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DELTONA HIGH SCHOOL HAPPENINGS

A newsletter for the parents, students, & community supporters of Deltona High School.

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Mid June

DHS WEBSITE

www.dhswolves.com

DHS MISSION STATEMENT

In an environment established with high expectations, tradition, and deep community ties, the staff of Deltona High School will foster relationships as we continue to persevere towards academic excellence.



VISION STATEMENT

Ensuring all students receive a superior 21st century education. Mission: Volusia County Schools will ignite a passion for learning by providing a challenging, creative curriculum in a safe, supportive environment where students reach their highest potential.

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

DHS Families, Students, and Community Members,

As we prepare to close out the 2021-2022 school year, there are a few note-worthy items to mention and celebrate:

1. Deltona HS made history once again ranking as the #1 High School in Volusia and Flagler counties, earning a 90% College & Career Acceleration Rate, based on our class of 2021 graduates. This is the highest Acceleration Rate in school history! A special shout-out to our CTE teachers, Cambridge/AICE teachers, Advanced Placement teachers, and Dual-Enrollment teachers as well as Mrs. Brandy Meadows, CTE Facilitator.
2. Deltona HS has officially learned that we will retain our Title 1 status for the 2022-2023 school year which will allow for additional supports to ensure student success remains our #1 priority.
3. Testing, Testing, and more Testing has already started on the DHS campus. From Industry Certification Exams, State Testing (FSA/EOC), Cambridge/AICE exams, and Advanced Placement (AP) exams, testing is in full swing. Students and families should visit the DHS website (dhswolves.com) or our social media platforms to stay abreast of the dates and times during the testing season. State testing requirements, including graduation requirements, have not changed for students currently enrolled in HS. Every student on the DHS campus will have to take and earn a passing score to walk across the graduation stage.
4. Finally, Graduation is upon us, and the Class of 2022 has many things to celebrate. We are excited to honor, recognize, and celebrate them during Baccalaureate (May 16th), Senior Awards (May 17th), Senior Breakfast (May 18th), mandatory Graduation Rehearsal (May 23rd) and GRADUATION (May 25th)! Please visit the school website and follow our social media pages for more Senior information or contact Ms. Protinick in the Activities Office if you have any questions.

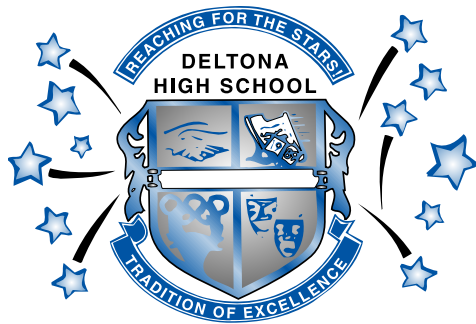
As your proud Principal, I am humbled by the grace, compassion, and dedication each of our students, faculty, and staff have shown this school year as we have set the bar high for all stakeholders on our DHS campus. We will continue to work hard and finish strong and prove that Deltona HS is and will remain the #1 High School in Volusia County.

Go WOLVES!

Mike Micallef
Principal

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Brandy Meadows, Testing Coord./CTE	44040

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Departments/Offices

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DELTONA HIGH SCHOOL

2021-2022 SCHOOL CALENDAR

May 30 (Monday)	Memorial Day Holiday
June 3 (Friday)	Last Day of School for Students
June 7 (Tuesday)	Last Day of School for Teachers

EARLY RELEASE WEDNESDAYS

MONTH	DATES
May	11, 18, 25
June	1



FORTIFY FL

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ATTENDANCE

If you are absent from school, a phone call to the attendance office from the parent/guardian is required the same day (Ext.44091). Or a written note from the parent/guardian may be brought to the attendance office the next day. The information should include the student's name, alpha code, the date and reason for the absence and the parent/guardian's name and phone number. When a student has missed 15 or more excused/unexcused days of school, further absences cannot be excused without a doctor's note.

NOTE: The Florida Legislature has enacted requirements that schools report to the Department of Highway and Motor Vehicles the names of students who fail to satisfy the attendance requirements. This refers to students who accumulate 15 unexcused absences (excludes out-of-school suspensions) within 90 calendar days. Students who fail to satisfy attendance requirements will be INELIGIBLE for driving privileges.

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Parents requesting early check-out of their student can complete a pre-arranged check-out pass (located in the front office) and return it to the Attendance Office no less than 24 hours before appointment. This alleviates any wait time for you when you come to pick up your student. If you call or come in, please understand that we need some time to get your student for you. Please allow 30 minutes. This will allow the school the opportunity to look up the student's schedule and send for them to meet you at the Attendance Office. Parents/guardians, it is important that we check the driver's license of anyone picking up your student early from school. This will be done to ensure the safety and well-being of your child.

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SAC MEETING DATES

DELTONA HIGH SCHOOL School Advisory Council

Monthly SAC Meetings

5:30 PM
@ DHS
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August 17th, 2021
 September 21st, 2021
 October 19th, 2021
 November 16th, 2021
 January 18th, 2022
 February 15th, 2022
 March 22nd, 2022
 April 19th, 2022
 May 17th, 2022

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Your sons or daughter's academic success is our number one goal. We believe academic performance begins with being in class on time and ready to learn. Students will receive a disciplinary consequence for not following the expectations at DHS. As you know, punctuality is an important career skill, so please encourage your student to be on time to each class.

SCHOOL NURSE

Please use this website <http://vcsedu.org/student-health-services/Pages/Health-RelatedAuthorization-Forms.aspx> to access the new medication forms and procedure forms for the school year. Medication forms, procedure forms, and emergency care plans must be renewed by the parent/guardian, at or before the beginning of each school year for your child to receive medication or procedures during school hours. Students carrying their own epi-pen, inhaler, or diabetic supplies, are also required to have a medication form on file at the school.



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DRESS CODE

The dress code policy may have a few adjustments for the 2021-2022 school year. Please follow the Volusia County Schools website and dhsolves.com for any updates. We will keep you posted of any changes.

PARKING PERMITS

Parking Permits are required to park on campus. All students who wish to drive to school must purchase a \$45.00 parking permit. Students must provide the school with a copy of their driver's license, insurance card, and vehicle registration to purchase the permit. Any student with an obligation will be unable to purchase a parking permit. Once a student's obligation is paid in full, he/she may purchase a permit. All vehicles must be registered, and school permits placed on rear view mirror to have the privilege of parking in the student parking lot.

PARKING LOT REGULATIONS

The privilege of parking on campus is reserved for those who abide by school rules and procedures. Consequently, noncompliance with rules and procedures may result in having your parking privileges suspended or revoked.

- All cars parked on the school grounds must have a visible Deltona High School parking permit for the current year, available for purchase in the Conduct Management Office.
- Parking permits will be confiscated if found in another student's car and will result in disciplinary consequences.
- Students must park in designated student parking only. You must park in a legal parking spot. Do not park on grass, hills, curbs, etc. If you park illegally, a parking violation will be issued and left on your car. The 2nd offense will result in the loss of parking privileges. After parking your vehicle make sure you lock your doors then proceed to building sites immediately. No loitering in the parking lot. Sitting in cars in the parking lot is not permitted at any time. Under no circumstances are students allowed to park in the faculty/visitor parking lot parallel to Wolf Pack Run. Failure to follow student parking lot policies and procedures will result in disciplinary consequences and loss of parking privileges.
- Students participating in extracurricular or athletic events must leave their vehicles parked in the student parking lot. DO NOT move it around to the faculty or gym area parking lots.
- Reckless driving will not be tolerated on school grounds (speed limit is 5 mph). The driver and any front passengers must wear seat belts when a vehicle is in gear.
- Students are not permitted in the parking lot during school hours unless they have a valid pass from the Conduct Management Office or an administrator. Leaving school materials and/or textbooks in the car is not permitted during school hours.
- The student parking lot is locked at 11:00 PM nightly when there are evening activities and reopened at 7:45 AM. Students being picked up after school or dropped off in the morning must use parent pick up, not the student parking lot. Deltona High is not responsible for safety, security, or contents of your vehicle.

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SCHOOL COUNSELING

Greetings from the counseling department and welcome to the fourth quarter! As we wind down the year, we're ramping up our efforts towards a strong finish for our students. Since February, counselors have been meeting with our students to register them for classes for the 2022-2023 school year. Students who have yet to complete registration, please visit your counselor. Teachers have provided their academic recommendations and we have been excited to see so many of our students stepping up to the plate to challenge themselves with more rigorous coursework, including Advanced Placement and Dual Enrollment classes. Way to step up Wolves!

Any student interested in completing dual enrollment with Daytona State College next school year, please find your counselor on campus. Advising Week with DSC began March 21st, and the registration process rolls from March 31st -May 27th. New students that would like to enroll will need to complete the PERT exam, which is offered here on campus from April 18-22nd. Students can sign up at the School Counseling desk in the main building. If you would like more information regarding dual enrollment, please visit <https://www.daytonastate.edu/dual-enrollment/>.

We are now nearing the end of the Semester. Quarter 3 ended March 10th, with the 4th and final quarter beginning March 21st. Now is the perfect time for students that may be behind to utilize this last semester for remediation. Students who have any missing work or need to complete remediation, should reach out to their teachers to do so. Students should utilize this last quarter to intervene in order to be academically successful and stay on the right track for graduation.

With the days winding down for our seniors, the school counseling department would like to remind students that it is NEVER too late to plan. Any student that would like, the opportunity is still available to apply to colleges and scholarships. The latest edition of the scholarship newsletter is posted in Mrs. Thor's office and on the DHS College and Career webpage. Any students who have not yet done so, may still apply for Federal Financial Aid (FAFSA) by going to www.fafsa.ed.gov. Anyone who may be interested in these opportunities, please visit Mrs. Thor, our College and Career Counselor. We wish you all success in making whatever future option you may choose, and that it be one full of growth and possibility.

Thank you for making this challenging year another of growth, resiliency, and success. Your Deltona High School Counselors are here to be of assistance and look forward to continuing to serve our students, community, parents, and faculty. Thank you and let's make this last grading period the strongest one yet! Go Wolves!

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**2022 DELTONA HS STATE FSA/EOC
TESTING SCHEDULE**



TIPS & REMINDERS ABOUT TESTING:

1. Electronic devices are not permitted on your desk, in your pockets, on your wrist, or anywhere within reach during testing; they **MUST** be in your bag/backpack or handed over to the proctor.
2. Testing begins at 9:30am each day...don't be late! Your attendance on testing days is extremely important as there are limited make-up days available this year.
3. Make sure you get a good night's sleep and eat a well-balanced breakfast each morning (take advantage of the **FREE** breakfast opportunity every morning in the cafeteria).
4. Students **MUST** bring their fully-charged student laptop (and charger) to school each day of testing.

For more information regarding state testing visit: www.dhswolves.com

May 17th
US HISTORY EOC

May 18th & 19th
GEOMETRY EOC (2 days)

MODIFIED BELL SCHEDULE

May 17th, 18th, & 19th

8:30am-9:00am	1st Period
9:05am-9:35am	2nd Period
9:35am-12:00pm	DEN TIME (Testing) (students not testing will remain in their 2nd period class)
12:00pm-12:35pm	LUNCH
12:40pm-1:10pm	3rd Period
1:15pm-1:45pm	4th Period
1:50pm-2:20pm	5th Period
2:25pm-2:55pm	6th Period
3:00pm-3:30pm	7th Period

2021-2022 SAT

Test Date	Registration Deadline
June 4, 2022	May 5, 2022

2021-2022 ACT

Test Date	Registration Deadline
June 11, 2022	May 6, 2022
July 16, 2022	June 17, 2022

DELTONA SR. FFA

The Deltona Sr. FFA would like to congratulate all of our members who participated in Career Development Events this year. Members studied various topics from forestry to ornamental horticulture demonstrations to vet assisting and competed against FFA chapters from around the state. We are gearing up for our end of the year celebration, May 14th. If members are interested in livestock projects for the 2022 Volusia County Fair, see Ms. Johnson for more details. Applications are due over summer to the fair.

The Food and Agricultural Sciences Academy would like to congratulate the students who earned industry credentials and passed industry certification exams in the first round of testing. Seniors Jade Hinton and Aidan Murphy earned the Agriculture Associate Certification. Juniors Briana Lemus, Genesis Quniteros Perez, Janisse Ramos Placeres, Tia Saunders and Brianna Tapp earned the National Registry Food Safety Managers certification. Sophomores Danielle Brake and Nathan Parrish earned the ServSafe Manager certification. Congratulations!

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2021-2022 PRICES

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Items	Price
Student ID (Replacement)	\$5.00
Locker	\$10.00
Parking Tags	\$45.00
Approved Lunch Pass	\$20.00
DHS Student Athletic Pass	\$40.00 (All home games for ALL sports during regular season-playoff games excluded)
Adult Athletic Pass	\$50.00 (All home games for ALL sports during regular season-playoff games excluded)
Senior (60+) Athletic Pass	\$35.00 (All home games for ALL sports during regular season-playoff games excluded)
Youth (6-13) Athletic Pass	\$30.00 (All home games for ALL sports during regular season-playoff games excluded)

SPORTS HAPPENINGS

TRACK & FIELD SCHEDULE

HEAD COACH: BLAIR DUOOS

Day	Month	Date	Opponent	Location	Time
Friday	May	13	State Champ	UF	10:00 am

WRESTLING

Offseason training for wrestling has begun. Our offseason wrestling club is open to any student with a valid AAU membership, membership can be purchased at AAUsports.org. We practice Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6pm to 7:30pm in the wrestling room. This is the absolute best way to prepare for next season and no experience is necessary. For additional information please contact Coach Wallace at kwallace@volusia.k12.fl.us.



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SENIOR ANNOUNCEMENTS

Date	Event	Info	Cost
May 16th Monday	Baccalaureate Service	Deltona Alliance Church 6:00 pm Students are asked to wear their cap & gown. Details to come <i>This service is Optional</i>	Free
May 17th Tuesday	Senior Awards	DHS Auditorium 6:00-8:00pm Students who are receiving an award will get a personal invite & are asked to wear their cap & gown. All students are welcome.	Free
May 18th Wednesday	Senior Breakfast	The Center at Deltona 9:00 am Details to come.	Free
May 23rd Monday	Graduation Rehearsal	The Ocean Center 2:00 pm Seniors are required to arrive at 1:00 pm. This is mandatory if you are walking at Graduation.	Free
May 25th Wednesday	Graduation	The Ocean Center 4:00 pm Seniors are required to arrive at 2:00 pm. <u>Tickets available for purchase May 2nd.</u> Students may purchase tickets before or after school and during lunch in the Activities Office.	\$3 each guest \$5 parking *Currently no restrictions on tickets per family BUT subject to change

All dates, events and costs are subject to change.