



Highro- Glyphics

High School Weekly News

Thursday, January 15, 2009

Welcome Back

The second semester in the high school has gotten off to a wonderful start, and it was great to hear the many stories about travels, family and friends. Everyone is energized for a full second semester, and we again wish a Happy 2009 to all.

Student Dance – January 15

Students are excited about the upcoming Student Winter Dance sponsored by the Student Council taking place within a large tent on the high school field this Thursday, January 15 from 8 p.m. to 11 p.m. Tickets cost 50 LE each and are on sale in advance or available for LE 75 at the door. There will be a DJ, and food will be on sale. CAC ID cards are needed for entry to the dance.

First Semester Report Cards – January 15

Semester one report cards will be available on POLAR starting Thursday, January 15 after 3:00 p.m. Honor Certificates will be available with Ms. Ro'ya in the attendance office starting Sunday, January 18.

Mr. CAC Pageant – January 16

The 2nd annual Mr. CAC Pageant takes place this Friday, January 16 from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. in the theater. This has been a very popular and entertaining evening. Tickets cost 20 LE and are on sale in advance. We look forward to seeing you there.

Rob DeWolf *Mark Pleasants*
High School Principal High School Assistant Principal

Campus Development Report – January/February 2009

Phase 1, the construction of the new Elementary School, is almost up to ground level. During the next weeks the ground floors will be completed. Later in February the contractor will begin the upper floors.

Earlier in November there was an incident with the lifting crane on site. This was carefully studied by safety experts. Later in February the crane will be re-commissioned after undergoing a series of thorough safety tests and approvals.

Samples for finish materials such as stone cladding, wood doors, and aluminum windows are being assembled soon. Important factors in their selection are sustainability and low maintenance. Windows and doors will have high insulation and infiltration ratings to help conserve energy.

This spring before the end of the school year renovations on the Administration Building will begin. This work will be completed in the summer of 2010 after the Elementary School moves into their new building. The Elementary School move is slated for approximately one year from now.

Phase 2, the new Middle School and MS/HS Library, is being designed now. From January 19-22, Perkins Eastman Architects from New York will be at CAC. They will be reviewing the schematic design and meeting with school groups.

The location for the new Middle School is in the area of the existing Elementary School. The building will have four levels plus a lower story. The design principles of the Master Plan as seen in the architectural model in the Library are used as organizing principles. The architects have worked closely with CAC to create a new Middle School learning environment that is aligned with our Middle School philosophy.

Soon the developing design of the new Middle School and MS/HS Library will be on our website and displayed on campus. Later in the spring the model in the Library will be changed to include the actual design of the new Middle School.

John Hollenbach
Facilities Project Manager

High School Events

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| ○ Student Winter Dance | Jan. 15 |
| ○ Report Cards | Jan. 15 |
| ○ Last Day for Schedule Changes | Jan. 18 |
| ○ WWW Classroom Session II | Jan. 20 |
| ○ HS CAT Meeting | Jan. 26 |
| ○ HS Counseling Dept. Forum | Jan. 28 |

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Booster Club Meeting: Tuesday, January 20, 11:00 am,
Room 728 PE Building.

Booster club is a group of parents who help support high school and middle school activity and athletic programs that require international travel whether students travel to or from Cairo, to attend events in EMAC, ISST, ISTA, MUN, or AMIS. Through organizing volunteer services and fundraising we help promote school spirit within the school. Membership is open to all CAC families. We are always interested in new ideas and new members.