

Tawas Area High School

Student Announcements

January 17, 2022



SEE AN ACT OF KINDNESS? If so, ask ANY of your teachers to fill out a paper chain link in support of Tawas Kindness! The goal is to have enough acts of kindness to create enough chains to connect middle and high school hallways by the end of the year! Let's do it: Be Kind and Write a Chain!

SO EXCITED ABOUT THE PAPER CHAINS HANGING FROM THE CEILINGS OF THE MAIN HALLWAYS OF BOTH MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL! We are 1/4 of the way to our goal! We need even more! Please ask your teacher for a paper link to fill out for acts of kindness! Keep the chain reaction going!

RACHEL'S CHALLENGE FOR CLUB MEMBERS: THIS MONTH'S MEETING IS THIS WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 19TH, during both A and B Lunches. Please leave class 5 minutes early before your lunch time to bring your lunch to the Alumni gym prior to splitting into your groups. See you Wednesday!

THE FOLLOWING IS COMING DUE:

MICHIGAN INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETIC ADMINISTRATORS ASSOCIATION (MIAAA) SCHOLARSHIP-is awarding thirteen \$1000 scholarships honoring top high school male and female student-athletes from each region. If you have a GPA of 3.50-4.00 and have earned a varsity letter in at least two different sports during your high school career you are eligible to apply. Have [applications](#) to the counseling by January 24, 2022.

HAPPENING TODAY...

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DUAL AND EMC FOR FALL OF 2022-If you are interested in taking college classes please sign up to take the AccuPlacer with us on Tuesday, **FEBRUARY 22 AT 9:00 A.M.** It will be held here at our school and registration for the fall classes will be in March. Sign up using the google form that was sent to you or in the counseling office.

TAWAS PROUD MOMENTS...

THIS PAST SATURDAY THE VARSITY WRESTLING TEAM TRAVELED TO ALPENA AND COMPETED IN A TOURNAMENT against four other schools. We placed 3rd in the tournament with big wins over Alpena and Mancelona! Luke Martin and Lukas Herrick both went 4-0 on the day! Go Braves!

IMPORTANT NEWS...

ALL 1ST AND 2ND SEMESTER WORK PLACEMENT STUDENTS, there will be a mandatory meeting during A lunch today in room 5. Bring your lunches.

SCHEDULE CHANGES NEED TO FINALIZED BY THIS FRIDAY JANUARY 21ST. Please get with counseling office as soon as you can regarding changes. All documentation needs to be turned in by Friday morning to be approved/considered.

HS STUDENT SENATE, DUE TO A SNOW DAY WE MISSED OUR LAST MEETING. WE HAVE MOVED THE MEETING TO THIS week, Thursday the 20th at 7am in Mr. del Rio's room (39 in the MS). If you can't make it, please let us know.

ATHLETIC NEWS...


JV BOYS LOST A TOUGH BATTLE VS OGEMAW.

Leading scorers:

Sherman Hayes with 21 points

JT Bond with 8 points


Monday, January 17

 Varsity Girls against Midland Calvary 6pm

 Varsity Boys against Midland Calvary 7:30pm

 Varsity Hockey @ Utica 1:30 **Out of school all day**

Wednesday, January 19

 JV/V Boys @ Beaverton 6pm

 Varsity @ Ogemaw Heights 6pm


Thursday, January 20

 JV/V Boys against Oscoda 6pm **Coaches Vs Cancer game**


 JV/V Girls @ Ogemaw Heights 6pm


Friday, January 21


 JV/V Girls @ Oscoda 6pm

 Varsity against Manistee 7pm

Saturday, January 22

 Varsity @ Mio 9am

 Varsity against Manistee 1pm

 Varsity @ Hi Skore Lanes against Alcona 1pm

JANUARY 21,22: MSBOA DISTRICT 9 ALL START BAND...Alpena

EVENTS...

TRIO TALENT SEARCH...

TRIO TALENT SEARCH REPRESENTATIVE MR. COLORITE will be in building on Wednesday's if you need to make an appointment with him please stop by the counseling office or room 9 in the high school

VIRTUAL COLLEGE VISITS....

COUNSELING NEWS...

CONGRATULATIONS TO SARAH BAKER for being nominated to attend the MYLead conference at MSU to represent our sophomore class. Students step outside their comfort zone, learn different leadership skills, how to motivate others, goal setting, public speaking and much more. Congratulations Sarah!!!

If you are also interested there is a weekend leadership conference held at Michigan State University in May/June offered through Michigan Youth Leadership (MyLead). Participants will develop the leadership skills necessary to become understanding and effective leaders of tomorrow. Conference activities include motivational speakers, panel discussions about current events, team building exercises and much more. Students who have attended this had an awesome time. If you are interested in more information you can visit the MyLead website at Mylead.org

JUNIORS-If you are a political junkie and want to learn more how the representative government works, leadership skills, and gaining confidence that will propel you into a fantastic career than the Michigan boys/girls state is for you. Boys State will be held at Grand Valley State University June 12-18, 2022. More information and applications are on this [link](#). Applications are also in the counseling office and information if you are needing a sponsor to offset the cost of the trip. Girls State is still in the process of determining dates and locations.

SENIORS AND FAFSA-If you are planning on attending college in the fall you and your parents will need to fill out the FAFSA form which opens on October 1st. Priority consideration for state programs is given to students whose free application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) is received at the federal processor on or before March 1, 2022. [Sallie Mae](#) has a tutorial on how to fill it out along with Mrs. Warner and our TRIO Talent representative.

PLEASE TAKE THE TIME TO FILL THESE OUT AS THEY WILL PRODUCE LOTS OF MONEY \$\$\$\$\$. Remember hard work pays off and come senior award night you will be so happy.

THE LOCAL MASONIC LODGE is offering scholarships for the 2021/2022 school year. Open to all seniors and past graduates. Applications can be found in the counseling office or on this [fillable document](#). Deadline to the counseling office by April 08, 2022.

APPLICATION FOR THE TAWAS AREA FEDERATION OF TEACHERS (TAFT) SCHOLARSHIP IS DOWNLOADABLE [here](#), fill in, print and sign. Deadline to the counseling office by May 02, 2022.

SAT AND ACT TEST-If you are interested in taking the SAT register on [Collegeboard](#) or taking the [ACT](#) register on ACT. Please watch for registration dates and deadlines. The asterisk dates are being held at Tawas Area School.

[SAT/ACT DATES](#)

SENIORS: If you haven't created your parchment accounts for sending transcripts to the Universities that you're applying to please stop by the counseling office to receive your setup codes and information on how to do it. Keep in mind this is the most efficient way to get your transcripts to the Universities of your choice.

SCHOLARSHIPS...

LOCAL...

THE LOCAL CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN BUSINESS WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION is offering a \$2000 scholarship to a FEMALE student who will be attending an accredited U.S. college or university. Applicants must be a US citizen and reside in AuSable, East Tawas, Glennie, Greenbush, Hale, Harrisville, Lincoln, Mikado, National City, Oscoda, South Branch, or Tawas City. You must carry a GPA of a 3.5 or higher. To apply email: BelleFlora@charter.net. Applications must be completed by March 31, 2022.

NATIONAL....

FAST WEB- <https://www.fastweb.com/college-scholarships>

SCHOLARSHIP.COM- <https://www.scholarships.com/>

SALLY MAE SCHOLARSHIPS- <https://www.salliemae.com/college-planning/college-scholarships/>

COLLEGEBOARD- [Big Future Scholarships](#)

MICHIGAN GOVERNMENT-[MI Student Aid](#)
GOING MERRY-[Scholarship and Application Platform](#)

[PLEASE REFER TO THIS LINK FOR A FULL LIST OF NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS](#)