



HIGH SCHOOL OF HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT

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HSHM Highlights

• HSHM partnered with Lambda Pi Upsilon Sorority and participated in their annual Scarf Drive. This philanthropic endeavor is geared towards collecting scarves to give to underprivileged members in NYC. Each scarf donated awarded students with 30 minutes of community service.

• Introducing, Mr. Mark Hurewitz, General Manager at the Skyline Hotel, and also Chairman of our Advisory Board. His career in the hospitality industry includes being the regional manager of Prime Hospitality supporting up to 12 hotels in New Jersey, as well as being General Manager of both Alliance Hospitality and Affinia Hospitality. Hurewitz has also actively served on the HSHM Advisory Board since 2010. Many HSHM students have benefited from his professional experience through class tours, mock interviews, and internships at his hotel.

• Battle of the Grades will be happening from January until May tracking attendance for each grade. The grade with the highest attendance will be given a celebration on June 9th.

• Student Government has been hard at work. They have been drafting proposals to get different initiatives passed school wide. Class shirts were created for the Class of 2018, morning announcements are given on Monday mornings by the ninth grade, and soon we will be announcing dress down days for the students.

• Congratulations to Cristian Rojas and Johasmin Diaz! They were selected to participate in the CCAP Cooking for Scholarships final competition.



Students arranging scarves for the Scarf Drive.



Mr. Mark Hurewitz, HSHM Advisory Board Chairman.



HSHM Students Ice Skating as their reward for Perfect Attendance.

Save the Date

SAT Examination Dates for Spring 2017:

School SAT Day - April 5, 2017.

Exam will be provided at HSHM.

For the May 6, 2017 SAT Exam:

The registration deadline for this exam is April 7, 2017.

For the June 3, 2017 SAT Exam:

The registration deadline for this exam is May 9, 2017.

To register for any SAT exam, your child must log into their College Board account.

Twelfth Grade Events:

Senior Prom

Thurs June 8, 2017, 7:00pm-11:00pm at Terrace on the Park

Senior Trip

Fri-Sun May 12-14, 2017

Graduation

Tues June 27, 2017 TBD in the school auditorium.

Regents Examination Week:

Tuesday, June 13, 2017 through Thurs June, 22, 2017

Parent Bulletin

Upcoming Parent Association Meetings:

Tue March 14, 2017 -

SLT / PA Meeting 6:00pm-8:00pm

Tue April 4, 2017 -

SLT / PA Meeting 6:00pm-8:00pm

Tue May 9, 2017 -

SLT / PA Meeting 6:00pm-8:00pm.

Parent Teacher Conferences:

Thurs March 23, 2017

Evening - 5:30pm-7:30pm

Fri March 24, 2017

**Students have early dismissal*

Afternoon - 1:00pm-3:45pm

The College Corner

College Now:

HSHM offers tenth through twelfth graders the College Now program. Through this program high school students enroll in college courses free of charge.

Recruitment is taking place now. If your child is interested in the program, or has any questions regarding enrollment have them see Ms. Drouillard in Room 303.

Does your child having a hard time understanding material in their classes? There is now a solution with the **Khan Academy: you can learn anything**-mobile application.

This educational resource compiles tutorials with accompanying instructional videos on various subjects. The service has over 4,200 video lessons that are accessible via streaming as well as downloaded for offline access. The Khan Academy app is completely free and can be acquired by visiting the Google Play Store on Andriod devices or the App Store on your Apple devices.



CCAP Competition Finalists, Johasmin and Cristian.

Engaging our Community

Spring is finally here! New York City is filled with various opportunities to help us actively learn with our children. Below are some activities you may want to attend:

Event: Earth Day NYC 2017

Date/Time/Location: Tuesday, April 18, 2017 from 12pm-7pm in Union Square

Description: This is an annual outdoor festival featuring exhibitors, environmental nonprofits, green businesses, kids activities and live performances.

Event: Washington Square Outdoor Art Exhibit

Date/Time/Location: May 27,28 and 29 from 12pm-6pm on the sidewalks of University Place from East 13th Street South to Waverly Place.

Description: Celebrate Memorial Day weekend with this annual Art Exhibit where free lance artists and designers exhibit their pieces to the public.

Closing Remarks

The HSHM family hopes you enjoyed the Spring edition of our newsletter!

Suggestions, comments or questions are always welcome. Do not hesitate to contact me using the contact information found below.



HSHM Junior Girls with Ms. Paniagua, Parent Coordinator.



Mr. Mompoint with one of our Graduating Seniors.



HSHM Senior Boys.

College planning is very important, here are some useful tools to implement this Spring!

Ninth Grade:

- Have your child build their credentials. Help keep track of their academic awards and community service hours. It will come in handy when they need to highlight their accomplishments for resumes and college applications.
- Start learning with them about college. Have them schedule appointments with their guidance counselors to talk about college, and begin researching schools.

Tenth Grade:

- It is really important for your child to keep focused and do well in their classes. Grades affect your child's GPA and class rank; those are two factors that colleges consider in the admissions process.
- Have your child continue researching colleges, and develop a list of the schools that interest them. Also, go with them to college fairs and college materials from each school.
- Encourage your child to schedule time with their guidance counselor to talk about their goals and plans when it pertains to college.
- Your child should start studying and getting familiar with the SAT exam that is required of them for college.

Eleventh Grade:

- Make sure your child begins the scholarship search, and getting familiar with what the requirements are for each.
- Internships look amazing on a college application. Have your child apply to internships over the summer. If your child has any questions about internships have them see Ms. Paniagua in Room 405.
- Continue visiting colleges and acquiring information about the schools your child wishes to attend.
- Have your child continue studying and preparing for the SAT exam in May.

Twelfth Grade:

- Watch your mail! Your child should be receiving admissions decisions from their colleges by March or April. Notifications as well as financial aid awards should be arriving by the end of April.
- Your child should notify all the schools of their intent by May 1st. If they are unsure where to attend, they should consider scheduling one more visit to each college they have been accepted to, to ask final questions.
- Now is the time that your child will receive their FAFSA acknowledgement. Review packages, and if needed apply for loans needed.
- Enrollment paperwork should be arriving soon with course scheduling, orientation, housing arrangements, and other necessary forms. Be sure your child completes all paperwork needed by the appropriate deadlines.

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