

# TWINSBURG CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear Tiger family,

Here are this week's updates:

## THS Orchestra...Rated SUPERIOR, 12 Years In a Row!

Congratulations to our Twinsburg High School Orchestra for receiving unanimous "Superior" ratings at the OMEA State Orchestra Adjudicated Event on Friday, February 23, 2024 at Strongsville High School. The Orchestra performed in Class A which is highly difficult. A "Superior" rating is the highest rating a high school performing group receives from the Ohio Music Educators Association (OMEA). This is our THS Orchestra's **12th year in a row** receiving this honor! With special thanks to Mr. Damon Conn and Ms. Claire Jarmusik for their leadership and dedication to our Orchestra Program. We are Tiger Proud of our THS Orchestra! See the attached photo...

#### **Congratulations to Our THS Wrestlers!**

On Saturday, February 24, 2024, our THS Wrestlers traveled to Strongsville High School to compete in the OHSAA Sectional Tournament. Congratulations and best wishes to the following wrestlers who qualified for the OHSAA District Tournament at Perrysburg High School next weekend:

- Isaac Cantor, 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Son of Ryan & Kathryn Cantor
- Major Grant, 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Son of Matthew & Alanna Grant
- Aiden Stuczynski, SECTIONAL CHAMPION Son of Robert & Alicia Stuczynski

With special thanks to Head Coach Chris Mohnacky and the coaching staff for their leadership!

#### **Honorary Diploma Conferred to David L. Warfle**

During the Twinsburg Board of Education Meeting on February 21, 2024, an Honorary Diploma was conferred, posthumously, to David L. Warfle. David would have graduated in the RB Chamberlin High School Class of 1984, however, he was involved in a tragic accident and passed away prior to completing his senior year. The Twinsburg Board of Education conferred David's Honorary Diploma to Mr. Gary Warfle, David's brother. Mr. Warfle was also joined by members of his family as he received the Honorary Diploma on behalf of David.

# **Congratulations to THS Student Athletes**

On Wednesday, February 7<sup>th</sup>, family members joined members of the THS Class of 2024 in the auditorium of Twinsburg High School to celebrate *Athletic Signing Day*. We congratulate the following students upon their commitment to continuing their education and athletic participation at the collegiate level:

- Brooke Smith, Walsh University, Volleyball Brooke is the daughter of Mr. Mark Smith and Ms. Denise Lazor
- Layla Tanner, Spring Arbor University, Cheerleading Layla is the daughter of Justin & Kara Tanner
- Zyan Herndon, Erie Community College, Football Zyan is the son of Rashan & Kim Herndon
- Major Grant, Hillsdale College, Football Major is the son of Matthew & Alanna Grant
- Payton Jones, Mercyhurst University, Football Payton is the son of Benny & Kim Jones
- Zakori Wilkins, College of Wooster, Football Zakori is the son of LaTeesha Black



#### A Reminder to Complete the Parent Survey About Students' Cell Phone Use

Parents/guardians were sent an email on Wednesday, February 21<sup>st</sup> asking for participation in a survey regarding students' use of cell phones and the District's revised Board of Education Policy regarding Personal Communication Devices (PCDs). The survey can be accessed at: <a href="https://forms.gle/pqUSkmjCFHbQcPYKA">https://forms.gle/pqUSkmjCFHbQcPYKA</a>. I respectfully request that your survey by noon on Wednesday, February 28<sup>th</sup>. Thanks for your participation!

#### Something New at RB Chamberlin Middle School!

Do you know that RB Chamberlin Middle School has an Electric Orchestra? Under the direction of Ms. Claire Jarmusik and with the assistance of Mr. Damon Conn, students who participate in our traditional Orchestra at RBC are now able to participate in our new RBC Electric Orchestra! Students premiered their new instruments at the Orchestra Concert held on Tuesday, February 20<sup>th</sup> and they sounded amazing! We look forward to hearing our RBC Electric Orchestra perform at upcoming concerts.

## Thank you, Mrs. Eisenhuth and City of Twinsburg

On Saturday, February 24, 2024, many families gathered at the Twinsburg Community Center for a morning of arts, crafts, and fun at the "Everyone's An Artist – Artistry Unleashed" event! Special thanks to our Parent Mentor Mrs. Tisha Eisenhuth and the City of Twinsburg, along with the Parent Mentors from the Solon, Hudson, and Nordonia Hills City School Districts and our fantastic Art educators for hosting this enjoyable family event!

#### **Kindergarten Parent Meeting, Class of 2037!**

It's that time of the year again...time for the parents/guardians of our incoming Kindergarten students, our Class of 2037, to participate in our Kick-Off to Kindergarten Parent Meeting. This year, the meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, March 13<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m. at Wilcox Primary School. See the attached flyer for details.

#### THS After Prom Committee Hosts a Spring Vendor & Craft Fair

The Twinsburg High School After Prom Committee will host a Spring Vendor & Craft Fair on Saturday, April 13, 2024 from 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. at Twinsburg High School. Anyone interested in being a vendor should contact: <a href="mailto:inspireddesignscle@gmail.com">inspireddesignscle@gmail.com</a>

#### **THS After Prom Committee Seeks Donations**

The Twinsburg High School After Prom Committee is looking for your generous donations for our Class of 2024. Your \$24 dollar donation will help create an amazing and safe After Prom experience for our students. All proceeds go directly to the students for prizes and gifts during the evening's event. Please consider helping the After Prom Committee by contributing as little as \$24 for the Class of 2024. If you are inclined to give more, that's amazing...or if you would like to sponsor a prize during the event, you can choose a sponsored item from their list. These are some of the amazing prizes the After Prom Committee will give away the evening of After Prom: <a href="https://24-for-the-class-of-2024.cheddarup.com">https://24-for-the-class-of-2024.cheddarup.com</a>. Anything and everything helps. Thank you!

## Twinsburg Baseball League (TBL) Opens Registration for Spring/Summer 2024

The Twinsburg Baseball League (TBL) has opened registration for boys and girls for the Spring/Summer 2024 season. Registration is open through March 15th. You can register your child through the following link: <a href="https://www.twinsburgbaseball.com/registrations">https://www.twinsburgbaseball.com/registrations</a>

Have a great week and enjoy the extra "Leap Year Day" on the 29<sup>th</sup>! Kathi Powers, Superintendent

