

NOTAM Class 01102021 Raisbeck Aviation High School Weekly Student Announcements January 10, 2021

Principal's Phoenix Flyers:

Stay Tuned for Upcoming Events!

Greetings RAHS Families and Community -

Hopefully everyone had a good week back from winter break and students are back into the swing of things. This week we were saddened and angered by the events that unfolded in our nation's capital. On Wednesday, our teachers were able to give time during advisory for students to share how they were feeling and to process these events in a safe place. Please do not hesitate to reach out to the school should you have any questions.

We appreciate Junior **Leah Mathew** for her advocacy for young students and her involvement with our **Women in Aviation Club!** Leah took the initiative to reach out to the elementary schools in Highline to offer tutoring services. She is working directly with four different local schools, providing needed support for young scholars. In addition, Leah and the WAI club have offered their services to assist students applying to Choice Schools with their application process. Nice job Leah!

Congratulations go out to **Martin Dinh and Tate Suarez** who were elected as ASB Freshman Class Senators for the 2020-2021 School Year! We are proud of your success! We also want to thank **Ulalemamae Tuatagaloa Tuputala and Alina Orchard** for their outstanding campaign speeches. We sure can not wait to be back in person so everyone can be even more involved!

A big shout out to **Mitchell Bettis** and his pumpkin cookies for winning the very first **RAHS National Honor Society/Key Club Baking Competition** over Zoom! Thank you to all other students who participated, and to our honorable judges, **Ms. Hiranaka** and **Ms. Olson**! A fun time was had by all!

We are really looking forward to **the Black Student Union** virtual **MLK** Assembly this Wednesday during Advisory with the theme of "We Have a Dream." For even as Martin Luther King, Jr. said, "So even though we face the difficulties of today and tomorrow, I still have a dream."

Have a great week everyone –

Therese Tipton

Announcements

Parents and Students- Emotional Well-being during the COVID-19 Outbreak: https://tinyurl.com/s4mndkg

Students - PHOTOS NEEDED: Yearbook Staff needs your help gathering photos for the yearbook. Please submit photos to: https://snap.yearbookforever.com/index.html#/upload/000991. The access code is *RAHS2021*. We need photos on anything and everything – What you did this summer, remote school, zooming for class, clubs, friends, etc. Please make sure to post your name so that we can contact you for more information if needed.

Students -PE and Art contracts: Now is a great time to start a PE or Fine Art contract, and it's easier than ever. Go to www.tinyurl.com/rahs-contracts to get started. You'll find a letter explaining the rules and process for contracts, along with all the required forms. All students and families must understand that PE and Fine Art are Washington State graduation requirements, and cannot be excused or waived for any reason. Talk to your advisor if you have questions, or email jacob.savishinsky@highlineschools.org.

Attention all RAHS students: Are you interested in creating aircraft capable of rivaling the F-22 Raptor and SU-57 PAK FA? If you are, join the 2021 fighter design challenge hosted by AIAA. More information and sign-ups are <u>here</u>.

Students –Air and Space Innovative Series. Join AIAA for an exciting three-part series on innovative technologies in air and space! The Fairfax County Economic Development Authority kicks off 2021with a conference on one of its strongest cluster: the aerospace industry. For more information and to register for FREE check out this link: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/air-space-innovation-series-tickets-131629155347

Students – January is National Blood Donor Month, so what better time to make a donation and impact someone's life? Act now, by giving at **The Museum of Flight Pop-up donor center.** As a thank you for attending, The Museum of Flight is giving **50% off admission on a future** visit to the museum and **10% off at the souvenir store**. **All donations are by appointment only.** The one hour donation appointment is a safe and essential action to support local hospitals and patients. The pop-up centers are being conducted in accordance with social distancing guidelines. For questions about eligibility and to make your appointment call 1-800-398-7888 or e-mail schedule@Bloodworksnw.org

Seniors - **GRAD ADS:** it is not too late to purchase: A Senior Grad Ad is a wonderful way to let any student know how proud you are of their achievements and express lasting support. Space is limited and Ad space is available on a first-come, first-serve basis. Reserve Space and pay online, at:

https://wa-highline.intouchreceipting.com/signin.aspx.

Sizes and Prices: 1/8 page \$35; ¹/₄ page \$70; ¹/₂ page \$125; Full page \$225.

Please note that we can only take online payments at this time.

Seniors: It's time to order your cap & gown, class jewelry, graduation announcements, and senior apparel. This year ordering will be done a little different, so please check your email for details that were sent out by Jostens on Thursday. To order online, go to https://www.jostens.com. Questions? Email: dan.sommerfeld@jostens.com or call Dan Sommerfeld at 253-851-9396. If you have not received any emails from Jostens, please contact Mr. Savishinsky ASAP and provide the contact information you want us to use for graduation information.

ASB Club Information

ACE Club

First and third Wednesdays from 3:30 PM-4:30 PM

All students are welcome! Email Max (737maxw@gmail.com) or Lyra (lyra (lyraryoung@gmail.com) for more information.

Black Student Union

Every Wednesday at 2:00 PM.

Contact Ms. St. Clair for more information.

Environmental Club

Do you like trees? Do you like our planet? Well, we have the club for you! Come join the Environmental Club, try branching out! **We meet every other Wednesday from 11:00 to 11:45.** Contact Ryan Louie at ryrylouie@gmail.com for details.

Green Energy Team

Are you interested in joining the RAHS Green Energy Team? The RAHS Green Energy Team's purpose is to encourage high school students to design, build, test, analyze, refine, and integrate the systems to build a car that runs completely on solar power. You can learn more at our website: https://rahsgreenenergy.com and/or check out our Instagram @rahsgreenenergy. If you are interested in joining the team please fill out this form: https://forms.gle/qDGkXdr2VQ1XV5GE7

NHS

NHS Meets the 2^{nd} Thursday of the month, from 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM NHS Workshops are the 3^{rd} Thursday of the month, from 3:30-5pm. Contact Ms. Wombold for zoom invitation.

Phoenix Force Robotics

If you are interested in design, building, programming, electrical, business, photography, finance or anything else, we would love to have your contribution to the team! Email Mr. Joshi at Nikhil.joshi@highlineschools or Ms. Olsen at renee.olsen@highlineschools.org for more information.

Science Olympiad

Science Olympiad at Raisbeck Aviation High School is one of the largest clubs within the school and is a fantastic way to get your nerd on and make new friends!

- You learn about different sciences: biology, chemistry, physics, astronomy, engineering, and more.
- As a bonus, you can also GET AN ADDITIONAL SCIENCE CREDIT on your transcript and build both your résumé and college applications!

For more information, https://tinyurl.com/RAHSSciOly2020

Speech and Debate

For anyone interested in enhancing their public speaking and communication skills as well as becoming well-educated in current events, come join Speech and Debate!

Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3:30 PM to 4:30 PM

Meeting ID: 933 0538 5611

Contact Mr. Thew for more information.

WAI

Join us for mentoring sessions led by student mentors! We offer help with the SAT, AP Classes, Resumes, Interview Prep, PE/Art Credit, and more! Contact leahmathew0815@gmail.com for more information!

Counselor's Corner

For Mental Health Resources, scholarships, financial aid, and college application resources, visit Ms. Carper's website: https://rahs.highlineschools.org/academics/counseling-center

Counseling appointments are available during remote learning! Email Ms. Carper at katie.carper@highlineschools.org to schedule.

Students - If you didn't take Washington State History in middle school, you can complete it here (open with your classlink open): https://hsd.instructure.com/courses/7296.

Parents and Students - Emotional Well-being During the COVID-19 Outbreak: https://tinyurl.com/s4mndkg

Low-cost internet options: https://www.everyoneon.org/lowcost-offers

Suicide prevention resource for parents: University of Washington has an excellent presentation about how to respond if you're concerned about a loved one. Access the recording, PowerPoint, and handout of their presentation here: https://tinyurl.com/yc57nxdy

Drug/Alcohol Addiction Resources: Visit the counseling center website for important information about addiction: how addictions are developed, important information for high school students, and how to get treatment. There are also some tips for how to have a conversation with a loved one who is struggling with addiction. Visit the "Docs and Presentations" section at: https://rahs.highlineschools.org/academics/counseling-center

Seniors: The FAFSA and WASFA are available! FAFSA: Visit www.fafsa.gov to begin the FAFSA. If you haven't already, get your FSA ID here: https://studentaid.gov/fsa-id/create-account/launch WASFA: Visit https://readysetgrad.wa.gov/wasfa-washington-application-state-financial-aid to begin the WASFA.

Cascade Warbirds has teamed with several flight schools in the Puget Sound area to provide the scholarship recipient with tuition, books and supplies, and two introductory instructional flights. This scholarship is available for students between the ages of 16 and 21 at the time of award. It is valued at over \$1,100 and several awards are made each year. Application available here: https://www.cascadewarbirds.org/youth/

Seniors: If you need a transcript **mailed** to a college, email Ms. Tranholt the address and the deadline. If you need a transcript **uploaded electronically**, add Ms. Carper's information to the application and email her a reminder.

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

Internship Opportunities:

Get school credit for working! WSL – Worksite Learning. Earn .50 elective credit for every 180 hours worked. Apply on-line at: www.highlineschools.org/wsl.

Students - Mark your calendars! Our Mentor Program will start with online meetings but will transfer into our normal mentor events as soon as we are able. Tentative Dates for the remainder of the year: January 20, 2021; March 31, 2021 Thank You Dinner date TBA (1st week of June)

Students – Do you have **community service hours** to submit? This year you can fill out community service hours electronically and email them directly to Ms. Olsen. https://rahs.highlineschools.org/about/student-handbook

Students - Are you working? Your job may qualify for Worksite Learning - Cooperative (WSL). **Cooperative Worksite Learning (WSL)** is a learning experience where students practice in the community the skills and knowledge learned in the classroom. Typically, this is done through student employment, based on hours worked, learning objectives and employer evaluations. To participate, students must be at least **16 years old**, be employed and have passed Career Choices. 180 documented hours worked earns a 0.5 credit.

Highline Medial Center is seeking students who are interested in healthcare issues and careers, especially in cancer prevention and treatment! Highline is an innovative Cancer Center offering the latest treatments including chemotherapy, biological therapy, robot-assisted surgery and naturopathic treatments. For more information check here: https://www.highlineschools.org/departments/college-career-readiness/career-readiness/internships

King County Police Explorers - Have you ever wanted to go on a ride-along with a police officer? Are you interested in a career in law enforcement? Then we have the perfect internship opportunity for you! The **King County Police Explorers** is a training program to learn about law enforcement through mandatory bi-monthly meetings, patrol car ride-alongs, summer boot camps, community events, and so much more.

The Machinists Inc. is a youth apprenticeship program that will provide a closely supervised on-the-job training and education in advanced manufacturing disciplines with the goal to create a foundation for long lasting strong employment opportunities to all those who are admitted to the program. Youth apprentices will work hand in hand with mentors within a selection of manufacturing disciplines to gain experience and knowledge to set them up for success in the manufacturing trades within Seattle, the Puget Sound and beyond. <u>To apply check out their website.</u>

To inquire or enroll in the program please contact Mrs. Olsen, renee.olsen@highlineschools.org

If you are looking for information on internship opportunities please email Ms. Olsen or Ms. Tranholt.

Visit the PTSA website at: http://www.rahsptsa.org/

You can now join the PTSA online. It's never been easier. RAHSptsa.org/membership

Don't forget to follow our PTSA on social media. Facebook: <u>Raisbeck Aviation High School PTSA Twitter: https://twitter.com/RaisbeckAPTSA?s=09</u>

