



The Titan Electronic Voice

Adlai E. Stevenson High School

October 21- November 3, 2019

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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.

Titan News



Dear Titan Families,

Thank you to all the families who attended Parent-Teacher conferences last week. Open communication between teacher and home helps improve the success of our Titans. If you were unable to meet with a teacher, and you still have questions or questions arise during the school year, please reach out to the teacher via email. In addition, I encourage you to check PowerSchool regularly. Teachers often leave notes in PowerSchool for students and parents to read about grades. Together, we can help our students have a successful year. In addition to the bi-weekly communication, I host a monthly parent advisory meeting. This month's meeting is Tuesday, October 22, at 6:30 p.m. in the ECC and Wednesday, October 23, at 8:30 a.m. in the Principal's Conference Room. All parents/guardians are welcome. Mark your calendars! Graduation ceremonies for the class of 2020 will be held at the Oakland University "O'rena." Stevenson High School's graduation ceremony is scheduled to take place on **Sunday, June 7th beginning at 2:30 p.m.** Now that the venue, date and time have been approved, information regarding logistics, tickets, etc., will be shared when finalized.

With Titan Pride,
Kenneth L. Cucchi III
Principal
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Announcements:

Congratulations to the following National Merit Scholarship students who will be recognized at the October 28, 2019 Board of Education meeting:

Commended: Noah Arden, Daniel Austerman, Blaine Oania, Jenny Schram, Jennifer Weihs and Jillian Young
Semi-Finalist: Armando Gjergji, Riley Klumb and Kirthika Krishnan

On October 15th, 2019 at Stevenson High School, the Titan Marching Band once again brought home the coveted 1st Division rating at MSBOA Marching Band Festival! The marks the 28th year in a row of 1st Divisions earned by the Stevenson Titan Marching Band.

Stevenson Marching Band Past Show Themes

1992-1993	Cartoon Show	1 st Division
1993-1994	Broadway Show	1 st Division
1994-1995	Fiddler on the Roof	1 st Division
1995-1996	James Bond	1 st Division
1996-1997	Beethoven Show	1 st Division
1997-1998	Western Show	1 st Division
1998-1999	Big Band Jazz	1 st Division
1999-2000	Star Wars	1 st Division
2000-2001	West Side Story	1 st Division
2001-2002	Aaron Copland	1 st Division
2002-2003	Jesus Christ Superstar	1 st Division
2003-2004	Disney Fantasmic	1 st Division
2004-2005	The Mask of Zorro	1 st Division
2005-2006	Jekyll and Hyde	1 st Division
2006-2007	Hollywood Highlights	1 st Division
2007-2008	The Beatles	1 st Division

2008-2009	Motown USA	1 st Division
2009-2010	Les Miserable	1 st Division
2010-2011	The Piano Man Show	1 st Division
2011-2012	Road Trip USA!	1 st Division
2012-2013	Welcome to the Jungle	1 st Division
2013-2014	VEGAS, BABY!	1 st Division
2014-2015	One Upon a Time	1 st Division
2015-2016	Heart of a Hero	1 st Division
2016-2017	FRIENDS	1 st Division
2017-2018	Wizards & Magic	1 st Division
2018-2019	Super Bowl Hits	1 st Division
2019-2020	The Music of Queen	1 st Division

Congratulations 28 years in a row!!

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School Pictures

School pictures have arrived, if your student has not picked up their school pictures yet they are available for pick up in the main office.

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Fundraiser

The Subway Restaurant located on Dodge Park Rd and Plumbrook, 38357 Dodge Park Rd, will be hosting a Fundraiser for Stevenson High School every **Monday and Thursday evening from 4:00-7:00 PM**. Subway will donate 20% of the proceeds to Stevenson High School. This fundraiser will run the entire school year, eat at Subway and support Stevenson High School!

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Titan Theater

Thank you to all who came out for our Restaurant nights.

Night of Comedy Saturday October 26 @7 p.m. and Sunday October 27 @ 6 p.m. Come on out for a fun filled night of spoofs written and directed by some of our seniors, performed by the troupe.

Thespians forms and deposit were due October 18th. Final payment due October 25th. See Mrs. Jackson for questions or more information.

Jungle Book has been cast and the list will be posted to the website. Save the date for performances, Nov 11th, 12th and 13th.

Parents and students stay in touch, we communicate several ways:

Student run remind class code **fak4e**

Twitter

Facebook

titantheater@weebly.com

Email blasts

SANP

The next SANP meeting is October 23rd at 6:30 in the ECC. The meeting is to notify parents that Senior Grad Signs will be available that night for \$20 each. For more Senior All Night Party Information please refer to the PDF attachment.

UCS Early Childhood and School Age Child Care Programs are now hiring.

Please see attached PDF

Click here for Stevenson Athletic information: <https://stevensontitans.com>



Advanced Placement (AP)

Registration and Ordering Information 2019-2020

All students wishing to take an AP exam must complete **TWO** steps - registering to take the test and submitting payment. Please read this complete handout for important details regarding registration and payment procedures.

	Date	Cost
Regular registration begins:	October 7, 2019	\$98 per test (AP Fee is \$94, registration fee is \$4)
Regular registration ends:	November 8, 2019	
Initial payment and/or deposit due:	November 8, 2019	Tests may be paid in full or a \$40 per test deposit may be paid by this date with the remainder due by March 6, 2020
Late registration begins:	November 9, 2019	An additional \$40 nonrefundable registration fee is applied during the late registration period for each test.
Late registration ends:	March 6, 2020	
Final payment of remaining balance due:	No later than March 6, 2020	Student may not be able to test if payment is not received by due date.

TO REGISTER FOR THE TEST, go to your AP account at College Board. Make sure you have “joined” your AP class using the join code provided by your teacher. Your teacher will provide further instructions regarding how to indicate that you would like to take the AP test.

TO PAY FOR YOUR TEST(S):

1. Go to UCSCCOMMUNITYEDUCATION.ORG
 2. Hover over the ENRICHMENT tab
 3. Click on AP EXAM REGISTRATION
 4. Click on your high school name
 5. Click on the name of the AP class you want to take the exam for
 6. Click on REGISTER
 7. If you are creating a new account, choose **CLICK HERE TO SIGN UP**. If you have an existing account, choose **LOGIN**
 8. Choose the student you are enrolling. Click **CONTINUE REGISTRATION**.
 9. Select the type of fee you will be paying at this time – Deposit, Full Payment or Free/Reduced Lunch Fee. Click **CONTINUE REGISTRATION**.
 10. Select/enter the additional information – class hour, teacher name, etc. Click **CONTINUE REGISTRATION**.
 11. At this point, you can **ADD ANOTHER CLASS** or **CONTINUE REGISTRATION** if you are done.
 12. Enter credit card information and **MAKE PAYMENT**
- ✓ For further questions, see/call Mr. Nassar, SHS Counselor.
 - ✓ Students taking AP Micro or Macroeconomics **SECOND SEMESTER** will be provided with registration information at the beginning of second semester.

Upcoming Events

October 21

Attention Sophomores

You have an opportunity to join Next Level Scholars. This program will help you complete the milestones to make your way to higher education while also providing campus visits, SAT preparation, FAFSA workshops, and college application assistance. Students can apply online at APPLY.DRDFS.ORG Forms must be fully completed by 11:59 p.m. on October 21, 2019 to apply for the program. Ten students will be selected. After completing three years in the program, each student receives a \$4,000 scholarship to help break down the financial barrier. Visit drdfs.org or email Kelli.McCloud@Uticak12.org for more information.

October 22

College visit- Adrian College during 1st hour, located in the Counseling Office

Volleyball Girls Junior Varsity vs Anchor Bay HS @ 5:00 p.m. @ Stevenson HS

Volleyball Girls Freshman vs Anchor Bay HS @ 5:00 p.m. @ Stevenson HS

Swimming Girls Varsity vs Cousino HS @ 6:00 p.m. @ Ford HS

Principal Advisory meeting-October 22, 2019 @ 6:30 p.m., ECC

Volleyball Girls Varsity vs Anchor Bay HS @ 6:30 p.m. @ Stevenson HS

October 23

Principal Advisory meeting-October 23, 2019 @8:30 a.m. – located in the principal's conference room
SANP Meeting @ 6:30 p.m. located in the ECC

October 24

Football Boys Freshman vs Mott HS @ 4:00 pm @ Mott HS

Volleyball Girls Freshman vs IKE @ 4:00 p.m. @ IKE

Volleyball Girls Junior Varsity vs IKE @ 5:30 p.m. @ IKE

Swimming Girls Varsity vs Sterling Heights HS @ 6:00 p.m. @ Ford HS

Football Boys Junior Varsity vs Mott HS @ 6:30 pm @ Mott HS

Volleyball Girls Varsity vs IKE @ 7:00 p.m. @ IKE

October 26 & October 27

October 26th -Titan Theater **Night of Comedy**- @ 7:00 p.m. Sunday October 27th @ 6:00 p.m.

October 29

Volleyball Girls Freshman vs Grosse Pointe North vs @ 4:00 p.m. @ Grosse Pointe North HS Main Gym Ct #1

Volleyball Girls Varsity vs Titan Quint Varsity only (4 participants) @ Stevenson HS @ 4:00 p.m.

Swimming Girls Varsity vs Anchor Bay HS @ 6:00 p.m. @ Anchor Bay Aquatic Center

Cross Country Boys Varsity= TBA

October 30

College Visit- Western Michigan University at 11:15 located in the ECC

November 2

Volleyball Girls Freshman TBA

Cross Country Red Division = State Meet @ M.I. S = Time TBA

Mr. Cucchi's Parent Advisory Meetings

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October 22, 2019 6:30 p.m., ECC
October 23, 2019 8:30 a.m., Principal's Conference Room

November 19, 2019 6:30 p.m., ECC
November 20, 2019 8:30 a.m., Principal's Conference Room

****No December meeting****

January 28, 2020 6:30 p.m., ECC
January 29, 2020 8:30 a.m., Principal's Conference Room

February 26, 2020 6:30 p.m., ECC
February 27, 2020 8:30 a.m., Principal's Conference Room

March 24, 2020 6:30 p.m., ECC
March 25, 2020 8:30 a.m., Principal's Conference Room

April 21, 2020 6:30 p.m., ECC
April 22, 2020 8:30 a.m., Principal's Conference Room

May 19, 2020 6:30 p.m., ECC
May 20, 2020 8:30 a.m., Principal's Conference Room

Morning meetings are in the Main Office Principal's Conference Room.

Evening meetings are in the ECC.

All meetings will last approximately one hour.

Senior News and Information

Graduation News!

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Seniors and Senior Parents

Join the Senior Class Remind. Text @20shstitan to 81010 or send an email to 20shstitan@mail.remind.com Mrs. Lucas will use this remind for information regarding senior activities, including graduation and prom.

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COLLEGE VISITS 2019

10/22	Adrian College	1 st Hour	Counseling Office
10/30	Western Michigan University	11:15	ECC

PLEASE SIGN UP TO ATTEND ON YOUR NAVIANCE ACCOUNT (NAVIANCE.COM) AND PICK UP A PASS IN THE COUNSELING OFFICE. STUDENTS WILL NOT BE ADMITTED WITHOUT A PASS.

Jostens Cap & Gown Information

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Attention Parents- *Especially Senior Parents*

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Have you ever wanted to visit Ireland?

The Stevenson art department is planning a 9 day trip to Ireland for the summer of 2021! Please contact Patti Fields (patricia.fields@uticak12.org) for more information. This trip is open to anyone wanting to travel including students, alumni, staff, parents, etc. This trip is offered through ACIS (the American Council for International Studies) and is not affiliated with Utica Community Schools.



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