

Friday, February 7, 2020

As we head into the final week before vacation...

1. Don't forget our **February faculty meeting** is scheduled for **next week** (Wednesday 2/12) in the auditorium at 2:45 PM.

2. Thanks to a grant recently awarded through our METCO partnership, HHS will be able to host an ArtsEmerson solo performance of a highly acclaimed play ("[Mr. Joy](#)") that addresses issues of race, culture and identity. All students and staff will view the play and participate in a post-performance discussion on the afternoon of **Thursday 3/12** or **Friday 3/13**. Stay tuned for additional details, including which classes will attend on each day. A third performance (free and open to the public) will be held in the HHS auditorium at 7 PM on March 12th.

3. If you haven't been following the impressive growth of the [Hingham Anchor](#) (a fledgling online news source), you might want to check it out. An [opinion piece about school funding](#) submitted this week by our PTO co-president is a good place to start.

4. A long-held goal became a reality for **Brendan Holleran** last month when he completed his Bachelor's Degree in Multidisciplinary Studies at Cambridge College. This accomplishment (along with many others) will be recorded on Brendan's plaque when he is eventually inducted simultaneously into the HHS and Para-Educator Halls of Fame. Brendan deserves first-ballot induction into both. It's hard to imagine HHS without him...and I hope we never have to!

5. The still-undefeated HHS math team is recruiting and looks to be adding three new members next year. As you can see, their uniforms have already arrived:



Have a great weekend, everybody!

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Principal