



**JUNE 12, 2009**

## **CONGRATULATIONS, CLASS OF 2009!**

We'd like to congratulate our graduating Senior Class of 2009! Congratulations and best wishes to Julian Bell, Bianca Betancourt, Nikia Brooks, Samuel Brown, Bethany Burton, Emily Coy, DaJour Crawford, Allison Dennis, Victor Dufour, Mandy Franklin, Robert Gilbreath, Victoria Hawes, Matthew Martin, Marybeth McShea, Laura Miller, Alesha Mosley, Julia Rigby, Brianna Sanger, Alec Stephens, and Tessa Stombaugh.



**Joanna Taft, President of the Herron High School Board of Directors, presents Alec Stephens with his diploma. Herron High School College Advisor, Todd Hurst, addresses family and friends of the graduating class.**

Dear Parents and Guardians,

On Saturday June 6<sup>th</sup> Herron proudly celebrated its first class of graduating seniors. As these twenty seniors move forward into college and beyond, the staff, faculty and administration at Herron High School wish them every success and happiness the future might offer. We're grateful to their families for putting their trust in Herron, and we are honored to have been a part of their lives. Good luck seniors, we salute you!

Summer Academe classes are currently underway. **There is still time to enroll in second session classes.** Session dates are July 21<sup>st</sup> through August 7<sup>th</sup>. Course offerings are listed below. In addition to academic courses, plans are forming for the Mixed Media class around the theme of ancient traditional arts. Students will explore the art forms of Ancient Indian Pottery as well as Medieval Wood Block Print Making.

Both the Ancient Indian Pottery class and the Medieval Block Print class will be taught by Steven Laliuff. Mr. Laliuff is a professional mixed media artist that specializes in ancient arts & crafts. His career spans more than 30 years experience. Some of his artistic endeavors can be seen at [www.laliuff.com](http://www.laliuff.com). Students or parents wishing to confer with Mr. Laliuff before signing up for Session II Art may contact him at [steven@laliuff.com](mailto:steven@laliuff.com) or by calling his studio 317-877-0314.

We wish you a safe and pleasant summer and hope to see you at Summer Academe.

  
Janet H. McNeal  
Principal

## **SUMMER ACADEME 2009 – SESSION II – REGISTRATION STILL OPEN!**

\*\*\*Please email [lguerrettaz@herronhighschool.org](mailto:lguerrettaz@herronhighschool.org) for a registration form, or download from [www.herronhighschool.org](http://www.herronhighschool.org). Please turn in your registrations as soon as possible!

**Session II: Tuesday, July 21<sup>st</sup> – Friday, August 7<sup>th</sup>**  
**Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.**

### **English Language Arts:**

\*English 9 Semester 2, Second Session  
\*English 10 Semester 2, Second Session  
\*English 11 Semester 2, Second Session

### **Math:**

Pre-Algebra Semester 2, Second Session  
Algebra 1 Semester 2, Second Session  
Geometry Semester 2, Second Session

### **PE/Health:**

\*\*PE Second Session (1 credit)  
\*\*\*Health Second Session (1 credit)

### **Art:**

Art and Activism /Mixed Media Second Session (1 credit)

### **Mixed Media Arts – Course Description**

#### **Ancient Indian Pottery & Medieval Wood Block Print Making**

#### **Ancient Indian Pottery (overview)**

Students will receive hands-on instruction as to how America's ancient indigenous peoples created pottery in their non-industrial world.

The class will cover such specifics as; locating proper clay, digging and preparation of clay; construction of coil vessels; ancient Native American art aesthetics; utilizing natural pigments and burnishing tools; preparing a wood fired pit kiln; and firing their creations with wood (similar to Raku pottery). At the end of the process, each student will prepare a traditional Indian food or tea within their own vessel....some will work, some may not. This class is designed as a very GREEN/Eco-Friendly project.

#### **Medieval Wood Block Print Making (overview)**

Along with the ancient pottery class, students will become acquainted with and learn how-to create their own block print using either wood or linoleum that they have designed and carved themselves. The theme of the class will be, "The Art of Propaganda". The goal of each student's printed art creation will be to sway others with their creation. Students will be required to study the style and use of propaganda art throughout history. The overall objective is to explore the importance that art has played in shaping everything from our buying habits to our political perspectives. Students that make good use of their time may also create an additional independent block print project. The prints may be applied to tee shirts if students provide the shirt.

**Note: A minimum of 15 students must enroll for each course in order for the course to be provided. If 15 students do not sign up for a course, it will not be included in Summer Academe.**

**IMPORTANT: In accordance with the Indiana Department of Education attendance policy, students will not receive credit for summer school courses if they are absent more than one day total for both sessions. (One absence per session, meaning two absences, would make the course ineligible for credit.)**

\*Courses designated by one asterisk can only be taken by students who have previously taken the course and not passed the course.

\*\*The State of Indiana requires that all high school students take two full semesters of physical education.

\*\*\*The State of Indiana requires that all high school students take one semester of health.

## **WORK PERMIT ISSUING HOURS**

Work permits will be issued Monday through Friday at Student Services. Applications turned in after 9am will be available the next school day after 9am. School will be closed June 29 thru July 20. No permits will be issued during that time.

## **SUMMER FOOD SERVICE PROGRAM**

Herron High School is proud to announce that we are a participant in the Summer Food Service Program. Free meals will be made available to all children 18 years of age and under and to persons over 18 years who are enrolled in a state-approved educational program for the mentally or physically disabled. Free meals will be provided to all children without charge and are the same for all children regardless of race, color, national origin, sex, age or disability. There will be no discrimination in the course of the meal service. Any person who believes that he or she has been discriminated against in any USDA-related activity should write immediately to: USDA, Director, Office of Civil Rights, 1400 Independence Avenue SW Washington, D.C. 20250-9410, or call (800) 795-3272 or (202) 720-6382. Free meals will be provided beginning June 9 through June 26 and July 21 and ending July 31. For more information, contact Cynthia Browning at (317) 231-0010.

## **SUMMER READING SCHEDULE**

**English 9 [teacher: Mrs. Dorsey / kdorsey@herronhighschool.org]**

- **read a minimum of one; students considering placement in Honors English 9 must read one of the [\*] novels)**
  - *The Contender* – Robert Lipsyte
  - *I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings* – Maya Angelou
  - *The Hiding Place\** – Corrie Ten Boom
  - *The Hobbit\** – J.R.R. Tolkien
  - *A Tale of Two Cities\** – Charles Dickens

**English 10 [teacher: Mr. Moxey / smoxey@herronhighschool.org]**

- **read a minimum of one; students considering placement in Honors English 10 must read two, and one must be the [\*] novel)**
  - *A Night to Remember* – Walter Lord
  - *The Alchemist* – Paulo Coelho
  - *The Gold Standard: Building a World-Class Team* – Mike Krzyzewski
  - *The Life of Pi\** – Yann Martel

**English 11 [teacher: Mr. Lineweaver / glineweaver@herronhighschool.org]**

- **read two out of four**
  - *The Gunslinger* [graphic novel or prose version] – Stephen King
  - *Invisible Man* – H.G. Wells
  - *Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde* – Robert Louis Stevenson
  - *Fever 1793* – Laurie Halse Anderson

**AP Language and Composition (11<sup>th</sup> grade) [teacher: Mr. Lineweaver / glineweaver@herronhighschool.org]**

- **read all three**
  - *How to Read Literature Like a Professor* – Thomas C. Foster
  - *Frankenstein* – Mary Shelley
  - *Grendel* – John Gardner

## English 12 [teacher: Mrs. Chop / dchop@herronhighschool.org]

- read Option A or Option B
  - Option A:
    - *Night* – Elie Wiesel
    - *Tuesdays With Morrie* – Mitch Albom
  - Option B:
    - *In the Time of Butterflies* – Julia Alvarez

## AP Literature and Composition (12<sup>th</sup> grade) [teacher: Mrs. Dorsey / kdorsey@herronhighschool.org]

- read all three
  - *How to Read Novels Like a Professor* – Thomas C. Foster
  - *The Great Gatsby* – F. Scott Fitzgerald
  - *Tess of D'Urbervilles* – Thomas Hardy

## NEW DOOR LOCKING SECURITY SYSTEM

Visitors to the school now encounter our new security system, which allows the main office to screen visitors before allowing entrance to the building, making Herron High School a more secure place for our students. Herron High School still has an “open door” policy for parents and guardians.

## ISE SPECIAL EDUCATION WORKSHOPS

The Institute for School Excellence, your leader in Special Education support, services and compliance is hosting a Summer Institute at Herron High School June 23rd & 24th from 9:00-4:00. The two-day institute will provide workshops, networks and resources. Parents and students are invited to attend. Workshops include: Maintaining IEP Compliance, Case Conference Facilitation, Working with Students in Crisis, RTI, Transitional Services, Data Management and other topics. Registration on-line at [www.schoolexcellence.org](http://www.schoolexcellence.org)

## FREE SUMMER BOWLING PROGRAM

Bowling centers from around the country are giving away 2 free games of bowling each day as an opportunity for kids and families to enjoy bowling during the summer months. Go to [www.kidsbowlfree.com](http://www.kidsbowlfree.com) to sign up for bowling passes.

## BOARD MEETINGS

Herron High School's Board of Directors meets regularly on the third Tuesday of every month. These meetings are located in the Herron library and are open to the public. The next regular meeting at Herron will be June 16<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 a.m.

## HERRON HIGH SCHOOL CALENDAR 2009 - 2010

First Semester, Tuesday, Aug. 18, 2009 – Thursday, Jan. 15, 2010

### AUGUST

Tuesday, Aug. 18	OPENING DAY of school, 9:00 a.m.
Thursday, Aug. 27	Faculty Meeting; No 5 <sup>th</sup> period

### SEPTEMBER

Thursday, Sept. 3	Early dismissal 1:30 p.m. / Meet the teacher night 6:30–8:00 p.m., No 5 <sup>th</sup> period
Friday, Sept. 4	Early dismissal 1:30 p.m., No 5 <sup>th</sup> period
Monday, Sept. 7	<b>SCHOOL CLOSED</b> , Labor Day
Thursday, Sept. 17	Faculty Meeting 4:15 p.m.; No 5 <sup>th</sup> period
Thursday, Sept. 24	Early dismissal day, 1:30 p.m. / Professional Development, 2:00-5:00 p.m.
Friday, Sept. 25	Early dismissal day, 1:30 p.m. / Professional Development, 2:00-5:00 p.m.

### OCTOBER

Thursday, Oct. 15	End of First Quarter
Friday, Oct. 16	<b>SCHOOL CLOSED</b> , Fall Break

Monday, Oct. 19           **SCHOOL CLOSED**, Fall Break  
Tuesday, Oct. 20           Second Quarter begins  
Thursday, Oct. 22 Faculty Meeting 4:15 p.m.; No 5<sup>th</sup> period

## NOVEMBER

Thursday, Nov. 5           Early dismissal, 1:30 p.m. / Parent-Teacher Conferences 4:00-6:30 p.m. No 5<sup>th</sup> p  
Friday, Nov. 6            Early dismissal, 1:30 p.m. No 5<sup>th</sup> period  
Thursday, Nov. 19        Faculty/Staff Third Thursday, 4:30p.m. – 5:30 p.m., No 5<sup>th</sup> period  
Tuesday, Nov. 24        Faculty Meeting 4:15 p.m.; No 5<sup>th</sup> period  
Wednesday, Nov. 25     **SCHOOL CLOSED**, Thanksgiving Recess  
Thursday, Nov. 26        **SCHOOL CLOSED**, Thanksgiving Recess  
Friday, Nov. 27          **SCHOOL CLOSED**, Thanksgiving Recess  
Monday, Nov. 30         Classes resume, 9:00 a.m.

## DECEMBER

Thursday, Dec. 10        Winter Holiday Concert, 7:00 p.m.  
Thursday, Dec. 17        Faculty Meeting 4:15 p.m.; No 5<sup>th</sup> period  
Friday, Dec. 18          Dismissal 4:00 p.m., No 5<sup>th</sup> period  
Monday, Dec. 21         **SCHOOL CLOSED**, Winter Holiday. Classes resume Tues., January 5, 2009

## JANUARY

Monday, Jan. 4           **SCHOOL CLOSED**, Professional Development  
Tuesday, Jan. 5          Classes resume, 9:00 a.m.  
Monday, Jan. 11         First Semester Final Exams begin  
Tuesday, Jan. 12        First Semester Final Exams  
Wednesday, Jan. 13     First Semester Final Exams  
Thursday, Jan. 14        First Semester Final Exams; End of Second Quarter, No 5<sup>th</sup> period  
Friday, Jan. 15          Early Dismissal, 1:30 p.m.  
Monday, Jan. 18         **SCHOOL CLOSED**, Dr. Martin Luther King Day  
                                Note: Tues., Jan. 19 A day, Wed., Jan. 20 B day, etc.  
Thursday, Jan. 21        Faculty Meeting 4:15 p.m.; No 5<sup>th</sup> period

Second Semester, Tuesday, Jan. 19, 2010 – Friday, June 4, 2010

## JANUARY

Tuesday, Jan. 19         Second Semester begins  
Thursday, Jan. 21        Faculty Meeting 4:15 p.m.; No 5<sup>th</sup> period  
Thursday, Jan. 28        Early dismissal, 1:30 p.m. / Parent-Teacher Conferences 4:00-6:30 p.m.  
Friday, Jan. 29          Early dismissal, 1:30 p.m.

## FEBRUARY

Friday, Feb. 5            Student Recognition Coffee 9:00 a.m.  
Monday, Feb. 15         **SCHOOL CLOSED**, Presidents' Day [Snow day make-up]  
                                Note: Tues., Feb. 16 A day, Wed., Feb. 17 B day, etc.  
Thursday, Feb. 18 Faculty Meeting 4:15 p.m.; No 5<sup>th</sup> period

## MARCH

Friday, Mar. 5            **SCHOOL CLOSED**, Midwinter break [Snow day make-up]  
Friday, Mar. 19          End of Third Quarter  
Monday, Mar. 22         Fourth Quarter begins  
Thursday, Mar. 25        Spring Break begins at 4:00 p.m. Thursday, March 25, No 5<sup>th</sup> period  
                                Grades mailed to parents/guardians  
Friday, Mar. 26          **SCHOOL CLOSED**, Spring Break; Classes resume on Monday, April 5

## APRIL

Monday, Apr. 5           Classes resume, 9:00 a.m.  
Thursday, Apr. 15 Faculty Meeting 4:15 p.m.; No 5<sup>th</sup> period  
Thursday, Apr. 29 **SCHOOL CLOSED**, Midspring break [Snow day make-up]  
Friday, Apr. 30          **SCHOOL CLOSED** Herron Faculty Symposium 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

## MAY

Monday, May 3	AP Government Test – Morning
Tuesday, May 4	AP Statistics - Afternoon
Wednesday, May 5	AP Calculus AB Test – Morning
Thursday, May 6	AP English Literature and Composition - Morning
Friday, May 7	AP United States History Test – Morning
	AP Studio Art – Portfolios due – Afternoon
Monday, May 10	AP Music Theory – Morning
Tuesday, May 11	AP Chemistry
Wednesday, May 12	AP English Language and Composition Test – Morning
	AP Art History - Afternoon
Thursday, May 13	AP World History Test – Morning
Friday, May 14	AP Latin: Vergil - Afternoon
Thursday, May 20	Faculty Meeting 4:15 p.m.; No 5 <sup>th</sup> period
Friday, May 21	Awards Ceremony, 1:30 p.m.
Monday, May 31	<b>SCHOOL CLOSED</b> , Memorial Day

## JUNE

Tuesday, June 1	Second Semester Final Exams begin
Wednesday, June 2	Second Semester Final Exams
Thursday, June 3	Second Semester Final Exams
Friday, June 4	Second Semester Final Exams; End of Fourth Quarter, No 5 <sup>th</sup> period
Saturday, June 5	Commencement, Class 2010, 2:00 p.m.
Tuesday, June 9	First Session of Summer School begins (June 9-29)
Friday, June 11	Grades mailed to parents/guardians

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