

# NEWSLETTER

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Danielle Nelson, Principal

## School's Mission

The mission of Capella High School is to educate, engage and inspire students in a learning environment that models the values of integrity, teamwork, perseverance and personal responsibility.

## Dates to Remember This Month

February is Black History Month!

February 12th- Fall Semester Ends

February 15th- No school (President's Day)

February 17th- Parent Involvement Night

## Student Council Officials

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR ELECTED STUDENT COUNCIL MEMBERS!

President- Za'breah Hendon

Vice President- Aria Vaden-Williams

Secretary- Montreal Robinson

\*We are still looking for a Treasurer. Students interested in running for Treasurer may submit an application to Ms. Nelson.

**"EDUCATION IS OUR PASSPORT TO THE FUTURE FOR TOMORROW BELONGS TO THE PEOPLE WHO PREPARE FOR IT TODAY."**

**-MALCOLM X**

## What's New?

Capella High School is proud to introduce the new partnership with Project S.A.F.E. Project S.A.F.E will provide selected students with a weekly course on Becoming A Responsible Teen. In this class, students will learn how to make mature decisions, practice safe sex and become educated on sexually transmitted diseases. Students will have the opportunity to engage in group discussions, role playing and content related projects. Students participating in this course will be selected by the Principal and School Counselor. Students interested in participating can speak to their School Counselor for recommendation.



## THE PRINCIPAL'S PLACE

Prom or no Prom? Graduation is nearing for some students and the talk of prom has become the latest gossip. Students are dying to know if the first graduating class will participate in prom. Will the ladies be able to show off their glitzy and glamorous gowns? Will the gentlemen be able to arrive in tuxedos and bow ties? The answer is, YES! The Student Council will work with CHS administrators to coordinate this year's themed prom. All students are encouraged to provide their opinions to make this year's prom spectacular. If you would like to contribute your ideas, please find a member of Student Council to get your thoughts on paper. Happy planning!

-Ms. Nelson, M. Ed., Principal

## COUNSELOR'S CORNER

This March will be the Spring session of Ohio Graduation Tests.

Things you need to know:

1. Testing week is March 14-18
2. Students must arrive to the building by 9:00 am to test
3. If you/your student will be required to take the OGT they will be notified in advance via mail
4. If you/your student is enrolled but not attending school, this is the best time to return for OGT prep!
5. If you are interested in enrolling, stop in ASAP so that you can begin OGT prep and take the test next month.
6. See Ms. Finch for all your OGT related questions or concerns!

-Ms. Finch, M. Ed., School Counselor



## STUDENT OF THE MONTH

Congratulations to Jermaine Crider on being nominated for the January Student of the Month! Jermaine was nominated for his outstanding academic improvements and growth during his first semester at Capella High School. As a Cleveland native, Jermaine started school with one specific goal, to finish school and move forward in life. After getting familiar with the school's environment, Jermaine hit the ground running and began exceeding expectations. As completing courses early became his norm, Jermaine did not hesitate to jump start his second semester. His reserved personality and calm demeanor is no reflection of his ferocious drive to succeed academically. As the Dean of Students, it is with great pleasure that I recognize this scholar. Students, be sure to congratulate him when you see him around!

-Mr. Baker, Dean of Students

## A MESSAGE FROM STUDENT COUNCIL

The Student Council would like to encourage all students to stay focused, participate in class, stay encouraged, respect themselves and our staff, and refrain from entertaining drama. A positive attitude will result to positive outcomes. As members of the Student Council, we want to help foster a positive academic environment that will allow our students to thrive, positively. Please stay encouraged and work hard!

-Za'breah Hendon, SC President