

THE CAVALIER WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

for the week of May 6, 2024

THIS WEEK

Monday

- Senior Sunset, 6:30-8:30pm
- Golf Tryouts-must attend both days
- Project Graduation Parent Volunteer meeting, Lecture Hall, 5:30pm
- Color Guard Audition meeting

Tuesday

- Golf Tryouts-must attend both days
- Color Guard Audition Clinic

Wednesday

• Senior & Junior Yearbook Distribution for pre-purchased books

Thursday

- Senior Awards Day @ 10am in the Auditorium
- Cup Cake Wars
- Sophomore & Freshan Yearbook
 Distribution for pre-purchased books
- Fishing Team meeting @ Upperman Library, 5:30pm
- Cross Country meeting @ 6pm, Lecture Hall
- Color Guard Audition (required)

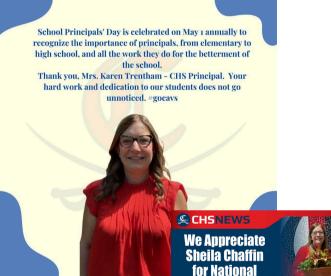
Friday

- Color Guard Audition (required)
- Seniors' last full day

Saturday

• Prom







*Contact Mrs. Kirk for more

Follow chs.project.graduation on Instagram

Volunteer:

Interpreter's Day



Seniors - Mark Your Calendars for

Roy Calendars for

RATURDAY MAY 18TH
8PM-2AM AT CHS

A night to calebysate the and
with games, prizes, bounce
thouses, food and

Coming up....

Monday, 5/13

• Senior Exams (1st, 3rd, 4/5th, 8th periods)

Tuesday, 5/14

- Spring Chorus Concert, tickets @ GoFan
- Senior Exams (2nd, 4th & 7th periods)

Saturday, 5/18

- Class of 2024 Graduation
- Project Graduation, 8:00pm-2:00am

Monday, 5/20

 Underclassmen (non-exempt students) exams (8th period, 1:40-3:00pm)

Tuesday, 5/21

 Underclassmen (non-exempt students) exams (1st, 3rd & 7th periods)

Wednesday, 5/22

- Pick up medication from school nurse
- Underclassmen (non-exempt students) exams (2nd, 4th & 5/6th periods)

Friday, 5/24

- Pick up medication from school nurse by 10am
- Volleyball Tryouts, CHS Gym:
 - o Freshman 12-2
 - JV & V 4-6 & May 25, 9-11am, plan to attend both days
- Girls Basketball Tryouts: 10-2-CHS Gym
- Boys Basketball Tryouts: 2:15-4-CHS Gym
- Tennis Tryouts: 11-12-CHS Tennis Courts
- Baseball Tryouts: 11-1pm-CHS Baseball Field

Monday, 6/3

 Lady Cavs Soccer Tryouts: 10-11:30am-CHS grass field, bring water & cleats

Monday, 7/29

• CHS Club renewal application pick up

Friday, 8/2

• CHS Club applications due to Commons Office

Tuesday, 8/13

• CHS Club rush during lunch periods

Friday, 8/30

• CHS CAV Walk

Seniors

Awards Day: May 9 @ 10am

(participants will receive an invitation, parents welcome)

Last day for (exam exempt) Seniors: May 10

Prom: May 11 @ 7pm

(Ticket sales begin April 22, \$50)

Senior Final Exams: May 13 & 14

Graduation Practice: May 17 @ 9 am

Graduation: May 18 @ 10am

Project Graduation: May 18, 8pm-2am

(Ticket sales begin April 15, \$20 @ lunch)

Senior Elementary School Receptions:

Algood: May 15, 3:30-4:30

Avery Trace Middle: May 15, 2:00

Cane Creek: May 7, 3:30-4:40

Capshaw: May 15, 3:30 Sycamore: May 14, 3:30

Final Transcript - you must request your Final Transcript to be sent. Fill out a request before your last day of class.

CHS

CLASS OF 2024

Senior Sunset

-yearbook signing -outdoor games -cotton candy & popcorn -side walk chalk -photo opportunity



Front lawn @ CHS

6:30-8:30PM MAY 6TH

Bring money for food truck and a chair or blanket !!!!!

















Cookeville High School Colorguard Try-Outs!



Do you like to dance?

<u>Do you want to learn a new skill?</u> **Do you want to have FUN???**

Colorguard is an awesome, competitive sport that incorporates spinning flag, rifle and sabre with dance and tumbling. We perform as part of the CHS Marching Band! It is a great time with great friends!

Clinic Days and Try-Outs

Monday, May 6± 3:30р-6р (attendance highly recommended)

New parent, new member meeting directly after Monday's rehearsal (will be very short!)

<u>Tuesday, May 7º: 3:30p-6p (attendance highly recommended)</u>

Thursday, May 9th 3:30p-5p REQUIRED
Friday, May 10th 3:30p-5p REQUIRED

Be sure to stop by the CHS Band Room and Pick up an information packet! (Available starting Wednesday, April 24th). The packet contains important dates for the season, team rules, fees associated with the sport, ect.

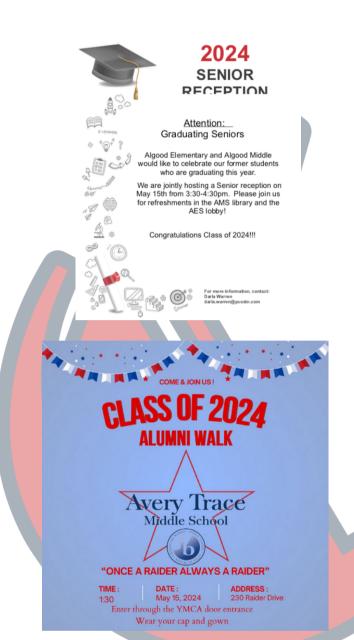
We will begin each tryout day in the CHS Band Room, although we may move to other parts of the school during our practice. Please note that BOTH Thursday and Friday try out sessions are required. Questions: Please contact Mrs. Hibbard @mhibbard03@amail.com.



If your child has medication with the nurse, you must come in to the clinic and sign the medication out before the end of the school year. No prescription or over-the-counter medicine may be left at school over the summer. The school nurse will **NOT** be working on May 23, 2024. Medication not picked up by May 24, 2024 at 10:00 AM will be destroyed.



TRACK BOYS & GIRLS
DISTRICT CHAMPIONS





Class of 2024 Senior Reception

Wednesday, May 15 3:30 Capshaw Library

We look forward to celebrating our former Capshaw Cougars!







Sponsored by Alex's Friends, In memory of Alex Hughes Brooks

All Putnam County 2024 Graduates

May 25, 2024 5pm - 9pm

Cookeville Community Center

240 Carlen Drive
Cookeville, TN 38501

FREE event!

Door prizes!

RSVP to: alexsfriends2023@gmail.com

Food and drinks provided.

Graduation Bulletin

Class of 2024

Information & FAQs

DRESS CODE

First and foremost: YOU MUST HAVE A CHS CAP/GOWN to participate in the graduation ceremony. Dress code is strictly enforced. You will be pulled from the line-up if you do not meet dress code requirements.

Guys: Collared dress shirt with tie/bowtie (borrow one, if necessary). Khaki or dark dress pants. NO jeans. Dress shoes or clean dressy boots. NO casual shoes such as tennis shoes, slides, sandals. etc.

Girls: Dress or dress pants. Neutral colored shoes with a back. NO casual shoes such as tennis shoes, slides, etc. Heels are highly discouraged, due to prolonged standing and tripping hazards on stairs and floor mat.

Graduation caps: Caps CANNOT be decorated. Please write your name on the inside of your cap so you can retrieve yours after the ceremonial toss. Do not toss caps with tassels still attached.

Only approved cords and stoles may be worn for graduation.

Honors regalia will be distributed by Counselors on May 9th. Cords for clubs/orgs will be distributed by individual sponsors at their convenience.

More Graduation info on the back!

We need your help to make
Graduation a dignified and
successful event for you, your
families, and friends!

Friday, -MANDATORY-May GRADUATION 17th PRACTICE

- TTU Hooper Eblen Center
- Do NOT wear cap/gown
- Begins @ 9:00 am ??
- Follow signs at entrance to find line location
- Bring \$55 graduation fee

Saturday, CLASS OF 2024 May GRADUATION 18th

- TTU Hooper Eblen Center
- · Cap/gown required
- Latin Honors photo @ 8:30 am
- Graduates line-up @ 9:00 am
- Doors open to the public
 9:00 am
- Ceremony begins promptly
 a 10:00 am

Graduation questions? Email Mrs. Rawls: mrawls@pcsstn.com



Graduation FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

How many family/friends can I invite to Graduation?

There is no limit to the number of family/friends that can attend for you.

What about parking for Graduation?

Please plan on parking being an issue for Graduation. CHS Graduation draws a huge volume of attendees and parking spaces near The Hoop cannot accommodate everyone. Allow extra time for finding parking when arriving for Graduation practice and the ceremony. Carpooling is encouraged.

Can we celebrate in the student section?

We recognize your desire to celebrate the occasion with the throwing of beach balls and/or streamers. However, NO CELEBRATION CAN TAKE PLACE UNTIL THE LAST STUDENT HAS WALKED OFF THE STAGE; NO EXCEPTIONS. The following guidelines for celebrations are also in place for students AND auests:

- NO noise makers (including air horns, cow bells, etc)
- NO silly string
- NO glifter

Anything done to damage Tech's floor covering will result in a personal fine to the guilty party(ies).

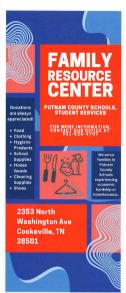
Failure to abide by these guidelines may result in your diploma being pulled. Diplomas that are withheld can only be picked up at CHS on the Monday following Graduation.

How do I get my diploma?

Only diploma covers are given on stage during the ceremony. Line sponsors will distribute diplomas after the ceremony, behind guest seating sections inside the arena (not on the track). Administration and/or line sponsors can refuse diploma distribution for student misbehavior during the ceremony. Diplomas that are withheld can only be picked up at CHS on the Monday following Graduation.









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THE INDUSTRY 4.0 DIPLOMA DISTINCTION IS A DISTINCTION THAT Allows Students to pursue a career in a high-need, High-skill industry while in high school

Students who earn the Industry 4.0

- At least nine (9)dual enrollment or workbased learning (WBL) credits aligned with students' career goals during their junior
- Receive monthly career coaching and counseling to better prepare students for
- Students will have the option to substitute WBL or dual enrollment course, as approvby the State Board of Education, for one math credit and one science credit.







Students stay informed with Google Classroom for your graduating class:

Class of 2025:



Class of 2027:



Class of 2026:



Class of 2028:



Attention all CHS Students. The BigFuture program through CollegeBoard has great opportunities for all High School Students. It can help you choose a profession based on your interests, help pair you with a College/University and potenially win scholarships.

Go to https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org and create an account.

If you already have CollegeBoard account, use the same login and password.

BigFuture Scholarships for the Class of 2024 and 2025

BigFuture awards hundreds of \$500 and 2 \$40,000 scholarships monthly!

Start Your Career List

Save 3 or more careers on Career Search. Opens: December of sophomore year Deadline: By the end of February of senior year

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Build Your College List

Save 6 or more colleges on College Search Opens: December of sophomore year Deadline: By June 30 of junior year

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Explore Scholarships

Save 3 or more scholarships on Scholarship Search Opens: July 1 before senior year Deadline: By the end of February of senior year 4

Strengthen Your College List

Save 1 safety, 2 match, and 3 reach schools on College Search

Opens: July 1 before senior year Deadline: By October 31 of senior year

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Complete the FAFSA

Complete the FAFSA®, submit a state aid form, or be legally ineligible to submit either the FAFSA or a state aid form.

Opens: December 1 of senior year Deadline: By the end of February of senior year

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Apply to Colleges

Submit applications to at least 2 colleges. Opens: October 1 of senior year Deadline: By the end of February of senior year



TEST DATES

United States, US Territories, and Puerto Rico



2023 2024

Test Dates	Regular Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline	Photo Upload and Standby Deadline
September 9, 2023	August 4	August 18	September 1
October 28, 2023	September 22	October 6	October 20
December 9, 2023	November 3	November 17	December 1
February 10, 2024	January 5	January 19	February 2
April 13, 2024	March 8	March 22	April 5
June 8, 2024	May 3	May 17	May 31
July 13, 2024*	June 7	June 21	July 5

*No test centers are scheduled in New York for the July test date.

Test Information Release for the 2023–2024 testing year will occur in September, April, and June See www.act.org/the-act/tir for more information.

www.act.org



CELL PHONE / ELECTRONIC DEVICE VIOLATION DISCIPLINARY PROCEDURES

1st Offense	2nd Offense	3rd Offense	4th Offense
Warning	The teacher takes the phone to administration	The teacher takes the phone to administration	The teacher takes the phone to administration
Teacher contacts the	and the offense is	and the offense is	and the offense is
parent about the	documented in	documented in	documented in
violation.	PowerSchool.	PowerSchool.	PowerSchool.
The teacher takes the	The student is assigned	Student serves 1 day of	Student serves 3 days of
phone to administration	to either 1 day of	ISS. The parent is	ISS. The phone is given
and the offense is	after-school detention	required to pick up the	back after each day of
documented in	or 2 days of lunch	phone after the student	ISS served. (The phone
PowerSchool.	detention.	has served the day of	will be turned in to the
		ISS.	ISS teacher each
Student is able to pick	Phone is held and given		morning.)
the phone back up at	back at the end of the 1		
the end of the school	day of after school		For the remainder of
day.	detention OR phone is		the year after the 4th
	held for the day and		offense, the student
	given back after each of		checks in the phone at
	the 2 days of lunch		the office (Main Office)
	detention. (It is the		at or before 8:00 a.m.
	responsibility of the		every school day, and
	student to turn in		the phone is returned to
	his/her cell phone to the		the student at 3:00 p.m.
	Main Office upon arrival to school on the		at the end of every school day.
	second day of their		school day.
	lunch detention.)		

Visit Cookevillecavaliers.com for the following information and more:



POWERSCHOOL PARENT PORTAL LOGIN REQUEST

Cookeville Cavalier Parents / Guardians,

The PowerSchool Parent Portal is an easy-to-use web-based tool for parents and guardians that provides secure, near real time information about your child's grades, attendance, class schedule, demographic information, and more.

Please follow the link below to create an account to access your child's information. https://pcsstn.powerschool.com/public/

How to Create an Account

The first time, you must create an account using the school's assigned Access ID and Password from a letter sent home at the beginning of school. Your school can also help you with this information.

Things you will need to create your account:

- District Code BQHG is the 4-digit code for Putnam County School System
- The secure access ID Access this ID comes in a letter from their school within the first nine weeks or parents/caregivers can contact the school.

Get started by clicking the log-in page. *Tutorial videos are also available on the log-in page.

I have an account, what is next?

Once you have created a login, use your User ID and Password when you log in each time.

How To Add Student and 5 Enrollment forms for new students.

Setting Up Automatic Reminders:

- 1. Once you log in, choose Email Notifications on the left.
- 2. Click each box with the information you would like to receive, how often and to what email address.
 - 3. Click submit.

PowerSchool Mobile App

- 1. Install App (Apple or Android)
- 2. Enter District Code BQHG is the 4-digit code for Putnam County School System3. Login using the Student or Parent username and password.

Troubleshooting:

Having issues logging in? It may be that your email is already tied to a PowerSchool account.

Please contact your school to have your password reset.

Mobile App: If parents/caregivers are having issues with the mobile app (seeing last year's info, etc.), they need to delete the app and reinstall it. The old app is being directed to the old URL so a reinstall should fix the problem.