



# THS E-NEWS

## May 17, 2019

## Exam Schedule!

### **Monday May 20**

1st - 7:15-7:57  
2nd - 8:01-8:42  
3rd - 8:46-9:27  
4th - 9:31-10:12  
6th - 10:16-10:57  
5A - 11:01-11:31  
5B - 11:31-12:01  
5C - 12:01-12:31  
7th Period Exam - 12:35-2:20

### **Tuesday May 21**

1st Period Exam - 7:15-9:00  
Break - 9:00-9:15  
2nd Period Exam - 9:15-11:00

### **Wednesday May 22**

3rd Period Exam - 7:15-9:00  
Break - 9:00-9:15  
4th Period Exam - 9:15-11:00

### **Thursday May 23**

5th Period Exam - 7:15-9:00  
Break - 9:00-9:15  
6th Period Exam - 9:15-11:00

## End of Year Info

- Just a reminder that underclass students are allowed to keep their Chromebooks this summer. HOWEVER-students going to Butler Tech next year MUST turn them into the media center before the end of the year! Also, students/families who DO NOT want to keep Chromebooks over the summer may turn those in as well. They will be returned at the start of the year.
- All lunch accounts should be checked and paid before the last day of school.
- School fees can be paid in the main office. If you want a parking spot for next year, be sure your fees are paid up!
- Have a great summer!

# SENIOR NEWS

- **YOU MUST PAY ALL YOUR FEES TO WALK IN GRADUATION AND RECEIVE A DIPLOMA!!**

Seniors must return their Chromebook, have all school fees paid and other financial obligations (library fines and lost books, lost textbooks, athletic equipment and uniforms, etc.) paid and/or returned in order to participate in commencement. Fees must be paid no later than May 22nd. Personal checks are no longer being accepted, fees must be paid with cash, money order, or on EZ-Pay.

- Important end of year dates:
  - Grad. Rehearsal: May 23rd, 11a, Millett (REQUIRED, bring your cap and gown! If you do not attend rehearsal you will not be allowed to walk in graduation.)
  - GRADUATION! May 23rd, (Doors open to public at 5:30p, Graduates must arrive by 6p, ceremony starts promptly at 7p), Millett
- If you still haven't gotten your cap and gowns stop by the main office. This needs to be done immediately so you have it in time for graduation!
- Buy a senior ad in the 2018-19 Yearbook! The prices range from \$19.95 for an 1/8 page ad all the way up to \$139.95 for a full page. You can even share the space and split the cost with multiple graduating seniors. Contact [yearbook@talawanda.org](mailto:yearbook@talawanda.org) for more information. The deadline to place your order is Friday, May 10th.

## **THS CALENDAR OF Events- May 19th to May 25th, 2019**

Check [www.talawandaathletics.org](http://www.talawandaathletics.org) for athletic events.

### **Sunday, May 19th**

1 – 3pm                      Track Banquet, Cafeteria  
4 – 5pm                      Butterfield, 4H, Cafeteria

### **Monday, May 20th**

Final Exams- Underclass Students, 7th period

7:30 – 9:30pm                      School Board Meeting, PAC

### **Tuesday, May 21st**

Early dismissal for THS at 1:30

Final Exams- Underclass Students, 1st and 2nd period

11am – 12:30pm                      Navy recruiter, Cafeteria

### **Wednesday, May 22nd**

Early dismissal for THS at 1:30

Final Exams- Underclass Students, 3rd and 4th period

3:30 – 7:30pm                      Oxford Advisory Board -United Way, Media Center  
6 – 8pm                              FCCLA, Cafeteria

### **Thursday, May 23rd**

Early dismissal for THS at 1:30

Last day of school!

Final Exams- Underclass Students, 5th and 6th period

11:00am – 1:00pm                      Graduation Rehearsal at Millett, bring your cap and gown!  
7 – 9pm                              Class of 2019 Commencement, Millett, graduates must arrive at 6pm!

### **Friday, May 24th**

Teacher Work Day

### **Saturday, May 25th**

No events scheduled

# ***Sugar Coma*** at THS Teacher Appreciation Event?!

Our hardworking THS teachers and staff are often overlooked because there is no PTG at THS like other Talawanda schools and other parent groups seem to focus on specific groups of students or activities. So on Wednesday, May 8, 2019, we had our first THS Teacher Appreciation event (dessert buffet) to treat all 120 dedicated teachers AND staff at THS.

Thanks to almost 70 parents who donated money, drinks and desserts, all the teachers and staff who came by were overwhelmed and blown away! Special thanks to Ms. Liechty & THS office staff, Mr. Davie, Ms. Alfonsi & NHS members for their help. Can't wait for next year's event!!!



***"This might be the best day of my 29 year teaching career!"***

--- Mr. Greg Cawein

***"The outpouring of goodwill was just what our staff needed at the end of the year. Thank you so very much!"***

--- Mr. J. Pearson

**We couldn't have done it without you! My heartfelt THANKS to**

Oxford Doughnut Shoppe, Oxford Flower Shop, Amy Bartel, Karen Belisle, Jennifer Bell, Fabienne Bohon, Mary Ben Bonham, Scott Brown, Wendy Bryan, Vicki Cheng, Amy Clawson, Robin Cope, Kate Currie, Dee Curry, Oksana Dikhtyar, Wendy Duvall, Melissa Engelhard, Margie Fantelli, Sharon Ferneding, Summer Garland, Carmen Geshan, Krista Goerss, Annette Hacker, Barbara Hamilton, Nancy Hawthorne, Jeanette Heitger, Etta Iden, Sara Jones, Kathleen Knight-Abowitz, Ann Larson Adryan, Christine Lee, Chun Liang, Emily Lykins, Kristin Marks, Jill Messner, Marla Murray, Beth Niehoff, Jeanette Olenick, Judy Pyles, Jacqueline Rioja Valarde, Silvia Rothschild, Monica Schlichter, Julie Schonlau, Ingrid Schreiber, Helen Sheumaker, Youngjoo Shim, Janet Shirley, Katie Slager, Lisa Sly, Rebecca Smith, Mandy Stitzel, Jane Straker, Amy Sweitzer, Kara Tegge, Chie Tomoyasu, Akiko Urayama, Lori Verst, Kathleen Veslany, Erin Von Bergen, Kadriye Walsh, Jenn Walter, Molly Wanko, Lisa Weekley, Jackie Wetzel, Elizabeth Whitehead, Suzi Zazycki, Herb Zhou, and other anonymous donors.

(Unspent \$28.37 will be used next year.)

Tomoko Brown, THS parent & organizer (tomoko@woh.rr.com)

**Parent Permission for  
Child's Participation in  
Research  
University of Cincinnati  
Department: Social Work  
Principal Investigator:  
Jennifer Wright-Berryman  
Ph.D.**

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**Title of Study: Effectiveness of Hope Squad, a peer-to-peer suicide prevention program on suicide-related outcomes in Cincinnati, Ohio.**

**Introduction:**

You are being asked to allow your child to take part in a research study. Please read this paper carefully and ask questions about anything that you do not understand.-

This research is sponsored by University of Cincinnati Community Health Grant.

**Who is doing this research study?**

The person in charge of this research study is Jennifer Wright-Berryman, of the University of Cincinnati (UC), School of Social Work.

**What is the purpose of this research study?**

The purpose of this research study is to know more about student thoughts and attitudes about suicide prevention and help-seeking.

**Who will be in this research study?**

About 5000 children will take part in this study. Your child may be in this study if you allow them. You may prevent your child from participating by contacting the counseling department at your school and having their name removed from the survey email distribution list. Otherwise, your child will receive a link to the survey in a few weeks.

**What if you or your child is an employee where the research study is done?**

Taking part in this research study is not part of your job. Not allowing your child to be in the study will not affect your job. You will not be offered any special work-related benefits if your child takes part in this study.

**What will your child be asked to do in this research study, and how long will it take?**

Your child will be asked to take an online survey. It will take about ten minutes. The survey will be delivered through an online link. Your child will read the assent document at the beginning of the survey. They will then take the survey if they wish to participate. The survey will be available via an electronic device (phone, computer, tablet, etc.)

**Are there any risks to being in this research study?**

- It is not expected that your child will not be exposed to any risk by being in this research



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The UC Institutional Review Board reviews all research projects that involve human participants to be sure the rights and welfare of participants are protected.

If you have questions about your child's rights as a participant or complaints about the study, you may contact the UC IRB at (513) 558-5259. Or, you may call the UC Research Compliance Hotline at (800) 889-1547, or write to the IRB, 300 University Hall, ML 0567, 51 Goodman Drive, Cincinnati, OH 45221-0567, or email the IRB office at [irb@ucmail.uc.edu](mailto:irb@ucmail.uc.edu).

**Does your child HAVE to take part in this research study?**

No one has to be in this research study. Refusing to take part will NOT cause any penalty or loss of benefits that you or your child would otherwise have. Additionally, once your child has begun taking the survey, they may quit answering questions at any time, or leave questions blank that they do not wish to answer.

You may give your permission and then change your mind and take your child out of this study at any time. To take your child out of the study, you should tell your counseling office ahead of the survey email distribution. If you do not, and your student takes the survey, we will not know your student's answers from other students' answers.

Your child will be asked if he or she wants to take part in this research study. Even if you say yes, your child may still say no.

**IF YOU DO NOT WANT YOUR CHILD TO TAKE PART IN THIS RESEARCH STUDY, CONTACT Teresa Peter by 5/17.**

**IF YOU DO NOT CONTACT Teresa Peter AT [petert@talawanda.org](mailto:petert@talawanda.org) BY 5/17 YOU INDICATE YOUR PERMISSION FOR YOUR CHILD TO TAKE PART IN THIS RESEARCH STUDY.**

**PLEASE KEEP THIS INFORMATION SHEET FOR YOUR REFERENCE.**

# 1st Annual Mattress Sale Fundraiser

Brand Names Including Simmons

*Beautyrest*

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- 25 different models
- All Sizes-twin, twinXL, full, queen, king, Cal kings, Adjustable Bases!
- Award winning designs.
- Award winning quality brands.
- Full replacement warranties.
- HIGH QUALITY / DISCOUNTS.
- 100% made in the USA.
- Cash, checks, cards, Interest Free Financing.



- Memory foam /Gel memory foam.
- Latex, Pillow Tops, Plush Firm sets.
- Simmons, Restonic and more!
- 45 area schools host this event every year since 2008.
- We've helped local schools earn \$200,000 in 2018
- For additional information contact [धारbin65@yahoo.com](mailto:धारbin65@yahoo.com)

If you, your family or friends have been thinking about buying a new mattress...  
Come check out this event!!

*"Much Higher Quality for Price than a Retail Store"*

Be true to your school & help the Band earn money from every single sale

## Saturday August 10 / 10am-5pm



Complete Showroom - Talawanda High School - 5301 University Park Blvd

**\$50 off purchase \$500 or more with this flier!**



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**Track & Field CAMP**  
ELEMENTARY/MIDDLE SCHOOL

**BOYS AND GIRLS**

Entering GRADES 1-8

**June 17 – June 21, 2019**

**7:30 – 9:00 p.m.**



**The Talawanda Track & Field Team Proudly Offers**  
**A Brave Track & Field Camp**

*I would like to personally invite your son/daughter to A Brave Track & Field Camp. The purpose of the camp is to raise an awareness of the sport of track & field for elementary and middle school students. We will teach basic event techniques and allow the athlete to try different events in a positive and rewarding environment. ~ Coach Paul Stiver*

**CAMP DATES: June 17<sup>th</sup> – June 20<sup>th</sup> with Camp Track Meet on June 21<sup>st</sup>**

**COST: \$35 (registration received on or before June 1st) \$45 (registration received after June 1st)**

**Each additional child per family is only \$25! MAX PER FAMILY OF \$100. Please arrive 15 minutes early on Monday, June 17<sup>th</sup>.**

**In case of inclement weather, decisions on camp will be emailed to parents and posted at [www.TalawandaTrackandField.com](http://www.TalawandaTrackandField.com).**

**Camp will be held at Talawanda High School. More Info at [www.TalawandaTrackandField.com](http://www.TalawandaTrackandField.com)**

Talawanda Track & Field Camp  
(entering 1<sup>st</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grade)  
7:30 – 9:00 PM

**Campers will receive...**



instructions on how to warm-up and cool down properly  
instruction for the shorter running events  
instruction for field events  
fun and games  
a camp t-shirt

**\*\*Each camper is invited to participate in the camp track meet on Friday, June 21<sup>st</sup> at 7:30 PM\*\***

**2019 Talawanda Boys and Girls Track & Field Camp Registration Form**

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ T-Shirt Size Youth S M L or Adult S M L XL  
First Last (circle one)

Gender M F Grade (entering) \_\_\_\_\_ Age (at time of camp) \_\_\_\_\_

Parents' Names \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number (home) \_\_\_\_\_ (emergency/work/cell) \_\_\_\_\_

I release Talawanda Schools and its administrators, the Talawanda Track & Field Camp, its Director, and its Staff from any and all liability in the event of injury and accident. I acknowledge that liability for such injury lies solely with the participant.

**Take \$10 off per child if you sign them up for A Brave Cross Country Camp also!!**

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

RETURN TO: Paul Stiver 5301 University Park Blvd. Oxford, OH 45056

Make checks payable to: Talawanda Athletic Boosters

CONTACT: Head Coach – Paul Stiver @ 937-266-8646 or [stiverp@talawanda.org](mailto:stiverp@talawanda.org)

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**CROSS COUNTRY CAMP**  
ELEMENTARY/MIDDLE SCHOOL  
**BOYS AND GIRLS**  
Entering GRADES 1-8  
**June 17 – June 21, 2019**  
**6:00 – 7:30 p.m.**

**The Talawanda Cross Country Team Proudly Offers  
A Brave Cross Country Camp**

*I would like to personally invite your son/daughter to A Brave Cross Country Camp. The purpose of the camp is to raise an awareness of the sport of cross country for elementary and middle school students by teaching basic training routines, and allowing the athlete to enjoy the benefits of running through a positive and rewarding experience. Last year we had 60 participants! ~ Coach Paul Stiver*

**CAMP DATES: June 17<sup>th</sup> – June 20<sup>th</sup> with Camp Race on June 21<sup>st</sup>**  
**COST: \$35 (registration received on or before June 1st) \$45 (registration received after June 1st)**  
**Each additional child per family is only \$25! MAX PER FAMILY OF \$100 Please arrive 15 minutes early on Monday, June 17<sup>th</sup>.**  
**In case of inclement weather, decisions on camp will be emailed to parents and posted at [www.TalawandaCrossCountry.com](http://www.TalawandaCrossCountry.com).**

**Camp will be held at Talawanda High School. More Info at [www.TalawandaCrossCountry.com](http://www.TalawandaCrossCountry.com)**

Talawanda Cross Country Camp  
(entering 1<sup>st</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grade)  
6:00 – 7:30 PM

Campers will receive...



instructions on how to warm-up and cool down properly  
lessons on correct running form  
teaching on how to train for distance running  
fun and games  
a camp t-shirt

**\*\*Each camper is invited to participate in the camp race on  
Friday, June 21<sup>st</sup> at 6:00 PM\*\***

**2019 Talawanda Boys and Girls XC Camp Registration Form**

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ T-Shirt Size Youth S M L or Adult S M L XL  
First Last (circle one)  
Gender M F Grade (entering) \_\_\_\_\_ Age (at time of camp) \_\_\_\_\_  
Parents' Names \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number (home) \_\_\_\_\_ (emergency/work/cell) \_\_\_\_\_

I release Talawanda Schools and its administrators, the Talawanda XC Camp, its Director, and its Staff from any and all liability in the event of injury and accident. I acknowledge that liability for such injury lies solely with the participant.

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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## TALAWANDA HIGHSCHOOL

Fresh, Healthy and  
Good for You!



Every day Veggies!

Carrots, Red peppers

Cucumbers, Broccoli

Garnazo beans, Celery

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**APPLY FOR 2018-  
2019 FREE LUNCH  
APPROVAL IF YOU  
HAVEN'T DONE IT  
YET!**

**See Our Daily Express**

**Menu Here**

**THS Menu Express**

Ice Cold Milk  
offered Daily:

1% White

Chocolate

FF Strawberry

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

### Breakfast offered daily:

fresh hot or cold options.

Start your day the smart way

with school Breakfast.

Free or reduced lunch applies to breakfast as well!



1 2 Soft Tacos with  
taco meat, lettuce,  
tomatoes and cheese  
Sour Cream  
Sweet Corn  
Fruit & Veggie Bar



2 Cincinnati Chili  
over Spaghetti  
Oyster Crackers  
Kidney Beans  
Fruit & Veggie Bar



3 Salisbury Steak  
Mashed Potatoes  
with gravy  
Whole Grain Dinner  
Roll  
Fruit & Veggie Bar

Please find carbohydrate counts on our school web site interactive menu

6 Chicken fajita Wrap  
with black beans,  
corn, lettuce, tomato,  
sour cream, and  
cheese  
Salsa  
Fruit & Veggie Bar



8 Corn Puppies  
Bratwurst Sausage  
On whole Grain Bun  
French Fries  
Fruit & Veggie Bar



9 Italian Lasagna  
Garlic roll  
Tossed Salad  
Fruit & Veggie Bar

10 Popcorn Chicken  
Smackers  
Mashed Potatoes  
with gravy  
Whole Grain Dinner  
Roll  
Sweet Corn



This Institution is an equal opportunity provider.

13 BBQ Pulled Pork  
Sandwich on a Whole  
Grain Bun  
Pasta Salad  
French Fries  
Fruit & Veggie Bar



14 Whole Grain Chicken  
and Cheese  
Quesadilla  
French Fries  
Fruit & Veggie Bar



15



Cook Choice

16 Rotini Bake with Meat  
Sauce & Cheese  
Tossed Salad  
Garlic Toast  
Fruit & Veggie Bar



17 Variety Chicken  
French Fries  
Fruit & Veggie Bar

20



Cook Choice

21



Cook Choice



22



Cook Choice



Cook Choice



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Meal Fees

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