

# WHS Daily Announcements

October 6, 2020

## **Counseling Office:**

**Attention Seniors:** The Counseling Office will be hosting a Virtual Senior House Meeting on Wednesday, October 7th during Advisory. During this meeting, you will learn more about the college application process and how to navigate Naviance. The meeting will be hosted through the 12th Grade School Counseling Google Classroom. If you have not yet accepted your invite to this classroom, please do so immediately. A Google Meet link will be posted in the classroom to join the meeting.

Carroll Community College is hosting their Fall Open House virtually on Thursday, October 15<sup>th</sup> beginning at 6:00PM. Students may RSVP for this event at <https://www.carrollcc.edu/openhouse/>

The agenda for the evening is as follows:

6:00- 6:45 p.m. Login and Join the Live Open House Presentation

As the live session is ending, session rotation options and instructions for joining will be given.

6:45 p.m. – 7:15 p.m. Choose a program/Major Session to Attend Program/Major Specific Info Sessions – program faculty will give program specific info

7:15 p.m. - 7:45 p.m.

Session/Q&A

- Financial Aid
- Admissions
- Non-Credit Career Training

### **Attention National English Honor Society:**

The National English Honor Society is now accepting applications! If you are interested in **joining** or **continuing** your membership and meet the specified requirements listed below please email Ms. Myers [mmmyers@carrollk12.org](mailto:mmmyers@carrollk12.org) for an application. Applications are due at the end of this week: **Friday, October 9<sup>th</sup>**.

To be considered for membership, candidates must...

- be a junior or senior
- have and maintain an average unweighted GPA of 3.75 in all English courses, including electives
- be and remain academically eligible
- attend a minimum of two meetings per semester

- be prepared to participate in at least one service project per semester
- submit a typed, well-written brief statement about why they want to join WHS's NEHS (*NEW MEMBERS ONLY!*)

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Ms. Myers.

### **Conference Night:**

The WHS faculty is eager to team with you in providing an excellent education for your student.

Join us Wednesday, October 14<sup>th</sup>.

### **PARENT/TEACHER VIRTUAL CONFERENCE NIGHT**

4:00pm-7:00pm

Teachers will available to meet by appointment through Google Meet

- A 10-minute conference about your student(s) progress is available with one or all of their teachers
- School Counselors and Administrators will also be available all evening
- Conferences are by appointment and on a first-come, first-served basis

Please call our office at 410-751-3630 during school hours to schedule a conference. Appointment slots can fill up fast so we encourage you to call soon. By doing so, this will assure that the teacher is prepared to meet with you. The deadline for you to call for an appointment is by the end of the school day Tuesday, October 13<sup>th</sup> – we cannot guarantee a teacher's availability if you call on the day of conferences.

### **Service Opportunities:**

#### **Happy Healthy Halloween**

*Set up Week is Oct 19-23*

*Event is Oct 23, 5 -7 pm*

Volunteers will help decorate the center throughout the week prior to the event. The day of the event, volunteers will help set up activity stations, decorations, and help run activity areas. Opportunities for a variety of hours are available. Reach out to Amanda Griffith for scheduling and availability at 410-848-3660 x. 226 or [amandagriffith@ymaryland.org](mailto:amandagriffith@ymaryland.org).

#### **Leaders Club**

Beginning week of Oct 12

Club meets bi-weekly on 2nd and 4th weeks of the month

## **CALLING ALL LEADERS AGES 12-17!**

We're looking for energetic, hard-working, positive teens to have fun working together for the primary purpose of organizing and providing volunteer service in their community. Teens will participate in bi-weekly meetings, weekend retreats, exercise, and more.

If your teen has a willingness to get involved and wants to be surrounded by other fun and dependable teens, Leaders' Club is for them!

Weekly Meetings consist of:

- Business Meeting - This is where our teens will develop their Service Projects, Fundraisers, and more!
- Leadership Development - Led by teens and the club's Advisor, Leaders will explore what it means to be a leader by reflecting on their unique skill set and learning how these skills can be used for good, all while getting to know their team of teens.
- Physical Fitness - Leaders will participate in weekly fitness such as yoga, cardio, swimming, games, and more!

This program is **FREE** for current Y Maryland Members. For program members, \$25 covers the school year. *Additional fees for rallies do apply, however Leaders will have the opportunity to fundraise to help cover the cost of these optional events.*

All teens must fill out the Leaders Club application: [Click Here](#)

## **WINTER RALLY**

When: Saturday, December 5th

Location: TBD

Leaders from all over Maryland will come together for our Annual Winter Rally. Teens will take part in workshops, leadership development activities, and more. Details to follow.

Is your Teen registered? Find the Hill Y in Westminster's Leaders Club here:

<https://ymaryland.org/programs/leadersclub>

Still have questions?

Contact Amanda Griffith at [amandagriffith@ymaryland.org](mailto:amandagriffith@ymaryland.org) or 410-848-3660

## **Attention Sophomores**

The Carroll County Career and Technology Center (CCCTC) will be hosting a virtual informational session for 10<sup>th</sup> graders. During this session, students will learn about CCCTC programs and the application process. To accommodate all 10<sup>th</sup> graders, there will be two sessions. The first one will be on Tuesday, October 6, and 10<sup>th</sup> graders with last name A – Kou should attend. The second one will be on Thursday, October 8, and 10<sup>th</sup> graders with last name Koz – Z and BEST 10<sup>th</sup> graders should attend. Both will be held during Flex, which is 9:00 – 9:30.

The meeting will be hosted through the “School Counseling – 10<sup>th</sup> Grade” Google Classroom. If you have not yet accepted your invite to this classroom, please do so immediately. A Google Meet link will be posted in the classroom to join the meeting. Also, important CCCTC resources will be posted in the stream of this classroom. If you have any questions, please email Ms. Ricketts at [dlricke@carrollk12.org](mailto:dlricke@carrollk12.org).