

Champaign Central H.S. Announcements

8/30/2023

DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS – PTSA

The PSAT/NMSQT is a practice SAT and the qualifying test for the National Merit Scholarship Program. The test is only open to juniors. **The PSAT/NMSQT will be administered on Wednesday, October 11th at Central. There is no make-up for this test.** Registration will be open from Monday August 28th, to Monday, September 4th. **No student will be registered after September 4th.** For more information, please pick up a flyer in Student Services. Find more information about the test and how to register [here](#).

Welcome to Central High School. We are happy your student will be joining us. We hope that you are making progress toward meeting the state requirement of obtaining a school physical and /or the required immunizations for your ninth grade or transfer student. Deadline to submit a physical with immunization is **September 1, 2023**. You can turn any medical forms to the main office at Central High School to Ms. Green (greench@u4sd.org). **Parents please be sure to sign the physical form.**

If your child needs just a physical; great resources now available for student's health needs and physicals. Services are free!

ROE9 School Health Clinic
45 E. University Ave., Champaign
(housed in the Ready Program area)
217-239-0322

Ask to speak to Nurse Practitioner, Jessica Wagner to schedule an appointment.

Picture Day is September 6th in Seeley Hall, come prepared to smile for the cameras 😊. Forms will be available soon in the main office.

PTSA Spiritwear Sale!

Central Highschool tee-shirts, sweatshirts, shorts and sweatpants are available for purchase at the PTSA's Spiritwear store. Orders delivered in late October. Support your PTSA and show your school spirit.

<https://www.selectspiritwear.com/v5store/pc/viewCategories.asp?idCategory=1814>

In addition, don't forget to join PTSA or renew your membership at:

<https://chsmaroons.memberhub.com/store?limit=21&live=true>

CLUBS AND ACTIVITIES

Student Council: Homecoming 2023 is going to be on Saturday, September 9th. Our theme is Island Paradise. Tickets will be sold in the commons starting on September 5th and going until September 8th. **Tickets bought during lunch periods will be \$5 and tickets bought at the door will be \$7.** Our spirit week will go as follows:

- Tuesday: PJ Day
- Wednesday: Picture Day, Dress to Impress
- Thursday: Floaty Day/Hawaiian Shirt Day
- Friday: Class Colors
 - Fresh: White
 - Soph: Gray
 - Junior: Black
 - Senior: Maroon
 - Teachers: Wear Bright Colors

Our DJ is taking song requests. If you would like to request a song, please fill out this form by next Tuesday!

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfaBwAflHuO0d_qETcrnC8WYsil-KIGDIWpAEV6kRG3_zqwBg/viewform?usp=sharing If you have any questions please reach out to Ms. Hogan at hoganem@u4sd.org

Returning NHS Seniors - Our first meeting will be Tuesday, September 5th at 7:30 a.m. in Decker Theater. Bring your \$10 dues. See you there!

Spanish Club is holding its first meeting on Thursday, September 7th immediately after school in the commons area. All students are welcome. If you are interested in running for an officer position, please be prepared to talk to the group! Membership for the year is \$10 to cover club costs. Chips, salsa and other treats will be served.

Are you interested in meeting new people and developing relationships with others in our school with different abilities, if so **Best Buddies** is a great club for you! Meetings are the last Wednesdays of every month after school. Join our remind [@cg9ba8g](#) for updates and more information. Please feel free to reach out to nguyenang2024@u4sd.org or millerro2024@u4sd.org with any questions. First meeting is this Wednesday after school!

Dungeons & Dragons club will be having a special "one-shot boot camp" this week on Wednesday from 3:30-4:50 in the Den. It will be a time to introduce new players to the basic rules of D&D. All are welcome!

Join us this week on Thursday for the first **Interact Club** meeting of the year! Interact Club is a volunteer organization dedicated to **community service**. We will be in the Den (lower library) **every Thursday morning at 7:30 am**. Newcomers are welcome!! You can join our google classroom: zfb4k77 or remind: df49k Please email interactcentral@gmail.com or carmicer@u4sd.org if you have any questions.

Do you have an interest in international affairs and diplomacy? Do you like to debate or watch a debate? The **Model United Nations club** is for you. The Model United Nations club will meet for an organizational meeting on Friday, September 1 in room 2101 at 7:30 am. New members are welcome. Please check our Google Classroom during the year for the time, next topic, and sign up for the debate. Google Classroom code is **yusbgvo**. For questions contact Mrs. Early at earlyma@u4sd.org.

Students Demand Action is having its very first meeting on Friday, September 1st at 7:30 AM in room 2107! SDA is a brand new club to Central that focuses on advocating for common sense gun legislation. Join us for donuts, an introduction about our club, and learning about our goals for the future. Contact studentsdemandactioncentral@gmail.com for questions.

Chess club meets on Tuesday and Thursday after school in the Den from 3:30pm to 5pm. We welcome players of all skill levels. Please contact Mr. Hong at hongaa@u4sd.org to be added to our Google Classroom.

Hello Central Maroons! Are you interested in joining the **Central High Drama Club**? Coming off of their recent trip to Nationals, Central Drama is excited to kick off our first Drama Club Meeting of the year on Tuesday, September 5th, from 4:30 to 5:30 in Decker Theatre. We are also excited to introduce our new Drama Director, Mrs. Jones, who wants to extend a warm welcome to any and all students curious about Drama. Any students interested in attending after school are welcome to join Mrs. Jones in her classroom, 1324, for a study hall prior to the meeting. At this meeting, we will also discuss the first audition opportunity of the year, for a Theater Cabaret. More information concerning auditions will be made available soon. Please consider coming out and joining us for what is sure to be an exciting year!

Are you interested in helping our environment and supporting sustainability? Consider joining **Eco Club**!. Our first meeting will be Wednesday, August 30th at 3:30 PM in room 3318. We hope to see you there!!

The 2022-2023 yearbooks are in! If you ordered one and have not received it or if you're interested in buying one for \$55, come see Ms. Smith in room 3207.

Ever wanted to write news or get your work published online? Join the **Champaign Central Chronicle** newspaper club in room 3206 Tuesdays after school from 3:30-4:30 PM. You'll learn how to write articles relevant to our school and community. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Teacher Choi.

The FBLA Snack Shack is back and you can find the food and drinks you need to succeed by room 2209 during passing periods. Get there fast, because as soon as the music stops, we stop selling.

Model Rocketry Club will meet in room 3317 at 3:30pm every Thursday after school. Contact Mr. Earl with questions at earlja@u4sd.org.

Juniors and Seniors interested in joining **National Honor Society**, please check your email as invitations have gone out and applications are due *Friday, September 1st at 12:00 p.m.* Please contact Ms. Cornelius (corneler@u4sd.org) and Ms. Thompson (thompsve@u4sd.org) with any questions.

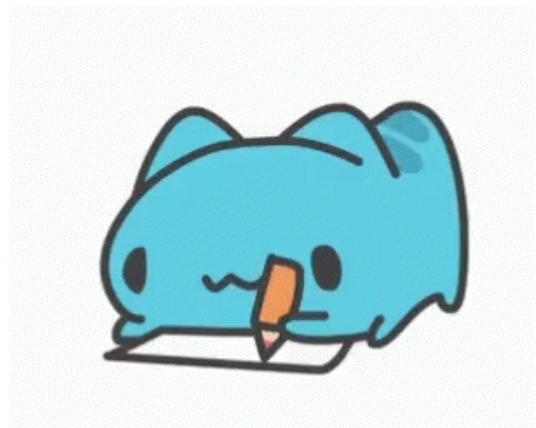
✨ VIEW THE LINK BELOW FOR CHS SOCIAL MEDIA + WEBSITES ✨
[Social Media and Websites / Champaign Central High School](#)

art club

♥♥ OUR FIRST MEETING WILL BE THIS **WEDNESDAY**
AUG. 30TH 3:30 - 4:30 PM IN ROOM 1304 !

*We will be drawing / doodling +
going over officer requirements!*

All Central High School Students are
always welcome!



Please feel free to join our Google Classroom to stay updated / get access to more information : **5jktid**

🌈 ✨ [VISUAL ARTS DEPARTMENT WEBSITE LINK](#) /// [INSTAGRAM LINK](#) 🌈 ✨

COLLEGE AND CAREERS

Message from Mr. Tanner:

Each year, Mr. Tanner meets virtually with parents/guardians and their student(s) to discuss post-secondary plans. If you have questions about the 4-year college/university process, our military branches, employment opportunities in C-U, the trade skills, Parkland College and Pathways, and much more, please email Mr. Tanner (tanneran@u4sd.org). At this time, these virtual meetings are only available for our current Senior families.

Visiting the College & Career Center:

- Eastern Illinois University: Tuesday, September 5th
- University of Notre Dame & Augustana College: Monday, September 11th
- Michigan State University, Purdue University, McKendree University, & Saint Francis Medical Center College of Nursing: Wednesday, September 13th
- University of Iowa, University of Illinois Urbana Champaign, & Southern Illinois University-Edwardsville: Thursday, September 14th
- University of Southern California, Missouri State University, Springfield & Bentley University (MA): Friday, September 15th
- Greenville University: Thursday, September 21st
- Southern Illinois University, Carbondale: Wednesday, September 27th
- University of Chicago: Thursday, October 5th
- Bradley University: Monday, October 9th
- Butler University, Monday, October 23rd
- Millikin University, Tuesday, November 7th

****Students MUST RSVP in Order to Meet With the Admissions Counselors**

****Visits are Open to Sophomores - Seniors ONLY**

- [Video: How to Log Into Naviance Student](#)

- [Video: How to RSVP for Visits to Champaign Central](#)

Transfer Exploration Night:

- Who: Unit 4, Parkland College, UIUC, UIC, and UIS
- When: Tuesday, September 5th
- Time: 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. (Check-In Begins at 6:00 p.m.)
- Where: Centennial Aldridge Auditorium (Centennial High School)
- Students: Open to ALL Students
- About and to Register for the Event: [Click Here](#)

Notre Dame Admissions Event in Champaign:

- Wednesday, September 13th at 7PM
- The High School of Saint Thomas More
- Registration Link: [Click Here](#)

College Fair at Parkland College:

- When: Wednesday, September 13th from 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
- Where: Donald Dodds Athletic Complex at Parkland College
- Who: For ALL Students and FREE to Attend, No RSVP Needed
- List of Colleges/Universities Attending: [Click Here](#)
- Students are Recommended to Register: [Click Here](#)
- Questions: Email Mr. Tanner (tanneran@u4sd.org)

ATHLETICS

General Central fan store items - <https://stores.inksoft.com/centralathbooster2023/shop/home>
Open until September 6th.

Boys Basketball will be having open gym on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3:30pm - 5:30pm.
Please see Coach Keaton (keatonwi@u4sd.org) or Coach Due (duech@u4sd.org) for more details!

Central Football Week 2!

Thursday Freshman at Normal Community @ 5pm
Friday night Varsity is home game against Normal Community at 7pm.
Go Maroons!

CHS Boys Soccer Games kick off this week! Join us for the inaugural season on the new field!

- **Friday (9/1):** Urbana Tournament – Varsity Maroons vs. Mattoon at 6pm, Urbana High School; Saturday games TBA