



FALCON FLYER— WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 9, 2019

BLOCK SCHEDULE BEGINS THIS WEEK – This week will again have FHS on a T-F bell schedule all week. Next week, we will begin Block Schedules and Monday Bell Schedules. Please [click here](#) to see the bell schedule times at FHS. Please note there is no FAST on Mondays.

FHS YEARBOOK SALE FOR 2019-20 – Students can order their 2019-2020 yearbook for the lowest price it will be for the year, \$50, now through September 27th. You should have received an order form in FAST, or you can order online at [Jostens Yearbooks](#).

GOOGLE CLASS CODES FOR FHS STUDENTS – Each Class (Freshman, Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors) will have their own Class Codes for class informational purposes, and to have the ability to vote for Class Officers, Homecoming Court, and other items that will be beneficial to our students. They will also receive information from their Class Advisor and from their Counselors through these Google Classrooms. Here are the Codes, which the students have to access through their Google Accounts:

Seniors (Class of 2020) : x5h69r

Juniors (Class of 2021): tqyzke

Sophomores (Class of 2022) : x9yq5m

Freshman (Class of 2023): jlq0awd

PSAT TESTING AT FHS – Firelands High School will be hosting the PSAT test for all 9th and 10th grade students on Wednesday, October 16th, beginning at 7:30 am. Also, Juniors who want to take the PSAT again, and is an excellent practice test for the SAT in March. Juniors must sign-up with Dr. Zimmer in Student Services prior to September 16th. As a reminder, the testing ends at approximately noon, and students will be dismissed from school at that time. Any student who must ride the bus, will have a quiet study hall available to them after the conclusion of lunch, which will be served to all students who would like to have lunch following the conclusion of the PSAT.

INFORMATION FOR LCJVS STUDENTS and FULL-TIME CCP STUDENTS - Students who attend either the JVS or LCCC or BG-Firelands full-time will still receive these weekly updates about the activities at FHS. Students and their parents can do the following to further get information and updates from FHS: Click on your choice of informational deliveries:

1. [FHS Website](#)
2. [Daily Announcements](#)
3. Email Mrs Dziat at kdziat@firelandsschools.org for a daily submission to your inbox
4. [Weekly Falcon Flyer](#), which is the same email which you are currently reading

FRIENDS OF FIRELANDS TAILGATE – FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13TH - In a show of Support of Kevin Conry (7th Grade Falcon who was recently diagnosed with clear cell sarcoma, a rare form of cancer), we will be having #KevinStrong Day on Friday, September 13. Please wear either your Kevin Strong shirt or your best Falcon Gear. Kevin has a long road ahead of him and needs to know that he has our love, prayers and support. That evening, we will be joining together behind the HS to Celebrate our Falcon Community at the Friends of Firelands Tailgate. It is from 5-7 pm with the Varsity Football Game against Vermilion to follow. Guaranteed to be a GOOD time!

- Bring a canned good for a raffle ticket (3 tickets with each pack of toilet paper) to win a great basket!!
- A Buck A Ball! Dunk tank with our Superintendent, High School Principal and a few Firelands Teachers taking one for the team!
- Blood Mobile will be set up from 4-7 p.m. wonderful way to give back.
- Tickets are ONLY \$10 each. Food, games, prizes & admission to the Firelands/ Vermilion game.
- Tickets can be purchased at the BOE, at the entrance to the tailgate or see me or Nakita at SAMS.

HOMECOMING FESTIVITIES – Homecoming Weekend starts on Thursday, September 26th with the annual Football Jersey auction, which coincides with a SAMS doubleheader in Falcon Stadium. The Athletic Booster Club will be hosting that event. Friday evening, the Homecoming Game against Black River will begin at 7pm, with the crowning ceremony of the King and Queen beginning around 6 pm. The Homecoming Dance, with the theme of It's a Beach Homecoming, will be held from 7-10 pm in the Falcon Gymnasium on Saturday evening, September 28th. Tickets will go on sale in the next few weeks, with dance tickets \$10 pre-sale and \$15 at the door. Students bringing an out-of- school guest must have the out-of-school guest form approved by FHS Administration prior to the purchase of the guest's ticket. The form is available on the FHS website. All guests must be in at least 9th grade, and under the age of 21. Any students not in high school must be a graduate of Firelands High School to attend the Homecoming Dance.

JOIN THE FIRELANDS ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB – The Firelands Athletic Boosters are another way to support our student-athletes at FHS. People can sign up by completing the FABC form, which are available in Student Services and at the football concession stand. Membership of two years gives your student- athlete an opportunity to earn FABC scholarships, pending a completed application.

JVS STUDENT INFORMATION MEETING – Mr. Maver and Mrs. Keener met with the FHS students who are attending the LCJVS on Friday morning, September 6th, to give them information on how to stay informed as a JVS student with the events happening at FHS. Students were given and informational sheet, which is also posted on the FHS website, as to major events upcoming at FHS. They were also given class join codes, which are used to communicate with all of the classes at FHS through their Google Classroom Class accounts. The share codes were listed above in this flyer.

GOOGLE CLASSROOM - The Firelands School District is excited to inform our parents/guardians about our communication tool (Google Classroom). The purpose of Google Classroom is to provide communication from the classroom teacher to home. The staff has been trained and will use this tool to communicate classroom activities, upcoming classroom events, and other important information happening within the classroom.

Parents will be invited to join the teacher's link to view the Google Classroom site. This is expected to go live by Friday, September 13th. Parents will be able to get weekly updates, or daily updates, based on your preference. This is why an accurate email address from input into OneView is imperative so we can invite you to Google Classroom.

If more than one parent email is requested for Google Classroom access, just email the specific teacher and they can add an email address for parent access.

COLLEGE NOW AT FHS – A college counselor from College Now will be at FHS every other Tuesday to further assist our students in the college search process. They can answer questions about the search, application, and financial aid process.

SCHOOL SCHEDULES AND ACCOUNT ACCESS – Students can access Power School using their log-in code of Last Name + Last three digits of their student ID. The password will be the student's six digit ID Number. For example, Joe Smith has an ID of 123456. His username would be Smith456 and the Password would be 123456. The Power School website is accessible through the Firelands Local Schools webpage.

To access student Google Accounts, the student will log into their account. The username is the same as above, but the password for everyone in Google is Firelands2019. The system will prompt you for a password reset upon your initial log-in. This will allow students to access all of their Google information, and school email.

All students should be able to access their Power School and Google accounts. If they cannot, they should inform a staff member, who can pass the information along to our technology people so they can obtain access to their accounts.

If a parent would like their own Power School account, and do not yet have one, please email Mr. Maver at rmaver@firelandsschools.org . This will allow parents to link their students throughout the district, provided they have the access codes for each student, into one account. Power School is where official grades are stored and viewed.

ONEVIEW – STUDENT PAPERWORK – Firelands Local School District will continue to use OneView to update our back- to-school forms. From your web browser, go to our homepage at: <http://www.firelandsschools.org> and click on Student Registration. Then follow the link for the Firelands OneView Portal at <https://firelands.esvportal.com/> . If you can access OneView with your username and password, follow the directions below to update the information for the 2019-20 school year. Each child's parents/guardians have received a one-page mailer with OneView Username and Password information, which will be necessary if you cannot access your OneView account. That will help you log onto the system.

After you have logged into OneView, select the "Submit & View Online Forms" tab. Under the *2019-2020 Back To School Forms* banner, please complete and submit the "Student Demographic and EMA" form. As a reminder, **if you have multiple children enrolled in Firelands, you must complete this form separately for each child.**

In order to ensure we have your child's most accurate health history and emergency contact information, **we ask that all forms be completed as soon as possible.** You can, at any time throughout the year, update new phone numbers, email addresses, etc. If you need assistance with your account, please contact the FHS Main Office for assistance. This is also how we communicate through email, as it is vital to have accurate email addresses. One more item, if you have changed your any information, please update it in OneView and also email Mrs. Dziat to let her know of the changes. Her email address is kdziat@firelandsschools.org

ATHLETIC UPDATES – The Boys' and Girls' Soccer teams both stand in first place ties heading into this week's LC8 action. Alessandra Davis continues to run well for the Girls' Cross-Country team, finishing 6th in the Wooster Invitational on Saturday. Junior Christian Cornwell also ran well, finishing 16th in the Boys' meet. Jackson Talbott leads the Golf team in LC8 play, averaging 37.8 in four nine-hole rounds. His best LC8 round has been a 36. Follow Mr. Stillman on the web at the FHS Athletic website (<http://www.firelandsathletics.org>) or on Twitter (@FirelandsFalcon). Also, follow the Firelands Athletic Boosters on Twitter (@FirelandsSports)

IT'S VERMILION WEEK – FALCON HOME OPENER – The Falcons open the 2019 Home season in football this Friday night at Falcon Stadium against the Sailors. All tickets at the gate are \$6. Also, all bags are subject to search, and no balls of any kind will be allowed in Falcon Stadium. Also, student backpacks are not allowed in Falcon Stadium. They will be confiscated at the gate, and returned upon leaving. This is done for security and safety reasons. Let's all have an enjoyable time at Falcon Stadium.

Go Falcons!!!

Bob Maver
Principal
Firelands High School