List from businesses:** Monetary donations or gift card donations.



**Congratulations to Freshman**  
**Aheli Chattopadhyay**

This is to inform you that Aheli Chattopadhyay, a freshman of your school has won **2nd Place in Senior Division** at the Rensselaer-BCC Region III Science & Engineering Fair held at Bristol Community College last Saturday (March 13).

Additionally, Aheli was one of the only 3 high school students who won a Special Award from **Department of Navy** (Naval Undersea Warfare Division).

Aheli has won another Special award (a check for \$100) from **Cambridge Biomedical Inc.**

The award ceremony was held last Thursday (March 18)..



Gift cards and donations can be mailed to:  
**All-Night Party**  
**P.O. Box 156**  
**Foxborough, MA 02035**  
 Or contact Rose Lincoln 617-828-3760  
 or Chris Lowey (508) 698-3939 for pick-up.



### Decorations' Wish List

- white lights (Christmas tree variety)
- icicle lights
- life size cardboard cutouts of Music Celebrities
- Large Beatles cutouts, posters, or album covers
- Disco balls (stationary)
- 2 CD players
- Working Jukebox
- Red squeeze ketchup bottles
- Plastic Root beer float glasses
- 50s style plastic straw dispenser & pink/turquoise striped straws
- Easel
- 2 Blackboards for menu
- 6-8 Beanbag chairs

**Our next meeting is Monday, April 5, @ 7PM**

In the Community Room at the  
 YMCA, 67 Mechanic Street, Foxborough MA.

It is not too late to get involved.

We are still looking for helpers in all areas  
 especially chaperones for the night.

Please join us!

*We have lots of fun and exciting activities  
 planned for your graduation night.*

*We know you are going to have a great time!*

**April - 2010 Days of the Cycle**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 Day 2	2 No School	3
4	5 Day 3	6 Day 4	7 Day 5	8 Day 6	9 Day 7	10
11	12 Day 1	13 Day 2	14 Day 3	15 Day 4	16 Day 5	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
<b>No School</b>						
25	26 Day 6	27 Day 7	28 Day 1	29 Day 2	30 Day 3	

**May - 2010 Days of the Cycle**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2	3 Day 4	4 Day 5	5 Day 6	6 Day 7	7 Day 1	8
9	10 Day 2	11 Day 3	12 Day 4	13 Day 5	14 Day 6	15
16	17 Day 7	18 Day 1	19 Day 2	20 Day 3	21 Day 4	22
23	24 Day 5	25 Day 6	26 Day 7	27 Day 1	28 Day 2	29

<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>					
	No School					

~~NOTE~~

*Dates are subject to change. Please check our on-line calendar.*

April 2	No School
April 5	School Committee - 7:00 pm
April 6	<i>Shakespeare Now!</i> Julius Caesar - All Sophomores
April 7	MCAS ELA Retests- Long Composition
April 8	School Council Meeting - 3:00 pm
	Spring Concert - 7:00 pm
April 9	Term III Ends
	Student Government Day
April 10	ACT Testing
	MICCA Festival -8:00 am - 6:00 pm
	MICCA Festival -11:00 am - 6:00 pm
April 13	Prom Contract Signing Night - 7:00 pm
April 14	Credit for Life Fair at Gillette Stadium
April 14 - 18	Toronto Canada Tour - FMA
April 16	Report Cards- Term III - Online
April 19-23	School Vacation Week
April 26	School Committee - 7:00 pm
April 27	American Writer's Day 8:30 am -11:30 am

May 1	SAT / II at FHS
May 1	The POPS - Gymnasium- 7:00 pm
May 2	The POPS - Gymnasium- 2:00 pm
May 3	AP Testing
May 4- 7	AP Testing
May 8-10	Essentially Ellington - NYC
May 10-12	AP Testing
May 8	Class of 2011 - Junior Prom
May 12	NHS Banquet- Christina's
May 13	AP Testing
May 14	Blood Drive - Sponsored by the Student Council
	Progress Reports - Seniors Only - Online
	Jazz Festival - 7:00 pm
May 17	MCAS Mathematics Testing
May 18	MCAS Mathematics Testing

May 20	FMA Chamber Concert - 7:00 pm
May 21	Progress Reports - Underclass - Online
May 25	Student Directed Play
May 26	Class Elections Speeches
	Student Council Banquet - 6:30 pm
May 27	Class Elections
May 28	Senior's Last Day of CLASSES
	Pot Luck Dinner - FMA
May 31	Memorial Day - No School