



Adlai E. Stevenson High School

# The Titan Electronic Voice

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**Vision Statement:**

*Stevenson High School will encourage and empower all students to acquire the necessary skills to be successful, contributing members of a diverse community and global society.*

**Mission Statement:**

*Our mission is to create a positive and challenging learning environment that encourages all students to achieve their greatest potential as responsible, productive members of a diverse society.*

**September 11, 2017**

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## This Week's Announcements



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### **Attend Financial Aid Night**

If you have a senior planning to attend college and you need to know more about securing financial aid, you should attend Financial Aid Night at the Instructional Resource Center (IRC), 14201 Canal Road, on Tuesday, September 12, at 6:30 p.m.



Parents who want to secure financial aid for their student need to file FAFSA. The first day to file FAFSA is October 1, 2017 for the 2018-2019 school year.

Students will receive Financial Aid packets to bring home Monday.

### **Titan Time Tutoring Begins Tuesday**



Titan Time Tutoring will begin on Tuesday. Students should look for postings to find out what room they should go to for tutoring after school for an hour on Tuesdays and Thursdays. We will start lunchtime tutoring soon.

## All Night Party-Planning Meeting

Each year, senior parents put on a celebration for graduates called the All Night Party. While this event is not sponsored by the school, the All Night Party planning committee does meet at the school. The Class of 2017 parents will be turning over the books to the Class of 2018 parents at a meeting Tuesday, September 12, at 7 p.m. in the cafeteria. All senior parents are invited to attend. (Junior and sophomore parents interested in planning the All Night Party for their child are encouraged to attend)



## Join Titan Book Club



If you like to read and discuss what you have read, you should join Titan Book Club. The first meeting will be after school on Tuesday, September 12, in room D-51. See Mrs. McCarthy if you have any questions.

## Join Key Club

If you like to do volunteer work and helping others, Key Club is the club for you. Kiwanis International sponsors Key Club. Key Club provides service to the community. There will be an organizational meeting on Tuesday, September 12, in the Amphitheater. You can attend either the morning meeting at 6:55 a.m. or the after school meeting at 2:20 p.m. If you have questions, please see Mrs. Chase in D-66.



## Join HOSA



If you are interested in joining HOSA, Future Health Professionals Club, there will be an informational meeting on Thursday, September 14, in the ECC, immediately after school. See Mrs. Rawling if you have any questions.

## Join Student Advisory

If you would like to be able to advise Mr. Pfannes and help implement new programs, join Mr. Pfannes's Student Advisory. It meets at least once a month after school. Applications will be available from the main office starting on Tuesday, September 12 and are due Friday September 15.



## Join the Award Winning Science Olympiad Team



Applications for the Science Olympiad Team are due this Thursday, September 14, in the main office. You will find an application by [clicking here](#) or you can pick one up in the main office.

## Join the Debate Team

The first meeting of the Debate Team was last week but it is not too late to join. Please see Mr. Leland should you wish to join.



## Join Film Club



If you like watching and making films, you should join the Film Club. The club meets after school Tuesday and Friday. Please see Mr. Frazier for location and time.

## Homecoming Weekend, September 29 & 30, Announcements

*Tickets:* Tickets are on sale on PaySchools right now, and will be sold Sept 18-21 before and after school in F107 and during all lunches in the lunchroom. NO GUEST PASSES



*Homecoming Court:* **English 12** classes will nominate either Monday, Tuesday, or Wednesday next week.

*LipDub:* **WE NEED EVERYONE'S HELP.** If you have a club, team, class, group that will participate, please let me know. Filming will be Sept. 25 right afterschool. We are hoping to model after the Anchor Bay one, so for instance the baseball team could wear their uniforms and pretend to be playing baseball as the camera goes by. If we cannot get enough kids, we will not be able to film. Let me know ASAP.

*Titan Fest:* Before the Homecoming game, on practice football field.

*Pep Assembly:* Friday, Sept. 29, 2nd part of 6th hour. Students will report to 6th hour. Dismissal to the assembly will be via PA



*Spirit Days:* DRESS CODE always applies

Monday (9/25): Class color day (10 - Navy Blue, 11 - Red, 12 - White, Staff - Black)

Tuesday (9/26): Tropical Tuesday

Wednesday (9/27): Oh, the Places You've Been (a shirt that says a city/state/place on it, sports jersey, etc.)

Thursday (9/28): Neon Day

Friday (9/29): Titan Pride

Monday (10/2): Get Up and Go Day

### **Sophomores stand out in JV-B soccer team's first win**



After two pre-season losses to Henry Ford II and Romeo, the Stevenson JV-B soccer team earned their first win against Grosse Pointe South on Tuesday. Even though there are only four sophomore players on the team, they all played major roles in the victory.

The Titans won 4-1 with goals from four freshmen (Adam Khanfar, Andrew Bajeu, Hayden Peterson and Savyo Krikor). Sophomore co-captain Hussein Elzhenni was credited with assists on three of the four of the goals.

On the defensive end of the field, the other three sophomore players were key to stopping the GPS scoring. Goalkeeper Anton Shemshur held GPS scoreless until very late in the game, aided by excellent defense, which was led by Co-captain Evan Barash and Will Schwesinger.

The JV-B team travels to Grosse Pointe North on Thursday for their next game.

### **Do not enter field after away football games**

While it has been a long tradition for parents and fans to come down onto the field after home games regardless if we win or lose, parents and fans are reminded that we do NOT want anyone to enter the field after away football games. We have been asked by opposing teams to remind our fans that it is consider trespassing. In addition, it is considered disrespectful and a sign of poor sportsmanship when we win. The coaching staff and administration appreciate your cooperation.



### **UCS Success Toolkit**



The Success Toolkit is a one-stop location for no-cost online resources for students and parents to promote student success. The Toolkit is located on all UCS websites and conveniently on mobile devices using the UCS App.

### **Principal's Parent Advisory Meeting**

I invite parents and guardians to attend my monthly Parent Advisory Meetings. I hold one in the morning and one in the evening each month covering the same content. This month's meeting will be September 27 at 8:30 a.m. in my conference room and 6:30 p.m. in the ECC. I will post the rest of the meetings under the Parent Involvement tab on the website within the next couple of days.



## This Week's Events



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### Monday, September 11

- Powderpuff sign ups for Juniors and Seniors, A10, 6:50 a.m.
- Girls Golf @ Maple Lane GC, 3 p.m. chip/putt/9 holes
- Boys JV Soccer home vs Chippewa Valley HS, 5:30 p.m.
- Band Booster Meeting, 7 p.m.
- Boys Varsity Soccer home vs Chippewa Valley HS, 7 p.m.

### Tuesday, September 12

- Powderpuff sign ups for Juniors and Seniors, A10, 6:50 a.m.
- Girls Golf vs Lakeview @ St. Clair Shores GC, 2:30 p.m.
- Girls Freshman Volleyball home vs L'Anse Creuse HS, 4:30 p.m.
- Boys Freshman Soccer @ Utica HS, 4:30 p.m.
- Boys Varsity Cross Country JAMBOREE @ Westview Orchards
- Girls JV Volleyball home vs L'Anse Creuse HS, 5:30 p.m.
- Full Marching Band Rehearsal, 6-9 p.m.
- Girls Varsity Volleyball home vs L'Anse Creuse HS, 6:30 p.m.
- Financial Aid Night at the IRC, 6:30 p.m.
- All Night Party First Planning Meeting in the Cafeteria, 7 p.m.

### Wednesday, September 13

- Powderpuff sign ups for Juniors and Seniors, A10, 6:50 a.m.
- Girls Golf @ Henriksens' Range, 3:30 p.m.
- Boys Varsity Tennis @ Utica HS, 4 p.m.
- Boys JV Tennis home vs Utica HS, 4 p.m.
- Boys Varsity Soccer @ Dakota HS, 4 p.m.
- Boys Varsity Soccer @ Dakota HS, 5:30 p.m.
- Boys JV Soccer @ Dakota HS, 5:30 p.m.
- Boys Varsity Soccer @ Dakota HS, 7 p.m.

### Thursday, September 14

- Powderpuff sign ups for Juniors and Seniors, A10, 6:50 a.m.
- Girls Golf @ Maple Lane GC, 3 p.m. chip/putt/9 holes
- Girls Freshman Volleyball home vs Grosse Pointe South HS, 4:30 p.m.
- Boys Freshman Football home vs Romeo HS, 4:30 p.m.
- Boys Freshman Soccer home vs Dakota @ Davis JH, 4:30 p.m.
- Girls JV Volleyball home vs Grosse Pointe south HS, 5:30 p.m.
- Girls Varsity Swimming @ Ford vs Warren Cousino HS, 6 p.m.
- Girls Varsity Volleyball home vs Grosse Pointe South HS, 6:30 p.m.
- Boys JV Football home vs Romeo HS, 7 p.m.

### Friday, September 15

- Powderpuff sign ups for Juniors and Seniors, A10, 6:50 a.m.

- Girls Golf @ Maple Lane GC, 3 p.m. chip/putt/9 holes
- Boys Varsity Football @ Powell MS vs Romeo HS, 7 p.m.

### **Saturday, September 16**

- Girls Golf: Mustang Girls Tournament Hudson Mills Metropark, 8:30 a.m.



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### **Announcements from Past Editions of the Titan Voice You May Have Missed**

#### **Attention Junior and Senior Ladies Interested in Playing Powderpuff**

Our Powderpuff game is on Tuesday, October 10 (juniors vs seniors) and Tuesday, October 17 (Stevenson seniors vs Ford seniors). Forms can be picked up in A10 beginning Thursday, Sept 7. The forms will be on the black filing cabinet next to the door. Sign-ups are Monday the 11 through Thursday the 15 in A10 before school from 6:50-7:15. The cost is \$40, which includes your jersey and your mouth guard. You must have a physical on file in order to play, but this is not needed to sign up. See Ms. McCloud in A10 if you have any questions!

#### **Vaping or possession of Vape equipment may lead to 10-day suspension**

Vaping or possession of Vape equipment is a violation of District Policy. Studies by the FDA have determined that e-cigarettes and similar devices can increase nicotine addiction and can contain chemicals known to be harmful to human health. The City of Sterling Heights has an ordinance prohibiting the possession of such devices by persons under the age of 18. Regardless of age, students in possession of said devices face school discipline. In addition, students under the age of 18 face a \$500 fine from the City of Sterling Heights. The ordinance also has provisions for possible fines for the parent or guardian.

In addition to rules against tobacco or nicotine devices, Vaping equipment may result in a ten-day suspension under the District's ban against drug paraphernalia. Since vape equipment can be used to ingest drugs other than nicotine, the equipment can be defined as drug paraphernalia.

Please help us keep the building Vape free and our students healthy by talking to your student about the dangers of vaping and encouraging them to not possess or use Vape equipment especially in school.

#### **Parent Volunteer Reporters Wanted**

Each week, I would like to report on different teams and clubs but need help. I rely on reports from the coach/sponsor or a team/club parent. If you are interested in helping, please send me an email with what team or



club you would like to report on. Thank you to the JV Soccer B team parent who contributed to this week's Titan Voice.

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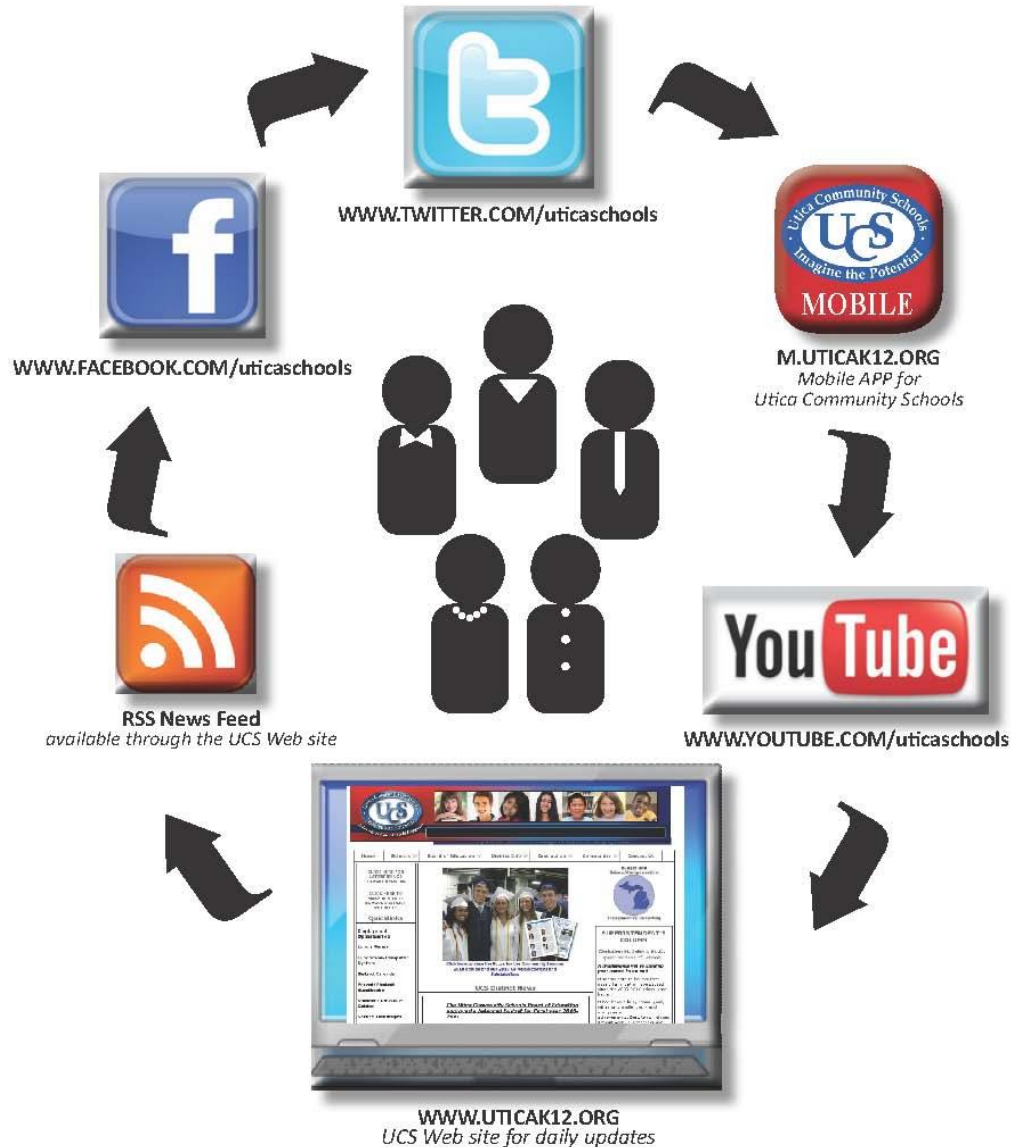
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### **Nondiscrimination in Education**

In compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, the Elliott-Larsen Civil Rights Act and the Persons with Disabilities Civil Rights Act. It is the policy of Utica Community Schools that no person shall, on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin or ancestry, sex, age, disability, height, weight, or marital status be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination during any instructional opportunities, programs services, job placement



assistance, employment or in policies governing student conduct and attendance. Any person suspecting a discriminatory practice should contact the Executive Director of Human Resources at Utica Community Schools, 11303 Greendale, Sterling Heights, MI 48312 or call (586) 797-1000.

