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T-BIRD FLYER



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Principal Newsletter

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Greetings from your friendly neighborhood Dean of Students! It's my pleasure to be the guest columnist for this week's Newsletter. I want to take the opportunity to write about a couple of student-life matters that happen this time of year.

First, our Student Senate is once again sponsoring No-Shave November. This is a nation-wide initiative that began in 2009 to raise awareness and funding for cancer research. The idea being that the money saved by not shaving could be donated to cancer research. Those students who have chosen to participate have each paid \$20.00, which will be donated to The American Cancer Society, and are permitted to let their facial hair grow during the month. Aside from their stubble, you'll be able to spot those participating by the unique No-Shave November buttons they are wearing. It's also worth noting that I'm being especially watchful for those who did not participate and might try to sneak by without being clean-shaven! Please visit the website <https://no-shave.org> for more information on No-Shave November.

Second, as the weather turns cold this time of year, we find ourselves switching over from our summer to winter wardrobes. As we do so, I am reminding our students that they are still expected to be in uniform. Our current list of uniform items includes sweaters, jackets, and pullovers that will keep students comfortable. I might also add, despite some of the young ladies thinking I'm an idiot when I tell them this; wearing *pants* is another terrific option!

Lastly, as winter sets in, we often see the number of late-to-school violations increase. I'm reminding students to give themselves a few extra minutes in the morning. Driving conditions may add time to their trip and they may want to take a minute or two (any more is a waste of fuel, FYI) to let their car warm up, so it's important to plan accordingly.

As always, should you have any questions or concerns about the uniform or any other discipline or safety concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Regards,

Mike Thompson, '95
Dean of Students/Director of Campus Safety

SAVE THE DATE:

November 23-25

NO SCHOOL -

Thanksgiving Break

December 7

Band and Choir Christmas
Concert, 7:00 - Big Gym

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T-Bird Times

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Football Game

Cheer on the Thunderbirds this Saturday. The game will be streamed at [OHSAA.tv](#). Those who wish to view the stream can purchase the game through for \$9.99.



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H2O Service Club

Thanks to the H2O Service Club for cleaning out the uniform closet!



K12 Leaders

K12 Leaders helped make the annual senior retreat a success. Students from DSJ also attended to observe and hopefully implement Kairos at their school next year.

