



# Hazleton Area Cyber Academy NEWSLETTER

March 31, 2023



## END OF THE QUARTER

The end of the quarter is right around the quarter. Please see dates below:

- Tuesday April 4- Last Day of Quarter 3
- Wednesday April 5- First Day of Quarter 4
- Friday April 7- Grades are due

## LOOK UP THIS WEEK

Look to the sky this week for a rare chance to see five planets lined up for a "parade of planets" or "planetary alignment". You will be able to see Mercury, Jupiter, Venus, Uranus and Mars line up near the moon.



Need some help with Microsoft Team? [Click here](#) to watch a short orientation video as well as how to access Microsoft Teams from a laptop, tablet or your phone.



# Teacher SPOTLIGHT

Cara Goughenour



## STUDENT SPOTLIGHT

Perla Valoy

Perla was nominated by Miss Goughenour. She says that Perla is an excellent student. She joins live sessions, takes note, and completes work on time with accuracy. Perla is an excellent advocate for herself, and always gives a 100%. She always answers questions in class and leads class discussions when possible. Perla assists other students in their work and answers questions they may have outside of class. Perla is a model student, who holds herself to the highest standard. Her work ethic is exactly what I hope to see in all students. I know that whatever Perla decides to accomplish, she will soar above her challenges with grace and dignity. She is a lovely young lady and will be successful in classes and future endeavors to come.

My name is Cara Goughenour. I am a special education teacher for students in grade 9-12. I have been a teacher for the past six years. I love teaching online because I love being able to get to know my students. I love to hear stories, plans, and little things about them.

In my free time, I am the advisor for the Valley Elementary Drama Club and support student at various athletic events. When I am not doing that I like to nap and hang out with my three dogs. I love all animals.

My favorite food is pizza and gummy bears. If I could have dinner with anyone, it would be myself in 50 years.

The last book I read was *Code Name Verity* by Elizabeth Wein. I LOVE TAYLOR SWIFT! The last show I binge watched was *The Nanny*, its an oldie but goodie

Something to know about me that you might not have known is that I had wonderful teachers in high school who inspired me to be an educator. Now I get to work with them as my colleagues. Shout out to Mrs. Steber and Ms. Matsago!!





# GOOD NEWS

## National Arts In Our Schools Month



Mason Saleeba Tie Dye

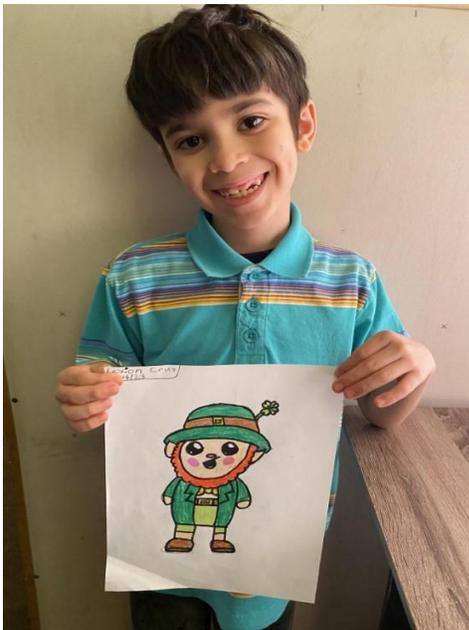


Brody Singley- St. Patrick's Day



Mason Saleeba- St. Patrick's Day

Lexion Cruz- Leprechaun Drawing



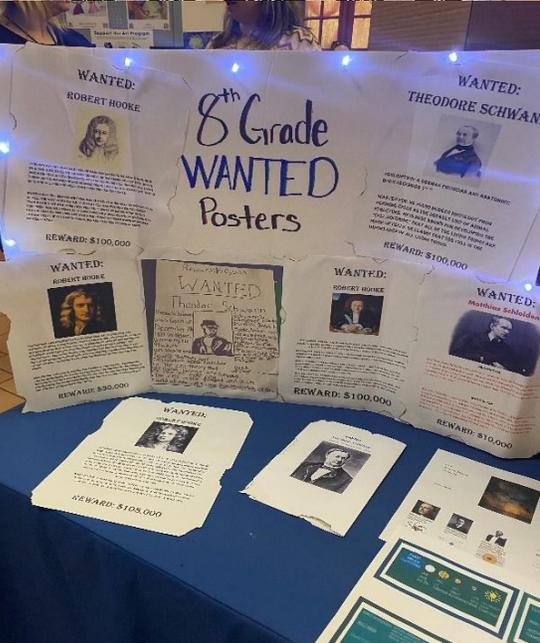
Mason Saleeba- Crazy Pattern

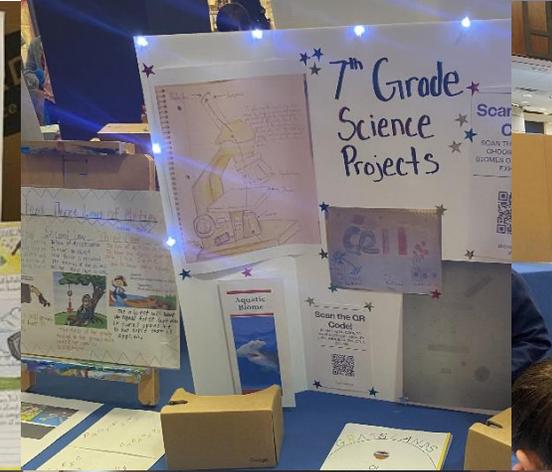
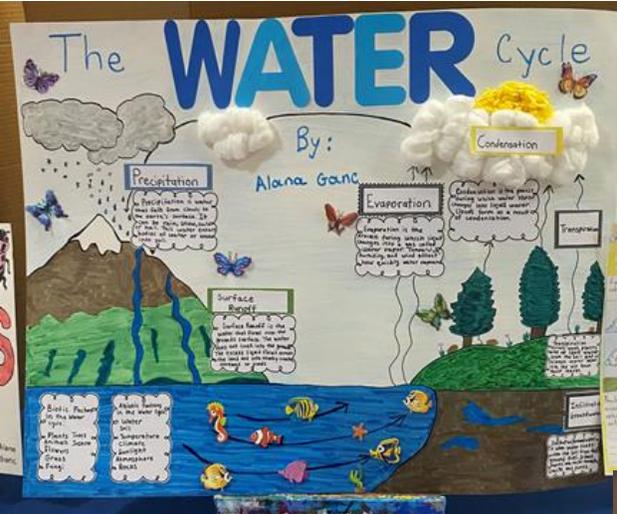


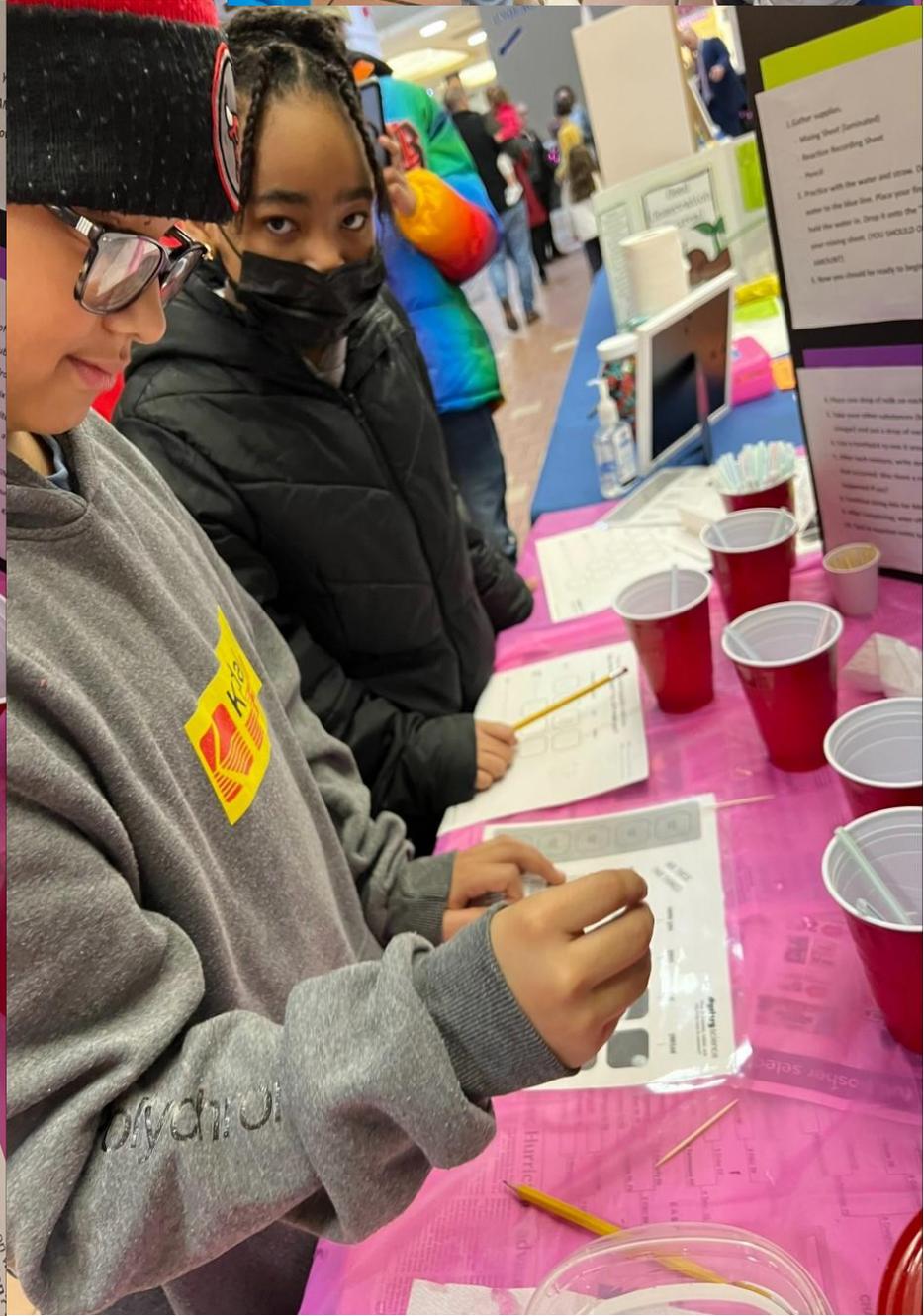
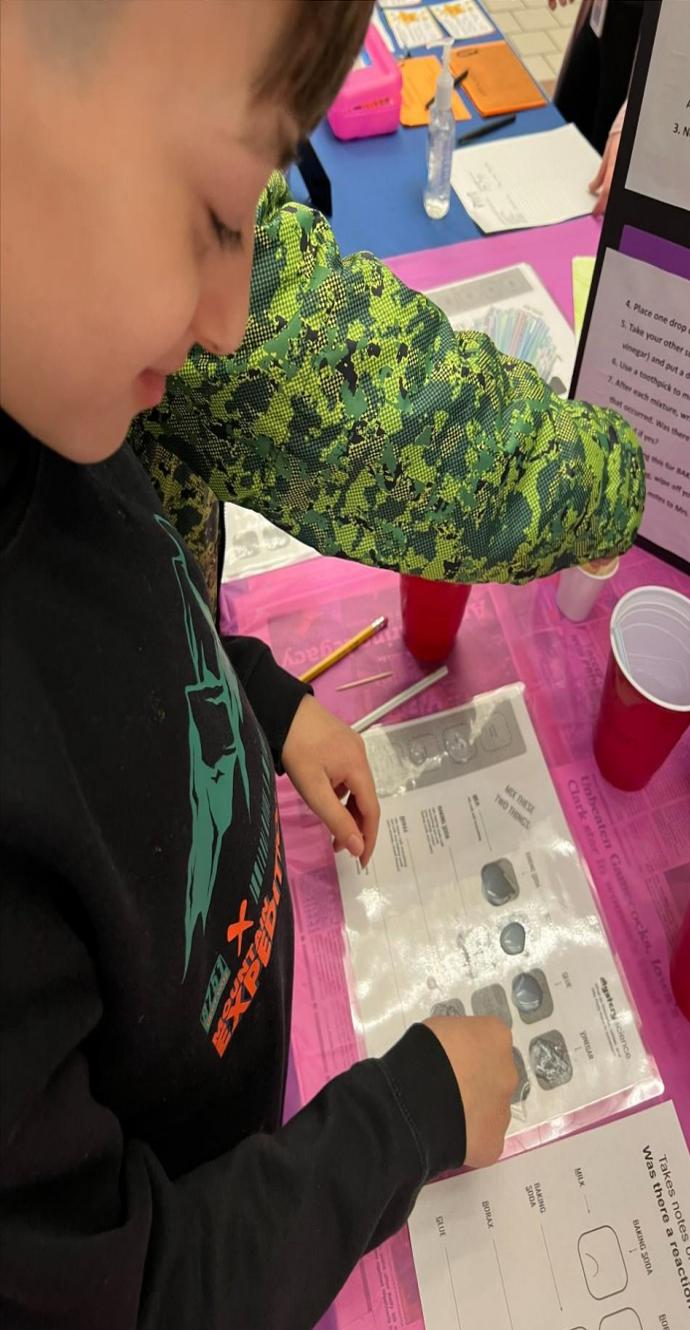
Lexion Cruz- Crazy Pattern

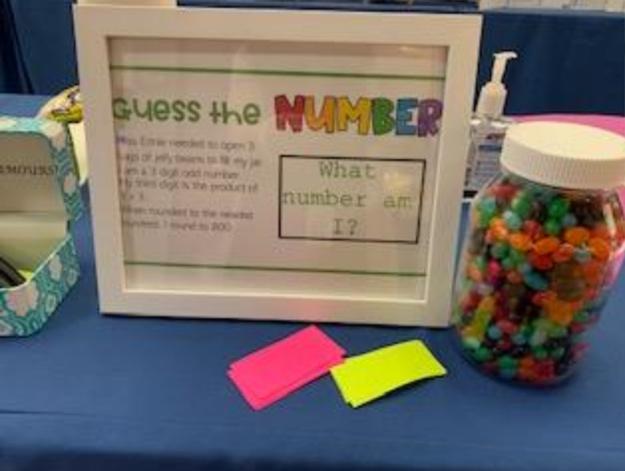
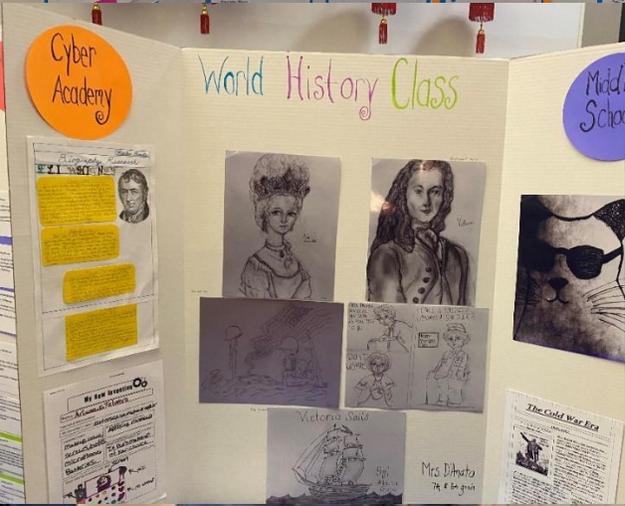
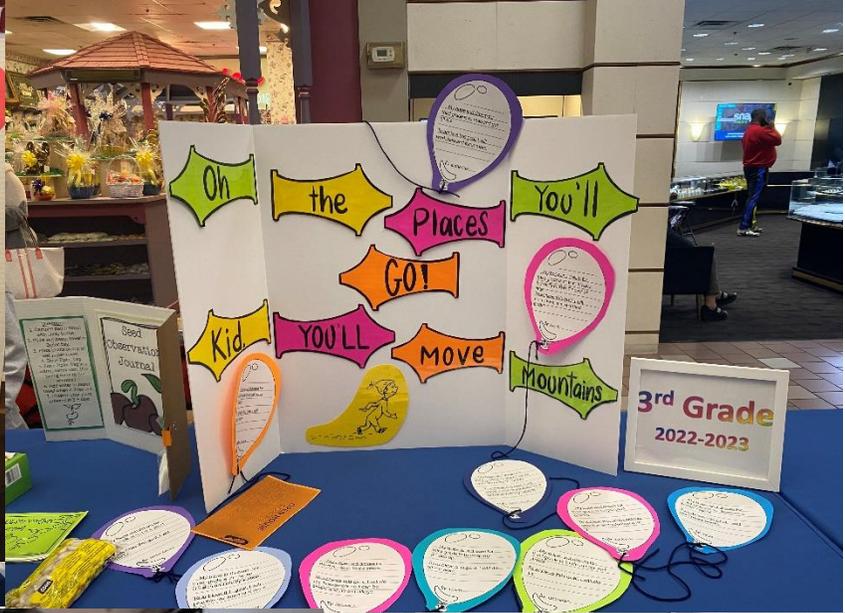
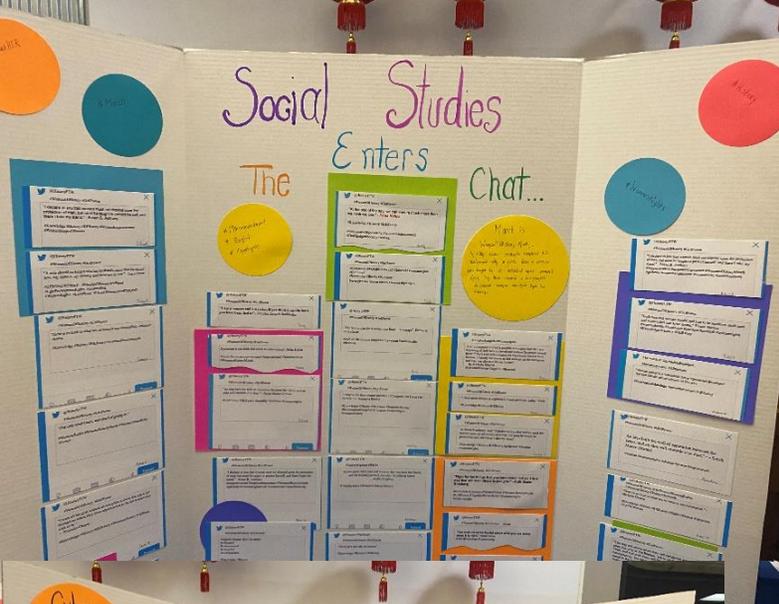
# Coil Pot Workshop







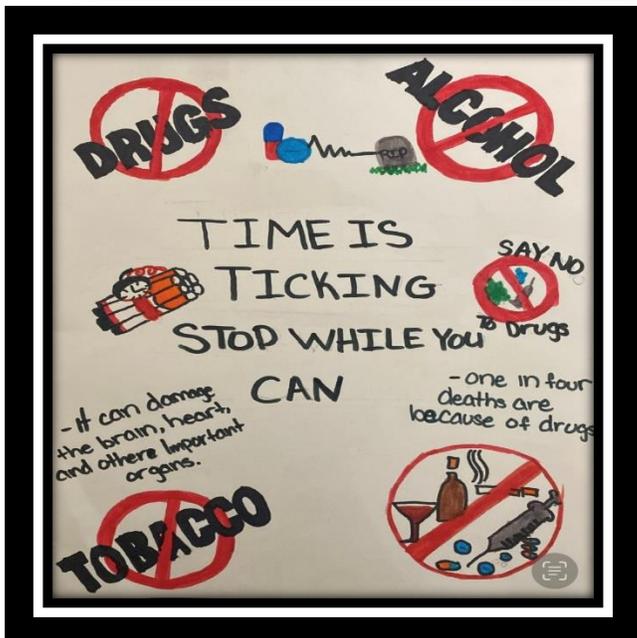
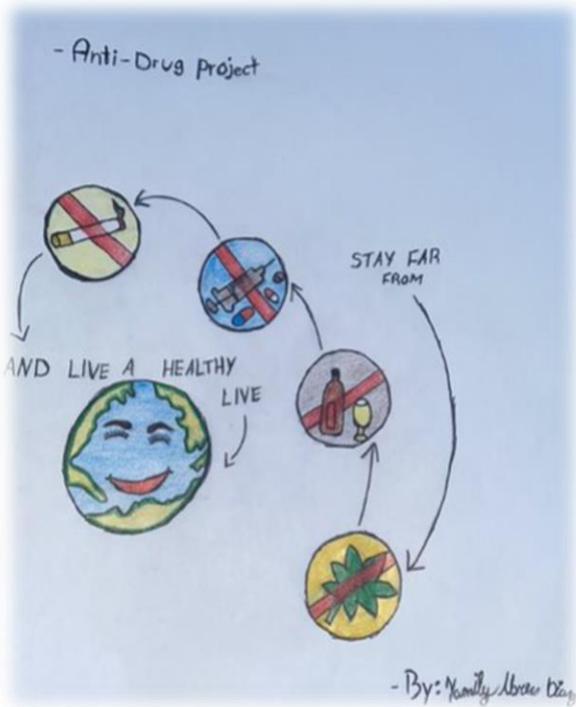






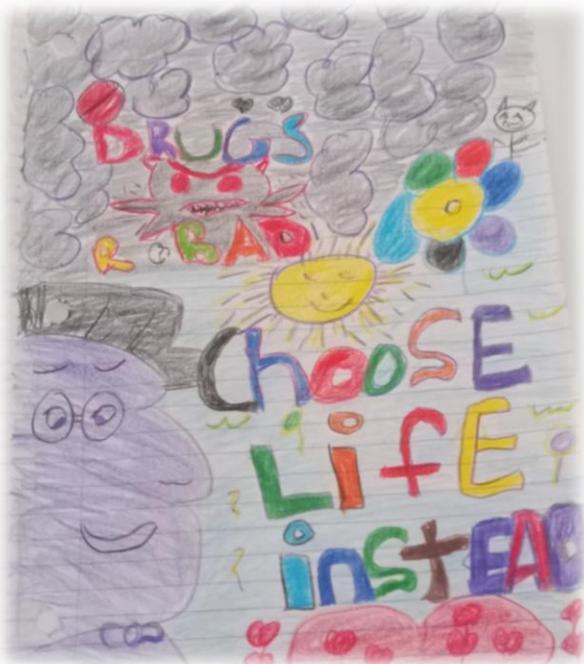
Mrs. Chicalese's  
Health Class  
Anti-Drug Posters

# Just Say No



BE ALL YOU CAN BE

BE DRUG FREE

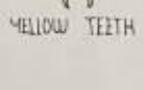


WHO CONSUMES WHOM?  
THINK ABOUT IT!

BRAIN DISEASE



BOWEL DISEASE



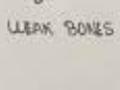
YELLOW TEETH



LUNG DISEASE



HEART DISEASE



WEAK BONES

CHEER UP WITH YOUR HEALTH AND NOT WITH DRUGS.



JUST SAY  
NO DRUGS



## Hazleton Area Cyber Academy



### STEM PLACEMENT TEST

Students in grades 9-11 may take the exam to attend the Hazleton Area Academy of Sciences in the 2023-2024 school year during the last week of April. Students should sign up in the guidance office if you would like to test. Your counselors will let you know what day the test will be given.

Prom tickets went on sale March 20<sup>th</sup>. The cost per each ticket is \$40. Table arrangements must be made for 8 people. Please organize and turn in a list of names for everyone sitting at your table when buying your tickets. You will be able to buy tickets in the High School lobby from 2:40-3:30pm on Friday, March 24<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday, March 28<sup>th</sup> and April 4<sup>th</sup>. The last day to buy tickets is April 5<sup>th</sup>. Please visit your teams page for more information.

### ATTENTION SENIORS



The link to order your cap and gowns are now on the Class of 2023 Team. There is a deadline to order so please order as soon as possible. If you do not have access to the team please contact Mrs. Medek at [medekm@hasdk12.org](mailto:medekm@hasdk12.org)



### ACT 158

The deadline is May 15<sup>th</sup> to complete Act 158. Please work with your guidance counselor to complete the Act 158 requirements. If you do not complete the requirement you are putting your graduation in jeopardy. Act 158 is a state requirement.



## Hazleton Area Cyber Academy



### We are looking for.....

The Cyber Academy newsletter is looking for students who are interesting in reviewing video games, movies and book. We would then like for you to write reviews about them for the newsletter. If you are interesting in writing reviews, please contact Mrs. Medek at [medekm@hasdk12.org](mailto:medekm@hasdk12.org)



### HAZLETON AREA CYBER ACADEMY PTA

The Hazleton Area Cyber Academy is excited to announce the new Hazleton Area Cyber Academy Parent Teacher Association. If you are interested in joining the PTA, please send an email to Amanda Kinney at [kinneya@hasdk12.org](mailto:kinneya@hasdk12.org).

HAZLETON AREA CYBER ACADEMY



PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION

The Hazleton Area High School Cougar Players proudly presents...



## The Addams Family

A NEW MUSICAL COMEDY

**\$10 for Student**  
**\$15 for Adults**  
April 13th & 14th at 7pm  
April 15th & 16th at 1pm  
Tickets are available at the door.

*"Come, every member of our clan-  
living, dead- and undecided..."*

Community Service

## Adopt-A-Highway Spring Clean Up

**Saturday May 6 @ 10am**

Rain Date – Sun May 7 @ 10am

We will meet at the *Park & Ride* on Blue Ridge Trail in Dorrance...Across from the Blue Ridge Travel Plaza (7121 Blue Ridge Trail, Mountain Top, PA 18707)

Please wear long pants & closed-toed, comfortable shoes.

Dress for the weather that day.

Water, gloves, safety vests & pickers will be provided.

We will be walking ~ 2 miles.

Contact Mrs. Yanac (HAHS Room 222) or [yanaca@hasdk12.org](mailto:yanaca@hasdk12.org) to sign up



- o Be a good citizen & do your part to help our planet.
- o Looks great on college applications & job résumés.
- o "Do good = Feel good"...improve self satisfaction.

Since 2010 – In Honor of LCPL Blaise Oleski, USMC, KIA 4-8-2009