



St. Charles North High School  
**The Polaris Express**  
Friday, February 15, 2019

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 18**

(Presidents' Day – Schools Closed)

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 19**

**CLUB MEETINGS**

Voluntourism Club	Rm 302	6:40-7:15 a.m.
DECA	Rm 114	2:30-3:15 p.m.
Spanish Nat'l Honor Soc	LRC Nook	2:30-3:30 p.m.
Book Club	LRC Cube A/B	2:30-3:30 p.m.
Model UN	Rm 232	2:30-3:30 p.m.
Engineering Design Club	Rm 406	2:30-3:30 p.m.
Scholar Athletes	Rm 407	2:30-3:30 p.m.
Tech Crew	Rm 133, Scene Shop	2:30-5:30 p.m.

**STUDENT COUNCIL MEETINGS**

Class of 2019	Rm 407	6:45-7:15 a.m.
Class of 2021	Rm 203	6:45-7:15 a.m.
Class of 2022	Rm 441	6:45-7:15 a.m.
Executive Board	Rm 112	2:30-4:00 p.m.

**SPECIAL EVENTS**

Concert, Symphonic, Wind Symphony, & TMS Bands Concert	AUD	7:00-9:30 p.m.
--	-----	----------------

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20**

(Early Release Schedule)

**CLUB MEETINGS**

Mock Trial	Rm 201	2:30-4:00 p.m.
------------	--------	----------------

**STUDENT COUNCIL MEETINGS**

North Star Council	Rm 302	1:30-2:45 p.m.
--------------------	--------	----------------

**TUTORING**

Peer Tutoring	Rm 101-104	6:00-8:00 p.m.
---------------	------------	----------------

**SPECIAL EVENTS**

German NHS Induction	Rm 302	6:30-8:00 p.m.
Parent University	WMS	6:30-8:00 p.m.

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21**

**CLUB MEETINGS**

Science NHS	Rm 302	6:45-7:15 a.m.
RENGA	Rm 204	2:30-3:30 p.m.
German NHS Mtg/Tutoring	M484	2:30-3:30 p.m.
Drama Club	Rm 133	2:30-4:00 p.m.

**COLLEGE VISITS**

Univ of IL @ Chicago	LRC	10:55-11:42 a.m.
----------------------	-----	------------------

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 22**

**CLUB MEETINGS**

Fellowship of Christian Students	Rm 443	6:30-7:15 a.m.
----------------------------------	--------	----------------

**STUDENT COUNCIL MEETINGS**

SC Committee	Rm 302	6:45-7:15 a.m.
--------------	--------	----------------

**COLLEGE VISITS**

Southern IL University	LRC	10:55-11:42 a.m.
------------------------	-----	------------------

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 23**

**SPECIAL EVENTS**

Project Dance	NHS Main Gym	1:00-5:00 p.m.
---------------	--------------	----------------

**FUTURE DATES**

Feb 26	Winter Choir Concert
Feb 27	Tutorial Schedule
Feb 27 (corrected date)	Winter Orchestra Concert
Mar 1	Teachers' Institute Day – No School
Mar 4	Parent University
Mar 5	Jazz Bands & TMS Jazz Band Concert
Mar 6	Early Release Schedule
Mar 9	NY Voices Jazz Festival
Mar 11	SNHS Induction Ceremony
Mar 11	School Board Mtg.

# Project Dance Groovy 2019

Dance Battle! Johnny Remitz and Jamice Webster dance their feet off with MC Newbill.



Rosanna Agostino, Mitchell Hahn, and Alex Misner show off their joy at Project Dance.



Throw on your dancing shoes and learn the morale dance! Lily Washko, Jessica Crowell, and Sophia Spizzirri, and so many others learn our cool moves!



Show off your smiles at our photo booth! Here are 5 big smiles from Maddie Solomon, Kyle Mussiliani, Garrett Perkins, Kylie Harrier, and a friend.

**Join us this year on  
February 23rd,  
2019  
from 1-5pm in the  
St. Charles North  
Main Gymnasium.**



Team Polaris - St. Charles North High School  
225 Red Gate Road, St. Charles, IL 60175

Team Polaris is hosting this year's Project Dance with the theme "Groovy"! Join us **February 23rd** from **1-5pm** at **Saint Charles North High School**. A 4 Hour Dance Party benefiting those in the Fox Valley Area with special needs **\$5.00/ Person \$15/Family of 3+**. Project Dance is open to everyone! All ages, all needs, all dancers invited!

Feel free to come for the whole dance or even just stop by. This event is an amazing way to socialize with friends, meet new people, interact with individuals with special needs, and dance with us all. We will be dancing our way into the hearts of everyone in attendance.

Be on the lookout for our photobooth, games, coloring stations... 2019 is the year for more! We will have special performances from staff & students at SCN as well as, Jaylin Santana, a former graduate of St. Charles performing his original songs. Project Dance Groovy invites you, your families, your neighbors, your friends to dance the day away this February. We would love to see you there in your comfy clothes and gym shoes because we like to move it, move it!

## PTO NEWS

### PTO Senior Scholarship Application Correction:

For those students who have already picked up a PTO Senior Scholarship Application, page 5 was inadvertently missing. Please stop by the CCR Office to pick up a copy of page 5 (Appendix D: One Character Reference).

We apologize for the inconvenience.

# **PARENT UNIVERSITY**

## **Preventing and Addressing Bullying: Lessons Learned & Resources for Parents**

Rescheduled date – Monday, March 4; Thompson 6th Grade Cafeteria; 6:30-8:00 p.m.

Faculty from the Psychology Department at Northern Illinois University will present practical information from their research and their work as part of a U.S. Department of Education training grant “Project Prevent and Address Bullying.” Thompson Middle School is partnering with NIU on this grant project, bringing resources that will be shared throughout the district. The faculty will present helpful knowledge, tips, and resources parents can use when navigating bullying situations.

***[Click here to register.](#)***

## **Balance & Boundaries: Managing Technology in our Lives**

Wednesday, February 20, from 6:30-8:00 p.m.; Wredling Middle School Cafeteria

Technology is a part of all our lives. From phones to laptops to video games, we are more “connected” or “plugged in” than ever. How do we help our children (and ourselves) find balance when it comes to the use of technology? During this Parent University we will share tools and strategies to help create balance and set boundaries. The night will feature a panel as well as opportunities for interactive discussion. Come “hang up, and hang out”!

***[Click here to register.](#)***

## **Follow-Up ANGST Session #3**

Tuesday, April 16, from 6:30-8:00 p.m.; Wild Rose LRC

Join us on April 16 to learn strategies to assist and respond to your child when they are feeling anxious. A representative from Tri-City Family Services, along with D303 staff will offer insight on how to help your child deal with anxiety.

***[Click here to register.](#)***



*Portillo's*<sup>®</sup>  
**for GOOD**

FUNDRAISERS

Bring in this flyer or show it on your smartphone  
and 20% of the proceeds will benefit

**ST. CHARLES NORTH & EAST HS WATER POLO  
TEAMS SUPPORT AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY**

**February 28, 2019**

**5:00pm - 8:00pm**

at the Portillo's located at:

**3895 E. Main Street  
St. Charles, IL 60174**

**We look forward to seeing you there!**

---

To learn more about how you can partner with us  
to serve up a better tomorrow, visit  
[portillos.com/good](http://portillos.com/good)



Not valid with online orders. Promoting on Portillo's premises is strictly prohibited.

# HONOR YOUR 2019 GRADUATE

WITH A  
YEARBOOK  
PARENT AD

A long standing tradition for Saint Charles North's students, the *Polaris* yearbook offers an opportunity for you to submit a photo and special message for your soon-to-be graduate.

Typically, parents write about how proud they are of their child and wish them luck as they leave high school. Some even choose to include a small inside joke, family saying or special quote.

Cost

\$75

Deadline

May 31, 2019

You may submit one photo and a brief message.

Please make sure your digital photo (or scanned image) is of good quality and not pixilated or blurry.

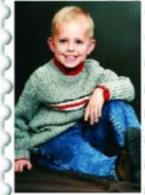
For "headline" simply use your student's full name.

We always knew you were destined for great things. We're honored and proud to see you grow into such a caring and generous human being. Congrats on this big milestone, buckle up it's just the beginning. It's not where you start, it's where you finish; but most importantly it is the journey.  
XOXO-MP



Jordan Love  
Chanthaboury

You are such a positive young man. We are very proud of everything you have accomplished. You have always been very confident in who you are and that has been an inspiration to all of us. We can't wait to see where Technical Theater takes you.  
Love you always,  
Moms, Dad, Kaitlyn, Nicole & Cody



Justin  
Nielson

Mackenzie May

You have grown in to an amazing young lady. We have been so blessed to have been apart of your journey and we cannot wait to watch your future unfold. The best is yet to come, but you sure gave this year ALL accomplishing your goals you set for yourself in this phase of life. We are proud that you have always stayed true to yourself, when faced with challenges you had courage and confidence to overcome. We love you and will always be here in the wings when you need us. After seeing how you have developed as a person thus far there is no doubt this world will be a better place with you participating in it. Love you to the moon and back!  
Moms, Dad and Keegan



Mackenzie  
Wells

All 2019 parent ads must be submitted online. Here's how:

Click on the BUY A PARENT AD banner at <http://bit.ly/2xBOrXo>

OR

Go to [www.yearbookforever.com](http://www.yearbookforever.com) and enter SAINT CHARLES NORTH.

- Follow the steps onscreen to enter text, upload photo and pay online.
- Note: photo size limit is 25MB

# Revised 2018-19 School Calendar

As result of the latest Emergency Days used, the last day of school is now June 7.

**COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT 303**  
**201 South 7th Street, St. Charles, IL 60174**

## 2018-2019 School Calendar

**July**

M	T	W	T	F
2	3	4	5	6
9	10	11	12	13
16	17	18	19	20
23	24	25	26	27
30	31			

**August**

M	T	W	T	F
		1	2	3
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	24
27	28	29	30	31

**September**

M	T	W	T	F
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	28

**October**

M	T	W	T	F
1	2	3	4	5
8	9	10	11	12
15	16	17	18	19
22	23	24	25	26
29	30	31		

**November**

M	T	W	T	F
			1	2
5	6	7	8	9
12	13	14	15	16
19	20	21	22	23
26	27	28	29	30

**December**

M	T	W	T	F
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	28
31				

**AUGUST**

Teachers' Institute Days (No Students).....	August 20, 21
First Day of Classes .....	August 22
Teachers' Institute Days (No Students).....	August 31

**SEPTEMBER**

Labor Day Holiday .....	September 3
-------------------------	-------------

**OCTOBER**

School Improvement Day (No Students).....	October 5
Columbus Day Holiday .....	October 8
End of 1st Quarter (Middle, High Schools).....	October 26

**NOVEMBER**

End of 1st Trimester (Elementary Schools) .....	November 9
K-12 Parent/Teacher Conferences (No Students).....	November 19
K-8 Parent/Teacher Conferences (No Students) .....	November 20
High School Teachers' In-service (No Students) .....	November 20
Non Attendance Day (Offices Open) .....	November 21
Thanksgiving Break.....	November 22, 23

**DECEMBER**

Last Day of School in 2018.....	December 21
Winter Break .....	December 24 - January 4

**JANUARY**

School Resumes .....	January 7
Martin Luther King, Jr Holiday .....	January 21
End of 2nd Quarter (Middle, High Schools) .....	January 17
Teachers' Work Day (Middle, High Schools No students).....	January 18
Teacher Institute Day (Elementary Schools No Students) .....	January 18

**FEBRUARY**

Presidents' Day Holiday .....	February 18
End of 2nd Trimester (Elementary Schools).....	February 28

**MARCH**

Teacher Institute Day (Middle, High School No Students).....	March 1
Teacher Work Day (Elementary Schools No Students) .....	March 1
End of 3rd Quarter (Middle, High Schools) .....	March 22
Spring Break .....	March 25 - 29

**APRIL**

School Resumes .....	April 1
K-5 Afternoon Parent/Teacher Conferences (K-5 in classes in AM) (K-5 ONLY-- No students in PM) .....	April 18
School Improvement Day (No Students).....	April 19

**MAY**

Memorial Day Holiday .....	May 27
----------------------------	--------

**JUNE**

D303 HS Graduation Day.....	June 2
Last Day for Students with four Emergency Day used .....	June 7
Last Day for Students if 5 "Emergency Days" used.....	June 10

**January**

M	T	W	T	F
	1	2	3	4
7	8	9	10	11
14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25
28	29	30	31	

**February**

M	T	W	T	F
				1
4	5	6	7	8
11	12	13	14	15
18	19	20	21	22
25	26	27	28	

**March**

M	T	W	T	F
				1
4	5	6	7	8
11	12	13	14	15
18	19	20	21	22
25	26	27	28	29

**April**

M	T	W	T	F
1	2	3	4	5
8	9	10	11	12
15	16	17	18	19
22	23	24	25	26
29	30			

**May**

M	T	W	T	F
		1	2	3
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	24
27	28	29	30	31

**June**

M	T	W	T	F
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	28