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Dear Tiger Parents/Guardians,

End of Term 5
The fifth grading term ends on Friday of this week, and report cards will be mailed home late next week after grades are finalized. Remember, term grades are an indicator of where grades currently stand. Please encourage your student to make sure that all assignments are turned in and any tests or quizzes that they may have missed have been made up so that their term grade can be a true reflection of what they've learned.

Teen Drivers
Team Spirit is a student organization at CHS that focuses on encouraging students to make wise choices regarding their driving habits including staying buckled up and focusing on the road. Teen drivers (16-19) have higher crash rates than any other age group. Distracted driving is the leading cause of car accidents in America due to talking on the phone, texting, eating, or reading.

We received word last week that Coad Toyota at 357 Siemers Dr. in Cape is sponsoring a program called Teen Drive 365. The program utilizes technology that introduces teenagers to the dangers of distracted driving through the use of a virtual simulator. The simulator will be set up in the showroom at Coad Toyota on March 25 from 9:00 am-3:00 pm. This event is free of charge to all participants. Shane Morris is the point of contact at Coad Toyota. If you have any questions, he can be reached at 573-837-9306.

Interview Day for Prospective CTC Students
Any student interested in taking a three hour block at Cape's Career and Technology Center (CTC) must participate in an interview process if this is their first time in a three hour block. This allows the students to gain an understanding of the program they are enrolling in and for the CTC to make sure that the students are appropriate candidates for the program. The interview day for next year's three hour block programs will take place on Friday, March 31

Tiger Shoutouts
Congratulations to the following groups and individuals for outstanding achievements over the last week:

- The CHS Speech and Debate Team, who swept the Public Forum category at districts taking first and second place by the two CHS teams entered. Amy Dai and Clayton Deimund earned 1st place. Tyler Lamb and Archna Sobti earned second place. Both teams now qualify for the Missouri State Tournament April 22-23.

- All participants from the District Solo and Ensemble Contest last week Friday. We had many Band, Choir, and Orchestra students earn a 1-Exemplary and a 2- Outstanding rating.
- March Students of the Month-
    - Art- Kaya Newkirk
    - Business- Morgan Hessenkemper
    - English- Cameron Tillotson
    - Family and Consumer Sciences- Natalie Renfroe
    - Industrial Tech- Orlando Lee
    - Math- Miracle Bird
    - Music- Zac Glenn
    - PAS/Central Studies- Scarlett Young
    - PE- Orlando Lee
    - Science Zach White
    - Social Studies- Macy Vangilder
    - World Languages- Levi Strickland

Upcoming Events:
March 20 Meet the School Board Candidates 6:00 pm, Cape Public Library
March 21 V/JV Track Quad @ Jackson 4:00 pm
March 21 Golf vs. Jackson/ND/Sazony @ Kimbeland 4:00 pm
March 22 Early Dismissal 1:55 pm
March 22 9th Gr. Baseball @ Farmington TBA
March 22 V/JV Girls Soccer @ Kelly 5:30 pm
March 22 V Baseball vs. Charleston 5:00 pm
March 23-25 Girls Soccer @ Notre Dame- Noon Optimists Tourney TBA
March 23 V/JV Baseball @ Farmington 4:00 pm
March 23 V/JV Boys Tennis @ Sikeston 4:00 pm
March 24 End of Term 5
March 24 Ninth Grade Baseball Doubleheader vs. Sikeston 4:30 pm
April 14-17 No School- Spring Break
May 7 Baccalaureate 3:00 pm, Lynwood Baptist Church
May 11 Evening of Excellence 7:00 pm, Kinder Hall
May 12 Senior Commencement Rehearsal 9:00 am, Show Me Center
May 14 Commencement 4:00 pm, Show Me Center
May 15-18 Second Semester CAP Exams Administered
May 18 Final Day of Second Semester (assuming no more snow days)

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