

September 3, 2019

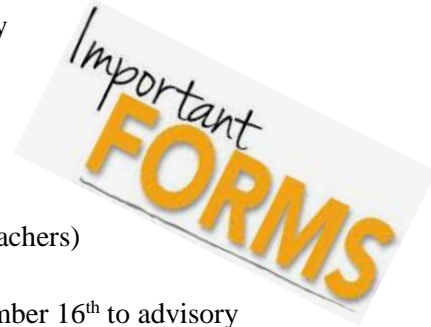
Good Morning Parents and Guardians,

I would like to begin this week's message by thanking our Faculty, staff, and students for a phenomenal opening week last week. Students are beginning to get into a productive routine in their classes and our faculty spent a lot of time in class with activities that assisted in students learning about one another through team building and ice breaker activities. It is our goal that students recognize each other's unique abilities and appreciate the strength in our district and school's diversity.



As a reminder, there are several important forms due back to school soon (to advisory teachers by September 16). These forms were handed out in advisory last week and include the following:

- School Calendar
- Bell Schedule
- Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) Lunch and Breakfast Letter
- Personal Electronic Devices Permission Slip (Due back by September 16th to advisory teachers)
- Publicity Release Form (Due back by September 16th to advisory teachers)
- Parent/Student Acknowledgement State – Code of Student Conduct (Due back by September 16th to advisory teachers)
- Internet User Agreement (Due back by September 16th to advisory teachers)
- Health Room Emergency Information (Due back by September 16th to advisory teachers)



I have also included a copy of these documents to our website at www.casdschools.org/caihs in the event that you need an additional copy.

Last Thursday, our faculty, staff and students successfully performed two emergency drills. We completed our August fire drill then subsequently practiced our reverse evacuation into the building. Everyone did a great job with the evacuation process and following the expectations of these drills. Please reiterate to your child the importance of taking our safety drills seriously and following the directives of an adult so that we can perform them in a successful manner in the event of an emergency situation. Our AFJROTC program is off to another great school year. Cadets have already participated in the unfurling of the US Flag at our first home football game and closed out the last week of summer with a visit to the White House and Capitol Building Complex. If your child may be interested in joining our AFJROTC program there is still time to do so. Please contact your child's counselor with the request. The program is a leadership and citizenship development one that can set apart a student for the process of college admission, employment acceptance, and military readiness to name a few. There is not a military obligation associated with the program. Our AFJROTC instructors will be hosting an informational session this Wednesday, September 4, beginning at 6:00pm for all current and



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prospective students and their families. Stop by and see for yourself all the positive benefits of being a cadet! I have also included the September AFJROTC Corps Communicator attached to this email.

Adopt a teacher is back for the 2019-2020 school year. This year's goal a goal to get every teacher and administrator adopted. Your help would truly be appreciated. Please use the link below if you are interested in supporting our teachers and administrators. Once at the site you will be able to view the list of teachers and administrators that can be adopted and supported by you. Thank you for your support and dedication to our educators.



https://coatesvillecap.blogspot.com/p/blog-page_27.html



Student picture day is this Friday (September 6). The Lifetouch photographers will be here taking photos for those interested in purchasing a photo package and for school identification cards. All students are required to have their photo taken regardless if they plan to purchase a package or not for ID purposes. Package options can be viewed on our school website at www.casdschools.org/caihs.

You can also now order before picture day at mylifetouch.com by using our Picture Day ID number **MJ019045Q0**. Online orders will not require the picture day form on September 6.

As you may be aware our football games offer a great opportunity for our community to come together to support the members of the Red Raider Marching Band, Cheerleaders, and Football team. As in past years our students have designated different theme nights for the 2019 season. Please feel free to participate in the theme nights as well as encourage your child to do the same if you plan to attend the game. Please see below for the game dates and theme designation.

DATE	LOCATION	THEME
9/6/19	@ CUMBERLAND VALLEY	JERSEY
9/13/19	HENDERSON	USA NIGHT
9/20/19	@ UNIONVILLE	TIE DYE
9/27/19	@ WC RUSTIN	NEON
10/4/19	AVON GROVE (HOMECOMING)	
10/11/19	BISHOP SHANAHAN	PINK OUT
10/18/19	@ DOWNINGTOWN WEST	BLACK OUT
10/25/19	@ DOWNINGTOWN EAST	WHITE OUT



Speaking of fall sports, this morning I will begin meeting with our fall sports athletes to discuss the importance of their role and expectations in and out of the school in reference to being a positive ambassador for our school, district, and community. My purpose is to also communicate our expectations early in the season so that our student-athletes can have the best experience possible in their specific sport. In addition to these expectations, I will also be discussing the CASD / and PIAA rules regarding attendance, academics, and how being a student-athlete can positively impact their lives years beyond high school.



DISTRICT NEWS

Student Code of Conduct

On August 13, 2019 the Board of School Directors approved the 2019-2020 Code of Student Conduct. By now you should have received the Code of Student conduct via email. Please review the Code of Student Conduct with your child to ensure he/she understands district expectations and responsibilities as a student of the Coatesville Area School District. The signature page titled Acknowledging Receipt of the code will be sent home with all students during the week of August 26th. In addition, the User Agreement for acceptable use of internet, computers, and Network Resources and the Publicity Release form will be sent home with your child. Please review these forms, sign, and return to your child's teacher.

Technology & 1:1 Initiative

The Coatesville Area School District (CASD) is proud to announce our new 1:1 technology initiative, thanks in part to the [T-Mobile EmpowerED](#) grant. The Coatesville Area School District recognizes the significance of providing a technology-infused learning environment. This opportunity has allowed CASD to create a new 1:1 device program that will ultimately provide our students the appropriate technological tools necessary to access educational materials both inside and outside the classroom.

What this Means for your Student

In early October, each student will receive a laptop to be used both at school and at home throughout the 2019 – 2020 school year. CASD will distribute these laptops to each student from kindergarten through 12th grade. Your student will either receive a Dell or a HP Chromebook 11G6. These laptops are Google-based and selected for their ease of use, portability and durability. In addition, each student will receive a T-Mobile hotspot with 2 gigs of data per month, for home use with the laptop, allowing students home access to educational materials.

Responsibility

All equipment provided to the students is owned by the CASD and will be distributed to the students for educational purposes only. CASD believe this program allows us to promote responsibility amongst our students when it comes to caring for the new equipment. The technology taskforce has been working weekly to exploring options to cover ongoing costs such as the T-Mobile hotspots, two (2) gigs of data per student per month, technical and maintenance support for district issued devices and insurance that will cover the District's cost of repairing and/or replacing damaged equipment, as well as loaner devices.



Coming Soon

More information will be coming soon on policy and guidelines. To insure your child can participate you must sign a policy agreement with the district. This will be handed out a few weeks before devices are distributed. Our program has drawn upon and incorporated best practices of successful 1:1 programs from around the nation.

Thank you for reading this week and for your convenience I have attached a list of upcoming events for the next two weeks. I hope to see you at a few of our events supporting our students!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Brian M. Chenger".

Brian M. Chenger

Principal

Tuesday	3-Sep	5:30 PM	BOYS JV SOCCER	H	Octorara Junior/Senior	Multipurpose Turf
	3-Sep	7:00 PM	BOYS VARSITY SOCCER	H	Octorara Junior/Senior	Multipurpose Turf
	3-Sep	3:00 PM	GOLF	H	Henderson HS	Coatesville Country Club
	3-Sep	3:30 PM	GIRLS VARSITY SOCCER	H	Chichester	Multipurpose Turf
	3-Sep	3:30 PM	GIRLS VARSITY TENNIS	H	Avon Grove HS	11th Ave & Rt 30
	3-Sep	5:00 PM	GIRLS JV TENNIS	H	Avon Grove HS	11th Ave & Rt 30
Wednesday	4-Sep	4:00 PM	CROSS COUNTRY	A	@ Downingtown West HS	Springton Manor Farm
	4-Sep	3:30 PM	GOLF	A	@ Bishop Shanahan	Downingtown CC
	4-Sep	3:30 PM	VARSITY FIELD HOCKEY	H	Academy Park High School	Multipurpose Turf
	4-Sep	5:00 PM	JV FIELD HOCKEY	H	Academy Park High School	Multipurpose Turf
Thursday	5-Sep	3:30 PM	9TH GRADE FOOTBALL	H	Downingtown West HS	Stadium
	5-Sep	5:30 PM	BOYS JV SOCCER	A	@ West Chester East HS	East HS Soccer Field - #222
	5-Sep	7:00 PM	BOYS VARSITY SOCCER	A	@ West Chester East HS	Stadium Turf
	5-Sep	5:30 PM	JV FIELD HOCKEY	H	West Chester East HS	Multipurpose Turf
	5-Sep	7:00 PM	VARSITY FIELD HOCKEY	H	West Chester East HS	Multipurpose Turf
	5-Sep	3:30 PM	GIRLS VARSITY TENNIS	A	@ Oxford Area HS	
	5-Sep	5:00 PM	GIRLS JV TENNIS	A	@ Oxford Area HS	
	5-Sep	3:30 PM	JV VOLLEYBALL	H	West Chester East HS	9/10 Center Gym
	5-Sep	5:00 PM	VARSITY VOLLEYBALL	H	West Chester East HS	9/10 Center Gym
Friday	6-Sep	7:00 PM	VARSITY CHEERLEADING	A	@ Cumberland Valley	
	6-Sep	7:00 PM	VARSITY FOOTBALL	A	@ Cumberland Valley	
	6-Sep	7:00 PM	MARCHING BAND	A	@ Cumberland Valley	
Saturday	7-Sep	12:00 PM	VARSITY FIELD HOCKEY	A	@ Marple Newtown	Stadium Field
	7-Sep	1:30 PM	JV FIELD HOCKEY	A	@ Marple Newtown	Stadium Field
Monday	9-Sep	5:00 PM	BOYS JV FOOTBALL	A	@ Cumberland Valley	
	9-Sep	3:00 PM	GOLF	H	Pottsgrove	Coatesville Country Club
	9-Sep	3:45 PM	VARSITY FIELD HOCKEY	A	@ Pottsgrove	Pottsgrove HS
	9-Sep	5:00 PM	JV FIELD HOCKEY	A	@ Pottsgrove	
	9-Sep	7:00 PM	GIRLS VARSITY SOCCER	H	Henderson HS	Multipurpose Turf
	9-Sep	3:30 PM	GIRLS VARSITY TENNIS	H	Pottsgrove	11th Ave & Rt 30
	9-Sep	5:00 PM	GIRLS JV TENNIS	H	Pottsgrove	11th Ave & Rt 30
	9-Sep	3:45 PM	JV VOLLEYBALL	A	@ Pottsgrove	
	9-Sep	5:00 PM	VARSITY VOLLEYBALL	A	@ Pottsgrove	Pottsgrove HS
Tuesday	10-Sep	5:30 PM	BOYS JV SOCCER	A	@ Henderson HS	
	10-Sep	7:00 PM	BOYS VARSITY SOCCER	A	@ Henderson HS	J. Oscar Dicks Stadium
	10-Sep	3:00 PM	GOLF	A	@ Downingtown East HS	Whitford Country Club
	10-Sep	5:30 PM	JV FIELD HOCKEY	H	Henderson HS	Multipurpose Turf
	10-Sep	7:00 PM	VARSITY FIELD HOCKEY	H	Henderson HS	Multipurpose Turf
	10-Sep	3:30 PM	JV VOLLEYBALL	H	Henderson HS	9/10 Center Gym
	10-Sep	5:00 PM	VARSITY VOLLEYBALL	H	Henderson HS	9/10 Center Gym
Wednesday	11-Sep	4:00 PM	CROSS COUNTRY	A	Avon Grove HS @ Henderson HS	Westtown Oakbourne Park
	11-Sep	3:45 PM	GIRLS VARSITY SOCCER	A	@ West Chester Rustin HS	Stadium
Thursday	12-Sep	3:15 PM	9TH GRADE FOOTBALL	A	@ Unionville HS	UHS Stadium Field (2)
	12-Sep	5:30 PM	BOYS JV SOCCER	H	West Chester Rustin HS	Multipurpose Turf

	12-Sep	7:00 PM	BOYS VARSITY SOCCER	H	West Chester Rustin HS	Multipurpose Turf
	12-Sep	3:45 PM	VARSITY FIELD HOCKEY	A	@ West Chester Rustin HS	Stadium
	12-Sep	5:00 PM	JV FIELD HOCKEY	A	@ West Chester Rustin HS	
	12-Sep	3:30 PM	GIRLS VARSITY TENNIS	H	Bishop Shanahan	11th Ave & Rt 30
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	13-Sep	7:00 PM	VARSITY FOOTBALL	H	Henderson HS	Stadium
	13-Sep	4:00 PM	GIRLS VARSITY TENNIS	A	@ Octorara Junior/Senior	Octorara High School
	13-Sep	3:30 PM	VARSITY VOLLEYBALL	H	Faith Christian (SELLERSVILLE)	9/10 Center Gym
	13-Sep	7:00 PM	MARCHING BAND	H	Henderson HS	
Saturday	14-Sep	11:00 AM	GIRLS VARSITY SOCCER	A	@ Academy Park High School	Academy Park HS
	14-Sep	TBD	MARCHING BAND	A	USBANDS	North Penn High School