



# Highro- Glyphics



High School Weekly News

Thursday, May 15, 2008

## ***New End-of-Year Obligations Procedure for Students***

To ensure that students complete all of their end-of-year obligations, we are asking that parents remind their children that they must be fully responsible to return all textbooks and library overdues before the end of the school year; any lost books must be paid for by June 2, 2008. If a student does not complete all end-of-year obligations, s/he will not receive a course schedule for next academic year and will not be permitted to attend classes on the first day of school in August until all items are either returned or paid for. Thank you for your understanding and support to help students meet their end-of-year obligations.

## ***New: Semester Two Report Cards Available on POLAR***

For the first time, high school report cards will be available to students and parents electronically on POLAR starting Sunday, June 8 at 3 p.m. Parents and students can print a report card off POLAR, or they can pick up a hard copy from the counseling office beginning on Tuesday, June 10. For those who require transcripts, they will also be available in the high school counseling office starting Tuesday, June 10. If you have any questions about semester two report cards, please do not hesitate to contact the high school counseling office at 2755-5411.

## ***IB and AP Examinations Continue***

AP and IB examinations will continue until May 23 in the Gallery. If your child is writing AP or IB examinations, parental help and support at this important time is most appreciated.

## ***Prom and After Prom – May 16***

Students are very excited about Prom and After Prom activities that take place on the evening of Friday, May 16. Thanks to all parents for your help in the preparations for these very important events for students and to the high school faculty members who will be supervising the evening. Please note that students will not be permitted to leave the 'After Prom' event until 5 a.m.; the only exception is if a parent comes to the Maadi House to pick up his/her child.

## ***NHS Book Sale - May 16***

On Friday, May 16, the National Honor Society Book Sale will take place in front of the health office from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. Monies raised from this book sale will go to a scholarship fund for the children of Sabre Sadek, a former CAC theater manager who passed away several years ago. There will be many books available, and we hope you will come and take a browse.

## ***High School Dance Performance: On Broadway! - May 19***

Come and watch the High School dance students perform on Monday, May 19, 7:00 p.m. in the CAC theater. Admission is free.

Due to some mature content, parental discretion is advised. For more information, please contact the theater box office.

## ***Recognition Night – May 20***

The high school Recognition Night takes place on Tuesday, May 20 at 7 p.m. in the theater, where we honor students who have won various academic awards, and recognize students for their efforts and performance. We would appreciate your help in reminding the students that this is a semi-formal event; male students are expected to wear ties, no spaghetti straps for female students, and no running shoes for all students. Faculty are encouraged to attend.

## ***Theater Production – May 22 and 23***

The Intermediate Actors are presenting a comedic play entitled Confusions by Alan Ayckbourn. It is a series of four one-act plays, and tickets are now on sale in the theater box office and at the front gate from 3:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. The first showing is on Thursday, May 22 starting at 7:00 p.m., and the second showing is on Friday, May 23 at 2:00 p.m. in the theater. We look forward to seeing you there.

## **World Languages Department Annual Fair "Sustainability 2008" – May 25**

The entire CAC community is cordially invited to join the World Language Department for a special one-day event (8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.) put together by K-12 French, Spanish and Arabic language students. Please come to the 2nd floor of the new gym to help sustain our First Annual World Language Department Sustainability Fair. World Language teachers and students will be on duty at all times to help direct you. Your attendance sends our youth a clear message that YOU CARE about their future. We look forward to your participation.

### **Graduation Ceremony – June 6**

Graduation takes place on Friday, June 6 at 8 a.m. in front of the sphinx and pyramids in Giza, and we look forward to this event very much. Seniors will be provided with invitations for this event, and further information will follow.

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

### **Moving on from CAC?**

In order to help CAC plan for the school year 2008/2009, please inform the Registrar's Office if your student(s) will be withdrawing from CAC at or before the end of the current school year. Please do so by calling 755-5507/08 or e-mailing [withdrawal@cacegypt.org](mailto:withdrawal@cacegypt.org). Thank you for your cooperation.

*Amina O'Kane*  
Registrar

### **CAC Library End-of-the-Year Dates**

#### **Notice of Closure**

**May 19** – the library will close at 4 p.m.

**June 4** – The library will close at 1:45 p.m.

**End-of-the-Year Due Dates** - All library items need to be returned by the following days:

**May 15** - Seniors, and community members

**May 22** – Elementary, Middle & High school students

#### **Closing Shelves to Prepare for Summer Borrowing**

From **May 22 to May 29** we will be closing our shelves in preparation for summer borrowing (Note: While the library will be open on Saturday, May 24, no items can be checked out as we account for all library materials).

**Registration for Summer Borrowing** (forms will be available at the library circulation desk and all accounts need to be cleared)

**May 15 - June 4**

#### **Summer Borrowing (5 days)**

**May 31 – June 4** (only on May 31 summer registration and check-out services will be available).

THE LIBRARY WILL BE CLOSED DURING THE SUMMER

Library book-drop boxes will be available starting August 6, and School & Community hours will resume on the first day of school, August 12.

#### **High School Events**

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| ○ IB/AP Exams   | May 5-23    |
| ○ NHS Book Sale   | May 16      |
| ○ Junior/Senior Prom  | May 16      |
| ○ High School Dance Performance                                     | May 19      |
| ○ High School Recognition Night                                     | May 20      |
| ○ World Languages Fair  | May 25      |
| ○ Graduation Photos/Videos Orders                                   | May 25 - 27 |
| ○ High School CAT Meeting   | May 26      |
| ○ Senior Project Presentations                                      | May 27      |
| ○ Last day of classes for Seniors                                   | May 29      |
| ○ Seniors' Workshops  | June 1 & 2  |
| ○ Seniors' Trip to Mirage City                                      | June 3      |
| ○ Senior/Faculty Lunch  | June 4      |
| ○ Graduation Rehearsal  | June 4      |
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| ○ Last Day of School for Students<br>(students leave at 11:30 a.m.) | June 4      |
| ○ Graduation  | June 6      |

#### **PTO**

**After Prom** is this Saturday, May 17 at 12:30 a.m., (early Saturday morning following Prom on Friday night). We want you to have a great time but we need to take the time to remind you of the following rules:

- You MUST have a photo ID to enter
- Your name must be on the entrance list

If you plan to leave before 5:00 a.m., your parent(s) must pick you up inside the gate. WE can only let you leave with a parent or guardian.

Because this is a substance-free party, parents will be called if a student is found to be under the influence of alcohol or drugs and the student will be asked to leave with their parents.

No one is admitted after 1:30 a.m.

For safety & security, the parents of "no-shows" will be called.

AFTER PROM-PARTY RESPONSIBLY!