



****HS ANNOUNCEMENTS****

Tuesday April 28th, 2026

Please dismiss softball players at 2:15 today!

The Student Council wants to get an idea of how many people will be participating in the Community Service Day on Saturday, May 9th. If you plan to attend, please sign up outside Mrs. Obert's room. You can sign up for the morning shift (9AM - Noon), afternoon shift (1PM-4PM), or both.

Senior Parents: Lifetouch will be taking "memory mate" photos of your senior, a class photo, and pictures from the graduation ceremony that will be available to purchase. To access photos after the graduation ceremony, text the following access code to 90738: 401690GY26. They will send you a link when the photos are ready to view and order.

Sports physicals for current 6th, 7th, 9th, 10th, and 11th grade athletes will take place on Thursday May 7 from 9a-noon in the multi-purpose room provided by EAC. **Follow the directions on the letter attached to the form and return to your school office no later than Tuesday May 5.** Nurse Natosha will schedule your appointment and hand out appointment cards on Wednesday.

26-27 Junior Parking Spots:

- Juniors for the 2026–27 school year will be able to reserve a parking spot starting Monday, April 27 through Friday, May 1. You will receive an email at 8:00 AM on April 27 with all the details.
- Sophomores for the 2026–27 school year will have an opportunity to reserve spots the following week.

Prom Announcements:

- Prom is going to be held Saturday May 2nd at Dick Brother's Brewery from 7-10 pm (please note time change). Promenade will be held in the auditorium starting at 3:30 pm. Students need to arrive at 3 pm to get lined up!
- **AFTER PROM PERMISSION FORMS:** There are forms for After-Prom and for Mechanical Bull Riding located outside the HS office! These need to be turned into the office no later than TODAY! **** Kids – please start coming up with teams of 4 for the laser tag tourney. You can text your team name to 217-316-9208 (Julie)**

Senior Announcements:

- **Baccalaureate will be held Sunday May 10 at 7pm in the South Gym to pray for the Class of 2026. All family, friends and graduates are welcome to attend.**
- Please RSVP for Baccalaureate: <https://forms.gle/GV2Tx5CfEnby77im6>.
- Please send any photos for Baccalaureate to bmock0907@gmail.com. These photos should be family oriented and will only be used for baccalaureate not graduation.
- Next Meeting is tentatively May 3 at 3pm at Holy Cross Lutheran Church to assemble gifts for the graduates. Please bring black, gold, yellow skinny ribbon or twine or similar, for the ornaments and wrapping and scissors to cut the ribbon.

Mini Relay for Life Announcements:

- **Purchase chances to win gift cards and gift certificates from local businesses! Plus \$75 cash!! Chances are 1 for \$1 or 6 for \$5 – you can purchase in the HS Office! Last day to purchase is Wednesday!**
- Honor and/or remember your loved ones who are fighting or who have fought cancer by donating \$1/name and adding their names to our Cancer Awareness Ribbon in the color representing their type of cancer. Stop by the IRC or Mrs. Obert's room to donate and add your loved one's names to the ribbon. All donations will be going to Central's Mini-Relay.

ATTENTION current Freshmen, Sophomores and Juniors: If you are interested in traveling to Spain in summer 2027, **REGISTRATION IS OPEN!** This will be an amazing opportunity, taking you to beautiful sites in Madrid and Barcelona. You do not have to be an art student to attend. If you have any questions, please email Mrs. Salinas, csalinas@cusd3.com.

Lifeguards wanted at Bowen Pool! Must be lifeguard certified. For more information, please contact Lisa Knorr at 217-440-9194. Send resume to bowenpool1976@gmail.com

Mixer Grain Bin Service is looking for **seasonal help May-October:** 8-12 hours per day and 5 days a week. If interested call Colton or Rusty Mixer to apply: **217-430-7919 or 217-430-1405**

The Adams Brown County Old Settlers Scholarship Pageant is open to girls 10-19 that live within Adams and Brown County. Sign up has officially opened and will close on June 1st 5:00 pm. For more information or to sign up, please email Taylor Kill at tayloradamsbrownos@gmail.com.

CLUBS/ORGANIZATIONS:

The Student Council is sponsoring a Community Service Day on Saturday, May 9th from 9:00 a.m.-noon and 1:00-4:00 p.m. We need students to sign up to help rake leaves, pull weeds, wash windows, clean up sidewalks, paint, and more. Community service hours will be earned by anyone who signs up and participates. See Mrs. Obert to sign up to help.

- Spanish Club will meet every Wednesday at 7:50 in Ms. Wiewel's room (106).
- **The Student Council meets every Tuesday at 8:00 am in Mrs. Obert's room.**

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

CEC is in search of a few high school students to help supervise a childcare room from 5:15-7:15 on Wednesday, April 29th during our preschool family literacy night. Please reach out to Mrs. Shoopman (ashoopman@cusd3.com) if you can help – you will receive service hours.

- **Clayton Library is looking for volunteers- you can get community service hours for this! Please see Travis Rigg for more information!**
- *Served with Love* is a group of volunteers wanting to make a difference by providing food to our veterans, their families, military families and recipients of Veteran Governed Assisted Programs. They are located in Quincy Illinois and provide services to all of West Central Illinois. You can visit their website at www.servedwithloveinc.com
- CJHS Habitat is offering service hours throughout the school year. Please email Mrs. Clampitt (pclampitt@cusd3.com) for dates and times. Thank you!

GUIDANCE ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Seniors- this is a reminder that you need to:

1. File for FAFSA (Federal Student Aid Application)
- OR
2. Complete the Nonparticipation Form

If you have questions or need help with either one of these, please let Mrs. Mast know

Seniors - are you looking for a career in the manufacturing industry? Consider applying for the Great River FAME program! The FAME program allows you to work 3 days per week at a local manufacturer while earning a competitive wage and attend classes 2 days per week at the JWCC Workforce Development Center. Click on this link for information about the program and how to apply:

<https://www.jwcc.edu/fame/> **Application deadline is April 30, 2026.**

****SCHOLARSHIP INFO**:**

Seniors are emailed all scholarship information and applications!

- The Illinois electric cooperatives are proud to offer scholarships to deserving students in our co-op family. Whether you're a high school senior planning to attend college or interested in a career as a lineworker, there's a scholarship opportunity for you. Applications are now open for the 2026 Illinois Electric Cooperatives Memorial Scholarships. **Apply by April 30, 2026, for the lineworker scholarship.** Visit <https://aiec.coop/iec-scholarship/> for more information and to apply.

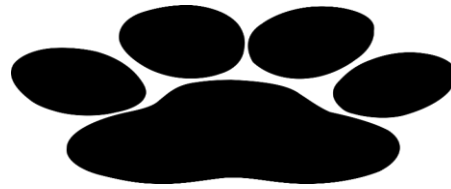
- The Illinois Retired Teachers Association Foundation (IRTA Foundation) offers scholarship opportunities for students pursuing careers in education. These scholarships are designed to help ease the financial burden and allow students to focus on their studies and future careers. Completed applications must be postmarked or emailed on/before May 1, 2026.

SPORTS

Softball: Away @ West Hancock (Hamilton)-4:30pm

Baseball: Home vs. West Hancock—4:30pm

GOOD LUCK PANTHERS



Today's Lunch:

Chicken Quesadilla, Black Beans, Fruit

Next Breakfast:

Breakfast Pizza, Fruit

Next Lunch:

Chicken Patty/Bun, French Fries, Baked Beans, Fruit