

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

Chippewa Junior/Senior High School



UPCOMING EVENTS

Nov. 21 - H.S. Dodgeball Tournament

Nov. 22-26 - Thanksgiving Break

Dec. 2 - Craft Fair Prom Fundraiser

Dec. 18-19 - Semester Exams Dec. 20-Jan. 3 - Winter Break Jan. 15 - MLK Jr. Day | No School





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NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY INDUCTION CEREMONY

Congratulations to the following students for being inducted into the Chippewa chapter of the National Honor Society on October 17, 2023.

Emily Baxter
Grace Castello
Kathryn Gartrell
Joaquin Gorena
Grace Heller
Isabelle Lattea
Grace Ruch
Ashleigh Starkey

Ava Bennett
Leah Gainer
Addison Good
Brodey Haynes
Dakota Hill
Kelsey Newsom
Luke Sommers
Max Warner

Sophia Yost

VARSITY FALL SPORTS WRAP UP



- Congratulations to the Boys Cross Country team for being the Division III District Runners Up in the Glenoak Northeast Ohio District!
- Congratulations to the Girls Soccer team for being the Division III Runners Up in the Northeast Ohio District 3 Bracket!
- Congratulations to the Volleyball Team for being Sectional Champions!
- Congratulations to Abby Sines and Izzy Lattea for placing 2nd at the Division II Girls Tennis Doubles Sectionals and qualifying for Districts!

FALL SPORT	FINAL RECORD
VOLLEYBALL	15-10
GIRLS SOCCER	16-1-1
GIRLS TENNIS	15-3
FOOTBALL	1-9
BOYS SOCCER	4-14-1
GOLF	2-10

GUIDANCE UPDATES:

- State EOC makeup exams will be December 4th-8th.
- The annual schoolwide Dodgeball tournament to help fund the food drive will be Tuesday, November 21st in the afternoon.
- WCSCC applications open online Friday, December 1st at 3:00. Students will get the link and a QR code on their visit day on November 17th.
- WCSCC Open House for parents and students is Thursday, December 7th from 4:45-7:45.

Wellness Tips:

There are many things we can do to try to take care of ourselves. Here are some tips to help you:

- Try to relax and reduce stress, breathing activities are helpful, deep breaths in and out
- Find ways to learn and be creative, this can be as simple as coloring or baking
- Spend time in nature, go for a walk, and breathe the fresh air
- Connect with others, talk to a friend, or plan a night out
- Look after your physical health, and remember to move, in any way that feels good to you
- Try to improve your sleep, the most important thing for mental health is good sleep!

Remember that good days for your well-being do not always look the same. We do not always have the same levels of energy or motivation. Be kind to yourself and do what feels right for you at the moment.



PERFORMANCES:

November 30 at 7:00 pm December 1 at 7:00 pm December 3 at 3:00 pm

Come early to hear Chippewa band and choir members perform songs of the season. Desserts and beverages will be available for purchase from Chippewa Music Boosters. Doors will be open to our lobby an hour before the show for caroling.

Purchase Tickets Here

VARSITY ATHLETICS WINTER SPORTS PREVIEW

Photo by Mark Hanawalt

BOYS VARSITY BASKETBALL

Head Coach: C.J. Julian JV Coach: Drew Durbin Freshman Coach: Jeff Ogg

Coach Julian's Season Preview:

I'm very excited about our upcoming Boys Basketball season, we are hoping to rock the Serpentini Fieldhouse all year! We have four seniors coming back that have put in extraordinary work this offseason. Brenden Donnelly, Tillman Brown, Brayden Braswell, and Jake Mcmillen are all going to be key contributors and the leaders of this team. We have 12/8 circled on our calendars as that's our first league game vs Norwayne at their place, we hope to have a lot of Chipp faithful make the trip there!

GIRLS VARSITY BASKETBALL

Head Coach: Katie Miller JV Coach: Maegan Storad

Coach Miller's Season Preview:

The Chippewa Girls Basketball team is excited for the upcoming season! The Lady Chipps have three seniors this season: Annie Henegar, Nina Johnson, and Sky Regan. The WCAL will be very competitive this season. Several teams return many key players from last season. The Lady Chipps will begin their league play at Northwestern on November 30th. We will be recognizing Lady Chipps Alumni at our home game on December 21st. Reach out to Maegan.storad@chippewaschools.com if you are an alum and would like to attend. We look forward to a great season!



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BOYS AND GIRLS VARSITY WRESTLING

Head Boys Coach: Michael McMorrow Assistant Boys Coach: Sam Auble Head Girls Coach: Hanna Hall Assistant Girls Coach: Shelby Hall

Coach Hall's Season Preview:

With the winter season approaching, excitement is building for what looks to be another solid season for the high school wrestling team. This season's roster includes seven returners who have already made their mark, securing spots in the preseason state rankings - Ben Pierce, Neil Miller, Sam Petit, Tyler Lower, Bella Adams, Gabi Gartin, and Kayla Moroschen. We welcome the new boy's coaches Michael McMorrow and Sam Auble. In an exciting development, we've also introduced a separate girl's team, led by coaches Hanna and Shelby Hall, as we continue to expand the horizons of high school wrestling. With such a talented group of athletes and dedicated coaches, this season is set to be one for the books!

FOR ALL WINTER SPORTS SCHEDULES, VISIT HTTP://WWW.CHIPPEWA.K12.OH.US/HS-ATHLETICS/SPORTS-SCHEDULES

NEW BUILDING STAFF



Kyle Metzger | 7th Grade Intervention Specialist

Mrs. Metzger graduated from Martins Ferry High School in 2010. She attended Kent State University where she earned her degree in Special Education in 2014. She also holds a Masters in Educational Leadership from West Liberty University and is currently working on a second Masters in Educational Leadership with Administrative Licensure from Ashland University. Mrs. Metzger spent time at Martins Ferry Middle/High School, the Positive Education Program, Wellington High School, and Chippewa Intermediate School before coming to Chippewa Junior/Senior High School. She enjoys working with the amazing teaching teams to communicate and collaborate which allows the best educational experience for their shared students. Mrs. Metzger lives in Burbank, Ohio with her husband David, son Finn, daughter Ryan, two cats (Lulu and Lonnie), and a dog (Beans).

Favorite TV Show: True Crime Shows, "Only Murders in the Building" Favorite Music Genre: Mostly pop, but any songs that are Karaoke-worthy Favorite Thanksgiving Food: "Hands down the stuffing and mashed potatoes!"



Dan Edwards | 9th Grade Intervention Specialist | Head Football Coach

Mr. Edwards is a 2002 graduate from Massillon Perry High School and a 2018 graduate from the University of Akron. He spent three years working as a high school intervention specialist at Orrville High School and a year working at Dalton High School as a math tutor before coming to Chippewa. Mr. Edwards loves the kids here at Chippewa Junior/Senior High School and the passion of the community for their schools. Mr. Edwards lives in Navarre with his wife Marissa and his daughter Emery who is three and a half.

Favorite TV Show: Reacher

Favorite Music Genre: Old School Rock

Favorite Thanksgiving Food: Green bean casserole and candied yams

COURSE FEATURE: ROBOTICS I

Taught by Ken Gasser and Elle Bonnema

On Friday, November 3, Robotics 1 students competed against Norwayne for the Third Annual Mini-Sumo Bot Competition! Teams had to build a completely autonomous robot that was designed and programmed to find and push the opposing robot out of the ring without going out of the ring itself. Students had to obey several constraints while designing their robots. Specifically, robots were to be built only using plastic components, could weigh no more than 1.5 kg, and could be no larger than 20 x 20 x 20 cm. A total of 28 teams went head-to-head in a doubleelimination tournament. At the end of the afternoon, two Chippewa teams finished "on the podium" this year! Walker Husk and Brady Mitchell earned 3rd Place, and Mason Whalen and Ian Goodrich were our 2023 **Grand Champions!**

Robotics 1 is a one-semester STEM elective open to all 9-12th grade students. During the first half of the course, students get an introduction to building and programming their robots as they complete a series of mini-challenges designed to test these skills as well as their problemsolving abilities. This prepares them for the second half of the semester, when students build a total of two competition robots: Mini Sumo Bot, and (new for 2024) Box Bot. Our tournaments follow the rules and specifications of the official National Robotics Challenge (NRC), which takes place each spring. Upon successful completion of Robotics 1, students can go on to take Robotics 2 where they design and build their own robot for one of the 13 competitions that they will take to the NRC.

We are proud of the growth of this program over the last 11 years and thank the staff, administration, and community for their continued !troaque







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