

TO: Staunton CUSD No. 6 School Board Members
FROM: Brett Allen, High School Principal
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RE: Board of Education Report



1. Cullen McBride was recognized at the 2019 Illinois Principal's Association Student Recognition Breakfast on Friday, March 15th. I attended the event with Cullen and his family and we were addressed by guest speaker, Dr. Ivan Filby, President of Greenville University. Cullen was recognized for his academic achievement and success at SHS and his strong character and leadership abilities.
2. The annual National Honor Society Induction Ceremony was also held on Thursday, March 7th in the Auditorium with a cake and punch reception following. Congratulations to the new inductees!
3. Band and Choir students participated in the IHSA Solo & Ensemble contest on March 2, 2019 at Southwestern High School. Details of the student performances are listed below:

Choir - Honor Baker, Jonathan Baker, Grace Bandy, Kylie Dyer, Isabella Henning, Tori Hester, Emily Slifka, and Gavin Wray. All of their performances earned a Division 1 Superior rating.

Band - Kaylee Seelbach, Honor Baker, Analise Best, Joseph Cisler, Jacob Ury, Sonali Jain, Mackenzie Sievers, Jonathan Daugherty, and Constantin Culot.
4. The Bulldog Business Club took students on its annual Field Trip on Thursday, March 14th. Students had the opportunity to tour the Staunton Water Treatment Plant, First National Bank, and Jarden Farms.
5. The annual Silver Medallion Banquet will be held at Lewis & Clark Community College on Thursday, March 21st. This prestigious awards banquet honors the top 8% of students from the area high schools. Congratulations to the following SHS students who will be honored: Hali Bandy, Ryan Best, Griffin Bianco, Megan Boyer, Malissa Huddleston, Chloe Peterson, Kaleigh Pirok, Abby Scanzoni, and Mackenzie Sievers.
6. The Fine Arts Exhibition will take place on Friday, March 22nd at 7:00 PM in the Multi-Purpose Gym.
7. All School Test Day is Tuesday, April 9th. 9th-11th grade students will be taking the PSAT or SAT. All junior students began Test Prep during 8th period using Khan Academy on Tuesday, March 12th.
8. Professional Development:
 - March 1st SIP Day - All staff received training on High Impact Tier 1 interventions that they can implement within their classrooms. Additionally, the High School Leadership Team met and developed additional school improvement goals.
 - The Technology Committee will be offering continued after school trainings in April and May as we continue the 1:1 device transition.
9. Spring Sports are underway. Best of luck to all of our student athletes and coaches! Check the School Activities Calendar for the most up to date schedules. The calendar can be found on the district website.