

# COMMERCE HIGH SCHOOL

May 2014  
CHS Activities

- May 9-10 State Track Meet @ Carl Albert  
May 11 Mother's Day  
May 12 One Act Play *Serial Killer Barbie*  
Performances at 1:30pm and 7:00pm, HS Gym  
HS Art Show - held in conjunction with the play  
May 15 *Attendance is Key* 6:00pm 1st Christian Church, Miami  
May 16 Senior Activities 8:30am-3:00pm  
HS Graduation Practice in the gym  
Senior Picture at the Tree  
Senior Picture in Cap & Gown  
Senior Picnic
- May 18 HS Baccalaureate 6:00pm HS Gym  
HS Graduation 7:00pm HS Gym
- May 19 North-South Football Game @ Wyandotte - 7:00pm  
May 20 CPS Spring Concert @ NEO Fine Arts Auditorium - 7:00pm  
May 21 Semester Tests: Odd hours 1, 3, 5, 7  
One Lunch Today 11:20am-12:00pm
- May 22 Semester Tests: Even hours 2, 4, 6  
One Lunch Today 11:20am-12:00pm
- May 23 HS Awards Assembly @ 8:30am in the Gym  
Freshmen, Sophomore, Junior, & Senior Class Parties  
Last day of School for students
- May 26 Memorial Day Observed (No School)  
May 27-28 CPS Professional Days  
May 30 Memorial Day



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June 10 Class of 2014 Diplomas available for pickup



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\* Graduation \*

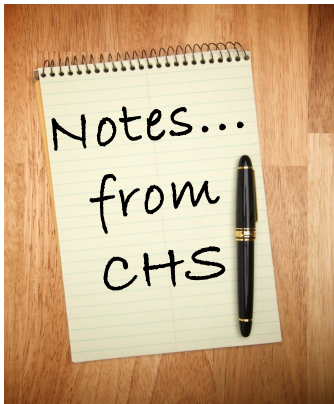
Sunday, May 18

High School Gymnasium

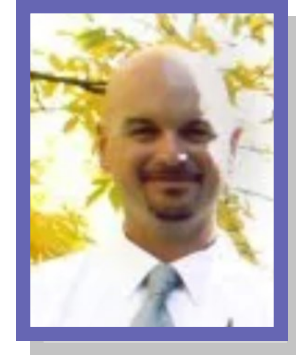
Baccalaureate 6:00pm

Graduation 7:00pm

## Commerce High School Teacher of the Year ~ Sam Schaper!



Sam Schaper was named Commerce High School's *Teacher of the Year* for the 2013-2014 school year. Sam joined the CHS family 3 years ago as our Head Baseball Coach and science teacher. Within the science department at CHS, he has taught Biology, Anatomy & Physiology, Environmental Science, Physical Science, and Chemistry. In addition to Baseball, he has helped coach Boys Basketball and Softball. The Teacher of the Year is selected each year by the Faculty at Commerce High School. We are proud to have Sam as part of the Tiger family and congratulate him on his honor!



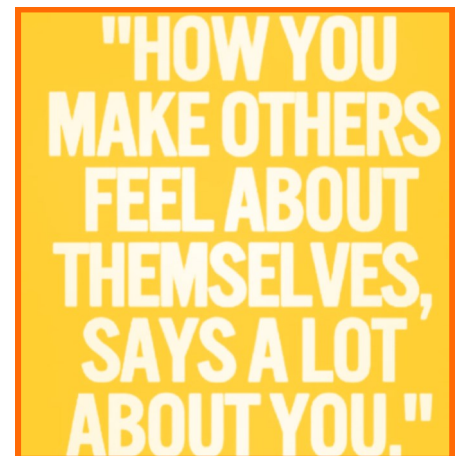
## Tiger Track teams shine at Regionals...headed to State!

Our Tiger Track Team made quite a showing placing 3rd overall at the Regional track meet in Oologah. Senior, DC Chance, was the Regional Champion in the Long Jump & qualified for state in 4 events. Freshman, Chandler Wilson, took home the Gold in the 300 M Hurdles and qualified for state in 2 other events, as well. Junior, Angel Landeros, qualified for state in 4 events, and juniors, Tyler Estep & Brooks Stevenson, and seniors, Blake Jameson & Tyson Howard round out the boys team of state qualified events.

The Lady Tiger Track Team placed 8th overall at Regionals with Senior, Delaney Ballard, taking home the Bronze in the 200 meter dash and advancing to state. She, along with sophomore, Lynsey Williams, and juniors, Xiomara Prado, Daysi Aguilar, & Dayzha Kelly also cinched a spot in the 4x800 meter relay at state.

## Teacher Appreciation Week...

The feeling this week was *valued & appreciated!!* Each year, during Teacher Appreciation Week, Mr. Buttram treats the HS faculty and staff to a special lunch, which usually includes BBQ meat, desserts, and his wife's famous baked beans & potato casserole. Well this year, not only were we treated to lunch from Mr. Buttram, we were treated every day this week by our parents, students, and support staff. Student Council & NHS officers collected money from students & made goody bags for the teachers that they passed out on Monday. On Tuesday, the Freshmen & Sophomore parents provided a loaded baked potato bar lunch with soups, salads, and delicious desserts. Wednesday included our annual lunch from Mr. Buttram plus lots of other delicious casseroles, veggies, and sweets from our support staff. Thursday, the Junior & Senior parents served up a Mexican feast including enchiladas, Mexican lasagna, tortilla soup, chips, queso, salsa, and of course, more yummy desserts! The week concluded with a breakfast buffet of biscuits & gravy, sausage, fresh fruit, and doughnuts from our kitchen ladies, Sheila, Nancy, & LaRhonda. You made us feel special, because you are special, too!!



The Commerce High School Chapter of the National Honor Society held its annual Induction Ceremony where the new members were officially inducted into the Chapter on Tuesday, April 29. Students are invited to make application to NHS based on their GPA, then the applicants are selected by the Faculty Council. Selection is based on four pillars, including Leadership, Scholarship, Citizenship, and Character and is one of the highest academic honors bestowed upon a high school student. Pictured, at right, are the students who were selected for membership. Senior class members were also recognized and given their cords and collars that they will wear during the graduation ceremony.

Pictured Above: Front Row, L to R: Brilea Rush, Britney Bachman, Felicia Hallett. Back Row, L to R: Ava Acosta, Mireya Castilleja, Myla Miller, Duncan Rowan, Joey De La Rosa, Luke Freeman. Not Pictured: Aaron Jarvis