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 **COLTS NECK HIGH SCHOOL McCHESNEY KANE CHAPTER**

**NEWSLETTER**

**December 6, 2018**

**1. NHS INDUCTION CEREMONY**

**All members must …**

* Be present on Wednesday, December 12th
* Report by 5:30pm to Cafeteria at the latest!
* Current members sign in with Ghadeer Lamah and Amanda Martin
* New members sign in with Nick Alviggi and Julia Comi

**Current Members are responsible for …**

* Greeting and distributing pamphlets to friends and family in the Auditorium prior to start of ceremony, 5:30-6:00pm
* Organizing and executing photo montage, to be viewed in the Auditorium between 5:30-6:00pm. **Please email photos of current and new members to hlucarelli@frhsd.com.** Pictures do not have to be from school or school-related events but they do need to be appropriate!
* Processing with inductees into the Auditorium at 6:00pm
* Assisting the PTSO in the set-up of food in the cafeteria (5:30-6:00pm) and serving refreshments (7:00-7:30pm)

**The Induction Ceremony’s itinerary is as follows:**

5:30 Check-in for new and current members of NHS in the cafeteria

5:45 Music performed by TBA

6:00 Procession of new and current members (seated in front, center aisles of auditorium – new inductees alphabetically). Music playing.

6:05 Color Guard and Pledge of Allegiance (ROTC)

6:10 Welcome by Dr. Donahue

6:15 President of NHS, Miss Shanti Shah speaks on the importance of NHS and recognizes our Honorary Inductee and 2018 Teacher of the Year, Mr. Kevin Hein

6:20 Speech delivered by Honorary Inductee and 2018 Teacher of the Year, Mr. Kevin Hein

6:25 Honorary Inductee lights the first candle representing NHS and is given a medal by NHS VP

6:30 Candle Lighting Ceremony led by the four members of the Executive Board

6:35 Induction of new members (names read by Exec Board)

6:50 Pledge led by President of NHS, Shanti Shah

6:55 Closing remarks and an invitation to join for refreshments in Café by Mr. Niemierowski

7:00 Refreshments / Clean-up

**New Member Pledge:**

I pledge myself to uphold

The high purposes of the National Honor Society

To which I have been selected;

I will be true to the principles for

which it stands;

I will be loyal to my school;

And will maintain and encourage

High standards of scholarship,

Leadership, service, and character.

**2. Volunteer opportunities to earn hours …**

* Looking for some musicians to perform between 5:30-6:00 in the Auditorium for the Induction Ceremony. Please see Mrs. Lucarelli or Mr. Niemierowski if interested.
* Looking for a photographer (s) to take pictures of the Induction Ceremony, especially new inductees walking across stage. Please see Mrs. Lucarelli or Mr. Niemierowski if interested.
* Looking for volunteers to sell Candy Grams during lunch Dec. 17th-19th and volunteers to deliver Candy Grams on the morning of Dec. 20th. See Mrs. Lucarelli if interested.

**3. Meeting dates:**

Jan. 3rd Mtg (am and pm in Auditorium)

Feb. 7th Mtg (am and pm in Auditorium)

Mar. 7th Mtg (am and pm in Auditorium)

Apr. 4th Mtg (am and pm in Auditorium)

May 2nd Mtg (am and pm in Auditorium)

May 3rd Executive Board Elections for Juniors

June 6th NHS Breakfast & distribution of medals

**4. Submission of Hours**

* You are expected to record all hours online and file all hard copies of volunteer hours into your individual folders, located in A134.
* We will check both online and folders to verify all info is up-to-date and authentic.
* Hours for 2nd MP are due by February 4, 2019