

May 3, 2024

Student of the Month

Congratulations to Olivia Dioletti for being named the Genoa Bank/Metro Press April Student of the Month. Olivia was featured in the April 29 edition of *The Press* newspaper. Olivia has a 4.163 cumulative GPA and ranks 10th in the senior class. She is a member of the National Honors Society, Tri-M Honors Music Society, Volunteer Focus, International Club and volunteers at the Imagination Station. She plays trumpet in the Marching Band, Symphonic Band and both the Jazz and Pep Band. Olivia is the daughter of Matt and Christina Dioletti. She plans to continue her education at UT where she intends to major in Pharmacy. Once again, congratulations Olivia.

Eagle Exchange Senior T-Shirt

The Eagle Exchange is selling senior "Signing Out" t-shirts, long sleeve shirts and hoodies for the graduating class of 2024. Please order online (https://decaseniors2024.itemorder.com/shop/home/) to order a shirt for your child. All shirts will be distributed after graduation practice on Friday, May 17, in room 110. All orders MUST be placed by Sunday, May 5, at 11:59 pm. Please help us celebrate the Class of 2024!

CHS Cheerleading Tryouts

Is your child interested in being a football or basketball cheerleader for the 2024-25 school year? If the answer is yes, please have your child stop at Ms. Roach's room (177) to sign up and pick up an informational packet. Try outs will be held at 3:00 pm on May 6 and 8; and 4:30 pm on May 9. Please contact Nicole Roach (nroach@oregoncs.org) for additional information.

Professional Development Day

The final Teacher Professional Development Day for the 24-25 school year will be Tuesday, May 7. As a result, students will not have school on May 7, 2024.

Honors Night

The annual CHS Honors Night will be held on Tuesday, May 7, at CHS. The students recognized will be the underclassmen that currently have a 4.0 cumulative GPA or above, and the seniors that earned a 4.0 cumulative GPA or above, and any senior that will be receiving a special award. Parent invitations were mailed prior to break if your child qualified to attend this event.

Operation Graduation – Attention Parents of Graduating Seniors

The plans for the 2024 Operation Graduation are coming together. There are 117 seniors that signed up to attend! To ensure the success of this memorable evening, they are in need of volunteers to assist with various tasks throughout the evening such as setup, registration, overseeing activities, and more. If volunteering isn't possible for you, they are still accepting donations of items like bowls, spoons, water, Gatorade, and other supplies to help make this night unforgettable for our seniors. Every contribution counts.

Please click the link (https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0F48A4A72DA6F94-49467523-clay#/) to sign up to volunteer to work the event and/or donate.

Remember, Operation Graduation is set for Friday, May 31, from 6:00 pm – midnight, rain or shine.

Senior Art Show

The Clay High School Senior Art students have been working hard to prepare for their upcoming Senior Art Show. The art exhibit showcases original artwork from our senior artists in the Senior Art class. The show is scheduled for Thursday, May 9, from 3:00-4:30 pm in the CHS Learning Commons. The senior art students will be present to discuss and personally share their artworks with you. Please join us to celebrate the creativity and artistry of these talented young artists. See you at the show!

Band Performances

As we approach the end of the school year, the Clay Band still has three public performances remaining. On Saturday, May 11, the Jazz Band will travel to Cedar Point to compete in the Music Festival competition. On Tuesday, May 14, at 7:00 pm in the auditorium, the Symphonic and Concert Band will hold their final performances of the year. Finally, the CHS Band will perform at the City of Oregon Memorial Service on Sunday, May 19. The Memorial Service pays tribute to all those individuals that currently serve or did serve our community.

Scholarship Day

On Tuesday, May 14, CHS will hold our annual Scholarship Day beginning at 12:30 pm in the auditorium. This is the time where the Oregon community scholarship donors are able to present their scholarships directly to the 2024 graduates. Any senior and their parents that are expected to attend this event will be notified via a letter mailed home.

Culinary Food Truck Face-Off

On Wednesday, May 15, the Culinary Arts students will be participating in the 4^{th} Annual Food Truck Face-Off at Whitmer High School. Food will be served from 3:30-6:00 pm or until sold out. Admission to the event is free, open to the public and cash or credit card will be accepted at this event. Six teams from Clay and Whitmer will be competing for the People's Choice Award and Top Entrepreneur. The

Culinary Program would like to thank the many businesses and organizations around the community that made various donations towards this event. We hope to see you at this event!

Clay Choir Spring Pops Concert

The Clay Choir and Varsity Voices will present their final concert of the year on Thursday, May 16, at 7:00 PM. The concert will be presented outdoors in the Clay High School Alumni Courtyard and will feature a number of current and classic pop tunes. In the event of inclement weather, the concert will be moved to the auditorium. Admission is free. This concert is always a highlight of the year for both the choir members and the audience. Don't miss it!

Senior Car Parade

Mark your calendar! The annual senior car parade will be held on Saturday, May 18. The parade will leave the parking lot of Cedar Creek Church at 3:00 pm and wind through the neighborhoods that are north of Navarre Avenue and end at Clay High School. Please open the attached document for the map of the parade route.

Senior Fees/Fines

In order for a senior student to participate in the graduation ceremony, he/she must have a zero balance on their student account, with all fees/fines paid in full. If you have a PaySchools Central account created, you can check the account balance online for the amount of fees/fines owed. If you don't have an account, you may call the school (419-693-0665) and speak to Yvonne Ramos (ext. 2006) to inquire if there is a balance on your child's school account. Thank you for looking into this matter well before the end of school and eventually graduation.

Senior Decision Day

Clay High School is holding a new event for its graduates – Decision Day! This day is being organized to formally recognize our graduates' hard work and their chosen pathway after high school. The graduates will walk across the CHS auditorium stage while their plans after graduation are announced. This event will be held on Friday, May 17, beginning at 10:30 and lasting until approximately 11:30 am. Parents are welcome to attend Decision Day. One week prior to the event, additional information will be emailed directly to all senior students and their parent/guardian.

Final Semester Exams

The last day of school for all CHS underclassmen is Friday, May 24. The last three days on the school calendar (Wednesday, May 22; Thursday, May 23; Friday, May 24) will be semester exams for all freshman, sophomore and junior students. Parents, please stress to your children that the semester exam is worth 20% of their final semester grade. Attached is an exam schedule for the final three days of the school year.

Attention Parents of 2025 Graduates

The Ohio Department of Health requires 12th graders to have the meningitis shot before beginning the new school year. Next year's seniors (current 11th graders) will need a MCV4 for the 2024-25 school year. This shot has to be given **after** the student is 16 years old to be valid for the requirement. This may mean a second shot could be needed to fulfill the requirement so that the student receives one MCV4 vaccine **after** his or her 16th birthday. It's not too early to get the shot now to avoid the rush, but **only if**

your son or daughter is over 16 now. Shots may be obtained at the child's primary care physician, at area pharmacies, or at Nationwide Children's Health Center at Clay High School. Once your child has received the required vaccine, please submit all shot records to the CHS nurse. Please call the CHS nurse, Betsey Langford, at 419-693-0665 ext. 2040 with any questions.

TARTA

The Toledo Area Regional Transit Authority (TARTA) is offering a Youth Summer Blast Pass for children ages 6-19 that would be valid June 1 – August 31. During these 3 months, children that hold a Youth Blast Pass ride the TARTA but for free. Please open the attached document for additional information and the registration process.

Boys and Girls Club of Toledo

The Boys and Girls Clubs of Toledo, specifically the East Toledo Club located in East Broadway Elementary School, is offering memberships for children ages 7 - 15 for \$3 for the entire year. They offer homework help, healthy meals and snacks, field trips and various other activities. Additional information is included in the attached flyer.

Upcoming Events

- May 6 = Advanced Placement Government Test at 8:00 am
- May 6 = Advanced Placement Chemistry Test at Noon
- May 6 = Band Booster Meeting at 7:00 pm in the Learning Commons
- May 7 = NO SCHOOL Professional Development Day
- May 7 = Fr, Soph, Jr and Sr Honors Night at 7:00 pm in the Auditorium
- May 8 = Advanced Placement Literature and Composition Test at 8:00 am
- May 8 = Advanced Placement Comparative Government Test at Noon
- May 8 = NLL Track & Field Championship Meet at CHS
- May 9 = Senior Arts Show from 3:00 4:30 pm in the Learning Commons
- May 10 = Advanced Placement US History at 8:00 am
- May 10 = NLL Track & Field Championship Meet at CHS Finals
- May 13 = Advanced Placement Calculus Test at 8:00 am
- May 13 = Limelighter Booster Meeting at 7:00 pm in the Performing Arts Studio
- May 13 = DECA Entrepreneurship Expo in the Learning Commons
- May 14 = Advanced Placement Language and Composition Test at 8:00 am
- May 14 = Advanced Placement Physics Test at Noon
- May 14 = Scholarship Day from 12:30 2:30 pm in. the Auditorium
- May 14 = Band Concert at 7:00 pm in the Auditorium
- May 15 = OHSAA District Track and Field Meet at CHS
- May 15 = Culinary Arts Food Truck Faceoff at Whitmer High School
- May 16 = Advanced Placement Biology at 8:00 am
- May 16 = Choir Concert at 7:00 pm
- May $17 = 4^{th}$ Quarter Grade Update
- May 17 = OHSAA District Track and Field Meet Finals
- May 17 = Senior Students Graduation Practice
- May 17 = Decision Day for Senior Students

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CLASS 0F 2024

ORDER A T-SHIRT, LONG SLEEVE, OR CREWNECK! *FRONT DESIGN OPTIONAL*

ALL ORDERS DUE SUNDAY, MAY STR AT 11:59PM





SENIOR ART SHOW



Aly Walendzak. Emma Kalmbach. Alex Adamski. Will Davidson















High School Culinary Arts

FOOD TRUCK FACE-OFF!



CLAY vs WHITMER

MAY 15TH

3:30-6:00 PM

Six teams from Clay and Whitmer Culinary Arts will be competing for the Top Entrepreneur and People's Choice awards!

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WHITMER HIGH SCHOOL

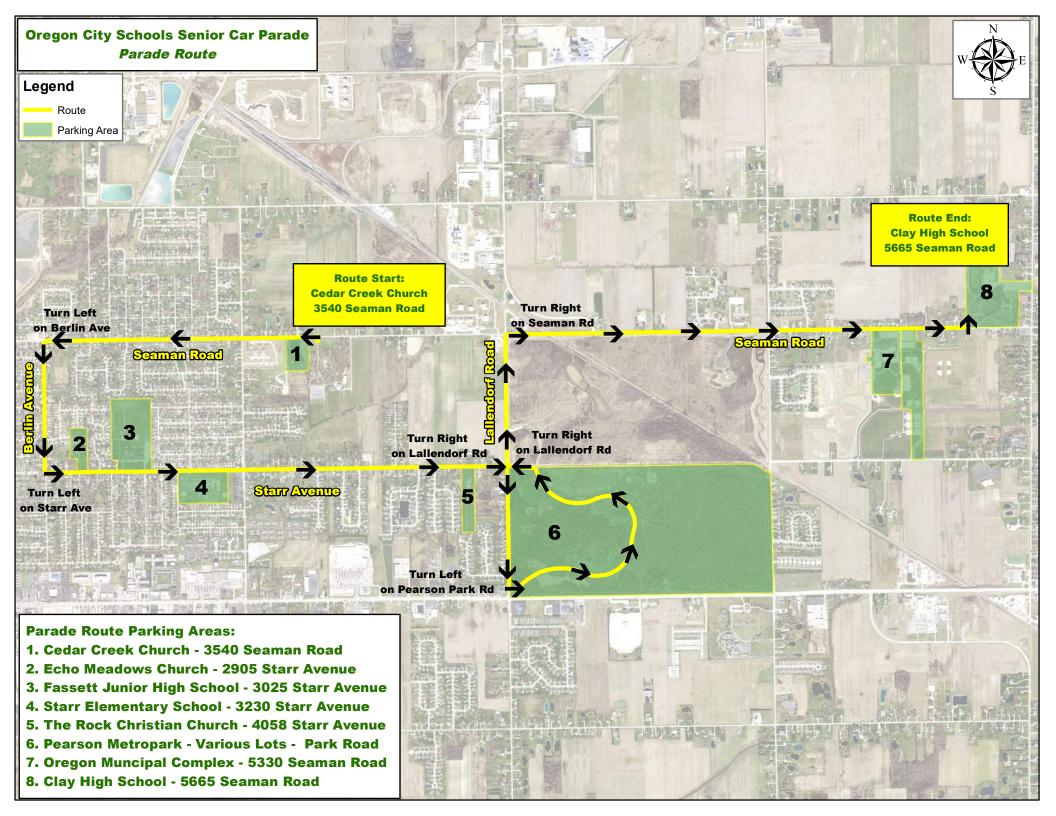
Students, staff, family, friends, & the community are welcome to sample each truck and vote for your favorite!

No ticket purchase needed to attend!

Cash or credit welcome!







2023-24 SEMESTER EXAM SCHEDULE

Tuesday, Dec 19 Wednesday, May 22

7:50-9:15 Period 1 Exam

9:15-9:25 Break

9:25-10:45 Period 2 Exam

10:45-10:55 Break

10:55-12:15 Period 4 Exam

12:15 Dismissal

Wednesday, Dec 20 Thursday, May 23

7:50-9:15 Period 3 Exam

9:15-9:25 Break

9:25-10:45 Period 7 Exam

10:45-10:55 Break

10:55-12:15 Period 5 Exam

12:15 Dismissal

Thursday, Dec 21 Friday, May 24

7:50-9:15 Period 8 Exam

9:15-9:25 Break

9:25-10:45 Period 6 Exam

10:45 Dismissal

2-HOUR DELAY SCHEDULE (IF NEEDED)

9:50-11:20 Exam 11:20-11:35 Break 11:35-12:55 Exam 12:55-1:10 Break 1:10-2:35 Exam



AGES 6-19 RIDE TARTA FOR FREE WITH A PASS

The **Youth Summer Blast Pass** (for passengers ages 6-19) is intended to help passholders find independence while learning more about how to use public transit.

From June 1st - August 31st, the YSBP provides unlimited rides on all TARTA services:

- **Fixed Route**
- TARTA Flex
- TARTA Paratransit

Get started today at TARTA.com/blast.





HOW TO GET A YOUTH SUMMER BLAST PASS AND **RIDE ALL SUMMER LONG:**

DIGITAL PASS

- 1. Download the EZFare App and create an account.
- 2. Go to TARTA.com/blast and fill out an application.
- 3. Beginning June 1st your Youth Summer Blast Pass will appear in your EZFare account!

PHYSICAL PASS

- 1. Beginning May 15th physical passes are available at the TARTA Transit Hub at 612 N. Huron St.
- 2. Fill out an application and return it to the Hub during hours of operation from 8 a.m.- 5 p.m.
- 3. Get Your Blast Pass and Ride

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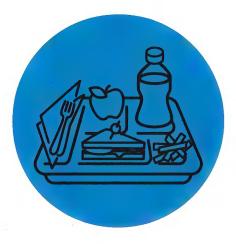
East Toledo Club

LOCATED IN EAST BROADWAY ELEMENTARY 1755 EAST BROADWAY | 419-693-1961

SUMMER FUN!



Field Trips



Healthy Meals & Snacks



Fun & Games!



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The Boys & Girls Club reserves the right to require proper identification from anyone who wishes to join. Youngsters who are 7 or 8 should be prepared to show proof of birthdate.