



Go Red Devils!

# Red Devil Update

Hinsdale Central High School

## Red Devil Update Student E-News

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### WEEKLY ACTIVITY NEWS

- The Hinsdale Central **Speech Team** had a fantastic weekend, winning the Wheaton Warrenville South High School Varsity Tournament and finishing third at the Willowbrook High School Varsity Tournament. Individual award winners include:
  - Wheaton Warrenville South High School Varsity Tournament:
  - **Carolyn Chun**—Tournament Champion, Impromptu Speaking and 3<sup>rd</sup> place, Extemporaneous Speaking
  - **Shaan Keswani**—Tournament Champion, Radio Speaking and 3<sup>rd</sup> place, Original Oratory
  - **Jake Youngman**—3<sup>rd</sup> place, Dramatic Interpretation
  - **Anastasia Kasimos**—4<sup>th</sup> place, Dramatic Interpretation
  - **Kunal Jobanputra**—4<sup>th</sup> place, Original Oratory
  - **Anastasia Kasimos** and **Jake Youngman**—6<sup>th</sup> place, Dramatic Duet Acting
  - **Clairice Krzysik**—6<sup>th</sup> place, Prose Reading
  - **Evan Donaldson**—6<sup>th</sup> place, Extemporaneous Speaking
  - **Ray Shryock**—6<sup>th</sup> place, Radio Speaking
  - **Shubhankar Deo**—Finalist, Extemporaneous Speaking
  
  - Willowbrook High School Varsity Tournament:
  - **Julia Sant**—Tournament Champion, Informative Speaking
  - **Charlie Carter**—2<sup>nd</sup> place, Radio Speaking
  - **Harini Loganathan** and **Micky Horstman**—2<sup>nd</sup> place, Humorous Duet Acting and 3<sup>rd</sup> place, Improvisational Duet Acting
  - **Jack Franco**—3<sup>rd</sup> place, Humorous Interpretation
  - **Kaitlyn Phillips** and **Tim Moser**—3<sup>rd</sup> place, Humorous Duet Acting

- Claire Elman—4<sup>th</sup> place, Extemporaneous Speaking
  - Ellie Margason—4<sup>th</sup> place, Informative Speaking
  - Janie Huber—5<sup>th</sup> place, Original Oratory
  - Katie Erickson—6<sup>th</sup> place, Prose Reading
  - Reagan Brownell—Finalist, Special Occasion Speaking
  - Shalni Sundram—Finalist, Special Occasion Speaking
  - Kaitlyn Phillips—Finalist, Dramatic Interpretation
  - Next week, the team travels to two varsity tournaments, one at Downers Grove South High School and the other at Hersey High School. You can see the results of the entire season at <https://www.speechwire.com/r-team.php?teamid=66&seasonid=8>. Way to go, Devils!
- Lots going on in **Key Club**!! The Aon-Step Up For Kids Event is on January 31 which raises money for Lurie Children’s Hospital. PADS for homeless families cooking is February 12<sup>th</sup>, serving is the 13<sup>th</sup>, and cleanup is the 14<sup>th</sup>. In addition, the Westview Hills Fun Fair is on February 20<sup>th</sup>. Visit <http://tinyurl.com/nh73q9k> for more information and to sign up for Key Club events.
  - Many researchers have found scientifically proven ways that you and I can make our day to day lives happier. Expressing gratitude and listening to your favorite song are just two of the many proven ways to make your day happier. And the happier you are- the happier those around you will be.
    - Follow **Happy Club** over the next few months on Instagram, snapchat, and twitter (username for all three is – happyclubbers1) to get weekly ideas- all part of our Happiness project. Happiness is a choice- so choose it!
  - Interest Meeting for Ambassadors and Peer Leaders for 2016-2017-
    - **Ambassadors** and **Peer Leadership** will be hosting interest meetings for the 2016-2017 school year. Both organizations provide an opportunity for HC students to help their peers- Ambassadors help transfer and exchange students and Peer Leaders help freshmen. Application and interview information will be shared by current club leaders. If you are interested in either Ambassadors or Peer Leadership, please attend one of the following meetings: 3:10 PM on 2/3/2016 or 7:15AM on 2/4/2016.
    - Location: Teacher Training Room - 124B, which is near the Community Room
  - To get text message updates send a text message to 81010
    - With the following message according to your class:
    - Class of 2016: @hc2016
    - Class of 2017: @hc2017
    - Class of 2018: @hc2018
    - Class of 2019: @2019hchs
    - Follow Hinsdale Central Activities on Twitter @HCHSActivities and on Instagram HCActivities

## WEEKLY ATHLETIC NEWS

- The **Boys Varsity Bowling team** will be sending three representatives to sectionals this Sat. Jan 23<sup>rd</sup>. Junior **Aaron Cothard** and seniors **Harrison Woodward** and **Grant Stankaitis** advanced from last Saturday’s regionals. Good luck, Red Devils!!!
- Congratulations to the **Girls Varsity Gymnastics team** for beating Oak Park-River Forest. 1st place finishers were **Jessica Sprong** (Vault) and **Amanda Leon** (Beam).

Congratulations to the **JV1 team** for beating Oak Park- River Forest by .05. 1st place finisher was **Jaena Hanley** (Vault, Bars, and All-Around). The JV1 team also placed 4th overall this Saturday at Conant with a team score of 94.15. Additionally, HC placed 3rd as a team on the floor exercise.

- Come out to Pack the Place on Fri. Jan. 22<sup>nd</sup> in the Main Gym to see the **Pommers** perform! Look forward to seeing lots of Red Devil fans on Friday night!
- It was a busy week for the Red Devil **Wrestling program**. The Proviso West Panthers came to town last week Thursday and the **Varsity team** grabbed a WSC Silver victory in dominant fashion 72-5 highlighted by **Max Gregor's** thrilling victory with ten seconds remaining in regulation at 195#. Saturday saw the **JV** go 2-1 in a home quad meet with team victories over Willowbrook and Oswego. The varsity team was in tournament action at the Lincoln-Way East Illini Classic taking 10th overall as a team. Individual placers were: **Matt Allen** - Champion, **Peter Pigatti** - 6<sup>th</sup> and **Luke Skokna** - 4<sup>th</sup>.
- Please join the Red Devils **Girls Varsity Basketball team** to "Slam Dunk on Alzheimer's Disease" on Feb. 2nd at 7:30pm in the Main Gym. This home conference game against rival LT will be a purple-out and features free t-shirts to the first 250 attendees. There will be special cookies on sale and games as well as a raffle to win an overboard or a signed photo of Derek Rose. Contact any member of the basketball team at any level for a raffle ticket or get yours at the game! Please come out to support this important cause!
- Tryouts for the 2016 **Boys Lacrosse team** will start on March 2. If you are interested, there is still time to sign up at [HCHSboyslax.com](http://HCHSboyslax.com). Whether you have been playing for years or are just starting, the HCHS Boys Lacrosse program welcomes all levels. Sign-up today! For more information go to [HCHSboyslax.com](http://HCHSboyslax.com).
- The **Boys Varsity Basketball team** defeated Wheaton North 45-42 in the DuPage Medical Center Shootout at Downers Grove North High School - solid team win for the Red Devils led by **Trevor Hamilton** with 12 points, **Peter Blust** with 11 points and 10 rebounds, and **Chris Eck** with 10 points, 5 rebounds and 3 steals. Next up for the Devils is York at home this Friday – LET'S PACK THE HOUSE!
- The **Girls Varsity Basketball team** finished a busy week by placing 6th in the prestigious DeKalb MLK Tournament. The Red Devils defeated 5-seed Peoria Notre Dame 47-38 led by **Paige Bareck's** 14 points, then fell to defending tourney champs Huntley. Bouncing back, the Red Devils defeated Plainfield East 57-44 with **Paige Bareck** scoring 20, **Elle Schaeffer** 13 and **Riley Burr** 11. In the 5th place game, the Red Devils lost to Stevenson. **Paige Bareck** was named to the All-Tourney team. In conference play, the Red Devils defeated undefeated conference leader OPRF on the road 52-37 led by **Paige Bareck** with 15 points, **Riley Burr** with 12 and **Gilley Martinelli** with 12. Traveling to York, the Red Devils dropped a very well-played heartbreaker 57-55. **Gilley Martinelli**, in only her second week back from an ACL injury, led the way with 16 points, **Paige Bareck** had 15 and **Riley Burr** 12. The Red Devils travel to Benet on Friday, to DGN on Saturday and play at home next Monday vs New Trier.
- The **Girls Varsity Bowling team** defeated Willowbrook in WSC. Junior **Katie Hoffman** had the high game of the match with a 224.
- The **Boys' Swim and Dive team** had an exciting and successful meet at OPRF last Friday night. The team won on all three levels and competed in some great races. Noteworthy races included: 500yd races from **Brian McManus**, **Emmett Ferguson**, **Jake Pena**, **Cayden Griffith**, **Bryte Bu**, **Donovan Lahmann**; **Andrew La Valle** in his 100 and 200 yard races; **Paul Cumberland** in the 100 Free and 200 Free Relay; **Trystan Lundgren** winner of the 100 Breaststroke, 200IM, 200 Medley Relay; **Craig Smith** 200 IM and 200 Free Relay; **William Bowater** in the 100 Free and 200 Free Relay; **Michael Dietrich** in the 50 fly in the 200 Medley Relay; and **Wyatt Fuller** in 100 yard Free. On Saturday, varsity traveled north to New Trier Relays with some excellent competition. The Devils placed in 5 of the 6 relays. Outstanding performances included: **Brandan Glowniak**, **Michael Dietrich**, **Cole Grosshans**, **Tommy Gruchala**, **William Bowater**, **Donovan Lahmann**, and **Craig Smith**. On Saturday, the Devils hosted the Red Devil Diving Invite that showcased 15 awesome divers from around the area. This Friday, the

Devils will host York at home for Senior Night @ 5pm and on Saturday they host the Red Devil Invite where the best competition from all around the area comes to compete. Can't make it? Follow them @HCSwimDive1! Go Devils!

- The Hinsdale Central **Varsity Hockey team** went 1-1 this past weekend with a loss to Wheaton West (3-1) and a win against Neuqua Valley (6-4) - bringing their record to 15-9. The Ice Devils have their final two games of the regular season this coming weekend with Sandburg on Friday and Sunday against crosstown rival LT. Sunday is also senior night where the seniors will be honored for their hard work and dedication. The seniors include: **Sean Brucci, Joe Dipofi, Sammy Dussias, Jack Hutchinson, Alex Laskowski, Jacob Levine, Charlie Little, Brendan Mahoney, and Athan Tsokolas**. Come show your spirit and let's send the seniors out with a win against LT! Wear white and let's pack the rink this Sun. Jan. 24th at 6:50pm at Darien Sportsplex. JV game is 5:10pm.

Have a great weekend.



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