

November 19th Parent Update

The Next Two Weeks of Events

Nov. 20th – Dec. 3rd - B Weeks

Important Dates

Nov. 21st: Staff Thanksgiving Luncheon - [Sign Up Here](#)

Nov. 22-25th: Thanksgiving Holiday

Nov. 29th: No Tardies - Celebration

Dec. 5th: Custodian Day – Ldrshp Takes Over Custodial Duties

Dec. 8th: Academic Warning (midpoint in 9 wk)

Dec. 11th: Highlander Day – IMS & LTS visit

Dec. 11th – 15th: Spirit Week

Dec. 13th: Winter Fest

Jan. 19th: End of 1st Semester Grading Period

2024 Graduation is June 17th @ 4:00 p.m.

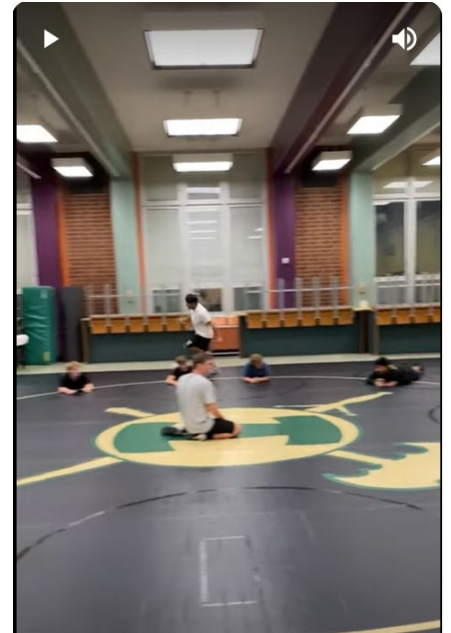
We have received approval to plan for an outdoor graduation. If you'd like to be on the 2024 graduation committee please reach out to Ms. Cahill, tcahill@washoeschools.net

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2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 B	2 A	3 B	4
5	6 A	7 B	8 A	9 B	10 VETERAN'S DAY (OBS.)	11
12	13 A	14 B	15 A	16 B	17 A	18
19	20 B	21 A	22 -----	23 -----	24 -----	25
26	27 B	28 A	29 B	30 A		

Wrestling is looking for a few adventurous Girls and Boys to come out for Wrestling. Yes, you read that correctly, we have a Girls Wrestling Team!!



Click on picture to see video. 1st Female Wrestler @ IHS!!!
Pearl Carle!!!! Video courtesy of Mr. Harrison.

All Winter athletes need to be cleared through Register My Athlete (Aktivate) at www.registermyathlete.com This needs to be completed before they can join the team. See Mr. Murdock, Mr. Harrison, Athletic Secretary Sarah Morris, or Coach Fragosa in the counseling center if you have questions.

Congratulations Incline High School – AP School Honor Roll recognizes schools whose AP programs are delivering wide-reaching results for their students. Incline HS = GOLD with Access

The AP School Honor Roll, which replaces the previous AP District Honor Roll, offers schools recognition across four levels of distinction: Bronze, Silver, Gold, and Platinum. Schools on the AP School Honor Roll may also earn the AP Access Award, honoring schools that demonstrate a clear and effective commitment to equitable access to advanced coursework. For a school to be recognized on the AP School Honor Roll, it must be located within the United States (including U.S. territories) or Canada and:

- Meet each of the following criteria anchored in research-based relationships between AP and college outcomes:
- **College Culture:** 40% or more of graduating cohort took at least 1 AP Exam during high school.






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- **College Credit:** 25% or more of the graduating cohort scored a 3 or higher on at least 1 AP Exam during high school.
- **College Optimization:** 2% or more of the graduating cohort took 5 or more AP Exams during high school. At least 1 of those exams was taken in 9th or 10th grade, so that students are spreading their AP experience across grades rather than feeling disproportionate pressure in any single year.
- Have full-time grade-12 enrollments.

Schools can earn the additional AP Access Award if the percentage of AP Exam takers who are underrepresented minority and/or low-income students mirrors the school's overall student demographics.

As of October 2023

Of the 15,150 eligible schools, 4,570 schools (30%) earned a place on the 2023 AP School Honor Roll.¹

AWARD	PERCENT OF ALL ELIGIBLE SCHOOLS: US AND CANADA
 AP School Honor Roll Bronze	9%
 AP School Honor Roll Silver	9%
 AP School Honor Roll Gold	6%
 AP School Honor Roll Platinum	6%
 In addition, 39% of schools on the Honor Roll earned the AP Access Award.	

School Honor Roll Criteria: 2023 Snapshot

The table below provides an overview of the School Honor Roll criteria, and displays the average percentage of 2023 graduating students in eligible schools for each.

HONOR ROLL CRITERIA	AVERAGE ACROSS ALL ELIGIBLE SCHOOLS: US AND CANADA
Took at least 1 AP Exam	41%
Scored 3+ on at least 1 AP Exam	25%
Took 5+ AP Exams, at least 1 in 9th or 10th grade ²	8%

PSAT Scores are available through your student's account. Semi-Finalists will be announced in September of 2024. If you feel you're a contender for the scholarship, it's advised to practice for the

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SATs because it's required to confirm the PSAT scores. Great job to everyone that signed up for the PSATs.

2024-25 Course Selection for 10th – 11th grades will take place before winter break. Be looking for emails from your counselor with course selection information. 9th graders will go through this process after winter break.

Grade Level Planning Calendars

Seniors need to confirm with your counselor that your T2 course selection puts you in the best possible position for transitioning well into your post-secondary choices. Seniors, if you haven't yet finalized your post-secondary plans, you should book an appointment with Ms. Carney in the library.

You should be collecting your letters of recommendations and copies of your transcripts to submit for applications for scholarships! Please keep checking the scholarships section of the website for updates/information as needed. Also, do not forget to check with the financial aid offices at the colleges you are applying to (both in state AND out of state) for information on scholarship opportunities they have as well. Don't miss out on the opportunity to receive any additional merit-based scholarships! For UNR: February 1st is the admission deadline for scholarship consideration!

Need a transcript? All transcripts must be ordered through: <https://washoeschoolsnv.scribborder.com> The school is not allowed to give unofficial OR official transcripts to students. You must order through this website, and your first (4) transcripts are free. You have the option of mailing a sealed transcript or having an electronic version emailed to you (or the destination of your choice). Please remember to allow for processing and plan accordingly!

Already been accepted to your college of choice? Congratulations! Make sure you review your student account with the school. Many will be requesting your shot records, opening their in-house scholarships, asking for applications to be filled out for housing, and requesting transcripts. If you are in the Jump Start Program taking college classes and/or have passed AP tests with a score of 3, 4, or 5, remember to submit your AP test scores, as well as your transcripts from TMCC or other community colleges you have attended. Schools will need this information to waive classes and give you college credits (if applicable)!

GOING TO COLLEGE OUT OF STATE? Applications are open, so start applying and meet those priority deadlines! Meeting those deadlines is highly encouraged because you will receive your acceptance letters first, financial aid packages, it helps with merit scholarships they offer, and much more. Make sure you are talking with admission counselors and representatives to understand deadlines, housing requirements and necessary documents needed for admissions. ALL SCHOOLS ARE DIFFERENT! So please do your research.

UC/CSU: These applications are OPEN. The deadline to apply for both systems is typically November 30th.

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FAFSA UPDATES: If you are a senior (or parent of a senior!) and wish to apply for financial aid for college (community colleges and 4-year colleges, as well many technical/vocational colleges), you **MUST** complete the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid). The FAFSA has been revamped and will not be available until December 2023. WUSD is hosting several FAFSA Nights at each of the high schools in January and February 2024 to assist students and parents with this application process! Please check the College & Career Center website for those dates and for more detailed information on the financial aid process! Information regarding financial aid, scholarships, upcoming events, career exploration tools, college search resources, and much more are posted on our Counseling website. As a parent, you can access all this information on the Counseling website anytime! **COLLEGE & CAREER CENTER EVENTS: PLEASE CHECK WEBSITE AS ADDITIONS AND CHANGES MAY HAPPEN AT ANY TIME!**

As always, please continue to check the bulletin boards (located outside of the College & Career Center, the Library, and the Counseling Office) and the College & Career Center website for upcoming college visits, scholarships, and events. Scholarships (and college admission visits and other events) are being added daily, so please keep checking and applying for those scholarships!

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- Complete and submit all applications. If not applying online, be sure to mail on time. Do not forget the application fee!
- UC/CSU application deadline is November 30th!
- Apply for student housing (if planning to live on-campus) as soon as the university/college will allow!
- If attending a community college (like TMCC), now is the time to start the application process: 1) apply online; 2) take required placement tests (e.g. the Accuplacer); 3) attend a new student orientation and academic advisement workshop; 4) register for classes; 5) pay for classes. Also review financial aid and scholarship opportunities at the community college through their financial aid office. • Get your FSA ID (<https://studentaid.gov/fsa-id/create-account/launch>) so you and your parent can start your FAFSA application when it becomes available in December! The FAFSA is the Free Application for Federal Student Aid and is required to apply for financial aid (grants, loans, etc.) from the federal government. Many colleges/universities also use the FAFSA to determine financial aid awards.
- Continue researching and applying for scholarships!!
- December**
- January 1st is the typical deadline for application to some selective colleges (others have deadlines later in January or February).
- Review the following with your parent to help you prepare for completing the FAFSA: <https://studentaid.gov/apply-for-aid/fafsa/filling-out> . Start to gather your and your parent(s) financial/tax records!
- Contact the financial aid office at each college to see if there are any additional financial aid forms required in addition to the FAFSA (e.g. the Profile). Do **NOT** wait until you find out if you have

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been accepted to apply for financial aid! You will need to submit all required financial aid forms even if you have not been notified of your acceptance to the college(s) to which you applied.

- Continue researching and applying for scholarships!!
- January**
- Submit the FAFSA online as soon as possible (<https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/afsa>). Attend any of the WCSD FAFSA Nights in January/February for assistance! Check with all financial aid offices about any other financial aid options and when to file other required financial aid applications or forms.
- Apply for our local Incline Scholarships
- Request that your official high school transcript be sent to colleges applied too (if requested): <https://washoeschoolsnv.scriborder.com/>
- Contact the admissions office of the college(s) to which you have applied to make sure your application has been received and that they have all the required forms and paperwork.
- Males between the ages of 18-25 years old must register with the Selective Service (<https://www.sss.gov/register/who-needs-to-register/>)
- Continue researching and applying for scholarships!!
- February**
- If you filed your FAFSA online, you should receive a Student Aid Report (SAR) via email within 3-5 days. If corrections are needed, correct, and return it to the FAFSA processor promptly.
- Contact the financial aid office of the college(s) to which you applied to make sure your information has been received and they have all the required paperwork they need.
- If you have not received an acceptance notification from any college to which you applied, contact the admissions office to find out the status of your application and the notification period for acceptances/denials.
- Continue researching and applying for scholarships!!
- March/April**
- Look for admission notifications via mail or email
- Carefully review and compare financial aid award packages (and scholarship offers) from colleges. Call, email or write to the college financial aid office if you have any questions. Do not just look at how much aid you are offered- review how much of your need is covered, and the type of aid and repayment terms (if applicable). If you do not receive any (or enough) financial aid, ask about any other financing options.
- If you are accepted by more than one college, decide which one is best for you- you may be required to send a non-refundable deposit! May 1st is typically the deadline for the Statement of Intent to Register. Notify all other colleges of your decision- be fair to the colleges and to other students who may be on their wait list.
- Continue researching and applying for scholarships!!
- May**

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- If “wait listed” by your first-choice college, call, visit or write to the admissions director to state your intention and ask how to strengthen your application. If you need financial aid to attend that “wait list” college, find out if funds will be available if you are accepted.
- Send the required deposit to the college of your choice. If you have been offered financial aid from the college you selected, make sure you accept the offer as instructed by your award letter. Finalize all elements of your financial aid package (e.g., loan applications, etc.) Find out the amount and the “due dates” for tuition and room/board fees. Contact the financial aid office if you have any questions!
- Find out from the college what else you must do, if anything, to establish and maintain your financial aid eligibility.
- If you have received financial aid from other colleges, make sure you let them know you will not be attending. And remember, you must reapply for financial aid every year.
- Take AP exams if applicable (remember to research the AP credit policy at your selected college for passing AP scores!)
- Continue researching and applying for scholarships!!
- **June/Summer**
- Remember to request your final official high school transcript be sent to your college:
<https://washoeschoolsnv.scriborder.com/>
- Evaluate whether your family’s health insurance coverage is sufficient for your needs while you are attending college. Determine if you need to research student health insurance.
- Participate in any summer orientation programs for incoming freshman
- Continue researching and applying for scholarships!!

Juniors should be studying for the upcoming ACT in February. We have a free course available to help prepare you through Edgenuity. If you’d like access to this, please email Ms. Lombardi at: ALombardi@washoeschools.net and she’ll add you to the course.

October/November

- Continue working hard in your classes and get good grades!
- Attend the district college fair to assist in the college selection process. Talk to college representatives, adults and college students about their college experiences for tips and advice. Begin narrowing down your college choices.
- Keep parents informed on colleges you are considering- examine financial resources and gather information about financial aid. Discuss with your parent(s) financial aid options!
- If interested in a military academy, talk to your counselor about starting the application process now. See the local academy representative as there are several early deadlines plus the requirement of congressional recommendations.

December/January

- Review your PSAT scores with your counselor. Determine areas to improve upon for the SAT and ACT. Remember: SAT/ACT scores are typically used for admission purposes, scholarship applications, NCAA initial eligibility, and placement in English and Math classes at college.

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□ Register for spring (May/June) SAT/ACT and Subject exams (if required) at www.collegeboard.org and www.actstudent.org . Try both exams! Almost all colleges will accept your best score(s) on either exam. Remember: You cannot take the SAT and the Subject Exam(s) on the same test date! Plan accordingly.

□ Start preparing for SAT/ACT exams. Free study aids are available online at the SAT and ACT websites, Khan Academy, and at the Library/College and Career Center.

□ Review your transcript with your counselor; refine your college list and review those you are interested in and your chances of acceptance.

February/March

□ If possible, schedule campus visits now for the spring term when colleges are still in session

□ Plan for challenging and rigorous courses your senior year (Honors/AP). Do not “take a break” -- plan on taking a full schedule your senior year. Colleges look for rigor all 4 years of high school!

□ Continue to review your progress towards meeting NCAA eligibility requirements

(www.eligibilitycenter.org) for college athletics. Plan your senior year courses accordingly!

□ Continue researching college costs and the process of applying for financial aid. Attend a college financial aid information session.

□ Investigate scholarship opportunities- utilize online scholarship search resources and websites (see your counselor/Counseling Center for details)

□ Research interesting and challenging summer courses, jobs, and activities (check for summer programs on college campuses)

April/May

□ Narrow college choices to five to eight schools

□ Take the SAT/ACT and Subject exams (if applicable)

□ Take AP exams in May

□ Research volunteer, employment and/or internship opportunities this summer to enhance your college application. Stay involved with extracurricular activities-- colleges look for consistency and depth in activities (quality vs. quantity).

□ Arrange college visits and interviews for summer. Arrange tours, meet with admission counselors, and possibly stay overnight in a dorm! Review college websites for admission requirements and application deadlines.

□ Review your transcript: Make sure everything is correct and no errors!

Summer

□ Review and register for Fall SAT/ACT test dates. Students typically improve their scores on the second attempt.

□ If planning on Division I, II, or III college athletics: Register with the NCAA online at:

www.eligibilitycenter.org. Early registration helps student athletes avoid pitfalls that could delay your academic or amateur certification.

□ Get involved in an internship or job related to your career interests and/or volunteer and community service activities.

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- Visit the campuses of your top college choices. Keep your college options open and consider all possibilities. In addition to your “reach” and “mid-range” schools, keep some “safety” schools on your list.
- Compose rough drafts of your college essays (if required). Review with a teacher and prepare final drafts. Proofread, proofread, proofread!
- Consider a summer job and save your money to help pay for college costs. Develop a financial aid application plan (include list of aid sources, requirements for applications, and timetable to meet filing deadlines)

Sophomores:

- Review your progress on meeting graduation and college admission requirements. Study hard and keep your grades up!
- Continue to take challenging courses (Honors/AP)- colleges look for rigor- and get involved in extracurricular, volunteer and community service activities that are meaningful to YOU. Work toward leadership positions in activities you like best.
- Visit the College and Career Center to find information about colleges, careers, and scholarship planning. Review catalogs, computerized college-search programs, and college guides such as Big Future on <https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/college-search>
- Start collecting college info and data such as possible majors, size, location, costs, etc. Use college websites to start exploring! Look for “Prospective Students” or “Future Students” on college websites as a starting point. Research admission requirements, application procedures, costs, majors, virtual tours, etc.
- If interested in a military academy (e.g. West Point or Annapolis), now is the time to start planning and getting information on the application process. □ Start collecting info about other educational/technical programs or the military if not planning to attend a college or university
- Keep putting money aside for college- continue talking with parents about financing post high school goals.
- Start your personal and academic resume for college applications and letters of recommendation (include GPA, volunteer work/community service, employment, leadership and all extracurricular activities and hobbies).
- Read, read, read and work on your writing skills! You will need strong reading and writing skills no matter what you do in your future.
- Take the PSAT (Practice SAT) and review your results in December or January with your counselor. Although the PSAT is “practice”, take advantage of reviewing the test booklet and practice test beforehand!
- If a potential college requires Subject Tests, ask your counselor about taking them this year. It is a good idea to take Subject tests just after you finish your last course in that subject area (e.g. the sciences and history).

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- ☐ Memorize your social security number- if you don't have one, get one. You'll need it to take admission tests and apply for college, financial aid, and jobs.
- ☐ Review NCAA eligibility requirements online at www.eligibilitycenter.org. Check all requirements (including approved Galena High School coursework) to make sure you are on track!
- ☐ Considering including college campus visits during family trips over summer or breaks

Freshmen:

☐ Know graduation and college admission requirements and make sure you are enrolled in the appropriate courses. There are different requirements for each diploma type!

Graduation Requirements (STANDARD diploma): Changes are coming in 2024

English: 4 credits

Math: 3 credits

Social Studies: 3 credits

Science: 2 credits

PE/ROTC: 2 credits

Health: .5 credit

Digital Thinking: .5 credit

Arts/Humanities/CTE: 1 credit

Electives: 6 credits

Flex courses: 1 credit (will be 2 credits)

☐ Develop two lists for planning each year of high school- one for courses and the other for extracurricular activities. Get involved in activities outside the classroom!

☐ Set aside money for college regularly. Talk with your parents about planning for college expenses and begin researching financing options

☐ Familiarize yourself with the Incline HS counseling center and your counselor to start researching colleges and careers. Explore your interests and related careers!

☐ Get good grades! Ninth grade performance DOES count for college admissions, scholarship opportunities, your final GPA and class rank

☐ Investigate opportunities for volunteer work, community service, and summer enrichment programs


☐ If considering college athletics, start reviewing eligibility requirements online:


www.eligibilitycenter.org. Check all requirements (approved coursework) to make sure you are on track! Division I and II requires 16 "core" courses.

☐ Review Millennium Scholarship requirements online at:

https://www.nevadatreasurer.gov/GGMS/GGMS_Home/


☐ Consider college campus visits this summer- check out the dorms, student center, library, resources, etc.

 Monday, November 20, 2023


 All Day – Add what you're grateful for on the Thankful Wall


 10:00am-10:30am Turkey Grams being sold by Leadership  Cafeteria during nutrition.


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 5:30pm-7:30pm Football Banquet @ Chateau


 **Tuesday, November 21, 2023**

 All Day – Add what you're grateful for on the Thankful Wall


 10:00 a.m. Pie Give Away

 12:13 pm: Staff Thanksgiving Luncheon hosted by Leadership. Thank you, Leadership Students and Families, for thinking of our staff. We appreciate the gratitude and kind gestures.

- [Sign Up Here](#)


 **Monday, November 27, 2023**

 10:15am-10:30am – Junior Fundraiser in the Cafeteria


 **Tuesday, November 28, 2023**


 10:15am-12:45pm – Bake Sale in the Cafeteria

 4:30pm – Basketball: Girls JV Game vs. North Valleys High School @ North Valleys High School

 4:30pm – Basketball: Girls Varsity Game vs. North Valleys High School @ North Valleys High School

 **Wednesday, November 29, 2023**

 1:00pm-1:30pm – No Tardies Rewards in the Cafeteria


 1:45pm-4:00pm – Team Pictures in the Main Gym


 6:00pm – Athletics in the Theater

 **Thursday, November 30, 2023**

 TBD – Basketball: Boys Freshman Game vs. TBD @ TBA


 Civics Exam Required for Graduation 8:00 – 9:00 a.m. See Mr. Murdock

 2:30pm-5:00pm – Dance Recital in the Theater


 5:00pm-8:30pm – We The People in First Floor Rooms

 **Friday, December 1, 2023**


 TBD – Basketball: Boys Freshman Game vs. TBD @ TBA

 10:00am-12:45pm – Bake Sale in the Cafeteria

 2:45pm-8:00pm – Dance Recital in the Theater

 **Saturday, December 2, 2023**

 TBD – Basketball: Boys Freshman Game vs. TBD @ TBA

 7:00am – Wrestling: Boys Varsity/JV/Freshman Tournament vs. Douglas Tigers @ Douglas High School

[IHS's Wide World of Sports](#)


Let's celebrate the remarkable achievements of Sequoia Denton and her incredible horse, Call Me Maeby! Just two weeks ago, Sequoia clinched the coveted title of Grand Champion in not one, but two divisions: the .75-meter and .80-meter categories. What's more, she added another feather to her cap by securing the prestigious High Point Champion title in the .80-meter division.

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Sequoia's recent outstanding performance has earned her a well-deserved spot at the US Nationals in Las Vegas, which took place yesterday and today, where she proudly represented Incline Village. During the preceding weekend, she showcased her unwavering dedication and remarkable horsemanship skills at the USHJA National Championship, competing in the demanding .90-meter category. Her stellar performance was a shining example of her talent, as she rode her way into the Winners Circle, securing an impressive 11th place nationally out of a competitive field of 60 talented riders.

Let's extend our heartfelt congratulations to Sequoia Denton for her exceptional accomplishments in equestrian sports. We eagerly anticipate more success in her bright future in competitive horsemanship!

Equine Network HOME MY VIDEOS SEARCH EVENTS



The video player shows a rider on a brown horse performing a jump over a white and blue obstacle. The background features a large banner for 'LAS VEGAS' and a 'TRACTOR SUPPLY CO.' sign. The video player interface includes a progress bar at 42 seconds, a volume icon, and a full-screen button.

The Las Vegas National
\$500 .80m Chlldren's Affiliate Jumper Grand Prix, II,2a

Sequoia Denton
Call Me Maebly

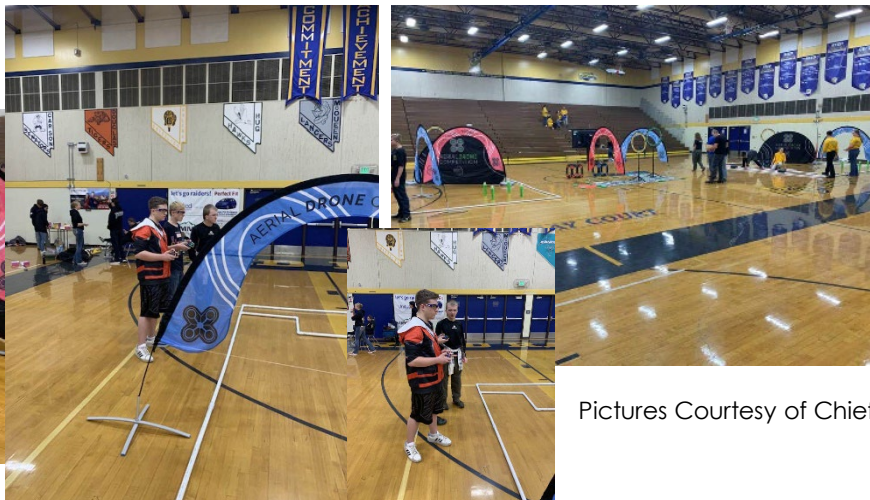
[Click on photo above to see video.](#) Courtesy of the Equine Network

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Photos Courtesy of Phoebe Denton

Interested in Drone Competitions? See Chief Malara!



Pictures Courtesy of Chief Malara.

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Congratulations to all of our Fall Sport Athletes that have received Post-Season Awards:

Cross-Country:

Noah McMahan = Regional Champion/ 2x Back-to-Back State Champion

Kira Noble – All Regional/All State 4th pl.

Football:

Offensive Player of the Year – Tommy Williams

Defensive Player of the Year – Colin Combs

1st Team Offense:

- Cameron Bodel
- Alex Briggs

2nd Team Offense:

- Lucas McNamara
- Tate Gitchell
- Ace Zender
- Alex Finne

Honorable Mention:

- Colin Combs
- Jayden Abbate

1st Team Defense:

- Cameron Bodel
- Johnny Santiago
- Colton Barraza
- Tommy Williams

2nd Team Defense:

- Ace Zender
- Lucas McNamara

Speical Teams 2nd Team:

- Lucas McNamara

Honorable Mention Special Teams:

- Aiden Midgely
- Johnny Santiago



Boys All- League Soccer

1st Team Defenders:

- Alexis Soto

1st Team Midfielders:

- Sam Lager

All North 1st Team

- Alexis Soto

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Girls All-League Soccer

Honorable Mention Defenders

- Whitney Kiesel

Second Team Midfielders

- Kelly Kratz

Honorable Mention Midfielders

- Ellie Lowden

Honorable Mention Forwards

- Tatum Taves

First Team Goalkeeper

- Lily Adams

First Team Utility Player

- Kiley Erickson

Volleyball North All-League

1st Team All-League

- Hayley Hansen

2nd Team All-League

- Beckie Susman

Honorable Mention

- Madison Racich



Fall Banquets:

The Fall sports banquets have not only met but exceeded our expectations in achieving our goal of moving away from the all-sport season awards. We understand that change is often met with hesitancy, but we firmly believe that our students deserve a more robust and special event to acknowledge their hard work and end-of-year accomplishments.


We identified a significant issue where individual athletes weren't receiving adequate recognition due to the limited time each coach had to discuss their season during the previous format. By making this change, our coaches have brilliantly cultivated an intimate and meaningful atmosphere to honor and celebrate each student athlete individually.

Administration would like to express our profound gratitude to all of our Fall Coaches for inviting us to your celebrations so we can celebrate your season with you. Your dedication and hard work in organizing these banquets have undeniably made these events exceptionally special. We want to extend our heartfelt thanks to all the dedicated parents and coaches who have worked tirelessly to ensure that these team banquets now serve as genuine celebrations for everyone involved, especially after an exhilarating yet demanding season. This transformation has truly paid off, allowing us to wholeheartedly acknowledge and cherish the remarkable achievements of our student athletes.

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ATTENDANCE MATTERS!

 We've completed 56 school days so far this year.

 Did you know a student is considered CHRONICALLY ABSENT if they've missed 10% of these days?

 That's 5.6 days at this point in the academic year!




 **Exceptions that are EXEMPT from the 10% rule:**

 Doctor's note

 COVID-related absence

TARDIES

Starting the second quarter, **students exceeding 11 unexcused tardies**, during the second quarter, will lose their off-campus privileges. Students that lose their off-campus privileges will be required to check in with our Dean of Students in the lunchroom at the beginning of the lunch period and at the end.

Let's strive for excellent attendance!   

From the Counseling Department:

Student Grad Planning:

- Counselors presenting graduation info to sophomores during Advisory 11/15 and are working on scheduling 1:1 grad planning before winter break.

Scholarship Opportunities

BE CAUTIOUS when applying for scholarships. **NEVER** pay for a scholarship application **OR** to submit one! Be careful **when providing personal information: Do not give out banking/financial information since scholarships (and applying for scholarships) should be free!** Apply early and keep track of deadlines- due dates vary!

Scholarship opportunities on a national level may be researched online via several different scholarship search sites including some of the following:

BEFORE starting the online scholarship search process: [How To Avoid Scholarship and Financial Aid Scams](#) and [Avoiding Student Aid Scams](#)

- [Fastweb](#)
- [Appily \(formerly Cappex\)](#)
- [Student Scholarships](#)
- [Tuition Funding Sources](#)
- [College Board Big Future](#)
- [Scholarships.com](#)
- [Unigo](#)

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LOCAL & NEVADA SCHOLARSHIPS (listed in due date order):

- **CHECK THE FINANCIAL AID WEBSITE OF THE NEVADA COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY YOU PLAN TO ATTEND FOR ADDITIONAL SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES!**
- **January 2024: Incline High School General Scholarship** (additional details will be posted)
- **February 8, 2024: Reno Rodeo Foundation Scholarship Program.** More details and application can be **found here**
- **March 11, 2024: Jiffy Lube Teen Driver Scholarship Program.** More details and application can be **found here**

MILITARY ACADEMIES (SCHOLARSHIPS)

United States Military Academy at West Point, NY: www.usma.edu

United States Naval Academy at Annapolis, MD:
<https://www.usna.edu/homepage.php>

United States Air Force Academy at Colorado Springs, CO: www.usafa.edu

United States Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point, NY: www.usmma.edu

United States Coast Guard Academy at New London, CT: <https://uscga.edu/>

ROTC SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES (Army, Navy, Marines, Air Force):

www.goarmy.com/rotc www.afrotc.com

College Education Opportunities in the Navy | Navy.com

<https://www.netc.navy.mil/commands/naval-service-training-command/nrotc/marine/>

Nevada Air and Army National Guard Scholarship Programs:

<https://www.nationalguard.com/education-programs/college-scholarships>

<https://nevadafund.org/scholarships/nevada-air-national-guard-scholarship>

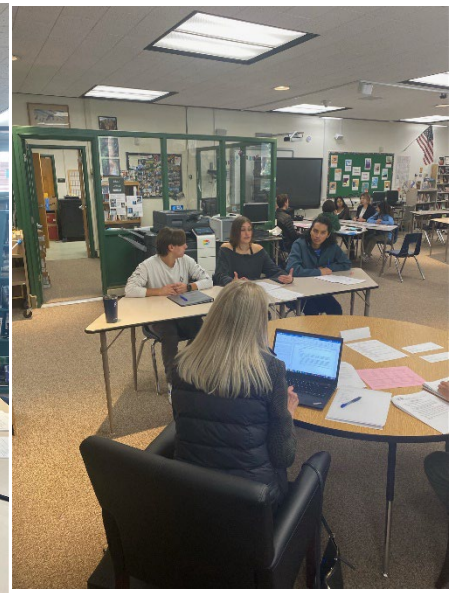
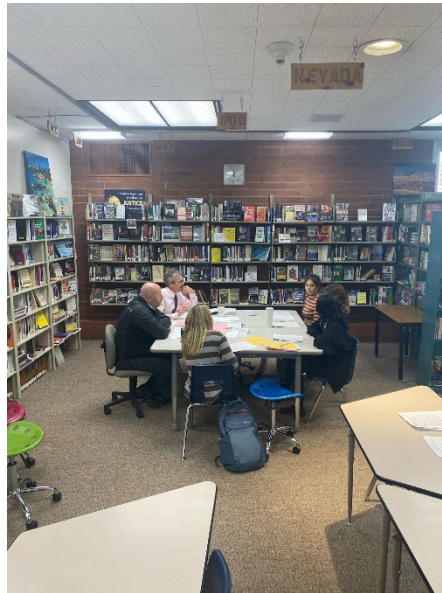
Thank you!

Mrs. Sara Coombes M.Ed. 🙏

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Celebrations:

We the People! Our WEPEOPLES are hard at work preparing their testimonies for the district competition. Thank you to our dedicated team of coaches helping them to prepare this week. (Mr. Wescher, Ms. Tonking, Christina Hull, Ms. Foehl, Mrs. Michael, Mr. S. Canino, Ms. Ruhrmann, Ms. Bennett-Herr, Ambriz, and Kintz.



Further Congratulations to the Hyams Family. Mr. Hyams' son was an important team member of the Back-to-Back State Championship Football Team from Truckee HS. We congratulate the Wolverines and the Hyams Family on an amazing season.



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Booster Meetings: Be sure to join this non-profit organization! Boosters are CHAMPIONS of all students and faculty at IHS. All meetings will be 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. @Parasol

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SNOW???

Winter Weather Updates: ☁️🧑‍🎓

As winter has arrived early in our mountains, we want to keep you informed about any possible delays or important messages. Please make use of our Snow Phone, which will be updated by 5:30 a.m. if there are any schedule changes or delays due to inclement weather. You can reach the Snow Phone at 775-337-7509.

Online Updates: 📱

If you prefer online updates, we've got you covered! You can access real-time information through the following options:

- **Incline HS Facebook Page:** [Click Here](#)
- **Twitter:** Our Twitter feed automatically updates our [school website](#).
- **Instagram:** Stay in the loop with our Instagram posts.

Additionally, WCSD will send out Connect Ed messages via phone and email to keep you informed about any changes or updates.



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Will Snow Days = Online Learning? 📖

Wondering about online learning options? Here's what you need to know: We have three contingency days built into our calendar. These days will be used before we can petition the state for permission to conduct classes online.

- During the first three contingency days, there will be no online classes. We'll keep you informed about how many of these days we've used.
- If we are granted permission to go online, we'll send out the updated schedule. We'll utilize Canvas and possibly Teams for online video classes. Keep an eye out for detailed information if online instruction becomes an option.

Thank you for staying connected and informed. Your safety and education are our top priorities, and we'll continue to provide updates as needed.

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Did you know you can check grades, manage attendance, assignments etc. on Infinite Campus via your mobile phone? If you need assistance, contact Sarah Morris our attendance/athletic secretary: SarahJ.Morris@WashoeSchools.net

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Campus Student and Campus Parent are designed to provide real-time access to student information. The easy-to-use design displays what is currently happening in the classroom so you can understand, monitor, and participate in the educational process.

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Watch this video: <https://www.infinitecampus.com/>

DMV: Certificate of Attendance

To obtain an instruction permit or driver's license this form must be signed by Ms. Cahill. A student must meet attendance requirements. Incline High School will use this form to suspend a student's instructional permit or driver's license or deny future privileges if the student is declared a habitual truant.

555 Wright Way
Carson City, NV 89711
Reno/Carson City (775) 684-4DMV (4368)
Las Vegas (702) 486-4DMV (4368)
dmv.nv.gov

DMV

**CERTIFICATION OF ATTENDANCE
NRS 392**

This form is used for the purpose of a person between the ages of 14 and 18 years, and is enrolled in school, to obtain an instruction permit or driver's license. This form certifies that the person is either meeting or exempt from Nevada school attendance requirements. This form is also used by the schools to suspend a student's instruction permit or driver's license or deny future privileges if the student is declared as a habitual truant. This form is only valid **60 days** from which it is signed and dated.

Student Information (MUST BE COMPLETED)

LAST NAME (PRINT)	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE NAME
DATE OF BIRTH	DRIVER'S LICENSE/INSTRUCTION PERMIT # (IF APPLICABLE)	
STUDENT ID #		

SECTION 1 - SCHOOL USE ONLY. This section is for students who are meeting school attendance requirements.

I, _____, Principal or School Official's Full Name, am the Principal or designated official of _____, Name of School.

I hereby attest that _____, Student's Full Name, is in compliance with the minimum attendance requirements pursuant to **NRS 392.122**.

_____, School Official's Printed Name, _____, School Official's Signature, _____, Date.

SECTION 2 - This section is for students who have attended school but are exempt from school attendance requirements.

I, the undersigned, certify that _____, whose relationship to me is _____, is exempt from meeting Nevada school attendance requirements as prescribed in **NRS 392.050-392.070**.

_____, Parent or Legal Guardian's Printed Name, _____, Parent or Legal Guardian's Signature, _____, Date.

I am exempt from meeting Nevada attendance requirements because I have received one of the following documents:

Diploma Certificate of High School Equivalency (GED, HSET, or TASC)

When applying for an instruction permit or driver's license you must present this form and a copy of the document selected above.

_____, Student's Printed Name, _____, Student's Signature, _____, Date.

SECTION 3 - SCHOOL USE ONLY. This section is used by the school for the purpose of suspending or denying the driving privileges of a student that has been declared a habitual truant.

If the student is declared a habitual truant pursuant to **NRS 392.140** then the student must surrender his/her license to the school principal or designee. If the student does not have a driver's license, then the future privileges of the student will be denied until the student is deemed eligible for an instruction permit or driver's license.

Select the offense and duration of suspension below:

First Offense Driver's license suspended for _____ days (minimum of 30 days but not more than six months)

Issuance delay for 30 days

Second or Subsequent Offense Driver's license suspended for _____ days (minimum of 60 days but not more than one year)

Issuance delayed for 60 days

This form must be sent no later than five days after issuing this order. Driver's License Assessment Team
555 Wright Way
Carson City, NV 89711-0400

_____, School Principal or School Designee's Printed Name, Agency and Phone Number, _____, School Principal or School Designee's Signature, _____, Date.