# THE RAM REPORT

February 18th, 2024

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With so many amazing things happening in RamNation on a consistent basis, it can be easy to miss recognizing students and staff who deserve kudos. This week, I don't want to miss the opportunity to brag on Mr. Langston and our band program. They have been killin' it lately! Last week, our Jazz Band got a superior rating at MPA competition, and over the weekend, 103 solo and ensemble acts earned superior ratings. Such high marks are proof of the hard work that Mr. Langston and our band members have put into their musicianship. To all of our band students, RamNation is proud of you!

Peer Connectors is a program on our campus of which many folks might not be aware. This class is taught by Mr. Mallory, and it engages juniors and seniors in service to our school through connecting with freshmen, completing service projects on campus, and conducting tours for visitors. The students in this class are committed to promoting a positive culture on campus, and in the past 10 days, they have toured our 8th graders on field trip as well as on 8th Grade Parent Night. They also toured Community Ambassadors on Friday, and when you see the new LM installment at the front of the school between the gym and front office, that's our Peer Connectors. Thank you to Mr. Mallory and the students in this program for your service to Lake Mary High School! Have a Ramtastic Week! -Dr. Reynolds

# WHAT'S NEW IN RAMNATION!

### Rams on the Runway

The PTSA event, Rams on the Runway, takes place at 9:00 am tomorrow at Dillards' in the Altamonte Mall. There are only a few tickets left, so if you'd like to purchase one, CLICK HERE.



#### Yearbook Sales and Senior Ads

Yearbooks are still on sale for \$90.00, but supply is starting to run out. To reserve your copy, go to

<u>www.</u>yearbookordercenter and use the school code: 21630.

Parents of seniors! We have less than two pages left in our Senior Ad section of our Yearbook for the class of 2024, so the final cut off time has arrived. If you need to secure your Senior's Ad space, hurry over to <a href="https://www.yearbookordercenter">www.yearbookordercenter</a> and use the school code: 21630 to access the order link. Once all pages are full, no more space for Senior Ads will be available, so don't delay.

# Athletics Update

# Events for February 19-24 Girls Basketball

Monday: Home vs. Hagerty (Regional

Semifinals). 7:00pm

Thursday: Regional Finals w/win on Mon.

**Boys Wrestling** 

Friday/Saturday: Regional Meet @Deland

**Water Polo** 

**Tuesday**: Home (Lake Howell Pool) vs. Oviedo. Girls @ 4:00pm, Boys @ 5:00pm. **Wednesday**: Away vs. Dr. Phillips. Girls @

3:15pm, Boys @ 4:15pm.

Friday/Saturday: Ian Supra Invitational @

Rosen Aquatic Center. All Day

Tennis

**Tuesday**: Boys Home vs. Oviedo. 3:00pm. **Wed**: Boys/Girls Home vs. Hagerty 3pm

Thursday: Boys/Girls Home vs. Apopka 3pm

Baseball

Tuesday: JV Home vs. Winter Park. 6:00pm. Wednesday: JV Away vs. Winter Park. 6pm Wednesday: Varsity Away vs. Deltona. 6pm Thursday: Varsity Home vs. University.

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Friday: JV Home vs. University. 6:00pm.

Softball

Wednesday: Home vs. Lake Howell. JV @

5:00pm, Varsity @ 7:00pm.

Thursday: Home vs. Oviedo. JV @ 5:00pm,

Varsity @ 7:00pm.

**Boys Lacrosse** 

Tuesday: Away vs. Seminole. JV @ 5:00pm,

Varsity @ 7:00pm.

Friday: Away vs. Winter Park. JV @ 6:00pm,

Varsity @ 7:30pm.

**Girls Lacrosse:** 

Wednesday: Home vs. Seminole. JV @

5:30pm, Varsity @ 7:00pm.

**Friday**: Away vs. Lyman. Varsity 6:00pm. **Wednesday**: Home vs. Celebration. Varsity

only @ 7:00pm.

**Boys Weightlifting** 

Wednesday: Away vs. Lake Brantley. 3pm

**Beach Volleyball** 

Thursday: Preseason Tournament @

Montverde Academy. 3:30pm.

Flag Football

Tuesday: Away vs. Lyman @ LBHS. 4pm

# Clubs & activities

The Unity Step Team is performing at an Orlando Magic game on April 1st. Stop by Coach Lupis' room or check out Instagram for discount tickets. Our next Be the Change Student Open Forum will be on Tuesday, February 20th @ 2:30 in the GPR. We will be discussing Toxic Relationships-Mind Over Heart. All are welcome to attend. As always, there will be pizza, community service hours, and meaningful discussion. See you there! Peer Connectors: If you plan on taking Peer Connectors next year, the applications are due Tuesday, February 20th. Applications can be found in Student Services. Please drop your completed application off in room 1-153 with Mr. Mallory.

#### **Athletics Announcements**

On Tuesday, the first official flag football game in the history of Seminole County will be played and will feature your Lake Mary Rams facing the Lyman Greyhounds. This historical game will kick off at 4:00pm as part of a flag football quadruple header at Lake Brantley High School. Come out and support Coach Chamberlain and the team as they look to become the first team in county history to win a game. Good luck and go Rams!

# **Congratulations**

Congratulations to Coach Chamberlain and his girls basketball team for their upset victory over Spruce Creek on Wednesday night last week. After a tough loss in the district championship game, the team regrouped and got revenge in a big way on Spruce Creek's home floor. The team will now compete in the Regional Semifinals on Monday night at home vs. Hagerty. Come out and catch the big game.

Congratulations to the five LMHS wrestling district champions: Caden Laravuso (9th), Damonyai White (11th), Aden Eliason (12th), Gavin Isaacs (10th), Grady Isaacs (9th). Five other wrestlers placed and qualified for the Regional Tournament this week. Good luck to our wrestlers at Regionals!

Congrats to girls weightlifter, Teegan Larrimore, for placing 7th in the Olympic format and 10th in the traditional at this weekend's state tournament.

# Student Services

#### Save the Date

February 22: "What's Your e-Event?"

**March 7:** Savannah College of Art & Design visit. Sign up in Student Services.

#### Registration

Students have been given registration cards for the 2024-2025 school year. School Counselors will be meeting for one-on-one advising by grade level during the following weeks.

- 9th grade February 20-23
- 10th grade February 26-28

If your student is interested in taking a virtual class, we will have SCVS representatives here to assist your student with registration and course approval. A representative will be in Student Services on the following Wednesdays:

- February 21st
- February 28th

Please review the <u>Curriculum Guide 2024</u> carefully to find helpful information when selecting classes for next year.

If students do not have an English class on campus, they can pick up their registration card in Student Services and schedule a meeting with their counselor.

## **SSC Dual Enrollment**

Do you have questions about Dual Enrollment at Seminole State? Are you a prospective Dual Enrollment student looking to learn more about the program? SSC will be hosting Information Sessions that will provide you with the information needed to participate. Visit the website for additional information

https://www.seminolestate.edu/dual-enrollment

#### **Scholarships**

Leinebach Family Scholarship - See attached flyer. 2024 UPCOMING SCHOLARSHIPS - Google Docs

#### **Virtual Courses**

SENIORS MUST COMPLETE ALL VIRTUAL COURSES BY MAY 1, 2024. All SCVS/FLVS classes must be completed by the deadline provided by your online teacher. Make sure you stay on task with the modules in your course. All students enrolled in a virtual course must complete the virtual contract and return it to your school counselor.

## **Student Email**

Students, please ensure that you check your email at least twice a week. Email is a primary way for many to communicate.

# Testing Update

#### Save the Date

The ACT will be given to all 11th grade students on Tuesday, October 31 and Tuesday, March 26 during the school day. (This will be paper based testing.)

The Digital SAT will be given to all 11th grade students on March 7, 2024 during the school day.

Students will not need to register for these assessments and there will be no charge. More information will be sent out closer to each testing date.

# **National SAT/ACT Testing Dates**

Students can register through College Board (<a href="www.collegeboard.com">www.collegeboard.com</a>) and ACT (<a href="www.act.org">www.act.org</a>) to take these tests on a Saturday National Testing Date.

SAT - March 9, May 4, and June 1 ACT - April 13, June 8, July 13

## **FSA ELA Writing/Reading Retakes**

12th grade students who have not yet met the reading graduation requirement have been scheduled to take the FSA ELA Writing and Reading Retakes. If your student has not yet met this requirement, testing information (date and testing location) has been sent to student and parent email.

FSA ELA Writing (120 mins or longer)	February 21		
FSA ELA Reading Session 1 (90 mins or longer)	February 22		
FSA ELA Reading Session 2 (90 mins or longer)	February 23		
FSA ELA and EOC Make-Ups	February 28 & March 1		
FSA/ELA Writing Retakes: 12 grade students who have not met the FSA ELA Writing/Reading graduation requirement			
*Students will test on 3 days (Writinaz 120 minutes Reading Session 1z90 minutes Reading Session 2z90 minutes)			

### **Algebra 1 FSA EOC Math Grad Requirement**

12th grade students who have not yet met the Algebra 1 EOC math testing graduation requirement have been scheduled to take the Algebra 1 EOC.

If your 12th grade student has not yet met this requirement, testing information (testing location and time) has been sent to student and parent email.

Assessment	Test Date
Algebra 1 EOC (90 mins or longer for each session)	February 27 (Session 1) & February 28
Retakes	(Session 2)
FSA ELA and EOC Make-Ups	February 28 & March
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