

REPERTORY COMPANY

HIGH SCHOOL FOR THEATRE ARTS

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RCHS PARENT BULLETIN

Welcome to the 2016–2017 school year! Here, you will find important news, information, and celebrations from our school community! Please see below.

CURRICULUM NIGHT

Please join us on Wednesday, September 28, 2016 from 4:30–7:30pm for Curriculum Night! This will be a wonderful opportunity to meet your child’s teachers, the administrative staff, and get to know what Repertory is all about! You will learn what a typical day is like for your child and also have an opportunity to register in person for Pupil Path (to have access to your child’s grades, assignments, and communication with teachers) and hear about exciting and important information!

PSAT

On Wednesday, October 19, 2016, all ninth, tenth, and eleventh grade students will take the PSAT. All students will be registered by the school. A modified schedule will be followed for the day. Please contact the guidance counselors with any questions or concerns.

PARENTAL Engagement

Every Tuesday after school we will have 40 minutes dedicated to *parental engagement*. During that time teachers plan to conduct student-led parent/teacher conferences, parental outreach via email and phone, student academic updates on Pupil Path, and meetings with parents. Feel free to contact the school if you want to make an appointment to schedule a meeting with your child's teachers during that time. The goal is to strengthen the partnership and communication between parents and the school; an essential component of student success.

New college prep program: CARA

We are rolling out a new college preparatory program through the organization College Access Research Action. Every grade will experience a curriculum geared toward giving them the tools, information, and access to prepare for and apply to college. Highlights include introduction to colleges and careers, college specific writing, going through the application process, and working with a Repertory alumna as a college bridge coach. Please contact Ms. Jimenez, one of our guidance counselors, with any questions or concerns.

Welcome new teachers and staff!

We would like to introduce some new members of our outstanding teaching faculty and staff! Please join us in welcoming Ms. Fusco (Theatre Tech), Mr. Olezko (Music), Mr. Krepski (Earth Science), Ms. Fishman (Special Education), Ms. Iannacone (US History and Government), Ms. Idy (Guidance), and of course, our Assistant Principal, Ms. Dell! This will be a productive and exciting year and we are thrilled to have these new members join the Repertory family.

Auditions for Roundabout's Student Production Workshop

Roundabout Theatre, our fantastic arts partner, is holding auditions for their Student Production Workshop – an exciting after-school program in which students write, design, direct and perform their own show in one of Roundabout's professional theatres. Audition dates are September 26th and September 27th from 4:30 – 6:30pm at their Education Studio: 111 West 46th St. More information is available by contacting Mr. Morrow (KMorrow3@schools.nyc.gov) or by visiting <http://www.roundabouttheatre.org/Teach-Learn/Theatre-Programs/Student-Production-Workshop.aspx>.

Prospect High: Brooklyn

On September 9 and 10, Repertory students performed in Prospect High: Brooklyn at Roundabout's Black Box Theatre. Congratulations to our director, Mr. McIntosh, and all of the dedicated and talented cast and crew that made the production so powerful and successful!



Important Upcoming Dates

September 20 | PTA Meeting @ 6pm

September 24-25 | City-wide High School Fair, Brooklyn Tech @ 10:00 – 3:00

September 28 | Curriculum Night @ 4:30-7:30pm