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NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Congratulations to Horseheads High School senior **Justin Sun** on advancing to Finalist standing in the National Merit Scholarship Program of 2010. The selection of some 8,200 Merit Scholarship winners from the group of more than 15,000 Finalists is now in progress. Through distinguished performance, Justin has demonstrated "high potential for future academic achievement".

Congratulations on this fine honor!

MESSAGE TO PARENTS/GUARDIANS OF SENIORS

As we near the end of our High School career and prepare for our future, there are many important announcements, handouts, and dates to remember. Seniors, it is imperative that you pay close attention to announcements so you are current with the pertinent information that directly affects you and your family. Parents and guardians, please check with your student periodically to learn of new information. Question them and keep after them to provide you with needed information. We all want the award assemblies, senior banquet, baccalaureate, and graduation to run smoothly so we can all enjoy, appreciate, and celebrate your High School accomplishments but we cannot do it without you. If your student has any questions regarding senior information, please have them see Ms. Tompkins in the Main Office

PROJECT GRADUATION

The 2010 Project Graduation committee will meet on the first Monday of every month at 7:00 p.m. in the High School Library. The scheduled meeting dates are March 1st, April 5th, May 3rd, and June 7th. Contact Chairpersons Teresa Goldthwait (562-5321) or Mike McDarby (857-3280) with any questions

MUSIC NEWS

Congratulations Horseheads district students selected to perform in the Chemung County Symphonic and Concert Bands! The students rehearsed for three days before performing a concert on February 27th at Broadway Middle School. Students from Horseheads, Elmira, Elmira Heights, and Notre Dame performed under guest conductors Matthew Cool and James Meckley.

Participating students were: Michelle Li, Shannon Donovan, Savannah Powers, Tianyi Zhang, Melanie Cady, Alexander Wood, Allison Stuart, Katherine Matthews, and Kayla Warter – flutes; Michael Reed, Sarah Lowum, Emma Stillings – oboes; Kate-Nicole Hoffman, Trinity Grasso, Emily Wagner, Nicole Clark, Christian Rainey, Jesse Wang, Marissa Faroni, Molly Hyde, Hannah Wilke, and Abigail Swartout – clarinets; Allison Jay – Bass clarinet; Melissa Dubots, Ben Coble, and Nathan Sweet – alto saxophones; Patrick Leslie, Alex VanFleet, Allyson Marshall, and Mitchell Blazzyk – tenor saxophones; Rochelle Gordon – bari saxophone; Emily Jay, Jessica Hoffman, Sean Bassler, Brenden Marshall, Patrick Condon, Tyler Shutts, Jayme Elston, Julia Millett, and Ian Cook – trumpets; Jeff Hansen, Rebekah Gordon, Kaitlyn Masler and Isaac Rawcliffe – French horns; Megan Walker, Sadie Cutler, Olivia Fontana, Kayleigh Buffington, Aaron Williamson, and Justin Gregory – trombones; Patrick Mayville and Anna Hulett – percussion.

MUSIC IN OUR SCHOOLS MONTH

On March 30th to celebrate Music in our Schools Month the High School Wind Ensemble, Concert Band, and Symphonic Band will perform a concert at 7:00 p.m. in the auditorium. We will be featuring a composer from Texas, Mr. Chris Tucker. Also featured will be our Early Bird Brass Ensemble from our Intermediate school. Following the concert will be a reception in the cafeteria, featuring our Jazz Ensemble, under the direction of Mr. Lefkowitz. The next evening at Ithaca the Wind Ensemble will perform with the Ithaca College Concert Band under the direction of Dr. Mark Fonder. The concert is at Ford Hall at 7:00 p.m. It is free and we extend an invitation to all for this special event.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

National Honor Society members have a National Service Project and the Spring Community Service commitment - both are due April 1, 2010. The Induction and Cord Presentation ceremony will be held on May 19th at 7:00 p.m. There will be a meeting after school (approximately 45 minutes) on May 19th to practice for the ceremony. All Senior Members and Junior Inductees must attend. If members and inductees do not attend the practice, they will not be allowed to attend the ceremony. All new applicants will receive a letter early in May about their NHS status.

BUSINESS STUDENT OF THE MONTH

The Business Department is pleased to announce **Kathryn Ziemer-Farrell** and **Daniel Wright** for February and **Allison Reed** and **James Kucko** for March. This award is given to a student who exhibits outstanding business qualities including leadership, dedication, determination, innovation, and motivation. This student is punctual, maintains a high grade point average, and has an excellent attendance record. Students must also strive for personal excellence and proficiency in at least three business subjects. Congratulations!

ENGLISH DEPT STANDARD FOR UNPREPARED FINAL EXAM SPEAKERS

To arrive to class unprepared for a scheduled final exam speech is to willingly accept a grade of zero for the speaking assessment. NO MAKEUPS are to be granted to unprepared speakers. Should a student elect to be truant from class on the day that he/she is scheduled to present the final exam speech, teachers are asked to follow the Faculty Handbook which states: "a grade of zero will be recorded for missed quiz or test." The only accepted excuse is a legal excuse for one's absence on file in the attendance office that can be confirmed.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL REGARDING HEALTH AND SAFETY

The health, safety, and welfare of all students and staff are a priority at Horseheads High School. As Principal of the school, it is my job to ensure that we continually maintain a safe and secure learning environment. Many state and district policies and procedures such as routine fire drills, locked doors, and keeping the campus closed for lunch are already in place. All of these procedures are designed as preparedness or preventative measures. We want to ensure that everyone knows what to do in the event of an emergency and only those people who have legitimate reasons to be in a school building gain entrance. We expect all students to remain on campus unless they attend a BOCES program, participate in a school sponsored event, or have been issued a green card for a school approved excuse.

Given the state of the world we now live in, it is more important than ever to be prepared for events and emergencies that may not be predictable. It is the role of our Building Level Safety Team to plan and practice for potential threats to the health and safety of our students and staff. Our team is currently reviewing and revising our building level safety plans and continues to conduct annual drills such as fire drills, lockdown drills, evacuation drills, and table top drills to prepare us for potential emergencies. On two separate occasions this school year, our safety plans were put to the test. The first occurred when a house fire interrupted our normal school dismissal procedures and the other when a transformer fire at the Middle School required the students and staff to evacuate to the High School. Both emergencies were handled with professionalism and efficiency due to the time and effort put forth by our Building Level Safety Team in preparing and practicing for emergency situations.

Our Building Safety Team is committed to continuous improvement to ensure the safety of our students and staff. Planning for the unknown is a challenge but I believe it is what we have to do to ensure a safe and secure learning environment at Horseheads High School. Thank you for your continued support in helping to keep our students safe.

WINTER SPORTS SEASON UPDATE

It has been proven season after season, the Horseheads High School students lead the way in the classroom and on the playing field. The NY State Scholar Athlete Team Awards included the following Winter Season sports programs: the Girls Indoor Track team (97.455), the Boys Indoor Track team (96.61), the Boys Swimming and Diving team (93.444), the Boys Basketball

team (93.300), and the Girls Basketball team (94.267)! Fantastic work once again! On the court, in the water, on the alley and track the winter athletes have been very successful this season. We had 230 student athletes involved in the Horseheads High School Athletic programs.

Our girls and boys Varsity Basketball teams competed on Saturday, February 27th, playing against Ithaca and Vestal respectively in Section Four semifinal games. Good luck to both teams in their quest for Sectional Titles. When they win, they will play on Wednesday March 3rd for the title at the Broome County Arena! Good luck hoopsters! In addition, **Katelyn Goodwin** and **Corrine Smith** earned Kiwanis Athletes of the Month for the months of December and January respectively for having outstanding performances on the basketball court. Congrats Katelyn and Corrine!

Our wrestling team finished with a 13-10 team record with a first place finish at the Union Springs Dual Meet Tourney as well. Nine of twelve wrestlers placed in the top six positions at the Section Four championships. **Brant Page** took 1st place in the 125 pound weight class for his second straight Section Four title. He will be wrestling at the NY State Wrestling Championships. Good luck Brant! Also, **Danny Manganaro** wrestled his way to the STAC League Championships. This is only the second time in history that a Horseheads athlete has won the 20 team league title. His overall season record was 30 wins and only 4 losses. He was named the Kiwanis Athlete of the Month for January for his efforts. Congrats Danny! Other place winners at Sectionals include **Paul Cadek** (3rd at 135), **Nick Smith** (5th at 135), **Tyler DePadua** (6th at 112), **Zach Smith** (4th at 103), **Dom Sylvester** (6th at 275), **Dan Manganaro** (3rd at 171), **Nick Hess** (5th at 98) and **Jaxon Blandford** (5th at 189). Good work fellas!

Our boys and girls Bowling teams had solid seasons with the gals winning the Section Four Championships earning a trip to the NY State Bowling Championships in Poughkeepsie on March 5th and 6th. Sammie McAtee, Kaylin Grannis, Kristy Grannis, Brittany Girardi, Chelsey Hartford, Kati VanWie and Kayla Warters rolled very well as a team which clinched their victory! In addition, Brian Mattison earned a trip as well with his fifth place finish overall. This is his second trip to the state meet as well! Good luck and roll well!

The Indoor Track and Field competed at Cortland State and Cornell University during the season and improved each week with impressive gains each week. At the Section Four State Qualifying meet **Mark Halstrom** ran a personal best in the 600 meter run, earning him, a new school record. His time of 1:23.3 erases the mark held by Pat Swan (2002). In addition, **Brian Crimmins** also qualified with a very fast second place finish in the mile in a time of 4:26. **Jasmine Green** ran a strong second place finish as well in 43.1 in the 300 meter run. Finally, the Girls 4x800 Meter Relay team also qualified for the State meet by winning the race outright in a time of 10:10! Section Four Champions **Abbie Braiman**, **Maggie Everett**, **Sarah Audinwood** and **Nikki Deiseroth** all ran their best split times of the season earning a trip to the State meet! Good work tracksters and run strong at Cornell!!

The Boys Swim team, although young, improved each week with many personal bests being broken each week as the season progressed. At the Section Four Championships at Owego seven swimmers qualified for the finals including **John Weachock**, **Tim Jerzak**, **Phil Patterson**, **Kutter Higley**, **Dylan George**, **Mike Klugo** and **Zach Toman**, all representing our school in excellent fashion!

Our Cheerleading teams both JV and Varsity earned 1st place finishes at the SUNY Fredonia and Elmira College Cheerleading competitions! In addition, the JV and Varsity squads earned fifth place and fourth place finishes at the 20 team STAC Winter Championships at Binghamton University. The girls improved throughout the season and cheered each week with class and poise at our home girls and boys' basketball games. Watching them perform their routines at halftime

and during the games is fantastic! The execution, timing, and coordination of these athletes while performing their routines is quite amazing!

Congrats to all of our winter athletes for their efforts, energy and enthusiasm in each of your respective programs! Their standards of conduct are top shelf and it is a direct reflection of their coaches and parents. As a collective effort, we are representing our school district in fine fashion. Please know that your efforts are admired and are noticed. Stay focused and committed. "THANK YOU" for working hard to improve your craft and skills and it is pure pleasure to report on your progress this season. Thank you for being great! Mr. Williams!

HATS FOR HAITI

Student Council is pleased to announce that they raised \$222 during their "Hats for Haiti" Fundraiser. The money will be given to the American Red Cross for Disaster Relief in Haiti.

Also, Student Council is sponsoring a Blood Drive on May 4th. It will take place in the High School Auditorium from 8 am until approximately 3 pm. If you would like to participate in our drive please call Mrs. Kurcoba at the High School and leave a message - you will be contacted about a time.

INTERACT CLUB

Interact Club is pleased to announce that they are participating with the Horseheads Rotary Club to purchase a Survival Shelter Box. Everything that a disaster victim needs to survive is in this kit including a family sized tent. The kit will be going to a Haitian family to help who lost their home during the recent disaster.

SUMMER PROGRAMS

Is your son or daughter interested in participating in an academically based summer program on a college campus? The Guidance Office has current information on these types of summer programs at colleges throughout the United States for the summer of 2010. Even if your son or daughter has not considered this option, they might want to investigate. By participating in a summer program, your student can specialize in a particular area of their choice, meet other students their age throughout the country, and experience life on a college campus. For any students who would like more information, please stop by the Guidance Office to review the available brochures.

COLLEGE TESTING

Remaining SAT and ACT test administrations for the 2009-2010 school year:

SAT I & II:	Test Date:	May 1	June 5
	Regular Registration Deadline:	March 25	April 29
	Late Registration Deadline:	April 8	May 13
ACT:	Test Date:	April 10	June 12
	Regular Registration Deadline:	March 5	May 7
	Late Registration Deadline:	March 14	May 21

Registration materials are available in the Guidance Office, as are booklets that contain test taking strategies and practice tests or questions. Students are also encouraged to register on line at www.collegeboard.com or www.act.org. The school code is 332-465. Juniors are encouraged to take one of these before the end of the current school year.

SCHEDULING

Counselors have been meeting with students regarding the selection of courses for the 2010-2011 academic school year. Course selection sheets are being sent home. If there are any changes to be made, a "Course Selection Change Sheet" must be completed and returned to the Guidance Office by **June 25, 2010.**

Between June 28th and July 31st requests for course changes must go through a petition process. After July 31st no changes will be made for semester one. After January 15th no changes will be made for semester two. Once classes begin each semester, students will not be able to drop any courses so careful consideration of course selection is necessary.

Developing a master schedule for the high school, insuring that students get the courses they have selected, is a major undertaking. Please realize that teacher requests, as well as semester requests, cannot be honored.

COLLEGE PLANNING NIGHT FOR STUDENTS AND PARENTS

On Tuesday, March 23, 2010 from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. in the High School Multi Media Center, Guidance Counselors will provide a workshop on the College Planning Process. All parents and students interested in gaining valuable knowledge on college planning and selection, a time line on when things should be done, and an overview of how counselors work with students on career and college planning are welcome to attend. Representatives from the following college admissions offices will be available to share information and address questions: Corning Community College, Bucknell University, SUNY Cortland, and SUNY Delhi.

Mark your calendars now!

CAMPUS VISITS

As spring approaches, Juniors give serious thought to future plans. As families plan for Spring Break, Counselors would like to encourage college campus visits. Each college campus has a spirit which cannot be captured in publications, and it is essential for students to have the opportunity to get first-hand information regarding programs, campus life, and admissions criteria as they narrow their choices.

Students, plan the visit in advance - call or email ahead for an appointment with the Director of Admissions and a tour. Also, if you want an appointment with a professor in your major, or a coach, ask an admissions representative about setting up a meeting for you. If you are interested in financial aid, also set up a meeting with a Financial Aid Counselor.

The best visits are when school is in session. Meet and talk with students and faculty. Include your parents on campus visits. During your visit - know what to look for, take notes for later reference, and pay attention and ask questions.

QUESTIONS TO ASK ADMISSIONS REPRESENTATIVES:

- > Discuss your major(s) and ask what careers people have gone into with that major from that college.
- ➤ Verify admissions requirements (SAT I/ACT scores and high school course work). Does the college require the SAT II Subject Tests?
- > Does the college have an active Career Center to help you prepare for a successful job search after graduation?
- Are internships in your major arranged for sometime during college years? (Does the Career Center or major department set up internships?)

- What help is available if you have trouble with any of your subjects? (i.e., in Resource Centers, peer tutors, or professors offering help)?
- Will you have access to computers on campus?
- ➤ What is the typical class size?
- What intramural or intercollegiate sports are available?
- Ask for a school calendar and catalog, if you don't already have them.

QUESTIONS TO ASK A FINANCIAL AID COUNSELOR:

- > Determine college costs (including all fees and any additional costs beyond tuition and room/board).
- Ask about financial aid opportunities, as well as forms required and deadlines.

QUESTIONS TO ASK A STUDENT OR TOUR GUIDE:

- Ask about the general academic environment and the study commitment necessary for success.
- ➤ Ask to see the Library. Does it provide adequate resources?
- What are the professors like? Caring? Friendly? Aloof? Demanding? Available for helping students?
- Find out what student activities (i.e., clubs, organizations, intramural, sororities, fraternities, etc.) are available.
- ➤ What is the student "atmosphere" like on campus? Friendly, relaxed, competitive, pressured?
- ➤ What is the social atmosphere like? What percent of students join sororities/fraternities?
- > Do social functions center around dorms or activities on campus? Do many students go home most weekends?
- ➤ What is done to provide campus safety?
- What are the dorm/residence options? Do most students live on campus? Are there singles, doubles, or suites available for all students
- > Investigate transportation options.

YOUR CAMPUS INTERVIEW:

- An interview should be included in your campus visit, if possible.
- Make an appointment and be on time.
- > Your interviewer is looking for certain qualities:
- > Be neat in appearance.
- Smile exhibit self-confidence.
- Maintain eye contact with the interviewer don't be shy.
- > Speak up nothing will hurt you more than being misunderstood.
- > Ask questions.
- > Listen closely to questions asked.
- Your interviewer may ask you about:
 - o Scholastic standing grades, rank in class, SAT scores, etc.
 - o Course work past and present performance.
 - o Extra-curricular activities vocational, special interests, sports, non-academic
 - o The "personal" you be frank, honest, sincere.

NEW VISIONS PROGRAMS FOR SENIORS

There are four New Visions Programs being offered through the GST BOCES TEC. Center - the New Vision Education and Human Services Program; the New Vision Health Careers Program, the New Vision Engineering Program, and the New Vision Communication Careers Program. Each of these programs is for seniors, lasts the entire school year, and runs for three hours every morning or afternoon. Each of these programs implements classroom instruction supplemented with on-site rotations at local and regional educational and human services institutions; the Arnot Ogden Medical Center; local and regional manufacturing and engineering facilities, and local and regional broadcasting, publishing and media production facilities. Space is limited and the application process is competitive. Students need to have the following to apply:

- Three years of regents math and three years of regents science by the end of junior year.
- Recommendations from 3 academic teachers (or 2 teachers and 1 employer or volunteer supervisor).
- A cumulative average of 85% or higher (strongly recommended).
- An essay demonstrating their strong interest in education, human services, health care, manufacturing, or communication fields.
- The ability to manage time well and work independently.
- A completed application and an interview.

Interested students should see their High School Guidance Counselor in the Guidance Office for details. All application materials should be completed and returned to the student's counselor.

HORSEHEADS HIGH SCHOOL GREENROOM PLAYERS

Already this year the Greenroom Players have had their Haunted Cabaret in October, the fall play, *The Fantasticks* in November, a trip to New York City in December, and the Variety Show in January. In addition, Greenroom Players officers and club members gift wrapped during the

holiday break at Barnes and Noble; donations acknowledging their gift wrapping skills help fund the Tim Howell Memorial Drama Scholarship and the upcoming spring musical, MAME which will be presented Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, March 18, 19, and 20 at 7 p.m. in our beautiful high school auditorium. For those of you who are not familiar with the show or the title character, Mame Dennis Burnside, allow us to fill you in on this character and her colorful life during the 1920s, 30s, and into the 1940s.

Act I begins with the flamboyant, devil-may-care Mame Dennis (Camryn Brown) in her penthouse apartment in New York City giving a big party for a holiday that she herself created when, unexpectedly, Mame's nephew, Patrick (Bruce Eskesen) and his nanny, Agnes Gooch (Claire Blaney) arrive because Mame's late millionaire brother left Patrick in the care of his auntie Mame. Mame decides to enroll Patrick in Ralph Devine's (Will Gfeller) "Laboratory of Life," a very non-traditional school, but when Dwight Babcock (Justin Sun), the estate's trustee, finds out about Patrick's liberal education, he takes custody of Patrick and tries to raise him as a stuffy American aristocrat.

At this time Mame gets a phone call and learns from M. Lindsay Woolsey (Ben Poppleton) that the stock market crashed and has left her broke so she has no money to hire a lawyer to get Patrick back. Vera (Janaye Poteat), Mame's dramatic friend, offers Mame a small role as The Man in the Moon in her newest operetta about a lady astronomer. Of course, Mame has trouble delivering her one line and causes the play to be a disaster. Meanwhile, Patrick, who was in the audience, reassures Mame that she is not a failure. So Mame continues working several different jobs including manicurist where she meets Beauregard Jackson Pickett Burnside (Zach Crowle), a rich southern gentleman who has dozens of oil wells. It seems to be love at first sight; however, Mame ruins Beau's nails, gets fired, and is upset that she cannot pay JaJa (Marcus Herndon), her butler and Agnes Gooch. Both Agnes and JaJa assure Mame that they are there to stay. Meanwhile, Beau, finally finds Mame's house and invites everyone to dinner.

Since it is obvious that Beau and Mame are "meant for each other," Beau brings Mame and Patrick to his plantation in Peckerwood, Georgia where they are immediately greeted by family friend, Sally Cato (Whitney Williams), Mother Burnside (Kylie Smith), Cousin Fan (Josh Filson) and Cousin Jeff (Connor Davis) who are not happy that Beau is marrying a "Yankee." Sally invites Mame to a foxhunt where Mame accidentally wins the fox and the approval of Beau's family and friends.

In Act II, Mame and Beau go on an "extended" honeymoon, traveling all over the world. Meanwhile, Patrick goes from a young child to a college student when he hears about the avalanche in the Alps that kills Beau. Mame returns home and is reunited with a now grown Patrick who is dating a very snobby girl, Gloria Upson (**Tess Eustace**). At the same time, Mame and Vera decide to give the uptight, frumpy Agnes Gooch a makeover and send her out in the world to live because "Life is a banquet and most poor suckers are starving to death." Agnes leaves to live life and returns six months later visibly pregnant.

Patrick is ashamed to have Gloria's parents visit Mame, so he arranges for Mame to visit Claude (**Jacob Esty**) and Doris Upson (**Morgan Troia**) at their home, "Upson Downs." Mame discovers that the Upsons are opposed to "the wrong kind of people" living next to them, so they want to purchase the property adjoining theirs for a wedding present for Patrick and Gloria. Mame confronts Patrick about her disdain for the Upsons, and calls Patrick a

snob when he admits that he is ashamed of her and her "crazy" friends. Mame and Patrick apologize and the Upsons are invited to Mame's townhouse where Pegeen (**Abbey Fortier**) renews her acquaintance with Patrick whom she has known since the Laboratory of Life School. The Upsons tell Mame that the property they wanted has been sold; Mame reveals that she purchased the land so she could build the Beauregarde Burnside Memorial Home for Single Mothers. This is the final straw, and the Upsons leave, angry that Mame isn't "one of them." Patrick realizes the true nature of the Upsons and the altruism of his Auntie Mame.

Years later, Patrick and Pegeen arrive at Mame's townhouse only to discover that their young son, Peter (**Ryan Stryker**) wants to go on a trip to India with Mame. Patrick and Pegeen resist at first, but Peter quotes Mame's "life is a banquet" line and they soon realize that Mame has not changed and they allow Peter to travel with his Auntie Mame.

Come and enjoy the show! Reserved seating is available. Call the Box Office beginning Monday, March 1st -- 739-5601 ext 1780.

Once again, we ask that you remember the drama club is self-supported. The receipts from the performances pay for each production. These expenses include scripts, scores, royalties, props, sound, lighting, costumes, makeup, set design/construction/painting/decorating, publicity, tickets, choreography, and other special needs. The club also funds the Tim Howell Memorial Drama Scholarship. So, if you are interested in becoming a patron, it is half price now; send your \$25 check and we will give you two show tickets and list you in the program. Make the check out to the HHS Drama Club c/o Horseheads High School Greenroom Players, 401 Fletcher Street, Horseheads, NY 14845. Be sure to tell us how you want to be listed in the program.

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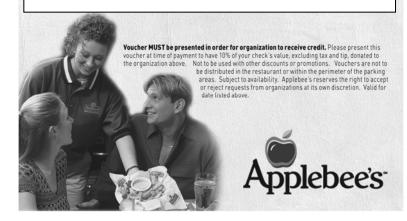


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JUNE 2010 EXAMINATION SCHEDULE

Please read and save this information for future reference regarding the June Examination Schedule for Classroom Final exams, Regents exams, Regents Competency Tests. Teachers will give students information about the examinations in each class. Please encourage your student(s) to prepare well for the examinations in order to successfully complete the second half of the school year.

Local examinations will be administered during class time on **Monday**, **June 7**TH **through June 14**, **2010**. This examination schedule will be in effect from **Tuesday**, **June 15 through Wednesday**, **June 23**, **2010**. During this period, students will only report to school for their examinations at the times scheduled below. All testing will be held in the North and South Wing of the High School. Students who must take the Regents Competency Tests will be given letters in homeroom with pertinent information about the date, time, and location of the examination.

Cafeteria services will be limited during the six-day examination period. The bus schedule will be maintained as if regular classes were in session. The North Cafeteria and the Library will be open for student use during the examination period.

EXAMINATION SCHEDULE FOR JUNE 2010

JUNE 15 TUESDAY	JUNE 16 WEDNESDAY	JUNE 17 THURSDAY	JUNE 18 FRIDAY	JUNE 21 MONDAY	JUNE 22 TUESDAY	JUNE 23 WEDNESDAY	JUNE 24 THURSDAY
8:00AM	8:00AM	8:00AM	8:00AM	8:00AM	8:00AM	8:00AM	
Mathematics B N. Gym	Comprehensive English – Session One	Comprehensive English – Session Two	RE in U.S. History & Government	ACE Economics W. Conklin	Physical Setting/ Earth Science	RCT in Mathematics *	RATING
ACE Calculus 1 & 2 A. Browning & T. Bo	Earth Science Lab Exams 113, 115, 117		RCT in Science *	RIT/PLTW T. Malloy & J. Williams	Physical Setting/ Physics	RCT in US History & Government *	DAY
12:00PM	12:00PM	12:00PM	12:00PM	12:00PM	12:00 PM	UNIFORM AI	OMISSION
RE in Global History	Physical Setting/Chemistry	Geometry	Integrated	RCT in Writing	Comp. Regents in	DEADL	INES
& Geography	Living		Algebra	RCT in	French German *	Morning Exam	s – 10:00 AM
	Environment			Global Studies *	Spanish	Afternoon Exar	ms – 2:00 PM
	Earth Science Lab Exams 113, 115, 117			ACE Biology E. Browning	RCT in Reading		

^{*}Available in Restricted Form only. Each copy of a restricted test is numbered and sealed in its own envelope and must be returned, whether used or unused, to the Department at the end of the examination period.

CALENDAR REMINDERS

Saturday, March 13, 2010	Senior Prom
Thurs - Sat, March 18 - 20, 2010	Spring Musical
Monday, March 22, 2010	Conference Day - No School
Tuesday, March 23, 2010	College Planning Night
Wednesday, March 24, 2010	Fifth Report Card
Wednesday, March 24, 2010	Parents Night (6:30pm - 8:30pm)
Tuesday, March 30, 2010	Band Concert
Friday, April 2, 2010	Good Friday - No School
Mon - Sun, April 19 - 25, 2010	Spring Recess - No School
Monday, April 26, 2009	Students Return to School
Wednesday, April 28, 2009	Sixth Report Card

NOTICE: The Horseheads Central School District offers educational programs without regard to gender, race, color, national origin, or disability. Inquiries regarding this policy may be made to Judith Christiansen, Title IX Coordinator, or Kim Williams, Section 504 Coordinator, Horseheads Central School District, One Raider Lane, Horseheads, New York 14845, (607) 739-5601.

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