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Dear Parents and Students:

7/24/2020

Welcome to the 2020-2021 school year at Cayuga High School. We are all looking forward to another great year with the students and teachers at CHS. Despite the challenges associated with this school year and the COVID-19 pandemic, our entire staff will be ready and willing to prepare the students to meet and attain their educational goals. Education is a shared responsibility between the school, students, parents and the community. Working together while keeping high expectations, we can take ownership of that responsibility and make sure we continue to make CHS the best that it can be. The mission of Cayuga High School is to create a unique, safe, caring environment in which students acquire critical thinking skills, achieve personal excellence, and become citizens who will responsibly meet the challenges of the future. Working together, we can achieve that mission.

Thursday August 6th

Registration Times:

Seniors – 10:00 to 11:30 am

Juniors – 12:00 to 1:30 pm

Sophomores – 2:00 to 3:30 pm

Freshmen – 4:00 to 5:30 pm

Freshman Orientation – Cancelled due to COVID 19

Unfortunately, Freshman Orientation and all other social gatherings deemed “non-essential” have been cancelled due to COVID-19. To better prepare for the rigor and demand of your first year in high school, the teachers will be preparing and posting videos to our webpage introducing themselves, welcoming you, and outlining specific class expectations to ease the transition.

Enclosed you will find some important documentation that is needed for registration. **Please complete the registration form, make any changes in RED ink, and bring it with you at the proper time of your registration. All parents and students must have a completed registration form in order to pick up her/his schedule.** The form must be signed by the parent/guardian of the student. Registration will be in the High School Library.

Those opting for the remote learning option this school year will still need to come up to the school and register in person. Class scheduling will be the same for all students whether on-campus or remote learning.

As a reminder, if you received any immunizations during the summer, please bring the proper forms from your doctor or clinic so that the school may update your immunization records. All students who plan on enrolling in dual credit courses with TVCC are required to have a Bacterial Meningitis vaccination prior to college enrollment. The vaccination must be up-to-date and must have been administered within the past five years. If you have any delinquent obligations to the school district for the previous school year, you will have to clear ALL of your school records before schedules are released. (Example: book fines, etc.)

Key dates to remember:

- Aug. 6 Registration/Schedules – Starting at 10:00 am
- Aug. 7 JV/Var. Volleyball Scrimmage @ Palestine, 10:00 am
- Aug. 8 JV/Var. Volleyball Scrimmage @ Westwood, 8:00 am

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- Aug. 10 JV/Var. Volleyball vs Groesbeck, 5:00pm
- Aug. 11 JV/Var. Volleyball @ Elkhart, 4:00 pm
- Aug. 14 JV/Var. Volleyball @ Palestine, 4:00 pm

Open House and Meet the Wildcats / Ladycats – Cancelled Due to COVID 19

- Aug. 17 **First Day of School** (School Hours 7:45am – 3:15 pm)
- Aug 20 JV/V Football Scrimmage vs Rice, TBA

Again, we all look forward to seeing everyone back who opts for on-campus instruction on August 17th. We will begin the first day of school with an assembly in the High School gym at 7:50am. Also, our dress code policy will be enforced on the first day of school which includes grooming and hygiene and all parts of our Student Code of Conduct. Under the challenges of we are currently facing, let's pull together as a Wildcat Family and make the absolute best of this situation. On behalf of the entire Cayuga High School staff and community, best wishes for a great 2020-2021 school year.

Sincerely,

Dr. Joe E. Satterwhite III (Jes),

Cayuga High School Principal