



Hilltop Notes
for the CHS Community
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"Ready to Restart!"



Congratulations CHS Baseball!
2021 Section VI, Class B1 Champions



Photos: Sharon Cantillon, *Buffalo News*

On Friday night, the Centaur Baseball team captured the Sectional title at Wiley Stadium! Congratulations to our entire squad. All season long the team demonstrated a growth mindset, fearlessness and lots of grit in arriving at this accomplishment. Thank you to Head Coach McMahon, as well as assistant coaches Mann, Barry and Grandits for all of the time and mentorship they provided the young men on our team. Thank you to all the fans who came out to cheer the team on. Your support was energizing for our team! If you have not seen it yet, the *Buffalo News* provided detailed coverage of the title game [in this article](#) and *News* photographer [Sharon Cantillon's photo album](#) beautifully captured the spirit of the game and our team.

Summer School

Families of students who did not pass one or more courses will be receiving letters home this week from the CHS School Counseling Office regarding the potential need for summer school enrollment. If your child did not pass a course that is being offered in summer school, you will have the option to register your them online or we will be extending the in-person registration to include:

-Thursday, July 1 (8:30am-11:30am)

-Friday, July 2 (8:30am-11:30am)

Families may [register for summer school online using this form](#).

Questions? Email cmallman@buffaloschools.org or contact the school counseling office between 8:30am-11:30am by calling 816.4230. Ms. McDow, assistant principal, will be serving as the summer school principal for CHS.

CHS is Participating in 'Give 716'

We are excited to announce that the City Honors/Fosdick-Masten Park Foundation has teamed up with the Buffalo Bills and Sabres Foundations to participate in WNY's inaugural ['Give 716'](#) campaign.

During this 24-hour giving campaign, you can support our school and showcase your 716 pride by making a gift to City Honors. The campaign kicks off at **7:16 p.m. on July 15** and **runs through 716 Day (July 16 at 11:59 p.m.)**.

This is a great opportunity to make your annual gift or give another incremental gift to CHS. No gift is too small, as we hope to have as many of our families, friends and alumni participate. All gifts support the enhancement of the academic and student experience for all City Honors students.

Mark your calendars for July 16 and remember to make your gift! Let's show the over 250 nonprofits joining in Give 716, what a strong and generous CHS community we have!

CHS Tennis Team Wrap-Up

The City Honors coed tennis team had a successful season this year. The team was led by captains Avery White '22 and Ben Weinmann '21. Avery White won the Dr. Robert T. Bapst BPS singles championship. Ben Weinmann finished 4th overall in singles. Charlie Nowak '22 and Aaron Weinmann '22 went undefeated in doubles league play. They went on to become the Dr. Robert T. Bapst doubles champions beating teammates Sam Jones '21 and Etienne Bohlen '25.

The City Honors boy's tennis team won a marathon match against Barker in the first round of sectionals. Ben Weinmann, Luca Putrino '24, and Nathan Lloyd '24 won 1st, 2nd and 3rd singles respectively. Charlie Nowak, Aaron Weinman, Etienne Bohlen, and Sam Jones won 1st and 2nd doubles. East Aurora went on to defeat the boys in the second round of sectionals.

In individual sectional play Charlie Nowak/Aaron Weinmann and Sam Jones/Etienne Bohlen qualified for sectionals. They eventually lost in the first round.

Avery White and Sayo Beck '21 both qualified for singles in the Dr. Robert T. Bapst championship. In doubles Mallory McMahon '22 and Cecilia Wagner '21 won their quarter final match in straight sets.

Thank you to Coach Kudla for coaching both the boys and girls teams and being so supportive of our players!

UB Sustainability Camp

The University at Buffalo is hosting a free summer camp to students entering 8th and 9th graders that is focused on sustainability. The students will meet experts and practitioners in the topics of energy, waste, food, transportation and environmental justice. Throughout the week, they will visit sites of exploration and research at UB, and have hands on experiences in sustainability work on campus. The camp runs from 9am to 4pm on UB's North Campus from August 2-6th. Busing will be provided, and space is limited to 30 students. Students can [register at this link](#). Questions? Contact Derek Nichols at djn2@buffalo.edu.

CHS Summer Reading

It's time to start your 2021 CHS Summer Reading! This important CHS tradition helps our students to continue to advance their reading skills during the summer months, increase their intercultural awareness and engage our students as soon as they set foot in their ELA classes in the fall. Please take time to read over the reading list for your child's grade level with them. [Lists can be found at this link](#). Our ELA teachers will also review these lists with our students this week and answer any

questions they may have. The list for each grade level includes an email address for the ELA faculty member serving as a point person for that grade level should you have questions. Let's get off screens and back to good-'ole book reading this summer to expand our minds and keep our language skills fresh!

When You Need A Helping Hand

BPS Staff and Family Helpline: The Buffalo Public Schools have established a 'Staff and Family Helpline' at 716-816-7100 to provide answers within 24 hours to our most frequently asked questions in the areas of Technology, Mental/Physical Wellness, Instruction and Professional Development, Culturally and Linguistically Responsive Initiatives (CLRI), Multilingual, Elementary and High School needs, Food Services, Child Care, and Volunteerism. If you need assistance in any of these areas, please contact the hotline number.

The CHS Student Support Team (SST): If you are seeking additional support or assistance, please do not hesitate to make a referral to the CHS SST. The Request for Assistance Form can be found [at this link](#). Once your form is submitted, a member of the SST will be in contact with you.

Mental Health Supports: Here is a [quick reference guide](#) which provides contact information for mental health support from the Buffalo Public Schools and our partner organizations.

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[CHS Website](#)

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[Pelion Outdoor Classroom at City Honors](#)

[Easy/No Cost Ways to Support City Honors](#)

[Fosdick Field Restoration Project](#)

[City Honors/Fosdick-Masten Park Foundation](#)

[PTSCO Minutes and Information](#)

Children are endangered by underage house parties and underage drinking. Concerned adults, teachers, students and friends can call 24 hours a day in Erie County to report planned underage drinking parties; underage drinking parties in progress or other activities that may be harmful to the health, safety and welfare of young people. The tip line (1-800-851-1932) is ANONYMOUS, CONFIDENTIAL and free. Erie County now has a "Social Host Law" that holds adults accountable for allowing minors to drink. [LEARN MORE](#)