



May 7, 2021

Dear NHS Parents/Guardians and Students,

Wishing all mothers a wonderful Mother's Day weekend. Here are some highlights this week: Students enhance drawing skills by participating in multiple figure drawing exercises, students learn how to prepare for retirement by saving money now, and staff and students enjoy watching our boys baseball team play at Dunkin Donuts Stadium (Home of the Yardgoats). Here is our latest news:

May 10 - May 14: [HERE](#) is the calendar for the remainder of the year

Monday/May 10: Click [HERE](#) for ODD DAY schedule/ some AP Testing

Tuesday/May 11: Click [HERE](#) for EVEN DAY/some AP Testing

Wednesday/May 12: Click [HERE](#) for STRAIGHT 8/some AP Testing

Thursday/May 13: Click [HERE](#) for ODD DAY schedule

Friday/May 14: Click [HERE](#) for EVEN DAY schedule/some AP Testing/Junior Picnic

Newington Children's Theatre Company

Here is the link to our race registration: [NCTC's Steps For the Stage Virtual 5K](#). They are gearing up for their first virtual 5k, Steps for the Stage, over the weekend of May 14-16. Participants can run, walk or even dance their way through this 5k! Since it's virtual, anyone can participate.

CLASS of 2021 T-Shirts (FREE)

If you have not already completed [this survey](#), please do so by Monday, May 10, so project grad can make sure your student gets the correct size.

CLOSING OUT SALE

Last Chance to own a Newington Indians T-shirt! Newington DECA is clearing out stock at the school store and getting ready for our new mascot, the Newington Nor'Easters! Go to Bit.ly/tradingpostcatalog for available items and to order online.

Cash & Check Only (Check made out to Student Activity Fund)

Proceeds benefit Newington DECA competitions.

Any questions can be sent to amiller@npsct.org.

SOME RECURRING INFORMATION:

SCHOLAR ATHLETES: The Newington Athletics Department is excited to announce that **Grace Canepari & Josh Akosa** are the 2020-2021 CAS-CIAC Scholar Athletes from NHS!!! Congratulations Grace and Josh!!

NEW SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER: NHS welcomes Master Police Officer Jeff Wagner as our new SRO.

SUMMER YOUTH ADVENTURES: Please see the [attached flyer](#) regarding Newington Summer Youth Adventures. The registration deadline is Thursday, June 3, 2021 and is open to all students entering grades 6 - 9. Please contact Rik Huggard, Youth Services Coordinator, at (860) 665-8594 or email: rhuggard@newingtonct.gov.

PROJECT GRADUATION - UPDATE INFO: The next monthly meeting will be held on Monday, May 17 from 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm via Google Meet. The link will be available next week. Please reach out to Jen Ahern or Lisa Bacon at: Mrs.j.ahern@gmail.com / GnLBacon@gmail.com. They are looking for underclassmen parents to help out!!!

GRADUATION UPDATE: The time for Graduation has been changed to **6:30 pm** (previously 6:00 pm) on Tuesday, June 8, at Dunkin Donuts Park - Home to the Hartford Yard Goats. We have increased the number of tickets per graduate from **4 to 6!!!** The rain date has been set for Wednesday, June 9, at 1:00 pm. NHS administration and Dr. Brummett visited the venue this week and we are very excited! Please be on the lookout for an email from Mr.

Ficocelli and a mailing regarding information on tickets, etc. I will continue to keep you posted with any further details. Seniors should also remember to check their emails for information.

SOME RECURRING INFORMATION (CON'T):

SCHOOL COUNSELING DEPARTMENT: The School Counseling Department invites you to follow their new Instagram Account: [nhs.sc](https://www.instagram.com/nhs.sc) for frequent updates and reminders!

CHROMEBOOKS: It is essential students arrive at school with their fully charged Chromebooks. We will be extremely limited in our ability to share devices or issue a loaner to a student. Families may be contacted to bring a device to the school if the student arrives without a device. If you students are in school and have an issue with their Chromebook, they may report to the library. Otherwise, [HERE](#) is the form to complete.

PREVIOUS NEWSLETTERS: Click [HERE](#) for all my Principal Newsletters.

Thank you for your continued patience, flexibility, and support. Please feel free to contact the main office during regular operating hours (7:00 a.m.- 3:30 p.m.) if you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,



Ms. Terra A. Tigno
Principal

Family of Learners

