



NOTAM Class 04302023
Raisbeck Aviation High School
Weekly Student Announcements
April 30, 2023

Principal's Phoenix Flyers:

What's Happening This Week:

May 1 – 5 – Teacher Appreciation Week – Don't forget to say thank you to your teachers!

Upcoming Events:

May 12 – NHS Mystery Dinner 5:00 PM in the BPC

May 16 – College Information Night 6:00 PM in the BPC

May 18 – PTSA General Meeting 6:30 PM in the BPC

May 23 – NHS Blood Drive

May 24 – Multicultural Assembly
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May 24 – Mentor thank you dinner at 3:45 PM in the MoF Pavilion

Hello RAHS Families and Community!

Congratulations go out to Senior **Neidy Avila Ramirez**, who is being honored by **Highline Public Schools Athletics** at the 12th Annual Scholar-Athlete banquet! Neidy participates for Evergreen High School in soccer as well as track and field, while maintaining a high GPA! We are very proud of you Neidy!

AND - in addition to being a scholar-athlete, **Neidy Avila Ramirez** also had the opportunity to speak at the **2023 PNW Education and Workforce Summit!** Neidy spoke this past Thursday, eloquently and passionately about how the opportunities at Raisbeck Aviation have led her to be successful in high school and beyond; and how schools such as ours can be a model for other high schools to prepare students for their future. In fact, Neidy has been accepted to, and will be attending the **University of Arizona** to major in astronomy. Way to go Neidy!

This week, **May 1 – 5**, we honor and celebrate our entire teaching staff! Please join me in wishing our teaching professionals a **Happy Teacher Appreciation Week!** We recognize the incredible impact you all have on our students and community, the passion and effort you put in to prepare and deliver meaningful lessons, and the exorbitant amount of time you take both inside and outside of the school day to ensure student success. **Thank you RAHS Teachers!**

And finally, the **Science Olympiad** season ended on a positive note with the team going to State! Teams Phoenix and Kelpie placed 6th and 10th, respectively, at the State Competition. Congratulations to an amazing end of the season, and the future is bright!

Caleb Hyun and Sirak Kebede earned 4th overall in their events It's About Time and 2nd in Scrambler. **Shamik Das and Salomon Ruvacalba-Rodriguez** also placed 4th in "Trajectory." **Opal Heltzel and Greta Kim** placed 5th and 3rd in their chemistry events, Forensics and Environmental Chemistry, respectively. **Brooke Swanson and Bryan Delgado** achieved 4th place in their event Solar Power. **Eric Nguyen, Timothy Jou, and Muhammad Tunkara** placed in WiFi (4th) and Detector (5th). And finally, **Kaley Hoang, Sam Kavanagh, and Luna Smith-Fisher** placed 2nd in Codebusters. Lastly, a huge thanks to our supportive parent volunteers, **Susan Tamcsin and Jeremy Febus**, who made the trip possible!

Have a fantastic first week of May everyone!

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All Students and Parents – This is a reminder that the building is open from 7:30 am to 5:00 pm. **Students**, if you are not working with a teacher or in a club event, you must be in the commons area. **Parents, please ensure that your student is picked up by 5:00 pm. Our doors will be locked, and students will need to wait outside the building.** Thank you.

Seniors - The class of 2023 will conclude with a RAHS PTSA sponsored GRADUATION ALL NIGHT PARTY! It is important to celebrate our graduates' hard work and accomplishments. The Senior class party gives our students one last chance to be together before heading off in different directions. Let's make this day the most memorable it can be. The overnight party will be held on **Monday, June 12, 2023**, to **Tuesday, June 13, 2023**, at the **[Pro Club in Bellevue](#)**. For more information and forms, see the main office.

Seniors - If you need a paper copy of your **transcript** mailed, please fill out the Transcript Request Form, which are located in the College Career Center and return it to Mrs. Tranholt. Please note that USPS mailed **official copies take 7-10 business days** to reach their destinations. For electronic transcript emails and/or uploads, see Ms. Carper.

Seniors – Your PE and Art contract deadline is June 2, don't wait till the last minute. Get started at <https://hsd.instructure.com/enroll/4WGYJG>. Rules & requirements are at <https://tinyurl.com/rahspeguide>

Students – PE and Art Contracts must be finished during the school year and may **not** extend into summer – get everything you need to finish your contract at <https://hsd.instructure.com/enroll/4WGYJG>

Students -On-demand, online tutoring and homework help through King County Library: <https://kcls.org/middle-high-school-students/>

Hello Students! Highline Schools, in conjunction with Highline College, is putting on a **Native Student Summit** on May 11. If you are interested, please learn more here [Native Student Summit](#) You must register on line. Transportation will be provided for any students attending, but please note the bus will pick up students before our school begins so you need transportation RAHS.

Students! This summer, **Seattle Southside Chamber of Commerce** is hosting their annual Workforce Discovery Lab and they are currently accepting applications. The program starts August 5th through August 11th. It's a great way to explore 10 different career paths while developing professional skills that will help give you the fundamental building blocks to reach future success. If you are interested in applying for the program, please [CLICK HERE](#) to fill out the application.

Students - RAHS's annual **blood drive is here!** You can save lives by donating blood to Bloodworks on May 23rd from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. Eligible donors include those who are 16 years old or older and fit weight requirements. To learn more, click on this link: <https://www.bloodworksnw.org/donate/need-to-know>

Students - Peer tutors needed in all subjects grade levels: If you are interested in volunteering as a peer tutor, fill out [THIS FORM](#), or see Mr. Savishinsky to learn more

Students - Summer PE contracts will be available in mid-May. Pre-approval for summer is required **before** the end of the school year. The summer contract link will be posted in the NOTAM.

ACE

Do you have an interest in aviation? Want to learn how to become a pilot? Check out ACE Club! Meetings will be during lunch on the first and third Wednesdays of every month in Ms. Farrell's room. All students welcome! Email Emily Batig (ebatig2023@gmail.com) for more information or any questions.

AIAA

Are you interested in a career in the aerospace industry? Do you have a passion for hands-on aerospace-related projects? If so, come check out AIAA in Mr. McComb's room on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3:45 to 5pm. For more information, please contact Jason Poon @ 5000901@g.highlineschools.org or Atticus Bhat @ atticusbhat@gmail.com

BSU

BSU will meet every other Wednesday at lunch in room 3530. For questions contact Mr. Thew.

Environmental Club

Need community service hours? Want to contribute more to your community? Care about sustainability? Environmental Club meets weekly to care for our school garden, discuss sustainability topics, and plan community service projects. Meetings **every** Wednesday, after school, in Ms. Olson's room (3580). Questions? Please contact us at rahsenviroclub@gmail.com.

Green Energy Team

The RAHS Green Energy team is a team of Raisbeck Aviation High School students who are committed to engineering and collaborating to solve real-world problems in the context of renewable energy. Annually, students are challenged to completely design, manufacture, test, and race a solar car. In their first three competitions, the team has established itself as the three-time Advanced Division National Solar Car Champions. If you are interested in joining fill out [THIS FORM](#).

Key Club

Are you interested in community outreach and getting volunteer hours? Join Key Club, for leadership, community building, and bonding with students at RAHS. If you have any questions or concerns, please email Monty Robertson (Montgomeryrobertson@gmail.com) or Evan Palisoc (evanp2k5@gmail.com). Meetings every other Thursday in Ms. Olson's during lunch.

GSA

Will meet Mondays and Thursdays during lunch and every Wednesday after school from 3:30-4:30 in Ms. Marshalla's room. For more information contact Jasmin Rivas at 4022636@g.highlineschools.org

Phoenix Force Robotics

Phoenix Force Robotics is an interactive, immersive, community-building club. We meet Tuesdays and Thursdays from 4 to 6 pm in the CAD lab, room 3590. In PFR you can learn to build, design, program, fund, and manage a robot. In addition, we go to super fun competitions with our robot! If you have any questions, feel free to email Mr. Joshi at nikhil.joshi@highlineschools.org or our presidents at president@phoenixforcerobotics.org

Science Olympiad

Are you a student who wants to expand your scientific knowledge in a competitive environment? Or are you looking to be a part of a team and make long-lasting friendships? All of this and more is available at the Science Olympiad! We meet every day at 8am in Mr. McComb and Ms. Shin's room. Please contact us at rahssciolyexec@gmail.com or our advisor for more information. We look forward to seeing you there!

Speech and Debate

Speech and Debate will meet every Tuesday and Thursday after school in Mr. Tendler's room (3520). If you'd like to improve your public speaking skills, compete in tournaments, and have fun, please come join us! Email alexaweinmaster@gmail.com if you have any questions.

WAI

For questions contact Ms. Nelson at stephanie.nelson@highlineschools.org

For Mental Health Resources, scholarships, financial aid, and college application resources, visit the counseling center website: <https://rahs.highlineschools.org/academics/counseling-center>

Seniors: If you've been **accepted to college** and you want to be added to the map, please see Ms. Carper or Ms. Nackos.

Seniors: If you missed the College Application Presentation, it's posted [here](#) under "Docs and Presentations."

Seniors: If you're **struggling to compare financial aid offers**, watch [College Success Foundation's Understanding Award Letters Presentation](#) The presentation starts at about minute 15.

Students: If you need a **free Orca Card**, please see Ms. Carper or Ms. Nackos.

Students - If you didn't take Washington State History in middle school, you can complete it here: <https://hsd.instructure.com/courses/7296>

Students - FAFSA/WASFA Webinars are posted [here](#).

Selective Service: The Military Selective Service Act requires virtually all US residents assigned male at birth to register for Selective Service within 30 days of their 18th birthday. [More information and registration.](#)

University of Washington Multicultural Outreach & Recruitment has upcoming events serving high school freshmen, sophomores and juniors from backgrounds historically underrepresented in higher education. At these events, students will discover resources, meet UW admissions counselors and current students, and make connections that will last throughout the application process. [More information](#)

Students who live in Washington's [ninth congressional district](#): Congressman Adam Smith's Youth Advisory Council is accepting applications.

Students will have the opportunity to:

1. Interact with Congressman Smith and his staff
2. Learn about the processes and operations of a congressional office
3. Research and discuss policies and issues with other students on the council
4. Draft memos containing legislative recommendations for Congressman Smith

More information is available [here](#) and the application is available [here](#). Applications will be accepted through **June 16, 2023**.

YELL Summit is Saturday, May 13, 2023, 8:30am – 2:30pm (Check-in begins at 8:30am) Where: Highline College, Highline Student Union Bldg. 8. This is a free event that is designed to empower and encourage our young women of color to excel in life and academics. [More information and registration](#)

Join Ms. Carper and Ms. Nackos for **College Info Night on May 16th at 6 PM in the BPC!** All grade levels and families are invited!

Ninth Congressional District Military Academy Night 2023 Friday, May 19th from 4:00pm – 5:30pm Each year, Congressman Smith nominates several outstanding young men and women each year to the United States military academies. Please join our Academy Night to learn the process to apply and obtain a congressional nomination to the U.S. Service Academies. We will have a panel of representatives from all Service Academies sharing information about enrollment process and their perspectives on Service Academies. **RSVP [Here](#)**

9th-11th graders: Are you interested in creating classroom presentations and teaching other teenagers in the region about inclusive sex education? [Apply for Teen Council](#)

Washington Business Week: Since 1976, teams of students have competed in an interactive business simulation that places them in leadership roles of their own company. Students are divided into teams and are responsible for running an existing company and launching a new product or service. Mixing the art of persuasion with sound business tactics, students role-play to pitch products to potential investors. Teams are challenged to answer the question—how do you work together with people you've never met to make an organization succeed? [More information, scholarships, and registration.](#)

Visit the **Career Center** website at <https://rahs.highlineschools.org/academics/career-center>

Mark your calendars for our upcoming Mentor Thank You Dinner on May 24, 2023, from 3:45 – 5:30 PM This event will be held at the MoF Pavilion. We look forward to seeing everyone for this special event.

Students - Community Service Hours: Blank forms for logging hours, and a drop box for completed forms, are in the main office and career center. You can also find the electronic form [here](#).

Juniors - Directed Machines - Robotics Company, is looking for a part-time employee. Salary \$20 per hour. Send your resume to: renee.olsen@highlineschools.org

Seniors – Are you enrolling in a post-high school program? Check out this [Southwest Airlines Scholarship](#).

Attention Students -Are you thinking about getting an after-school job? If you have a job while in high school in the State of Washington, you have to have a form signed by the school, called the **Washington State Department of labor Parent/School Authorization** form. The really good news about having the school sign the form, and keeping track of student jobs and your hours, is that you are eligible to attain **Work-Site Learning credits!** Please see **Mrs. Olsen** in the Career Center if you have an authorization form to be signed or have questions about a job outside of school!

Hey Students! Do you love math? Are you interested in a summer opportunity to earn leadership hours? Check out this opportunity to become a **Girls Rock Math** summer counselor! [STEM camp | Girls Rock Math | Seattle](#)

Students – Teens in public service intern opportunity. For more information [check here](#) and to apply [check here](#).

Students – Are you looking for volunteer opportunities? **The Museum of Flight** is looking for docent and ambassador positions. For more information check here <https://www.museumofflight.org/Careers/volunteering-opportunities>

Students – Do you have a job outside of school? You can get CTE credit while working outside of school. See Ms. Olsen for information on how to make this happen.

Eleven Scholarship funded by Inspire11 - The Eleven Scholarship is founded through the commitment to create a better tomorrow for all. Inspire11 believes access to higher education is crucial to creating a better, more equal world.. This scholarship aims to inspire high school **seniors** and undergraduate students who are pursuing degrees in STEM fields. For more information and to apply check [here](#). **Application Deadline: May 1st, 2023 - Scholarship amount: \$5,000**

Students - King County Wastewater Treatment Division partners with Mountains to Sound Greenway Trust to offer a paid internship experience for high school students to learn about local environmental issues, solutions, and careers focused on clean water in our region. Must be 16 years to apply. Applications are due May 15, 2023. For more information and to apply: <https://kingcounty.gov/services/environment/wastewater/education/internships.aspx>

Students – Career opportunities at the **Seattle Art Museum** in employment administration, admissions, curatorial, development, education, finance and operations, museum services, retail, security, and other professional fields. **Applications were due May 15, 2023.** For more information and to apply, check here: <https://seattleartmuseum.applytojob.com/apply>

Students - RadioActive Youth Media is offering a paid summer workshop for students to learn **radio journalism** and storytelling skills, build confidence, and work with others while producing a true radio story and podcast episode. **Applications are due May 9, 2023.** For more information and to apply: <https://www.kuow.org/summer>

Seafair Summer Internships! Please send your cover letter and resume to Ms. Olsen by **May 15, 2023**. For questions on this opportunity see Ms. Olsen in the College and Career Center.

For questions regarding internship opportunities, email Ms. Olsen at renee.olsen@highlineschools.org or call 206-631-7210.

Visit the **PTSA** website at <http://www.rahsptsa.org/> to join and/or for more information.

Please help with Staff Appreciation! PTSA provides a monthly meal for staff with the help of our families. Sign up to send in monthly staff snacks, a soup for a luncheon, supplies for sandwich or taco bar meal or perhaps a yummy dessert. Interested in helping? Email Jen Watt jakwatt@msn.com for more details.

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