



New High School Principal Jon Franks comes home

Berkshire High School welcomes new principal Mr. Franks to the 2021-2022 school year. He attended Burton Elementary from kindergarten to sixth grade and spent seventh through senior year at Berkshire Jr/Sr High School, so he knows what it is like to be in our exact shoes. In order to become a principal he attended multiple universities; John Carroll University, University of Dayton, and Miami University located in Southwest Ohio. For his undergraduate he attended John Carroll University in University Heights, Ohio, then got his masters in Educational Leadership at the University of Dayton and took some additional classes through Miami University to get his certificate to be a principal. In high school he played basketball and baseball right here at Berkshire. Then in college, he played basketball as well.

In his free time he loves to spend it with his family. On the weekends they like to go hiking, and take part in many outdoor events. His two daughters play soccer for the Burton Rec team, so they spend a lot of time going to their soccer games and practices. His favorite fall activity is hiking because the leaves change colors. They love the whole Halloween ideal, and as a tradition they go to a pumpkin patch that the girls have gone to since birth. I asked Mr. Franks what his biggest fear was and he replied with...

"What's my biggest fear? Oh man, that is a good one. Maybe, not doing my job well enough is one big fear of mine. School safety, from a professional standpoint, school safety is always a big fear of mine. I hate missing school because I always want to make sure that I'm here to help in any situation. It is a big fear of mine. Personally, I would have to say reptiles: snakes or anything without fur. Mammals are great, I love dogs... If they don't bite you; I'm not that person to let them crawl all over me. Oh! Roller Coasters and heights".

He came to Berkshire for many different reasons. He grew up in the area and spent the last 15 years in Southwest Ohio. So, he and his wife made the decision that this is where they wanted to continue to raise their family and for his daughters to go to this school district. He is most excited for the new building and all the opportunities that will be available for students in the future. When asked what he would want to do better he answered with...

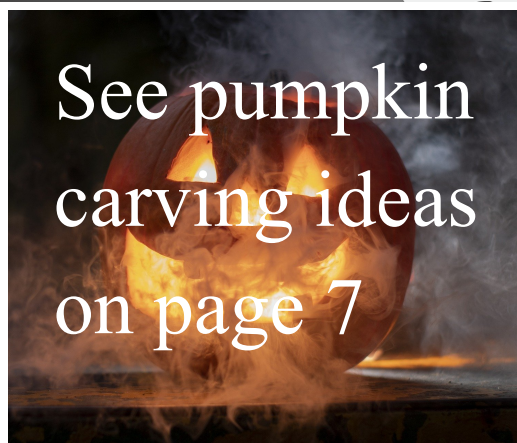
"I don't know a specific answer to that question; it is my job to figure out what that is. I know it's early on, but eventually I want to get together with parents. We're actually starting a process right now forming a couple groups with parents to find out what their thoughts are on how to better the school. Eventually, I'll get together with some student groups as well to get their thoughts. The parents and the students have been here longer than me, they're going to make a better idea of what they want to see become better or improve or refine, so I really value their input in regards to making those improvements. It's my job to help facilitate those improvements and I want to get the input of those valuable stakeholders."

He is very open to the idea of the students saying the morning announcements. I am for this idea because in my little over 4 years of being in the high school the students have always said the morning announcements, and I feel like it's a tradition. He is conferring with Mrs. Hunter to find a candidate that would fit perfectly in this spot, someone who is good at public speaking. This is on his to-do list and he will make this happen. He is trying to be more active with the student body by meeting with different groups to get their input on how we could make improvement to the school. He is very interested in what we do and he loves to go to extracurricular activities. Right now he feels like we think of him as an outsider who is learning and over time he will be more and more involved.



By Taylor Doehrman
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Happy Halloween Berkshire!



2021-2022 Senior Info

by Brenna Hull, Badger Pause Staff

The graduating class of 2022 has been waiting for their senior year for some time, and now it's finally here. Some of us have no idea what we need to complete before we graduate and I'm here to inform my classmates on what we should be working on to finish our high school career and move on to bigger and better things in our lives.

We all have different plans for after high school. If you're planning on going to college, you should look into financial aid to help pay for all your expenses. We recently had a small discussion on it in our English classes, and a personal meeting about looking into financial aid. If you are considering getting financial help, you and your family and start filling out the FAFSA form starting October 1st.

The Senior Shadow Project is currently pending. Nevertheless this project seems pretty stressful since all CCP, Auburn, and Berkshire students are required to complete it to graduate. The Senior Shadow will be taking place, no matter what form, between May 2nd-May 13th, so make sure you start thinking about what you want to look into. More information will be coming soon.

Service hours are also required for graduation but lucky for the graduating class of 2022 we are only required to complete 10 hours of service due to Covid restrictions the past few years. Remember that you must complete services at a non-profit business/organization and you can't make profit from service. This must be complete by April 28th and the forms are located on the school website.

If you have any more questions, make sure to contact your guidance counselors or Ms Green, our senior class advisor.



Seniors Hope Zagar and Angie Romano



2022 Senior Vince Dimora



From left to right: Seniors Denton Yoder, Ethan McCaskey, Ian Martin, Auddia Pringle, and Lizzie Sounik

A Message to Berkshire High School

High school is the place where you are supposed to learn and have a stable environment to grow as a person. The problem is that this is all a load of crap, people come to school with anxiety more than ever before. The issue is not the principal, nor is it the teachers. It is the culture we created as a high school. For example, the amount of hate in this school is ridiculous. Many students say that the hateful and mean things are jokes, but if someone was to harm themselves because of those jokes you won't be laughing then. I just do not understand why people in the 21st century think that if you are different you are weird, and if you are weird you are a loser. Whoever said we should all be the same? That would be boring. As a society, together humans have done some amazing things like The Civil Rights movement, the abashment of slavery, and we even went to the moon, but we can't get through a simple day without making someone endure pain. This seems crazy.

I, however, do not think that all hope is lost. If the problem is, as I suspected, a cultural problem then we should be able to easily make high school a great environment to learn in and be a second home to those in need. This takes empathy and kindness.

High school is the most uninspiring place where it should be the number one most inspiring place and the reason for this is culture. No one wants to go to a place where your peers judge you, and for all the wrong reasons. You may think that kids cannot be that hurtful to other kids, but they most definitely can.

One day I remember that there was a boy who I was sitting next to for lunch. He was enjoying his lunch but, as a joke, the kid beside him showed him a picture of his hero, the hero was Adolf Hitler. This boy knew that the other boy was Jewish as well so this boy honestly thought that would have been funny. The issue was it wasn't funny at all, it was horribly offensive and hurtful, and instead of laughing along that boy broke down crying.

As a school, I think we can easily make this place inspirational again and most importantly make school a second home again. I think school should be a place where people find out about themselves and grow as a person to prepare themselves to go to the real world.

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Haunted School

By Void Spanos
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The wind whips through the empty hallways and concrete stairs somehow still creak. Old and dusty homework flutters past the looming silhouette of bleachers. The sound of school bells screech at random intervals. Cobwebs coat the windows. The motion activated lights randomly flick on at times. It was hard not to wonder who was paying the electricity bills for this place. The long turned off fans still make noise.

Outside, two kids gaze at the abandoned school with a mixture of wonder and fear.

“What happened to it?”

“It was abandoned.”

“Why?”

“New school, bigger and better.”

“Why is this place so scary?”

“Nobody really knows, but a few years after all the people left, it just got really creepy.”

“Should we go inside and investigate?”

“No idiot, have you ever seen any horror movie ever?”

A loud crash emanates from the building and the two kids run away shrieking. Inside the building several tables topple over and the sound of whirring machines drifts through the air. Surprisingly, there is not a single animal in this place, not even a spider can be seen despite all the cobwebs. Only the badger bugs remain. There is so much dust that you could see it in the air. A lone water bottle rolls through the hall.

A place full of memories, both good and bad. What phantoms lurk in these halls? Why won't this old school finally rest? What will it take for calm to finally settle over this old school?



Fun Fall Festivities



By Brenna Hull
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Horse Drawn Hayride

Hayrides are fun for all ages and a great family, fall activity. Ma and Pa's located in Troy township has a horse drawn hayride through the woods. They also have pumpkins, refreshments, swings, and apple cider. If interested, check out maandpas.com/hay-rides.

Corn Mazes

Corn mazes are one of the most popular fall activities so why not try and complete one this year! Derthick's corn maze has wonderful reviews and is located in Mantua. Pumpkinville, located in Willoughby also has a corn maze along with a pumpkin patch. Make sure you don't get lost!

Visit Local Apple Orchards

Picking apples is a common fall activity that's fun for all ages. Most apple orchards decorate for the fall season and have some other fun activities. Patterson's fruit farm in Chesterland has a ton of fun activities, along with a little shop where you can buy a bunch of fall treats.

Enjoy the Weather and Colors of Fall

Going for a hike or a drive, and enjoying the colors of autumn is always a fun thing to do during the fall. The cool weather makes it more bearable to be outside. Having a bonfire later in the evening with friends and family is also a great way to spend your fall weekends.

Haunted Houses

If you're up for an adrenaline rush this Halloween then you should definitely go to a haunted house this year. Some nearby haunted houses include 7 Floors of Hell in Berea, Fear Forest in Warren, and Pioneer Waterland's Nightmare at Pioneer in Chardon. All of these haunted houses are open on Fridays and Saturdays throughout the month of October from 7pm-12pm.

At Home Ideas

If you're more of a stay at home person there are still plenty of options for things to do this fall. Baking festive cookies, decorating the house, watching fall movies, and roast pumpkin seeds (my personal favorite thing to do during the fall season).

Boy's Golf Coach-Mr. List

Define leadership- Number one is accountability and good leaders always lead by example.

Good leaders are one's who know how to motivate others in a positive way. Leaders are well practiced in good sportsmanship and are respectful of all those involved.

Coach's perspective on offseason work-

The best are often the first to arrive and the last to leave the field or floor. Your best leaders work on their game whenever they have the opportunity. They recognize that it's not always going to be "fun", that the hardwork will eventually pay off.

Who's your biggest role

model/inspiration in coaching and even in your life as well- Mr. List's wife is his major source of motivation. She has made him want to be a better person everyday over the last 30 years.

Girl's Volleyball Coach-Ms. Prots

Define leadership- Leadership is working hard enough that others want to follow your example. A leader should lead with their words but more importantly by example. And don't expect someone to follow you if you are not willing to do the same thing.

Coach's perspective on offseason work-

Athletes should show her that they are willing to work to get better for both themselves and for the team. Leaders need to gain respect from their teammates and coaches.

Who's your biggest role

model/inspiration in coaching and even in your life as well- Ms. Prots' mom was her role model growing up. She was always working to make life better for all of us. She was a coach and a teacher but, most importantly, she showed me how to balance the craziness of coaching with taking care of family and yourself.

Band Director-Mr. Hadsell

Define leadership- Seeing others through their individual or collective goals. Using compassing, planning, and reflection.

Coach's perspective on offseason work- I am very proud of the way the band has grown over the short span over 3 months from nothing to something am excited and optimistic about the future of the band.

Who's your biggest role

model/inspiration in coaching and even in your life as well- My dad was not around and he was only in my life when he wanted to be, so was my mom. My great uncle William Novak took me under his wing and taught me life skills and he is one of the only people in my life to be there. He made me want to be a teacher so could be there for kids like he was there for me.

Boy's Soccer Coach- Mr. Fejedelem

Define leadership- Leadership is going above and beyond expectations each day, and it comes in many forms, for example through encouragement, skill and demeanor on and off the field.

Coach's perspective on offseason work-

It is getting attention, of being loved and respected to improve in their abilities. It shows the coach that even when the season is over those individuals strive to improve themselves and that will lead to greater success.

Who's your biggest role

model/inspiration in coaching and even in your life as well- His wife Amanda, his mother Mary and all of Fej's former coaches (Joz Jakob, Dave Wrobel, Steve Kerst and Maro Berquist) and teammates. Mr. Fej's wife pushes him to constantly focus on positives and strive to be the best person that he can be. His mother does the same, but just raised him right. And by his coaches duh.

Badger Pause Sports Writer Maxwell Meyers asked several fall coaches to discuss what leadership in a student athlete looks like to them and what their perspective is on off-season work. What exactly is it that sets a leader apart from the pack? And who inspires our coaches to make a difference in the lives of Berkshire student athletes every day?

Senior captain Lucas stopped by jr high practice today. One of the hardest working guys in the school. On the field and in the classroom. Thank you Lucas!!

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Boy's Cross Country Coach-David Kindall

Define leadership- A leader is someone that always does the right thing. A person that puts the team before themselves and is always reliable for those around them.

Coach's perspective on offseason work- They are dedicated to their craft and want to get the most out of the limited time they have to compete.

Who's your biggest role model/inspiration in coaching and even in your life as well- His dad is a person who got him into athletics. He taught him that no matter what he is doing, to work to be the best that he can be at it.

Girl's Cross Country Coach-Ms. Green

Define leadership- Leadership means being willing to step up and do what is necessary for the team. They lead by example and are willing to build everyone up and not tear anyone down.

Coach's perspective on offseason work- Shows her someone who is dedicated not only to the team, but to themselves. It takes true dedication to be successful and that dedication doesn't end when the season ends.

Who's your biggest role model/inspiration in coaching and even in your life as well- There are many people who have inspired and motivated Ms. Green to work as hard as she can to attempt to reach her potential. The first two are the Olympians Ramona Pagel and Jackie Joynor- Kersee. The third is her college throwing Coach Michael "Brick" Hambrick. His coaching style and caring are the ways that Coach Green tries to coach. Because of him she has achieved so much.



Head Football Coach-Mr. Deweese

Define leadership- To act A leader is a person who is accountable for their actions and the actions of those that they lead. To act intentionally with integrity and character.

Coach's perspective on offseason work- He knows they care for their upcoming season and their teammates as well.

Who's your biggest role model/inspiration in coaching and even in your life ? - Coach Arnold helped shape me into the coach that I am today, through His patience and attention to detail.

TEACHER HUNGER GAMES: THE SOLE DOUGHNUT

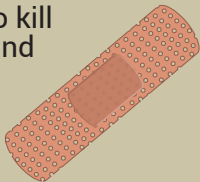
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THE BERKSHIRE HIGH-SCHOOL TEACHERS ARE IN THE TEACHERS LOUNGE, AND THERE IS ONLY ONE DOUGHNUT LEFT. BEHOLD THE 1ST EVER TEACHER HUNGER GAMES.

Sandoval finds safety in the Cornucopia.
Guthrie finds a printer in the Cornucopia.
Bower finds left-overs in the Cornucopia.
Higgs finds a stack of printer paper in the Cornucopia.
List finds a ruler in the Cornucopia.
Furst battles with Kempert. Kempert defeats Furst , but decides to spare her life.
Kempert runs away from the Cornucopia.
Hadsell finds a key in the Cornucopia.
Mrs. Guthrie finds a ruler in the Cornucopia.
Rea finds scissors in the Cornucopia.
Maske battles Prots. Maske defeats and kills Prots.
Riley-Farrow finds a book in the Cornucopia.
Bombback battles Koler. Koler defeats and kills Bombback.
Brzozowski finds a pear in the Cornucopia.
Keller battles Meyers. Keller defeats and kills Meyers.
Cirino battles Eppler. Cirino defeats Eppler, but decides to spare his life.
Ritts runs away from the Cornucopia.
Koler finds food in the Cornucopia.
Hecker runs away from the Cornucopia.
Kleinhenz finds food in the Cornucopia.
Hunter battles Alvord. Hunter defeats Alvord, but decides to spare her life.
DeWeese finds food in the Cornucopia.
Ryks finds an empty folder in the Cornucopia.
Beitzel-Rowe finds a mask in the Cornucopia.
THREE CANNON SHOTS CAN BE HEARD IN THE DISTANCE
THE FOLLOWING TRIBUTES HAVE FALLEN:
Bombback: 0 kills Prots: 0 kills Meyers: 0 kills



Rea uses the microwave to cook food.
Guthrie yells "the fight song "at Higgs, causing Higgs to drop dead.
Beitzel-Rowe receives a pencil from a sponsor.
Sandoval has major bone pain after drinking bone-hurting juice.
Eppler stumbles upon a pillow. Valenti left.
Hecker discovers a walkie talkie lying on the ground.
List stumbles upon a pillow. S. Moore lost connection to the wifi.
Alvord finds a convenient cardboard box & decides to use it as shelter.
Ryks constructs a box fort
Koler curses the gods & gets smote and Brzozowski dies of a paper cut.
Kleinhenz pets a badger bug as Cirino gets forced into lunch duty.
Hunter gets hand sani in her paper cuts and Ritts levels up.
Riley-Farrow and Guthrie practice algebra while Maske fights the school ghosts. Kempert heals Hunter and DeWeese catches a the badger bug and names him Norm.
Bower gets exposed to Covid as Mrs. Guthrie uses the printer to kill Beitzel-Rowe. Furst gets hit by a paper falling from the ceiling and Keller receives a tent from a sponsor.
7 CANNON SHOTS CAN BE HEARD IN THE DISTANCE
THE FOLLOWING TRIBUTES HAVE FALLEN:
Koler: 1 Kill Higgs: 0 Kills Furst : 0 Kills
Beitzel-Rowe: 0 Kills Brzozowski: 0 Kills
S. Moore: 0 Kills Valenti: 0 Kills



Hadsell gets dress coded by Bower.
Ryks heals Kempert and Kempert catches the rye.
Keller finds a convenient couch, but decides it is too dangerous.
Rea heals Sandoval and Ritts fails a pop quiz.
Kleinhenz stumbles upon a frisbee.
Guthrie reads a biology textbook and falls asleep, Cirino withers away, and Eppler heals Hecker. List brings one less calculator, so Kempert dies of needing calculators.
DeWeese gets carpal tunnel syndrome from playing catch and Hecker discovers an eraser. Alvord discovers glasses that cure color-blindness lying on the ground.
Riley-Farrow discovers a box lying on the ground that is a portal to another dimension and Hunter gets forced to sub.
Sandoval receives an anthology of life-changing poems from a sponsor.
Maske gets injured from not wearing her protective goggles while Mrs. Guthrie and Eppler practice singing
5 CANNON SHOTS CAN BE HEARD IN THE DISTANCE
THE FOLLOWING TRIBUTES HAVE FALLEN:
Ritts: 0 Kills DeWeese 1 Kill Cirino: 0 Kills



Kleinhenz and Eppler die of singing the wrong notes.
Riley-Farrow becomes the most successful author.
Mrs. Guthrie picks out new paper for the bulletin board.
Guthrie sings us a song.
Hecker finds a convenient tree, but decides it is too dangerous.
List finds a convenient box and decides to use it as shelter.
Sandoval 's life gets changed by poetry.
Ryks roasts to death just as Alvord decapitates Hecker with a frisbee.
Hunter stumbles upon a textbook and DeWeese receives a football from a sponsor.
Bower gets killed by the copier for printing wrong and Keller heals Alvord. Rea catches 22.
3 CANNON SHOTS CAN BE HEARD IN THE DISTANCE
THE FOLLOWING TRIBUTES HAVE FALLEN:
Kleinhenz: 0 Kills Eppler: 0 Kills Hecker: 0 Kills

Mrs. Guthrie gets forced into study hall
Alvord finds a convenient box and decides to use it as shelter.
Riley-Farrow heals List.
Ryks gets crushed by an unstable box fort
Hunter dies of shame after not being the best author.
List heals Riley-Farrow and Bower gets a paper cut and dies.
Keller reads a disheartening message in Comic Sans.
A ghost takes Guthrie's money as Sandoval gets a gift from a sponsor Rea catches 22 YET AGAIN.
3 CANNON SHOTS CAN BE HEARD IN THE DISTANCE
THE FOLLOWING TRIBUTES HAVE FALLEN:
Hunter: 0 Kills Bower: 1 Kill Ryks: 0 Kills

Maske heals herself.
List gets a pen and Keller dies mysteriously
Alvord loses 0.13 GPA points, and is severely injured.
Guthrie discovers a 50% off coupon to an SAT prep class lying on the ground and Riley-Farrow stumbles upon a basketball.
Rea heals Riley-Farrow and Mrs. Guthrie finds a couch shelter.
Maske murders Guthrie and Sandoval gets injured
2 CANNON SHOTS CAN BE HEARD IN THE DISTANCE
THE FOLLOWING TRIBUTES HAVE FALLEN:
Guthrie: 1 Kill Keller: 0 kills



Sandoval discovers a Band-Aid lying on the ground.
Riley-Farrow heals Alvord and Mrs. Guthrie trips and dies.
Maske constructs a geometrically stable truss.
Rea loses circulation and List stumbles upon a cellphone.
Alvord finds a convenient box fort and decides to use it as shelter.
2 CANNON SHOTS CAN BE HEARD IN THE DISTANCE
THE FOLLOWING TRIBUTES HAVE FALLEN:
Mrs. Guthrie : 1 Kill Rea: 0 Kills

Riley-Farrow gets prank called by Alvord.
Riley-Farrow gets bored and dies.
Maske decapitates Alvord with a frisbee.
List plays a game of chess against the computer
Sandoval dies
3 CANNON SHOTS CAN BE HEARD IN THE DISTANCE
THE FOLLOWING TRIBUTES HAVE FALLEN:
Riley-Farrow: 0 Kills Alvord: 1 Kill Sandoval: 1 Kill

Maske discovers a book of alchemy
List gives up and leaves.
1 CANNON SHOT CAN BE HEARD IN THE DISTANCE
THE FOLLOWING TRIBUTES HAVE FALLEN:
List: 2 Kills
MASKE WINS, AND GETS THE DOUGHNUT, BUT WAS IT REALLY WORTH ALL THAT FIGHTING? THE DOUGHNUT WASN'T EVEN THAT GOOD ANYWAYS. NOW THE SCHOOL IS SEVERELY UNDERSTAFFED



NOVEMBER HOROSCOPES

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As an added bonus in this edition of the monthly horoscopes, the Badger Pause staff cast each sign in its most likely role in a typical Halloween horror movie.....how does your sign fair?



ARIES- DIE FIRST

You'd die first. You're loud, and tend to draw attention to yourself. This isn't a bad thing. You're funny and a generally cool person. You tend to participate in class, which definitely helps with grades. But a good memorization tip is to scream what you want to remember, that's pretty unforgettable.



LIBRA- THE SEDUCTIVE

Libra, you are so charismatic, and could probably charm the antagonist. You might fail and die, or you could succeed and save everyone. You are smart and very intellectual. A good way to study might be acronyms. Dead or alive you will have a great second quarter.



TAURUS- THE HACKER

Taurus, you'd be the smart hacker, trying to fix everything. You'll probably end up dead, but it's worth the attempt. You are very emotional people and enjoy helping others. For next quarter the best way to learn might be to teach, try becoming a tutor and put your smarts and empathy to use.



SCORPIO- THE SKEPTIC

You're smart, and tend to take a logical approach in difficult situations. In a horror movie you'd be the one who knows something is up. You try your best to get to the bottom of the solution, making you the skeptic. Your grades were strong this quarter and you put in a lot of effort. To keep on track maybe get a planner to stay organized.



GEMINI- THE EXPOSITION

You're paranoid. But also practical and insightful. You seem to know a lot, and some stuff you probably shouldn't. In a horror movie you'd definitely be a top suspect. You'd also be close to cracking the case. Your grades are strong due to your hard work. A good way to study would be taking down notes with color, fun and



SAGITTARIUS- THE PLOT DEVICE

I hate to say it, put in a life or death situation, you'd only be there to enhance the plot. Simply being a relatable character, because who even knows what a Sagittarius is. You have great communication skills, and are good at taking leadership roles. Organizing a study group is a good way to improve your communication skills, show leadership, and learn.



CANCER- COUPLE WITH CAPRICORN

You're one half of the couple. You are loyal and tend to form strong relationships. Friends till the end means a lot to you. In a horror movie you would stick together with your favorite person, which would inevitably be your downfall. Working on homework with friends or classmates might be the best way to study for the upcoming quarter.



CAPRICORN- A COUPLE WITH CANCER

You're the other half of the couple. You value your friends over everything else. In a horror movie you and your bestie would be inseparable. Much like Cancer, studying with someone or just saying the information out loud can help secure your grades for quarter two.



LEO- THE PROTAGONIST

Leos are outgoing and charismatic. You give off main character vibes, especially in a horror movie. You'll definitely be the last one standing. Whether you live or not is yet to be determined. In school you have a lot of friends, joining a study group with them is a great way to engage and learn.



AQUARIUS- THE JOCK

If this was a spooky story, you'd kick it with the Virgos. You're sporty and outgoing, but maybe trying to outrun the killer wasn't the best idea. This quarter ended at a good point for you, and if you're looking for a way to maintain your grades, joining a study group might just be the solution.



VIRGO- THE BLONDE

In a horror movie, Virgos, you'd be one of the first to go. The blondes. Now that's necessarily a bad thing. You have amazing personalities and are super fun to be around. For the first quarter you tried your best and your grades reflect that. For November, work on finding a fun way to study!



PISCES- THE ANTAGONIST

You'd be the killer, simple as that. You definitely have some pent up rage you need to get out. At least you won't need to worry about being killed, just a little, or a lot, of jail time. You tend to have a very unique outlook on life, and a good way to study for 2nd quarter might be study games.

HallowWeekends at Cedar Point

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HalloWeekend is back in season at Cedar Point! This includes daytime Tricks and Treats Fall Fest, activities that are spookley perfect for the little ones, aHaloWeekend is back in season at Cedar Point! This includes daytime Tricks and Treats Fall Fest, activities that are spookley perfect for the little ones, and Tricks and Treats Food Tasting Tour. Then at night, the park is taken over by terror from mazes, haunted attractions, and the creepy night time atmosphere of America's Spooky Roller Coast. Before you plan for your trip, you should take a look at the weather because who wants to go when it's cold and rainy? Exactly, no one. It's no fun. You should find a day that has clear skies and has little to no chances of raining. If it rains, how are you going to ride any roller coasters? Hello! You should also dress according to the weather. Fall is usually a little chilly, so wear long pants, closed toed shoes (you don't want your piggies getting chopped off not just by the roller coasters, but scary clowns), a t-shirt, and maybe a jacket. You never know with this Ohio weather, sometimes mother nature be bonkers.

You can buy your tickets online at cedarpoint.com or you could get them at the gate (prices are higher at the gate). The Fall Daytime and Haunt Admission is \$49.99, but you also have to pay for parking which is \$20. Also, if you want extras like fast lane, fast lane plus, etc. it will cost additional. If you are looking for the thrilliest and scariest rides at Cedar Point the top 3 are the Maverick, Millennium Force, and the Top Thrill Dragster. The Maverick is a 70 mph roller coaster that is 105 feet tall. Next up is the Millenium Force, this roller coaster goes 93 mph and sits at 310 feet tall. The drop makes me wanna pee myself sometimes, I swear it's like you're going straight to your death. And lastly is the Top Thrill Dragster, which towers at 420 feet tall and goes 120 mph. I have always wanted to go on this ride, but it was always closed - that tells you something- or my friends wimped out on me. The lines to these rides were always crazy long, so I recommend buying any of the fast lane passes. If you want to ride all these rides with little to no wait. Cedar Point in my opinion is very fun. I love going here and I will definitely go again. HalloWeekend is back in season at Cedar Point! This includes daytime Tricks and Treats Fall Fest,

CARVE THE COOLEST PUMPKIN

by Cara Stone
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We once again are in spooky season this year and what's October without carved pumpkins on the front steps of homes? I have put together five ideas for how to carve your Halloween jack-o-lantern. If you're someone who prefers the simple life or just plain appreciates the classics but doesn't want to be cliché, going with a twist could be right up your alley.



Maybe if you are a lover of all that's **spooky** your pumpkin could represent that part of the season with a spooky scary skeleton or even a ghost.



Or perhaps you are not the kind of person that loves Halloween for the scare and screams. If that's the case go ahead and possibly make a **cute jack-o-lantern** to get some "Awws" instead of "Ahs."



A **themed pumpkin** is always fun during the fall season. Especially with so many movies and media to choose from.



Then lastly, if you're not the kind of person that wants to carve a pumpkin at all; **paint is always a fun option** with endless possibilities. You could go basically any direction you'd like with a brush and acrylics.



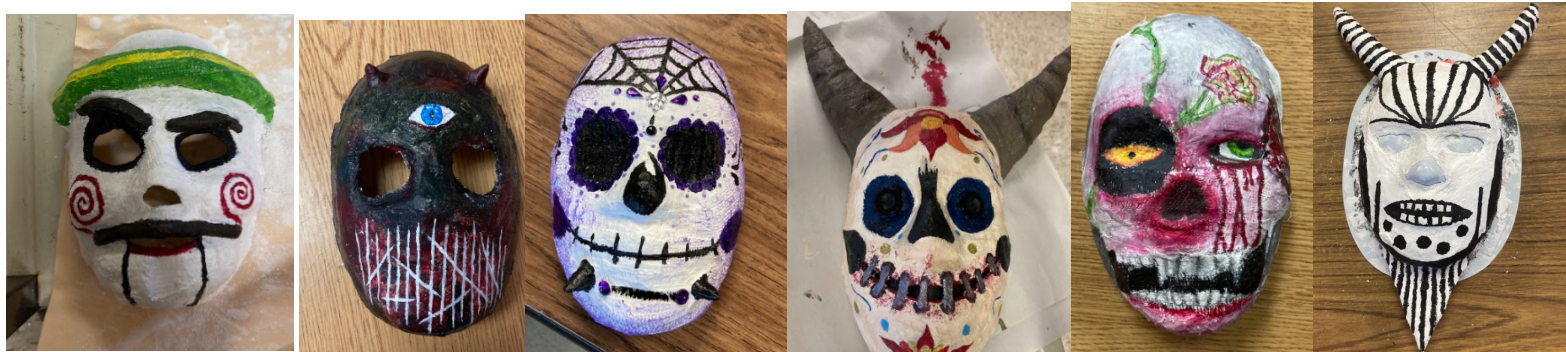
Surprise and spook us all with your pumpkin skills this Halloween. Hopefully they don't scream in the dead of night. And of course: There's always **the classics**.



Student Highlights



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Media Design Digital Projects



Scene from Poltergeist by Rowan McGee made designed with
Illustrator.



Create a Character by Colton Staiduhar designed with Illustrator.



Maneki Neko Cat by Meagen Reznor designed with
Illustrator as part of a research project.