Students Be Aware! November, 2022 Newsletter

Cap & Gown Orders

Seniors, if you have not ordered your cap and gown yet please do so immediately. Orders are now being taken online at <u>www.jostens.com</u> or at 1-800-567-8367. Cap and gown prices will increase monthly. Right now the price is \$29.68 (including taxes). Order forms are also available in the guidance office.

The Common Application

Discover the Common App advantage at <u>commonapp.org</u> It is never too early for students to prepare for college. The Common App website is an excellent resource hub. There is content to support students and parents during all phases of the college admission process. Look for tools, tips, and information about college planning, paying for college and the application process. If you need help with your college essay, look for the essay prompts within the common app site.

New Castle School of Trades

New Castle School of Trades is offering scheduled visits. Students and their parents will be able to tour the school and learn about the programs they offer, including: Automotive Technology, Welding, Heave Equipment Operator, Machinist Technology, Refrigeration & A/C Technology, Diesel & Heavy Equipment Repair. Please see their website for more information. https://www.ncstrades.edu/new-castle-programs/

Elks National Foundations Most Valuable Student Scholarship

The Elks National Foundation will award 500 four-year scholarships to the highest rated senior applicants in the 2023 competition. Applicants will be judged on scholarship, leadership, and financial need. Applications <u>must</u> be done online no later than November 14, 2022. www.elks.org/enf/scholars/mvs.cfm.

New Academic Degrees at Slippery Rock University

Slippery Rock University's Department of Homeland/Corporate Security and Leadership offers a Bachelor of Science in Corporate Security. The Bachelor of Science in Corporate Security has the choice of a concentration in Organizational Security or a concentration in Fraud. For more information on these degrees contact Susan.lubinski@sru.edu or call her at 724-738-2556.

Waynesburg University Mock Crime Scene Workshop

This workshop will be held on Saturday, November 12, 2022 from 9am to 1:00pm. Students will learn from crime scene professionals and field experts how to investigate a crime scene, properly collect and document evidence, and interview witnesses. No experience is needed to attend this event. However, you'll need to be a high school junior or senior to attend. The day is of no cost to the student, and lunch is provided. For more information contact their Admissions Office at 800 -225-7393 or admissions@waynesburg.edu. Direct registration can be made through their website at http://www.waynesburg.edu/ admissions/schedule-visit/group-visit under "Mock Crime Scene" option.

Penn State Beaver Application Workshop

Visit Penn State Beaver and complete your application and they will waive the \$65 application fee on Friday, November 11, 2022 from 9am to 5pm. Register at: beaver.psu.edu/appworkshop1122

IMPORTANT DATES!!!

November 11—Veteran's Day—NO SCHOOL November 23—Early Dismissal November 24-28—Thanksgiving Break—NO SCHOOL