

## Cavalier Circular Volume 12, Issue 26 Thursday, February 27, 2020

"Through rigorous academics, integrative technology, expressive arts, and competitive athletics, the mission of Cuthbertson High School is to empower all students to be leaders in a changing global community."

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## **Stay Connected!**

We invite you to stay connected with Cuthbertson High School on Facebook (Cuthbertson High School) on Twitter (#CHSCavaliers) and on **Instagram** (cuthbertsonhs nc) You may subscribe to CHS Enews at http://cuthbertson.ptsamail.com/. We also update our school website regularly at http://chs.ucps.k12.nc.us/. Information and announcements are shared regularly, so please follow us so you never miss any Cavalier news!

## 2020-2021 Course Registration

It's time to choose courses for the 2020-2021 school year! Students received course registration instructions and viewed a registration presentation in homeroom last week. The presentation is available to view on the CHS Counseling page under the "Registration Information" link along with the registration schedule. Students will have until March 3 to enter their course requests into Power School. Counselors will begin meeting individually with students March 4. If you or your student has guestions, a counselor is available during all lunches in the cafeteria. You may also send questions with them to their registration appointment.

## ACT Makeup Exam

The ACT makeup will be given on March 17. Any questions may be directed to Mrs. Stephanie Austin at stephanie.austin@ucps.k12.nc.us.

## Academic Awards (Date Change)

Academic Awards from fall semester will now be presented on the following dates. All are from 10:50-11:30 a.m. in the Auditorium: Monday, March 9 – 9th Grade. Tuesday, March 10 – 10th Grade. Thursday, March 12 – 11th Grade. Friday, March 13 – 12<sup>th</sup> Grade.

## **Broadcast Named**

The Cavs have spoken! The CHS Daily Announcements Broadcast is officially named "Good Morning Cuthbertson!"

FFA Places in Poultry Evaluation



Congrats to the CHS FFA Poultry Evaluation Team for placing 4th out of over 90 teams in the NC FFA state competition last week! Team members shown above were Sarah Anderson, Justin Wortham, James Whalley, Mia Sulkey, and Ashton Edwards. Mia was the 6th high-scoring individual in the state! Way to go, Cavs!

Women's Basketball Wins Conference, Advances to Playoffs



Our Lady Cavs basketball team won their conference championship! Coach Joel Allen was named Coach of the Year and Maddie Dillinger was named Player of the Year! All conference players included Maddie, Lily Anderson, and Ruby Williams. Congratulations to all! They have moved to the state playoffs where they won the first round on Tuesday evening and will proceed to Round 2 – the time and date will be announced!

## **Dillinger Named Player of the Year**



Congratulations to junior Maddie Dillinger who was named Player of the Year for our Lady Cavs!

## **Haggarty Named All-Conference**



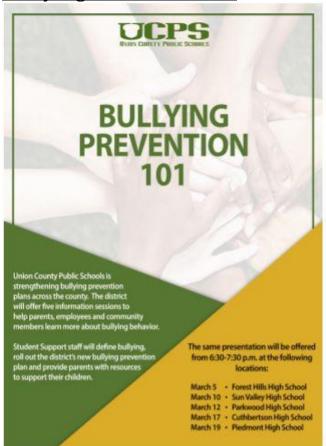
Congratulations to junior JP Haggarty who was named to the All-Conference Boys Basketball team from Cuthbertson High!

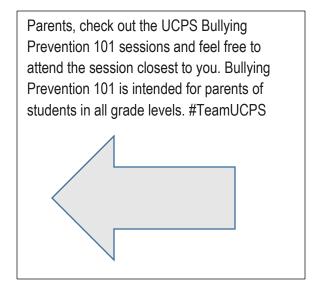
## **Schutz Places in Wrestling**



Congratulations to sophomore wrestler Nick Schutz who finished 4<sup>th</sup> place in the state in his weight class at the NCHSAA Wrestling Individual State Championships!

## **Bullying Prevention 101**





## **Pre-Apprenticeships**



There will be an informational meeting about Pre-Apprenticeships available to Union County Public School students on March 19 at 6:00 p.m. at the SPCC Tyson Family Center for Technology (3509 Old Charlotte Hwy, Monroe, NC 28110). Come out and learn how students can get paid to go to school while earning high school and college credits! To learn more about the Pre-Apprenticeship Program and to apply, please visit the Pre-Apprenticeships webpage at <a href="https://tinyurl.com/sk846ko">https://tinyurl.com/sk846ko</a>.

## **DECA**

Good luck to DECA members as they travel State Competition in Greensboro over the next two days!

## **Senior Successes**

Seniors, it is time to celebrate your success! Be sure to turn in copies of your acceptance and scholarship letters to Guidance. We want to make sure you are on our college acceptance bulletin board and included in the scholarship breakfast. Remember, turn in all of your scholarship letters, even those you are not planning on accepting!

## Attendance Reminder of the Week

In order for an absence to be excused, a student must turn in a note that states an excused reason. Excuse notes should always include the student's first and last name, the date of the absence, the reason, and a parent signature.

## **Chorus Prepares to Perform**

Our Chorus is getting ready to perform a mini-concert for the Lancaster Middle School Honors Chorus. They will also be performing at MPA (Music Performance Adjudications) at Wingate on March 10!

## **Theater News**

CHS Theater is working on **Big Fish**. The performance dates are March 27, 29, April 2, 3, 4 at 7pm and April 4 at 2 pm. Mark your calendar!

## This Week in Band

This week on Friday and Saturday our Band program will have almost the entire applied instrument faculty and two band directors from UNC Charlotte in to work with all our high school bands. We call it our concert band camp and the students getting to spend two days with college faculty (professionals on their instruments) is a valuable opportunity.

## <u>Prom</u>

Prom is May 2 at Le Méridien in Charlotte. Please click <u>here</u> for details about tickets, dinner, and more!



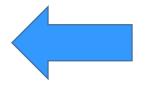
# Leadership Development Workshop

All students are invited to register for this free Leadership Development Workshop sponsored by Interact/Rotary.

Sign up <a href="here">here</a>!

The closest session is at Sun Valley High on March 28, 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

Students do NOT have to be in Interact to attend!



## **SAT**



The SAT will be administered March 25 here at CHS. All juniors are required to take the exam. It is free and no preregistration is required.



Free SAT practice is available now on Khan Academy. https://tinyurl.com/rv9tb7s

Students who take the SAT, PSAT/NMSQT, PSAT 10, or PSAT 8/9 have access to personalized SAT study resources. Khan Academy's world-class practice tools are free for all students and include:

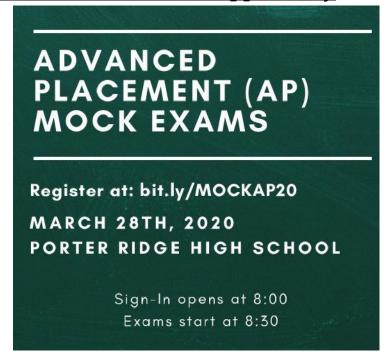
- Thousands of practice questions, reviewed and approved by the College Board...
- Four official SAT Practice Tests written by the College Board...
- Personalized recommendations for instruction and practice to help students fill their knowledge gaps.

## Bridge the Gap Recognizes Black History Month



The Bridge the Gap Club created a bulletin board to recognize Black History Month! They plan to hand out inspirational quotes by African Americans to the student body. Some of the quotes come from Martin Luther King, Jr., Maya Angelou, W.E.B. DuBois, Frederick Douglass, and Ella Fitzgerald.





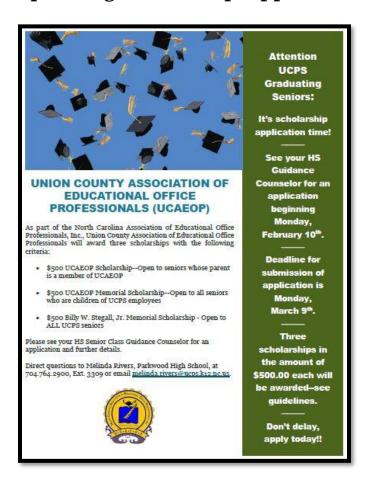
## **College Recruiting for Athletes**

# UCPS Department of College Readiness Next College Student Athlete present: COLLEGE RECRUITING FOR ATHLETES Wednesday, March 18, 2020 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm Cuthbertson High School FREE for all UCPS students, grades 8-12. Register by visiting: http://bit.ly/collegerecruiting4athletes

## **PTSO Scholarships**



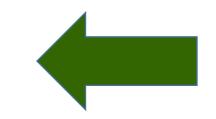
## Upcoming Scholarship Opportunities (See more on our Scholarships page)



## **UCAEOP Scholarships**

The Union County Association of Educational Office Professionals is awarding 3 college scholarships.

The criteria for each scholarship is listed on the chart to the left and the deadline is March 9. Don't delay, share this information and obtain an application from your school counselor today!





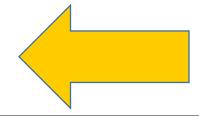
## **Union Power College Scholarships**

Here is another scholarship opportunity for UCPS seniors!

<u>Union Power Cooperative</u> takes pride in recognizing the value of higher education for future leaders of our communities.

They are awarding 10 outstanding high school seniors with a \$1,000 scholarship to an accredited university or community college in the state NC: <a href="https://union-power.com/collegescholarships/">https://union-power.com/collegescholarships/</a>

The application deadline is March 20.



## **Quick Links In Every Issue**

<u>Driver's Ed Information</u>	Welcome to CHS Video	PowerSchool Parent Portal
Senior Breakfast Dates	UCPS Testing Calendar	Order Yearbooks Here
UCPS School Calendars	UCPS Parent Resources	Here Comes the Bus
School Menus	CHS Parent Resource Page	Prepay for School Meals
CHS PTSO Website	Cuthbertson Athletic Booster Club	Online School Payments
CHS CHAOS Website	Cuthbertson Band Boosters	CHS School Website
Senior & Graduation Information	UCPS Influencers	Meningococcal Vaccine Letter

Questions or suggestions for Enews may be submitted to Mrs. Tautfest at paula.tautfest@ucps.k12.nc.us.



## **Senior & Graduation Information**

Our webpage for Senior and Graduation Information is available on our website in the "Quick Links" which are located under the banner photo of our website. It is also linked here: <a href="https://www.ucps.k12.nc.us/Page/6708">https://www.ucps.k12.nc.us/Page/6708</a>.

All Seniors will be given 4 tickets for their guests to attend Graduation. For those Seniors who need additional tickets, they can purchase up to 4 more online *starting Monday, March 2 through May 12*. Tickets are \$10 each. After May 12 we will have a limited number of extra tickets for anyone who needs more than 8 (4 given, 4 purchased.) Those extra tickets will be available online after May 17.

All tickets will be given to Seniors at their required Graduation Rehearsal (time to be announced) during the week of June 9.

To purchase a Graduation ticket: Go to the CHS <u>Online School Payments</u>. Once there, you can purchase up to 4 tickets. Be sure to include your Senior's name when purchasing tickets. You will get an email confirmation once complete.

If you have any graduation questions you may contact Ms. Dillner at Dawn.Dillner@ucps.k12.nc.us.



UCPS is expanding efforts to keep students safe. The state has joined Sandy Hook Promise to bring the Say Something Anonymous Reporting System to NC schools. This system is designed to change and save lives by teaching students, educators and administrators how to recognize the signs and signals of those who may be at risk of hurting themselves or others, and to anonymously report this information through a telephone crisis hotline, website or mobile app. For more information or to submit a tip, click here.

## **CABC**



Did you know that your CABC membership helps pay for all the field maintenance at both Cuthbertson Middle and High Schools?

The CABC also pays for the gymnasium floors to be refinished as well as many other items. Supporting the CABC helps create a beautiful and safe environment for the Cuthbertson athletes to play on.

You can purchase your membership online.

https://www.ucpsathletics.com/cabc

CABC would like to announce our 2020 fundraising gala...

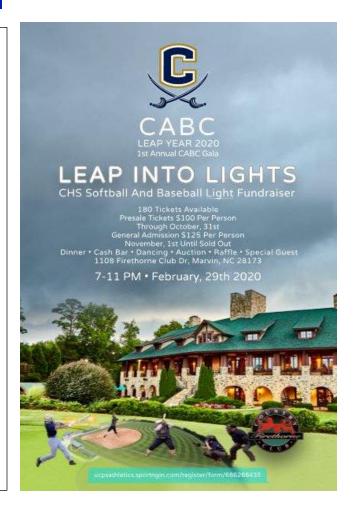
## "LEAP INTO LIGHTS"

February 29th, 2020 7pm-11pm

Firethorne Club in Marvin

It will be a fun night of dinner, dancing, auction, raffles and a special guest. Proceeds will go towards the purchase and installation of stadium lights for the softball and baseball fields. Currently there is no lighting equipment at the fields for them to play after dusk. These fields are used by both Cuthbertson High School and Middle School teams.

ONLY 180 tickets are available. Purchase your presale ticket \$100pp. November 1st ticket price will increase to \$125pp until sold out. Click link below to purchase your online tickets. Take advantage of the LEAP year extra day and come out for a great night. Purchase your tickets online here. Any questions can be emailed to our CABC President at <a href="mailto:president@gocavs.org">president@gocavs.org</a>.



## **PTSO News**

## Class of 2021- Senior Events Planning Begins

Attention Parents, is your student a member of the class of 2021, and are you interested in being part of the senior events planning team? Organization efforts are getting underway! Please email <u>allisonbmatthews@yahoo.com</u> if you would like to participate. Thank you!!!

## Have you joined yet?

Join the best thing around...the CHS PTSO! Where else can the whole family join and make such a big difference for only \$10? To join please click here!!

## **March Teacher and Staff Appreciation**

This month we'd like to tell our CHS teachers and staff how lucky we are to have them! We are requesting a variety of snacks for a workroom snack bar be brought to the front office between now and Friday, March 13th, at 3:00pm. To donate please click here!

## Calling All Seniors!

PTSO Scholarship Opportunity! The CHS PTSO is proud of you and would love to award you for your accomplishments! Graduating Seniors, please apply before April 24, 2020 by clicking here or downloading from the PTSO website. For additional information please email chscommunitypartnerships@gmail.com



## **Spirit Wear**

The new semester is time for new spirit wear! Order online and pick up at Curriculum night on February 10th. Be a "champion" and get one of our new Cavalier crewneck sweatshirts! Grab a new beanie for your winter athlete or winter sport spectator! Our long sleeve tees are great layer items this time of year. Buy Spirit wear: Support the school and get great items!



## Want to volunteer?

If you would like to be added to our volunteer list, please sign up on the link below. This is THE list that the PTSO uses for all volunteer requests, event notifications, and requests for food/drink/supplies for our various events! Click here to be notified of volunteer opportunities throughout the year! If you are interested in getting more involved as a member of one of our committees, please contact Allison Matthews at allisonbmatthews@yahoo.com

### Have You Invested in CHS?

A donation to the PTSO's INVEST IN CHS is tax deductible. Your donation will directly fund teacher appreciation activities, student programs, and additional funding for classroom supplies and educational support items to benefit our students. Our 2019-2020 goal is \$9,500. We need your support! Please make your INVEST donation on line today via credit card or PayPal here!

WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK THE FOLLOWING FAMILIES FOR THEIR INVEST IN CHS DONATIONS. YOUR GENEROSITY MAKES A DIFFERENCE!

Acevedo, Ackerson, Anderson, Atkins, Baldwin, Ballantyne, Benz, Black, Borgelt, Boutilier, Campbell, Cannon, Chester, Chettri, Christensen, Clayson, Connor, Cotton, Cushing, Cutler, Daniels, Dannaker, Darfler, Das Gupta, D'Errico, Dion, DiPiazza, Eaton, Eblen, Fahy, Faulkner, Gettinger, Giglio, Gilchrist, Gist, Green, Groce, Gunaseelan, Harper, Harris, Hayner, Herdegen, Hicks, Hoffman, Holmes, Horne, Hrenyo. Hubatka, Huelle, Hunter, Jipson, Johnson, Kim, Knibbel, Kroeger, Kruszewski, Kwaku, Lim, Mackey, Maddex, Mahoney, Malinowski, Margulies, Markiewicz, Marton, Matthews, McConnell, Melton, Mills, Misurale, Mrozienski, Mulvihill, Nali, Ngwainmbi, Norwood, Omoletski, Osterberg, Pistani, Recher, Reinartz, Renda, Riley, Rivers, Sanfilippo, Sarno, Satina, Schwarzmann, Seaman, Shaffer, Sills, Simmons, Sinople, Smith, Sparks, Spizzirri, Steinhaus, Stone, Stover, Strasswimmer, Swafford, Swan, Sweeney, Tate, Terry, Terwilliger, Thomas, Tunstall, Tyree, Valdez, Walser, Ward, Warren, Weisberg, Whalen, White, Williams, Williams, Woland, Wooten

## **Amazon Smile**

Don't forget to add CHS to your Amazon account at <a href="www.smile.amazon.com">www.smile.amazon.com</a>. Amazon <a href="www.smile.amazon.com">you shop. Amazon gives.</a> will donate 0.5% back to CUTHBERTSON HIGH SCHOOL. Please note that this allows the school to benefit every time you make a purchase from Amazon – at absolutely **NO ADDITIONAL COST** to you, making it a win/win for everyone! For senior parents, it's a great way to give back to the school while you are shopping for graduation gifts and outfitting your child's dorm room. Please click on the above link and designate Cuthbertson High School as the beneficiary of this program.

**Stay Up to Date -** Don't miss out on the news and happenings of the PTSO and CHS this year! "LIKE" us on <u>Facebook</u> and bookmark our <u>website!</u>



## **Cuthbertson High School PTSO**

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2019-2020 GOAL = \$9,500 = WE NEED YOU!!

Cuthbertson High School appreciates your support! Your tax deductible donation to the CHS PTSO will directly fund CHS needs and programs during the 2019--2020 school year, including educational support items and PTSO student scholarships. <u>AS OUR ONLY FUNDRAISER</u>, the CHS PTSO is asking parents and other supporters of CHS to invest in our present and future by *Investing in CHS*. This benefits <u>ALL</u> of OUR students!

Please consider a tax-deductible gift in the amount of contribute is tax-deductible and is GREATLY APPREC	IATED!
We have ONE convenient way for you to make y	our donation-
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THANK YOU FOR CONTINUING TO SUPPORT CHS AND OUR STUDENTS — WE COULD NOT BE THE GREAT SCHOOL WE ARE WITHOUT YOUR SUPPORT!

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