

September 2021

The Bucs are back and are doing an excellent job! We are very pleased to report a very smooth opening week. We are excited to have everyone back in the building.

Tonight marks our first home football game and we are proud to honor our veterans, current military, and first responders at our Veterans Appreciation Night. **Kick off is 6:00PM** against the Easton Warriors. Admission is free to the above groups along with a VIP tent!

Picture Day is Wednesday, **September 8**, at both campuses. An order form was sent home in the first day folders with students and is also attached to this email. Make up picture day will be held on October 20 for those students that miss September 8 or would like to have their picture retaken. This is the picture that goes in the yearbook and on your student ID. Additionally, Lifetouch will be present on **September 14, 15 and 16** for our seniors that did not sit for **senior portraits** this summer. These senior portraits are very important as they are featured within our yearbook and the newspaper closer to graduation. Seniors can schedule their appointments NOW by going to, <https://prestigeportraits.com>. Find your name by utilizing the "Search by City & State" feature.

College application season is upon us and our counseling office is excited to continue to help you and your student through the process! September 16 the counseling office will be hosting a Senior College Information Night beginning at 6:00PM. Mrs. Driscoll has shared more specific information on this event with our seniors and senior parents last week.

Throughout the month of September, all seniors will have individual senior meetings with their school counselor, as well as participate in senior class meetings, which will include a Naviance tutorial.

Please feel free to reach out to your child's school counselor if you have questions. We are here to help everyone through the application process.

State Testing in September

As mentioned in last month's newsletter, the Maryland Comprehensive Assessment Program (MCAP) will be administered in September. Information regarding these assessments can be found [here](#) ([Spanish version](#)). The schedule for when these assessments will be administered, including who will be required to complete each assessment, is [linked here](#).

The Kent Island Drama Department is excited to announce that it will be producing Disney's ***The Little Mermaid*** this Spring! Musical workshops and auditions are just around the corner.

Students who are interested in performing must attend at least one of the provided musical workshops prior to auditions. At the workshops, students will have the opportunity to learn their vocal audition piece(s) and audition choreography. No experience is necessary for any student! Our goal is to provide a safe, challenging, and fun environment that results in a high quality production when we perform in March 2022 that all students can be proud of. There will be a separate meeting for students interested in doing tech (set, light, and/or sound) for the production. Dates for the previously mentioned items are listed below and, if you have any questions, please feel free to contact Mr. Reagan at the following: kevin.reagan@qacps.org

Monday, October 18 & Tuesday, October 19:

2:30 - 4:30 - **Musical Workshops**

Wednesday, October 20 & Thursday October 21:

2:30 - 5:00 - Musical Auditions

Friday, October 22:

2:30 - 5:00 - Musical Callback

Freshman Graduation Requirements

Class of 2025, please review the new [graduation requirements](#) for your class and beyond. If you have any questions regarding these requirements, contact your school counselor.

Our **Quarter 1 Interim Reports** will be emailed home on Wednesday, September 29. After reviewing these documents, please contact your student's teacher or school counselor with questions or concerns. This grading report will determine eligibility for fall sports.

Please continue to refer to our website, www.kihigh.org, for up to date information including our morning Buc Report (starting in October) and the monthly calendar of events. As always, please contact us with questions.

KIHS Administration

[Picture Day Flyer](#)

