



ROSSVIEW HIGH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

December 16, 2022



Upcoming Events

Dec. 16	Half Day; Make Up Exams End of Second 9 Weeks Basketball-Wilson Central @ RHS
Dec. 19-Jan. 2	Winter Break
Dec. 19-21	Basketball-Beech Christmas Tournament (Girls)
Dec. 20	Wrestling-MBA Duals
Dec. 21	Basketball-RHS vs. Chattanooga Brainerd (Boys)
Dec. 23	Wrestling-Christian County Boys Tournament @ Christian County
Jan. 3-4	Staff Development Days (No School for Students)
Jan. 5	Students Return; Start of the Third Quarter

General Announcements

- **President's Emerging Leaders Program at Austin Peay State Univ.**
 - High school seniors who plan to enter Austin Peay as full-time freshmen in the Fall of 2023 can now apply to PELP. To be considered for PELP, you must:

- Have a 3.6 high school GPA.
 - An ACT score of 24 or higher.
 - And exhibit leadership qualities as evidenced by participation in high school and community service activities.
- The deadline to apply is 31 December 2022. Austin Peay accepts twenty students per year into the program and those students receive a \$3,000 per year scholarship that is renewable for all four years as long as the student retains a 3.5 GPA, is full-time, takes the PELP class, and completes forty hours of community service per year. PELP students have many perks, not the least of which is the opportunity to build a great network with alumni and others in the community.
- The website for the application is: <https://www.apsu.edu/pelp/apply.php> and the deadline is 31 December. As long as they have the online application completed by that date at 11:59 PM, students can send Dr. Winters their essay responses in early January. They also need one letter of recommendation and that can also be submitted after the deadline.
- If you have any questions about the program, please feel free to contact winterst@apsu.edu
- **Pre-Registration Meetings:** Before exams, counselors met with each grade level for pre-registration talks to begin thinking about classes for next year and to learn where to access applications for those courses that have an application process. Students can access the link to their grade level pre-registration document on the RHS School Counseling Website in the [Spring Registration link](#). <https://sites.google.com/cmcss.net/rhs-school-counseling/registration/spring-registration?authuser=0&pli=1> Kirkwood High School was also on campus to meet with those students attending KiHS next year.
- **After Prom:** After prom is looking for help raising funds and our next big activity is working the Titans game on December 29. If you are available to help with concessions at Nissan stadium on December 29, please sign up through this link, <https://forms.gle/qffjDi5N1ULxQ88A> or contact tiffani.bowers@cmcss.net Thank you for your support!
- **ASG:** Sophomore ASG is selling Class of 2025 t-shirts, shirts are \$20 and on sale until the 16th. See the link in your English II google classroom to purchase.
- **FCA:** FCA T-shirts are on sale now! Help support FCA by scanning the QR code on the posters in the hallway or see an FCA member!
- **Tutoring Opportunity for Freshmen:** Are you a 9th grader who needs help with your assignments? We will offer extra tutoring and academic assistance for our current 9th graders. Freshmen tutoring sessions will start 11/21 in the library afterschool from 2:30 – 4 every Monday and Wednesday. ASG and NHS students will be tutoring the 9th graders.
- **Speech and Debate Team Selling Chocolate:** If you like chocolate, the Speech Team is selling See's Candies to raise money to attend upcoming tournaments, host their invitational Feb. 11 and Districts in March. All ordering is done online and the candies are delivered directly to your house. https://www.yumraising.com/secure/rossviewhs_rossview_high_school_speech_team92/Ali_Arc3069/candy
- **Governor's School:** Governor's Schools are now accepting applications. For more info, please visit the RHS School Counseling website under the student opportunities tab.
- **Online FAFSA Help for Parents: Seniors, need FAFSA help?**
 - Visit our website for information on this month's FAFSA live webinars, Q & As and videos, as well as contact info for direct help with the experts for those more difficult questions. <https://sites.google.com/cmcss.net/rhs-school-counseling/seniors/financial-aid>
 - <https://www.collegefortn.org/fafsa/> It includes videos for a step-by-step guide on how to fill out the FAFSA.
- **Middle College:** The 2023-2024 Middle College application is now open! Interested sophomores and juniors can now complete the application online. Applicants must have a 2.85 to be considered. (Middle College will be looking at the cumulative GPA in January after 1st semester grades are added.) There is not a deadline set at this time but Middle College will start interviewing qualified applicants when we return to school in January. We encourage interested students to go ahead and apply! FAQ on the main page covers many of the questions that students and parents may have. (If the link doesn't work, it's the first announcement on the main page.) If you have additional questions, please feel free to email Heather.mendoza@cmcss.net or phyllis.casebolt@cmcss.net Main webpage: <https://middlecollege.cmcss.net/> Application link: <https://forms.gle/j3dRoyzkENiYT1ew8>
- **Teacher Appreciation:** Would you like an opportunity to show your appreciation for our amazing faculty and staff? We are looking for local businesses, organizations, clubs, and churches to sponsor breakfast, lunch, or

snacks/treats for our faculty and staff. If you would like to support us as we work hard to prepare for another fabulous year, please email Dr. Sanders at Meghen.Sanders@cmcss.net for more details!

February 2 dinner (Parent-teacher conferences)
February 8 breakfast, lunch, or snacks
March TBD lunch (ACT day)
May 1-5 breakfast, lunch, or snacks (Teacher Appreciation Week)

Congrats to the RHS JROTC LET 1 Colorguard, who placed 3rd at the Red River Brigade Drill Competition on Saturday. The team is Charity Johnson, Yoonwoo Choi, Julie'Onna Wolford and Sh'Kanah-Glory Compton and is coached by CSM (R) Conner.



Join our Facebook group for updates and information:



What is after prom? After prom is a safe environment for our students to go, after prom is over. It runs from 11:30pm to 5:00am and provides games and activities for the students to

participate in, with a chance to win a plethora of prizes! This isn't possible without the support of parents and we need your help!



Our next big activity is working concessions at Nissan stadium for the December 29 Titans game against the Dallas Cowboys! If interested in helping you can sign up through this link! [Titans Game Sign Up-
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSd2IVz4lhu8r0qIHJAxzAkRv8r1gNo4OSWRy5uo6_n6mjrGw/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSd2IVz4lhu8r0qIHJAxzAkRv8r1gNo4OSWRy5uo6_n6mjrGw/viewform)

Bring your senior with you! They can also work the game as long as they are 16!

RHS Hawks After Prom
@HawksAfterProm23



Not available to work but want to make a donation? Donations are gladly accepted through our Venmo account: @HawksAfterProm23

In the spring we will have graduation yard signs, senior shirts, ferns and more! Join our facebook page to keep up to date!

Graduation Information for Seniors:

Graduation Attire

- Option #1: White-collared dress shirt, black tie or bow ties with no pattern (no western bolos), black dress slacks, and black dress shoes. No tennis shoes, crocs or shoes with patterns! If any of these items are an issue, see your guidance counselor, Dr. Herndon, or Dr. Sanders.
- Option #2: Dress or skirt of any color (should not be longer than your graduation gown) and black shoes. No flip flops, house shoes, or Crocs. You will need bobby pins for your graduation cap. If any of these items are an issue, see your guidance counselor, Dr. Herndon, or Dr. Sanders
- All graduates: Graduation caps are worn flat on the top of your head, not on the back of your head. NOTHING IS TO BE WRITTEN ON YOUR GRADUATION CAP! When you pick up your gown, hang it up to remove the wrinkles. Do not iron your graduation gown.
- Your attire will be checked by faculty members as you enter the Dunn Center. If you are not dressed according to the dress code, you will not be permitted to walk.

General Information

- Graduation will be held at the Austin Peay State University Dunn Center, Saturday, May 27, 2022 at 3:00 PM

Guest Ticket Information

- Each student will receive a maximum of ten (10) guest tickets.
- EVERYONE must have a ticket to be admitted. This includes minor children.
- NO STUDENT WILL BE GIVEN MORE THAN TEN (10) TICKETS UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES.
- *Please be aware that if we have to change the location of our graduation ceremonies, the number of guests that will be allowed to attend may significantly decrease. This is not likely, but possible.

Guest Guidelines for Graduation (Per Austin Peay State University)

- Those who plan to attend graduation must be able to affirm the following:
 - They have not been in close contact with a confirmed case of Covid-19 in the last fourteen (14) days.
*This does not apply to medical professionals, first responders, or other individuals who encounter COVID-19 as part of their professional or caregiving duties while wearing appropriate PPE.
- Every guest entering the Dunn Center, regardless of age, must have a ticket.
- Every guest entering the Dunn Center, regardless of age, must sit in their designated seat.
- Guests will not be allowed on the Dunn Center floor before, during, and after the ceremony.
- Guests should enter the Dunn Center through the entrance designated on the front of their admission ticket. The doors will open one (1) hour prior to the start of the ceremony.

Additional Information

- Absolutely no “air horns” or disruptive devices will be tolerated during the graduation ceremony. Any disruptive attendants will be escorted from the building by law enforcement.
- Austin Peay offers a free live webcast of each commitment ceremony. A link to the webcast will be available on the commencement webpage within 24 hours of each ceremony. Commencement is also aired live on CDE Lightband Channel 9, Spectrum Cable Channel 192, and AT&T Uverse Channel 99. It can also be heard on WAPX-FM radio, 91.9 MHZ. We are delighted that family members from anywhere in the world will be able to hear their loved one’s name called during this important event.

FREE ACT Resource for Juniors, Seniors, and Educators

TDOE partnering with UT Martin to offer free access to ACT Prep workshops!

These workshops are offered to juniors, seniors and educators.

<https://www.utm.edu/departments/nondegree/courses/children/actprep.php>

Visitors in the Front office

If you are dropping something off for a student: there is a table in the office that has a sharpie and stickers. Please put your student’s name on the sticker and place item on the table. We will get the item to the student during the school day. Please do not wait in our office for the student to come.

Acceptable things to drop off:

- Lunchbox that was forgotten at home or in car.
- Laptop or computer charger
- Homework, books, school supplies
- Glasses or other personal items
- Note to tell your child they are a bus rider or car rider that day
- Water ONLY

Not acceptable:

- Outside food (fast food, restaurant food, etc.)

Dismissing Students

In order for a student to be dismissed, the following must be done:

- A student brings a hand-written parent note in the morning of the school day they need to be dismissed. The note MUST have guardian's name giving permission, phone number, and time the student is to be dismissed.
- Parent/Guardian comes into the front office with their driver's license to check the student out.

NOT acceptable for dismissal:

- Phone calls
- Emails
- Faxes
- Self-dismiss

Drivers' Permit:

- Must fill out an SF-1010 form, these can be picked up in the front office.
- After filling out the form, the front office assistants will check for the following State of Tennessee Requirements:
 - Student must be at least 15 years of age
 - Students must pass more than half of their courses during the previous semester
 - Students must have fewer than 15 non-consecutive unexcused absences and/or days of suspension during the previous semester OR fewer than 10 consecutive unexcused absences and/or days of suspension during the previous semester.
- When the student's form is ready, they will be notified when to pick up in the front office.
- Please allow 24 hours to process.
- Forms are valid for 30 days from the date. When expired, students will have to complete the process again.
- **If students owe any fees (books, laptops, charger, etc). They will not receive an SF1010 form until these fees are paid. **

Helpful Links:

- Calendars:
<https://www.cmcss.net/calendars/>
- School website:
<https://rossviewhigh.cmcss.net/>
- RHS on Facebook:
<https://www.facebook.com/Rossview-High-Hawks-1209149245867625/>
- Rossview Traffic Plan:
<https://www.cmcss.net/rossview-traffic-plan/>
- School Counseling webpage:
<https://sites.google.com/cmcss.net/rhs-school-counseling/home>

CMCSS Safety & Health Protocols:

- What COVID-19 health and safety protocols are in place?
Click on this link to learn more:
<https://www.cmcss.net/blog/2021/05/19/2021-2022-health-and-safety-overview/>
- **CMCSS School Safety Hub:**
<https://www.cmcss.net/school-safety/>
- **CMCSS Student Code of Conduct:**
<https://employees.cmcss.net/misc/ViewISO?filename=STS-M001.pdf>

FCA T-SHIRTS FOR SALE



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Deadline- January 4th



SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS



Questions?

Clarksville-Montgomery County School System
Substitute Program
931.920.7427
substituteprogram@cmcass.net
621 Gracey Avenue, Clarksville, TN 37040
www.cmcass.net

Substitute Department

The Clarksville-Montgomery County School System's Substitute Program employs hundreds of substitute teachers yearly. Substitute teachers are essential to student achievement and success. This extraordinary position ensures that students' learning continues daily for thousands of students in Pre-K-12th grade.

MISSION

The mission of the CMCSS Substitute Program is to provide our students with quality instruction, consistency, and structure aligned with CMCSS Strategic Work and Operating Principles.

VISION

Every classroom is filled with a quality substitute teacher who feels prepared to serve in a capacity consistent with the expectations of a teacher and the administration within a school.

OUR DISTRICT

The CMCSS mission is to educate and empower students to reach their full potential. The CMCSS community is built on an academically focused foundation and consistently strives for student excellence. CMCSS employs over 5,300 employees yearly and serves a diverse student population of over 37,000 students. CMCSS comprises of 25 elementary, 8 middle, and 8 high schools. There are various Academies and other specialized schools within the district.

PAY SCALE *Pay is Determined by Tier Levels*

Tier 1: High School Diploma or Equivalent \$12/hr.

Tier 2: STEDI Substitute Certification or Expired Teaching Certification \$12.50/hr.

Tier 3: Current Teaching Certification or TN Retired Teacher \$16.50/hr.

BENEFITS

- Full-time job advancement opportunities
- Transfer rights
- Competitive pay
- Flexible work schedules
- Full-day and ½ day scheduled assignments
- Training and professional development

REQUIREMENTS

- Proof of high school graduation or GED
- 2 completed references (one current or previous supervisor required)

OFFICE HOURS

6:00-4:30 Monday-Friday
7:30-4:30 When school is not in session

Driving the Future



Picking up kids?

HOW ABOUT A FEW MORE?

CMCSS is actively hiring bus drivers! If you are looking for an opportunity to have a flexible schedule, excellent benefits, and still be home after school for your kids, consider becoming a school bus driver.

Learn more at cmcss.net/busdrivers.

Driving the Future

THE PERKS:

- **\$18.66/hour**
- **\$1,000 sign-on bonus**
- **Summers off**
- **Split shifts, which provide mid-day flexibility**
- **No weekends, nights, or holidays**
- **Extra work available if desired**
- **Regular training and development at no cost to employee**
- **Health benefits, sick days, vacations, and personal days**
- **Positive work culture**
- **Ability to work outdoors**
- **The opportunity for retirees to earn extra income**
- **Making a difference in your community**
- **Guaranteed six-hours each day**



Apply online: www.cmcss.net
For questions on applying contact Calvin Holliday at 931.358.4230.



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