

NOTAM Class 11202022 Raisbeck Aviation High School Weekly Student Announcements November 20, 2022

What's Happening This Week:

November 23-25 – NO SCHOOL Thanksgiving Break

Upcoming Events:

November 30 – Information Night for prospective students @ RAHS at 6:00

December 8 - Mentor Networking Event 3:45 – 5:15 @ RAHS

Principal's Phoenix Flyers:

Hello RAHS Families and Community -

It has been a busy month already at RAHS with lots of holiday traditions in front of us! Families, if you have not already signed up, **Student Led Conferences** are being held into the evening on Monday and Tuesday, 11/21 and 11/22 this week. Make sure you connect with your students' advisory teacher if you have not done so already.

Congratulations go out to seniors **Alexis Lee and Kellan Hoel** who were selected by staff as the **SeaTac-Tukwila Rotary Students of the Month** for November. We are really proud of the work these two scholars are doing in service to our school and the community, providing leadership in a variety of pursuits, pursuing academic excellence, and strong citizenship. Way to go Alexis and Kellan!

Our **Speech and Debate Team** is off to a great start this year! The team had a strong showing at the Tahoma tournament this weekend. Freshmen and Sophomores gained excellent insight and experience, and are eager to prepare for the next tourney! Upperclassman were led by the strong performances of **senior Alexa Weinmaster** who broke into the semi-finals in Lincoln Douglas debate, and of **senior Quinton Pho** who finished 9th overall in Open Impromptu Speaking. It was a fun tournament and competitors are excited to be back in person debating and performing. A big "thank you" to parents **Doug Weinmaster and Shannon Wood** – we appreciate your parental involvement! Nice job team – can't wait to hear about the next tournament.

A big shout out to the entire **Highline Schools Community!** Thanks to all of YOU voters, the Highline bond passed with over 65% voting in favor of the bond! This bond will allow upgrades to many of our schools, and other important initiatives that support all of our students.

However you celebrate, have a relaxing and safe Thanksgiving with family, friends and loved ones – a special time to give thanks for all we have.

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Announcements

RAHS Families – **PTSA General Membership Meeting**, Thursday, November 17 @ 6:30, in person at RAHS. Agenda includes update from Principal Tipton, Auction planning team update, budget update and teams and clubs update. We hope to see you there!

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RAHS Families – Just a reminder if your student is home sick, has an appointment during school hours or is late to school, please call our attendance line at 206-631-7217 or email Ms. Clem: <u>Samantha.Clements@highlineschools.org</u>.

Sophomores and Juniors – PSAT scores will be available no later than **December 10**. Set up a <u>College Board account</u> to access your scores and study guides for the SAT

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 (next to the Community Service forms) 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 - Order your **graduation cap and gown** now to beat the late order rush! Go to <u>www.jostens.com</u> and put in our school name to get to the order page. For questions see Mr. Sav.

Students - Turbulence Ultimate Frisbee – Winter COED Season is upon us! This is a super fun league and a great way to get to know your classmates outside of the classroom. And you get P.E. credit! Girls are especially encouraged to come out. **All skill levels are welcome!** Registration is closing soon, so don't delay! Please contact Nancy Scheyer Gholston nscheyer@msn.com. Nancy will provide details on how to register which needs to be done by Nov 26th. You can find more information at Overview - 2023 Winter HS Mixed Team League - DiscNW. Practices are on Fridays from 2:00p-4:30p (or dark) at Tukwila Community Center. Bring cleats and wear layers!

Students - Yearbook orders started on November 15th and run through December 7th. Ordering in this timeframe will be \$50. This is the last chance to get your yearbook at a discounted price. To order a yearbook, please contact Ms. Keithly for a yearbook form or scan one of the QR codes posted around the school.

Students - Blank **Community Service hour** forms are available in the career center and in the main office. Make sure to stop by the main office to turn in completed forms and check your hours.

Students - Students, **did you purchase an ASB Card** after your student pictures were taken? Please stop by Ms. Keithly's office to receive your ASB sticker. If you're not sure if you've purchased an ASB card, please email margo.keithly@highlineschools.org or stop by my office. If you'd like to purchase an ASB Card they cost \$30. We take cash or check made payable to RAHS. If you'd prefer to pay online please follow the link. https://wa-highline.intouchreceipting.com/

Students - Start a PE or Art contract – everything you need is in Canvas: https://hsd.instructure.com/enroll/4WGYJG
Do you or your family have questions about PE contract rules, requirements, or process? Check out https://tinyurl.com/rahspeguide

Students - Did you know King County Library offers free, live, online tutoring and homework help, including research and essay writing? It's free to all students with just your student ID number

- o To get an account or learn about KCLS services: https://kcls.org/middle-high-school-students/
- o For tutoring sign up and information: https://kcls.org/kids-subject/tutoring/

ASB Club Information

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 Ms. St. Clair's room. For questions contact Ms. S. Clair at cori.stcair@highlineschools.org

Environmental Club

Need community service hours? Want to contribute more to your community? 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 the Ms. Olsons 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.

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

Counselor's Corner

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

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

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."

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

Students: Yale Young Global Scholars (YYGS) is an academic enrichment program for outstanding high school students from around the world. Each summer, students from over 150 countries (including all 50 U.S. states) participate in one interdisciplinary, two-week session at Yale's historic campus. Immerse yourself in a global learning community at Yale University. Application and more information **Deadline: January 10, 2023**

FAFSA/WASFA Webinars are posted <u>here</u>.

Pre-College Summer Programs: Tufts University offers Pre-College summer programs in a number of fields, including Engineering, Climate, and Computer Science. Applications **open December 1**. More information and <u>application</u>

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

Mark your calendars for our upcoming Mentor Networking Events:

December 8, 2022, from 3:45 – 5:15 pm February 09, 2023, from 3:45 - 5:15 pm March 30, 2023, from 3:45 - 5:15 pm

May 24, 2023, from 3:45 – 5:30 pm - *Mentor Thank You Dinner*

All meetings are in person in our Boeing Presentation Center (BPC).

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.

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. Tipton or **Mrs. Olsen** in the Career Center if you have an authorization form to be signed or have questions about a job outside of school!

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.

Students - Bank of America Student Leaders Program Internship. Get first-hand experience in serving your community through a paid eight-week internship with nonprofits like Boys and Girls Clubs of America and Habitat for Humanity. Applications are open now until January 13, 2023. For more information and to sign up check here: https://about.bankofamerica.com/en/making-an-impact/student-leaders

Seniors - Port of Settle Internship application window is now open!!! This is a twelve-week paid hybrid internship program to explore careers at the Port of Seattle in airport operations while learning skills in: project management, public speaking, networking, and leadership. The program runs from January through March, is 6 hours week, and pay is \$18.69 an hour. Apply here: https://aa243.taleo.net/careersection/jobdetail.ftl?job=001440&lang=en
For more information see Ms. Olsen in the Career Center.

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

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PTSA Reflections Contest

The Raisbeck Aviation PTA is looking for art submissions for this year's National PTSA Reflections contest. The Reflections Contest is a themed, national contest. It encourages students to represent their school by expressing themselves through the arts. The theme this year is: "Show Your Voice!"

Students will compete in the High School Division for grades 9-12. Students can submit to more than one category but are only allowed one submission per category. The categories are: Dance, Film, Literature, Music Composition, Photography, and Visual Arts

Your contest submission, along with a <u>student entry form</u>, must be completed and submitted by **Monday**, **November 29th**. After the PTSA has received all submissions, local artists will review the submissions and decide which submissions should advance to the state level. At the state level, students' submissions will compete against other high schoolers in the state. The winners at the state level will go on to compete nationally in Washington D.C.

Detailed entry rules can be found at www.wastatepta.org/events-programs/reflections under the Student Entry Rules Tab. Or you can view our PTSA's Google Slide Presentation which provides a more simple step-by-step overview of the Contest.

Any student with a disability defined under the Americans with Disabilities Act can submit to the Special Artist Division. More information can be found under the Special Artist Division Tab.

The PTSA has a small budget and can help purchase materials for any student in need. To request assistance, or if you have any other questions regarding the reflections contest, please email Raisbeckreflections@gmail.com.

Thank you,

Raisbeck Aviation PTSA

