



Every Fox Needs a Den. Welcome to Yours!

A message from your principal, Dr. Travis



I hope this update finds you well.

Si está interesado en revisar el contenido de esta actualización en español, haga clic [aquí](#).

Included in this update:

- Monthly Calendar October - **updated item**
- **Student & Staff Salute**
- 5 Foxes named National Merit Scholars - **new item**
- YHS celebrates Hispanic Heritage Month - **new item**
- **Athletics Update**
- Sports Booster Meeting on 10/4 - **new item**
- Winter Sports Registration - **new item**
- YHS Alumni invited to 2023 Homecoming Game - **new item**
- **Activities Update**
- 2023 Marching Foxes boast 160 members - **new item**
- YHS celebrates Homecoming 2023 - **new item**
- **Upcoming Events**
- Save the Date ~ PSAT/NMSQT Assessment - October 18th - **new item**
- Save the Date ~ FAFSA Night - October 25th - **new item**
- **Notes to Note**
- Hey Seniors - National SAT & ACT test dates - **old item**



In addition to my weekly email updates, I encourage everyone to follow us on [Twitter](#) and “like” our [Facebook](#) page to learn about all the great things happening at YHS. We have so many great things happening— so don’t just FOLLOW but SHARE our FOX PRIDE within our community—help us build our following!

As always, if this update raises questions, please ask. Thank you for all that you do—it does not go unnoticed or unappreciated. Have a great day and a fantastic summer! **GO FOXES!**

With **PRIDE**,
Dr. David S. Travis

Estimados padres hispanohablantes, Aquí en Yorkville High School queremos



que todas nuestras familias tengan la información necesaria para apoyar y ayudar a sus hijos. Si necesita información sobre nuestros procesos, nuestra programación, o las oportunidades disponibles para sus hijos o si tiene alguna pregunta se puede comunicar con las siguientes personas en español. Sra. Noemi Terrazas – Consejera escolar de Yorkville High School @ nterrazas@y115.org or (630) 553-4380 ext 4241

Visit our Website

“A” Period Days		
Period	Time	Min.
0	6:31-7:18	47
1	7:25-8:53	88
3 Advisory	9:00-9:35	30
3 FLEX	9:35-10:28	
5	10:35-12:03	88
Lunch/ Access	12:08-12:33	25
Access/ Lunch	12:37-1:02	25
7	1:07-2:35	88
Total Instructional Minutes		294

“B” Period Days		
Period	Time	Min.
0	6:31-7:18	47
2	7:25-8:53	88
4	9:00-10:28	88
6	10:35-12:03	88
Lunch/ Access	12:08-12:33	25
Access/ Lunch	12:37-1:02	25
8	1:07-2:35	88
Total Instructional Minutes		352

“C” All Period Days		
Period	Time	Min.
0	6:28-7:18	47
1	7:25-8:12	47
2	8:19-9:06	47
4	9:13-10:02	49
5	10:09-10:56	47
6	11:03-11:50	47
Lunch/ Access	11:55-12:20	25
Access/ Lunch	12:24-12:49	25
7	12:54-1:41	47
8	1:48-2:35	47
Total Instructional Minutes		331

Monthly Calendar - October

Provided for our families is a month-at-a-glance summary.

- A Days are highlighted in "Red" - **October - 2, 4, 11, 16, 23, 25, & 30.**
- B Days are highlighted in "Gray" - **October - 3, 5, 12, 17, 19, 24, 26, & 31.**
- C Days are highlighted in "Green" - **October 13, 20, & 27.**
- **October 6** - Fall Break, 9 - Columbus Day (yellow); 10 - Institute Day

Oct-23				
M	T	W	TH	F
2	3	4	5	6
LSH	1	11	12	13
16 (D1)	17	SAT (A)	19	20
23	24	25	26	27
30	31			

Oct. Attendance: 19/45

STAY CONNECTED



Student & Staff Salute



5 Foxes Named National Merit Scholars!

Congratulations to **Alexis Barkman, Will Eberhart, Ryan Stockl, and Chase Garner** for earning National Merit Scholar recognition. Over 1.7 million students took the Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT/NMSQT) last year. Alexis, Will, Ryan, and Chase **ranked among the top three percent of more than 1.7 million students who entered the competition.**

Additionally, **Thomas Scott, was named a National Merit Scholar - Semifinalist!** Thomas ranked among the top one percent of the

1.7 million students who entered the competition. Thomas is still in consideration for the top level of the NMSQT program - finger crossed! Outstanding Job, Alexis, Will, Ryan, Chase, and Thomas!

Yorkville High School celebrates

HISPANIC HERITAGE

Sept. 15 - Oct. 15

Cultural events include:
Flex Activities

Wed, Sept 20 - Play Lotería in the LGIR or rm 187 at the Academy

Wed, Sept 27 - Watch the Book of Life in the LGIR

Wed, Oct 4 - Continue watching the Book of Life in the LGIR

Wed, Oct 11 - Come make Pico de Gallo in the LGIR

SEPT. 19 AFTER SCHOOL

JOIN SPANISH CLUB FOR A COOKING LESSON

MAKE SURE TO SIGN UP

COME EXPERIENCE HISPANIC CULTURE

EVERYONE IS WELCOME

Made with PosterMyWall.com

Athletics Update

Sports Boosters Meeting on October 4th

The Sports Boosters would like to invite any individuals interested in volunteering for the sports boosters to an open meeting this Wednesday, October 4th at 6pm at YHS. Elections will be held for the positions of President, Vice President, Treasurer and an at large position. Please enter door 19 at YHS and the meeting will be held in classroom E123.

Winter Sport Registration is Open!

All students interested in participating in a winter sport need to register online at <https://schools.snap.app/yorkvillehs> and have an updated physical on file with the athletic office. Winter sports include: competitive cheerleading, competitive dance, boys bowling, girls bowling, boys basketball, girls basketball, girls wrestling, and boys wrestling.



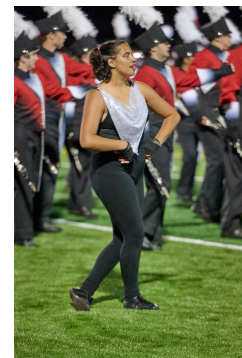
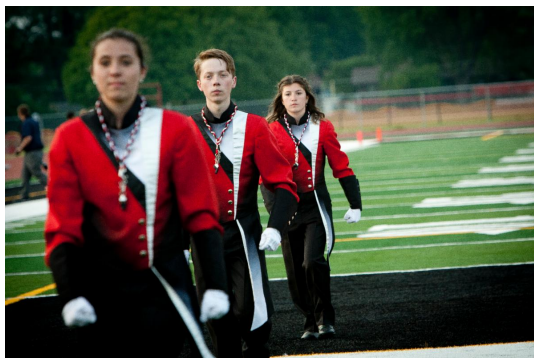
YHS Alumni Invited to Homecoming Football Game!

All Alumni are invited to the Homecoming Football game on Friday, September 29th. Alumni will receive free admission and are invited to sit in the Alumni Tent set up in the north endzone!

Activities Update

Marching Foxes boast 160 members

Our very own Yorkville High School Marching Foxes reached a record breaking 160 members this school year. The band has had a busy season so far competing at the NIU Red & Black Fall Classic, the Oswego Panther Review, and the Victor J. Andrew High School Invitational. Tonight, the Marching Foxes welcome the YMS 8th Grade Band in pre-game performance and on October 14th, the Marching Foxes will be performing at the University of Illinois - Illini Marching Band Championship.



YHS Celebrates Homecoming Week!

Monday, 9/25 was Movie Night held on the old varsity baseball field



Wednesday, 9/27 the Sophomore Class took home the Powder Puff Title!



Thursday, 9/28 District #115 celebrated at the annual Homecoming Parade!



YORKVILLE HOMECOMING 2023 A NIGHT IN PARIS

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25: MOVIE NIGHT (MEAN GIRLS)
 LOCATION: VARSITY BASEBALL FIELD (BEHIND YORKVILLE GRADE SCHOOL)
 GATES OPEN: 6:30 PM; MOVIE: 7:00-9:00 PM
****CURRENT YHS STUDENTS ONLY****
 \$2 ENTRY OR DONATION OF CANNED GOOD

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26: BONFIRE
 GATES OPEN: 6:15 PM
 LOCATION: BEHIND YHS MAIN CAMPUS
 FREE ENTRY!

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27: POWDERPUFF FOOTBALL GAME
 LOCATION: CAMPBELL FIELD
 GATES OPEN: 5:30 PM; FIRST GAME: 6:00 PM
 \$2 ENTRY

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28: PARADE
 PARADE LINEUP: 4:30 PM; PARADE START: 5:30 PM
 FOOD TRUCKS AVAILABLE

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 29: HOMECOMING FOOTBALL GAME
 SOPHOMORES: 4:30 PM; VARSITY: 7:00 PM

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 30: HOMECOMING DANCE
 LOCATION: YHS ATHLETIC LOBBY
 7:00-10:00 PM
 \$15 ENTRANCE AT THE DOOR (CASH ONLY)
 TICKETS AVAILABLE ON Y115 WEBSITE
 FOOD TRUCKS AVAILABLE




Yorkville Homecoming 2023 "A Night in Paris"

Saturday, 9/30: Homecoming Dance @ YHS - 7:00-10:00 PM. \$15 entry (cash at the door, or online)
 Food trucks and the concession stand will be open! You may purchase tickets online [here](#), or at the door



SAVE the DATE - PSAT/NMSQT Assessment on October 18th

Yorkville High School (YHS) is excited to announce that we will provide our freshmen, sophomores, and juniors the opportunity to take the College Board Suite of Assessments in the new digital format on the Bluebook Application On Wednesday, October 18th. Yorkville School District purchased a PSAT 8/9 for all 9th-grade students and a PSAT National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (NMSQT) for all 10th and 11th-grade students.



**Get Ready for the
Digital PSAT/NMSQT®**

If you have any questions regarding testing, please reach out to Megan Martinez at mmartinez@y115.org or 630553.4380 ext. 4168.



Hey Seniors:

Please plan to attend YHS's Financial Aid Night Presentation with the Illinois Student Assistance Commission on October 25th at 6:00 P.M. If you need to learn more about paying for your son or daughter's post-secondary education. This presentation will be conducted in English and in Spanish.

Topics covered will include:

- FAFSA: What is it and why is it important?
- Financial Aid Timeline: When can I apply? When will I be notified
- Scholarships: Where do I begin?
- Grants: How do I qualify?
- Loans: How do they work?
- Cost of attendance: Direct vs. Indirect Costs

[Click here](#) for the Google Meets link. **We hope to connect with you!**

Notes to Note

Hey Seniors...

To maximize your post secondary options and merit based scholarship opportunities we encourage you to take the SAT or the ACT. Please consult with our College & Career Coordinator Kendall Sims at ksims@y115.org or 630-553-4380 ext. 6449 if you have any questions in regards to test options and college admissions. Senior Counseling Lessons will also showcase the testing experience to support your student's decision. Test registration dates are approaching!



National SAT Test Dates in Early/Late Fall 2023

Test Dates:

October 7, 2023

November 4, 2023

December 2, 2023

*Go to www.collegeboard.org for test day registration information

National ACT Test Dates in Early/Late Fall 2023

Test Dates:

October 28, 2023

December 9, 2023

*Go to www.act.org for test day registration information

Good Luck!

Yorkville High School | 797 Game Farm Road, Yorkville, IL 60560

[Unsubscribe jbedwards@y115.org](mailto:jbedwards@y115.org)

[Constant Contact Data Notice](#)

Sent by dtravis@y115.org powered by



Try email marketing for free today!