



DHS UPDATES - THURSDAY EDITION

November 10, 2017

Below are reminders and updates for the week! For previous DHS Updates please visit our website here: [DHS Weekly Updates](#)

All are encouraged to follow DHS on Twitter at [@TweetDHS](#) and to use the Danvers Public Schools app. and the [DHS website](#) to keep up to date on all things Falcons. Parents are always welcome to visit and/or call DHS with any and all questions and concerns. We are here to help and be sure every student is getting what they need to succeed!

****Veteran's Day Reminder:** There is no school tomorrow, Friday, November 10th in observance of Veteran's Day.

1. Quarter 1 Closes 11/9 - It is hard to believe, but grades for the first quarter closed on Thursday, November 9th. Please contact the main office or your student's guidance counselor with any questions. We so much appreciate all of your support and feedback in working together so every student has what they need to succeed! Report Cards will be distributed to students on Tuesday, November 21st.

2. Playoffs! The Danvers High School Volleyball team has advanced to the MIAA North Sectional Semi-finals! They will take on Burlington here at Danvers High this afternoon (Thursday) at 4:00pm. This will be an MIAA ticketed event. Ticket prices are \$5.00 for students/seniors and \$7.00 for adults.

Good luck to the Girls' Soccer team, Cross-Country and Cheerleaders as they continue postseason play this week - GO FALCONS!

3. Winter Sports Registration - Any student who wishes to participate in a sport at Danvers High School this coming 2017/2018 winter season can do so **through November 17th** by registering and paying* on-line at: www.danverspublicschools.org/dhs/athletics/

The Athletic Department MUST have in possession an updated physical and payment* MUST be received PRIOR to try-outs. These are clearance requirements, and will be strictly enforced. The start date for all winter sports is Monday November 27th. To avoid any delay in a student's participation on this start date, please make sure you register and have completed the clearance requirements by **November 17th**.

Winter sports offered at Danvers High School are:

Boys and Girls Basketball, Boys and Girls Ice Hockey, Boys and Girls Indoor Track, Boys and Girls Swimming, Wrestling, Gymnastics, Basketball Cheering & Hockey Cheering

Announcements will be made at a later date with specific times and locations for tryouts for each individual sport. Please contact Colette Hennessey in the Athletic Department at [978-774-7133](tel:978-774-7133) x2288 with any questions regarding registration.

**Payment – A financial waiver may be available for those having financial difficulties. Please send your request via email to the High School Principal for approval.*

4. The National Honor Society (NHS) tutoring program in the library is now a focused study session available for ALL students on Mondays through Thursdays from 2:00 to 2:45. During these study sessions, students can work on homework/projects and get help as needed from NHS students. Students are encouraged to take advantage of this fantastic opportunity!

5. Reminder: There is a **LATE BUS** for students who need/want to stay after for assistance with schoolwork. The van is available on a first come, first served basis by signing up with Ms. Walsh in the office on a weekly basis. The van is available on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

6. DECA Falcon Ties are on sale for \$15.00 here: [DHS Falcon Ties](#) - what a great way to support DHS in style!

7. Senior Calendar Raffle - The class of 2018 is selling an amazing calendar raffle during the month on Nov. Being drawn during Dec, prizes include a PS4 with games, Celtics tickets and a signed Dustin Pedroia baseball. Raffle tickets are \$10 each and will help defray the cost of prom and graduation for our seniors. The raffle can be found here: [Senior Calendar Raffle](#). All monies should be returned to Mr Black in B101 by Nov 30th.

Save the Dates

8. TONIGHT! Thursday November 9th from 3 to 10pm, the **Football Cheerleaders** are having a Restaurant Fundraiser at the Texas Roadhouse in Danvers. 10% of sales from anyone with this flyer - [Texas Roadhouse Cheerleader Fundraiser](#) on your phone, will go directly to the fundraiser. Good for Dine-In or Take-Out, we will also have a raffle table.

9. The next **School Committee** meeting is this Monday, November 13th starting at 7 pm in the Francis Mills Communication Center at DHS.

Enjoy the long weekend as we honor our veterans!

Best,

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