



Chagrin Falls Schools



NEWS from the CHAGRIN FALLS SCHOOLS

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HIGH SCHOOL

On Friday October 26, 2007 several students from Chagrin Falls High School traveled to Gurney to assist with the first grade Nocturnal Animal Study. The group was made up of students from Future Educators of America, Mrs. Paula McVey's Child Development class, and a few science students. The high school students presented topics about bats, flying squirrels, and owls to the first graders. It was a fun filled educational opportunity for all. The students are looking forward to helping again next year.

7-12 French teachers Christine Neimeier and Fadia Hamid have decided to combine their classes to celebrate the seventh annual National French Week. Chagrin Falls will be holding there main celebration on Friday, November 16. The program will include: a French breakfast in the high school cafeteria, presentations, in French, by all French students (posters, videos, and a play) which will be presented in the Drama room. After this, the French classes will be going the Art Museum to attend a presentation, one in French and one in English, about the Modern Masters exhibit which has many French impressionist artists. Students will then return to the 7-12 campus and reflect on the trip and the rest of the day's presentations.

INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL

The following students were the Intermediate School Musicians of the Month for September: Sixth Grade: Zach Belding, Grace Juergens, and Caroline Haber
Fifth Grade: Sean Mackin and Alix Gottschalk

MIDDLE SCHOOL

Entertainment Books are on sale again this year by the Middle School 8th grade class. Prior to December 1, the cost for a book is \$25.00. If you are interested in purchasing a book, call Jane Warner at 440-247-5483 or stop by the Middle School to pick one up.

***From Binge to Blackout* – New Book Selection for 7-12th Graders**

Please join Karen Kreinberg, L.I.S.W., High School S.A.Y. Counselor from Bellefaire/JCB at an Informational Meeting for a new monthly book group for parents of 7-12 graders on a sensitive topic on Thursday, November 9 at 9:30 a.m. in the Sands Community Room. From Binge to Blackout by Chris Volkmann and Toren Volkmann is

the true story of a mother and son's struggle with teen drinking. At the meeting, we will discuss why the book was selected, future book group dates, and the book will be available for purchase (\$12.00 plus tax). There will also be materials available from the S.A.Y (Social Advocates for Youth) counselor who works directly with the high school students and parents.

Please R.S.V.P. directly to Karen (440.247.2072 ext. 4452 or karen.kreinberg@chagrinschools.org), so she can have a sufficient number of books.

3rd Annual Staff vs. Seniors Football Game Announced

The 3rd annual coed flag football game between district staff members and members of the 2008 senior class will be held on Friday, November 9 at 7:00 p.m. at Harris Stadium. Admission is \$5.00 for everyone. All proceeds from the game are being donated to Meals on Wheels. The seniors hold a 2-0 edge in the series including a last second victory last year.

***As You Like It* tickets available**

The hilarious comedy *You Can't Take It With You* marks the first high school play to be performed in the new 765 seat beautiful Chagrin Falls School District's Performing Arts Center. Please come and support these high school students and enjoy this amazing play in the new Center located on the 7-12 campus, 400 E. Washington Street, Chagrin Falls, Ohio.

Performance dates are Friday, November 16th and Saturday, November 17th at 7:30 p.m. Ticket prices for general admission are \$7.00 for students, \$9.00 for adults and \$12.00 for reserve seating. Please call the box office at 440-247-5500 ext. 4288 to reserve your tickets.

Booster Club Scholarship Dance Scheduled

The Chagrin Falls Booster Club Scholarship Dance will be held on Saturday, November 17 at Signature of Solon. Festivities begin at 6:30 with dinner beginning at 7:30. Come and enjoy the silent auction and music provided by Tony Quarles & the Discovery Band. For more information please contact: Amy Groneman @ 440-338-1804, Beth Fung @ 440-893-0746 or Jane Stricker @ 440-338-3791.

Poinsettia Sale To Begin

The Chagrin Falls After Prom Parents Committee is again offering poinsettias, garland and wreaths through its annual Poinsettia Sale beginning November 1-23rd. Shop for all your holiday needs while providing for a fun and safe After Prom Party for our students. Call Robin Kratche at 440-338-1121 with questions or to place an order.