

FALCON FLYER

FIRELANDS HIGH SCHOOL

REPORT CARDS AVAIABLE THIS WEEK

REPORT CARDS IN STUDENT/PARENT ACCESS

ON THURSDAY— The first grading period ended last Friday at FHS, and grades are due by Tuesday. After Tuesday, grades are stored and report card access prepared so our students and their parents/guardians can access their report card through their Power School accounts. Report Card access should be available on Thursday, November 1st through your accounts. If students or parents have any questions about assignments or grades, they are urged to contact the teacher in question.



Congratulations to FHS Alum Michael Anadell for joining less than 0.5% of FFA members by earning the American FFA Degree. Pictured here with Mrs. Finnegan, Michael has reached the pinnacle of FFA success. We are proud of Michael and Mrs. Finnegan for this fantastic achievement.

COUNTYWIDE PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT—

The Staff of FHS will be participating in a Countywide Professional Development Day at LCCC on Monday, November 5th. Many important topics will be covered with staffs from not only Firelands, but other county school districts. FHS will be closed on Monday, November 5th with no school for students.

ELEMENTARY PTG CHILI DINNER—The Elementary PTG is hosting a free chili dinner on November 1st at 6pm! We will have beef chili, chicken chili, macaroni and cheese, salad, desserts and drinks. At 6:30 there will be a presentation by Mr. Von Gunten about the Bond Issue and a tour of the Firelands Elementary Building. If you are looking for a chili dinner and more information about our Bond Issue, we encourage you to head over to FES on Thursday evening. A big thank you to the FES PTG for sponsoring this event.

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Special points of interest:

- * 1st Grading Period Grades official on Nov 1
- * No School—Monday, November 5th
- * Election Day is Tuesday, November 6th

NOV6TH—A CHANCE TO PAY IT FORWARD

Over the last couple of weeks in this column, we have highlighted how the students at FHS, through their community service, pay it forward to different groups in the school and community.

It is now time for the Firelands Community to Pay It Forward to the future students of the Firelands Local Schools. Issue 7 will replace our current Middle School, originally built before World War

I, with a new Firelands High School, and will repurpose the current high school into a middle school.

There are many reasons that this should be an easy issue to support. From the replacing of an aging and costly facility, to upgrading facilities and technology for all our students, to building a school which the entire community will be able to

utilize, this issue will affect the students and community of Firelands for at least the next 50 years.

Winston Churchill said it best about Paying it Forward. He said, “We make a living by what we get. We make a life by what we give.” Please vote on or before November 6th. For more information on the Bond Issue, please [click here](#).

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GO FALCONS!!!!!!

FHS EVENTS FOR THE UPCOMING WEEKS

Day	Date	Event	Time
Tue	Oct 30	Grades due in PowerSchool	
Tue	Oct 30	JVS Class Ring Meeting @ LCJVS	
Thr	Nov 1	JVS Class Ring Orders @ LCJVS	
Thr	Nov 1	Grades published on Power School Accounts	
Mon	Nov 5	FLS PD Day—NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS	
Tue	Nov 6	ELECTION DAY—NORMAL SCHOOL DAY	
Tue	Nov 6	JVS Senior Grad Order Meeting @LCJVS	
Thr	Nov 8	JVS Senior Grad Orders @ LCJVS	
Thr	Nov 8	Honors Band/Choir Practice @ CSU	6 pm
Fri	Nov 9	Honors Band/Choir Practice @ CSU	8 am
Sat	Nov 10	Honors Band/Choir Performance @ CSU	Noon
Wed—Sun	Nov 21—25	THANKSGIVING BREAK—NO SCHOOL	
Sat	Nov 24	G JV/V BB @ Vermilion	5:30 pm

FHS NEWS AND RECOGNITIONS

PARENT AFTER-PROM COMMITTEE MEETING—Junior/Senior Parents: The Parents for a Safe After Prom Environment (PSAPE) need your help in planning and organizing our big fundraiser, Night at the Races and then plan a fun after prom for our Juniors and Seniors. Our next meeting is on Wednesday, November 7 at 7:00 p.m. at the South Amherst Middle School. If you have any questions, please email terrihewlett@hotmail.com or you can call/text at 440-343-6958.

STUDENT PSAT SCORES—Your student will receive their PSAT/NMSQT® scores, a critical step on their road to college, starting December 10–12 (Ohio is earmarked for December 12th). Students should get a head start on preparing for these scores by logging onto their College Board Account. When your scores are ready online, you'll get an email with instructions on [creating your College Board account](#), going to the online score portal, and using your access code to view your score report. The account will help you prepare for the next step, which is to prepare for the SAT and access Big Futures, which is a free account to help with college and career searches. If you have further questions on this process, please see your school counselor for further details.

SECOND GRADING PERIOD ELIGIBILITY—Once grades are posted for the first grading period, student eligibility will be determined at that time. A student needs to be passing the equivalent of 5-1 credit classes at the end of the first grading period. For students taking classes at LCCC or BG-Firelands, they must submit a paper copy of their grade in progress as of Friday, October 26th to be credited for having a passing grade in their LCCC or BG-Firelands Course. This submission should be to either Mr. Stillman or Mr. Maver this week. Students must also have a GPA of 1.5 or above from the previous grading period to remain eligible through the second grading period.