



En-Lightning CONNECTIONS

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Registration Process Goes On-Line at Eastview High School

The registration process at EVHS offers students, with the assistance of their parents, an opportunity to plan their educational path for the 2003-2004 school year. This year, students/parents will register on-line at www.district196.org/evhs between January 8 and January 17 for current grade 9-11 students and January 14 through January 31 for current 8th grade students). Students/parents will have the opportunity to complete their registration from school, home, work, the public library or any other location where there is access to a computer and the Internet. For students/parents who do not have access to the Internet or need computer assistance, optional help sessions will be provided (see the *Registration Timetable* below). Because these decisions will impact course offerings and staffing decisions, adjustments will not be made to student registration course selections after February 14th, unless they occur during the Registration Review Period prior to each semester and are supported by the school course change guidelines. The following timeline will help you plan your registration decisions.

2003-2004 REGISTRATION TIMELINE

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| Jan. 6 | Registration Meeting and Open House for parents of 8th graders, 6:30 at EVHS in the Performing Arts Center. |
| Jan. 8 | Students in grades 9-11 receive registration materials. |
| Jan. 14 | Students in grade 8 at SHMS and St. Joseph's school receive registration materials. |
| Jan. 16 | Students in grade 8 at FRMS receive registration materials. |
| Jan. 16 | Optional on-line registration help session for students in grades 9-11. Media Center, 6:00-9:00 p.m. |
| Jan. 17 | Students in grades 9-11 complete the on-line registration process by this date |
| Jan. 21 | Students in grade 8 at BHMS receive registration materials. |
| Jan. 27 | Optional on-line registration help session for students in grade 8. Media Center, 6:00-9:00 p.m. |
| Jan. 31 | Students in grade 8 complete the on-line registration process by this date |
| Feb. 3 | Students in grade 8 return registration forms to their homeroom teacher |
| Feb. 14 | Final date to make adjustments to student registration for 2003-2004. |

Students from DHMS, RMS and VMS, who are scheduled or choose to enroll at Eastview High School, will be contacted on an individual basis to discuss registration at EVHS.

Students will register on-line at www.district196.org/evhs between January 8 and January 17.

Registration Communication

Parents with questions regarding the registration process or course selection may contact the student's current teacher, guidance counselor or the academic department coordinator. Email and voice mail contacts are listed in the EVHS Calendar/Guidebook.

- Teachers are the student's primary registration advisors. (e.g. If a student has an English course question, please see the current English teacher.)
- Counselors will be available in the commons, during student lunch periods in January, to answer registration questions.

Mid-Term & Parent/Teacher Conferences

Mid-term progress reports were delivered to students during the week of December 16. **Please note that during quarter two, we do not have Parent/Teacher Conferences.** Please contact your student's teachers through voice mail at (651) 683-6969 or through email if you have questions or concerns. Email addresses are listed in the Eastview Calendar/Guidebook. Contact can also be made through the Eastview High School Web Site at www.isd196.k12.mn.us/schools/evhs.

Your next opportunities for Parent/Teacher Conferences are on the evening of Thursday, March 6, 2003.

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Applying for Financial Aid

1. All financial aid begins with the **(FAFSA) Free Application for Federal Student Aid**. The forms can be obtained in the guidance office or can be completed on line at www.fafsa.ed.gov. This application is the basis for qualifying for any federally or state funded financial aid program. Some individual colleges may require an additional form to be filled out in order to obtain additional financial information.
2. Families and students should complete their taxes as soon as possible. With this information, fill out the FAFSA and send it in. It is an advantage to complete the FAFSA early. (If you cannot complete your taxes early, do not wait. You may use estimates, but you will be required to provide verification later.)
3. Within 3-6 weeks, the Department of Education will send you an acknowledgement which includes your Expected Family Contribution and any eligibility for the Federal Pell Grant. The EFC is the amount of money that your family is expected to contribute toward the student's education. This amount stays the same regardless of the cost of the school to which the student applies.
4. Your college(s) will use the EFC to determine your financial need with a simple formula: **Cost of the school – EFC = Financial Need**. For example, if the cost of the school is \$16,000 and your EFC is \$ 9,000 then your financial need at that college is \$7,000.
5. It is then up to the college to try to meet that need. Your college will then construct a financial aid package that may include scholarships, grants, loans, and work study. You will receive notice of that package in an Award Letter from the financial aid office.
6. You should respond to the Award Letter promptly to notify your college that you accept all, part, or none of the Financial Aid Package. If the financial aid package is not adequate or you have questions, contact the financial aid office at the college to discuss the situation.
7. If there is a change in your family's financial status: divorce, loss of job, significant change of income, added medical expenses or other circumstances that may impact your resources, contact the financial aid office at your college to discuss the matter. The colleges have some ability to make adjustments to accommodate special circumstances.
8. For more information on financial aid:
 - Fin Aid (www.finaid.org)
 - www.ed.gov/offices/ope
 - Federal - 1-800-433-3243
 - State - 651-642-0567
 - Contact the financial aid officer at the college/ university

Just Say “NO” to Spring Break Trips to Mexico

We are approaching the time of year when your senior and sometimes your junior student is being approached by fellow classmates and travel agency representatives to consider a spring break to Mexico. Within the past 2 weeks, Eastview High School personnel have unearthed several spring break trip itineraries to Mexico that speak of such things as: 36 hours of free drinks; hotels across the street from 5 major bars; foam dancing; and drinking boat tours.

Eastview High School does not authorize nor do we promote these spring break trips to Mexico. Eastview's Parents Are Key (PAK) and Eastview High School believe groups of students should always be supervised by parents or teachers during spring break trips. We see these trips as a serious health and safety issue for your teen. Because nothing is more important than the health and safety of our children, we are writing this letter to Eastview parents to caution you about a real and serious threat to your child's health and safety.

In May 1998, the Star Tribune ran a 3-day series of articles about teen drinking. Those articles created a clear, yet frightening description of what happens when teens are allowed to go to Mexico during spring break.

1. “More than 1,000 Twin Cities-area high school students flocked to this mecca of drinking, parties, sun and sex last spring, enabled by parents who don't say no.”
2. “For seven days, most of these kids rarely will be sober, some of them will take risks they never would at home, and a few will pay dearly for their lapses in judgement.”
3. “These kids get down there and explode,” said a sales manager for a tour company that targets college students for spring break trips. “They (high school kids) don't know how to handle themselves.”
4. “(Girls) faced such risks, as date-rape drugs being slipped into their cups.”
5. “The alcohol-and sex-drive atmosphere was more evidence that parents are forcing adulthood on kids before they're ready.”
6. “The anything-goes atmosphere, combined with unlimited access to alcohol, even for those under 18, left many parents worrying how far their children or their classmates would go.”

We are seriously concerned about any child who goes to Mexico with little or no supervision. Appropriate healthy alternatives that families might consider are spring break trips offered by spring sports teams or religious organizations.

Please also consider supporting our belief that the best way to enjoy your senior's last spring break would be together as a family. Just say “NO” to spring break trips to Mexico for the health and safety of your child.

College Financial Aid Parent Workshop
February 13 - 7:00 p.m.
Media Center

Junior Year Checklist

- Dec-March**
- _____ Begin researching various post-high school options.
 - _____ Visit with college representatives at Eastview.
 - _____ Visit college campuses.
 - _____ Use the DISCOVER School Search Program to help identify school possibilities.
 - _____ Write to schools for literature.
 - _____ Talk to friends, parents, relatives about various options.
 - _____ Draft activities resume
 - _____ Learn about volunteer opportunities
- January 9**
- _____ Parent Workshop - College Experience
 - _____ If interested in PSEO (Post Secondary Enrollment Options) as part of your senior year schedule, talk to your counselor about the application process.
 - _____ Register for senior-year courses that are appropriate for your post-high school plans. Find out what high school courses various colleges and schools are requiring of their applicants .
 - _____ Register to take a spring ACT and/or SAT.
- April**
- _____ Take an ACT and/or SAT I.
 - _____ Attend Spring College Fair (InverHills / Normandale)
 - _____ If interested in a military academy or ROTC, begin the application process by obtaining a pre-candidate pack from the counseling department.
- May-June**
- _____ Take an ACT and/or SAT I.
 - _____ Take SAT II (subject tests) if they are required by some of your prospective colleges.
 - _____ If you are a prospective Division I or Division II college athlete, begin the NCAA clearinghouse process. NCAA forms are available in the Guidance Office.
- Summer**
- _____ Visit the college campuses you are interested in researching.

Senior Year Checklist

- January**
- _____ After income taxes have been completed, pick up and complete **Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)**. The FAFSA must be filled out for any chance to receive any **financial aid**. Some colleges will also ask for you to fill out a second financial aid form called Profile.
- January 9**
- _____ Parent Workshop - College Experience
- March**
- _____ If you are planning to begin full-time employment after graduation, you should begin **applying for jobs**.
 - _____ Make your decision on the school you plan on attending and return housing contracts and fees by the deadline.
 - _____ Submit EVHS Senior Scholarship Application
- April-May**
- _____ ****Inform the Guidance secretary of your selected college so your final transcript may be forwarded.** Colleges may not allow you to register for college courses until they have received your final high school transcript and immunization records.
 - _____ Look for summer jobs.

ACT

Test Dates

April 12, 2003*
June 14, 2003

Registration Deadline

March 7, 2003
May 9, 2003

SAT

Test Dates

April 5, 2003
May 3, 2003
June 7, 2003

Registration Deadline

February 28, 2003
March 28, 2003
May 2, 2003

** Note: Test date is during spring break.*

Scholarship Resources

1. fastweb.com (www.fastweb.com)
2. Eastview High School Scholarship Booklet
3. Scholarship Resource Books - EVHS Career Resource Center
4. DISCOVER's Computerized Scholarship Search – EVHS Career Resource Center

Tutoring--National Honor Society

The National Honor Society sponsors a peer tutoring program that runs on an individual need basis. Help is available in every subject and a personal tutor can be found if a student needs constant one-on-one attention. The program is staffed by NHS members and coordinated by NHS advisor, Todd Beach. Any questions regarding the program or to match your child with a tutor, contact your child's counselor in the Guidance Office at (952) 431-8914.

ARTS AND ACTIVITIES

Lightning Theatre

As an award for excellence in the performing arts, the Eastview Theatre Department has been nominated once again by the American High School Theatre Association to apply to perform at the International Fringe Festival in Edinburgh, Scotland. Given to few high schools annually, this honor is offered to those programs that continually raise the standard for high school theatre.

The fall comedy, **Good 'N' Plenty**, played to large houses in late October and filled the stage with much humor. This zany new comedy by Minneapolis native, Jeffrey Hatcher, premiered at the Illusion Theatre in Minneapolis only last fall and is so fresh that it has not even been published yet. Featuring the playwright's own high school experiences, memorable characters cause an experiential classroom project with Good and Plenty candies to spin into a disastrously funny catastrophe. Played on two brightly colored twenty-foot revolving stages, and involving a cast and crew of 100 students, the blend of physical slapstick and situational humor sent audiences out the door still chuckling.

With a fresh concept, **Godspell** brought to life in early December the journey of thirty-one believers as they travel toward a sense of community. Set on a post-apocalyptic stage, this risky new venture pushed the envelope on this familiar favorite and brought both performers and audience members to emotional heights and a fresh understanding of such familiar songs as "Day By Day," "Prepare Ye the Way of the Lord," "Learn Your Lessons Well," "All for the Best," "All Good Gifts," "Turn Back, O Man," and "By My Side." It also offered a crew of forty tremendous challenges in new design, metalwork and stone creation. With each parable organically growing from the previous one, this production was both unique and exciting for audience members.

Now in rehearsal as this year's one act competition play is the new play, **Thirst**. Set in the small rural town of Legion, Oklahoma during the 1930's at the height of both the Dust Bowl and the Great Depression, this play delves into the layers of meaning of the title as the townsfolk thirst for water, for forgiveness, and for truth while one of two visitors to the town is thirsty for the purging of her guilt-ridden heart. The one act play experience provides a cast and crew of twenty students an opportunity to work together to develop an artistic vision. Designed to offer students an opportunity to develop and polish performance skills, design technique, and script analysis, this year's one act challenges students to mix a present plot line with several perceptions of the past. Section prelims will be in the Eastview Performing Arts Center on Tuesday, January 21 beginning at 3:30 PM. Admission to this event is free.

The Eastview musical variety show, **Bravo 2003 "And the Winner Is"** will feature award-winning music from a large diversity of popular music genres. A cast, band, and crew of more than 150 will make this performance a spectacular evening of entertainment. Production dates are May 1, 2, 3, 4, 9, and 10. The box office opens April 24 from 5:00-9:00 PM.

Eastview Community Foundation

www.evcf.org

A special thanks to the Eastview Community Foundation for their continued support of Academics, Arts, and Athletics in the Eastview community.

The Foundation is currently seeking individuals, families, businesses and organizations to provide postsecondary scholarships for 2003 graduating seniors. If you are interested in funding a scholarship or would like more information on the Eastview Community Foundation Scholarship Program, please contact Gail Dougherty at 952-431-5502.

Together we can make a difference.

Spring Fashions Hit the Runway

On Thursday, March 13, the Eastview High School Fashion Merchandising class will present the Sixth Annual Spring Fashion Show in the Performing Arts Center. Students enrolled in Fashion Merchandising are ultimately responsible for all aspects of the show including picking out the clothes, writing the script, designing the set, modeling, and all of the promotional activities that go along with it. The Spring Fashion Show is designed to allow students to apply what they have learned in the classroom to a real-world experience. The show is sure to be a hit, so we hope to see you on March 13 at 7:00 p.m.

Eastview High School Student Council participates in Holiday Giving...

The Eastview High School Student Council set it's goal at \$2100 in cash donations from the EVHS Community in the sixth annual **Toys For Tots**



For Tots drive. Students collected donations at school throughout the two-week collection period, at various home sporting events and at all **Godspell** performances. The students went on a huge shopping spree at local stores, where they purchased hundreds of toys for children of all ages.

Another time-honored holiday tradition that took place at Eastview in December was the **Giving Tree** collection. Students donated new mittens, hats, gloves and scarves for distribution to local shelters. Their goal was set at 1600 items to be given to a variety of shelters in the Dakta County area.

At press time, they were well on their way to reaching the high goals they set. Way to go, Eastview community!

Have breakfast with your friends....at school!!!

Breakfast Options at EVHS - 7:00-7:25 a.m.

School Store - Cash Only

Pop Tarts
Bagged Muffins
Bagels
Packaged Mini Donuts
Juice (16 oz.)
Granola Bars
Fruit Bars



* Food Service - Cash or Lunch Acct.

Milk (8 oz./12 oz.)
Breakfast Sandwiches (assorted)
French Toast Sticks
Fresh Cinnamon Rolls
Croissants
Cereal (assorted)
Sausage
Bacon
Juice (6oz./12 oz.)
Eggs
Fresh Fruit



**Students receiving free and reduced lunches are also eligible to receive a free or reduced breakfast through Food Service.*

TEAM RECORDS AND TEAM GPA's ALL LAKE CONFERENCE STUDENT-ATHLETES

The many individual participants who have been recognized by coaches in the Lake Conference for their achievements in the athletic arena this fall. The Lake Conference honored 23 all-conference student-athletes and 23 honorable mention student-athletes from EVHS for their excellence.

ALL-LAKE CONFERENCE STUDENT-ATHLETES, TEAM RECORDS AND TEAM GPA'S

GIRLS' TENNIS

(8-1 Conference, 2nd place, 21-2 Overall, 3.74 Team GPA)

Justine Allen (11), Lisa Nguyen (10),
Dawn Olsen (9), Meghan Williams (8)

GIRLS' SOCCER

(5-2-2 Conference, 3rd-Tied, 15-4-3 Overall, 3.56 Team GPA)

Caroline Wertis (12), Amber Cambridge (12),
Amy Quist (12), Katie Bierlein (12)

BOYS' SOCCER

(5-4 Conference, 5th place, 10-6-2 Overall, 3.45 Team GPA)

Jon Hinke (12), Scott Polansky (12)

GIRLS' CROSS COUNTRY

(2-7 Conference, 8th place, 59-81 Overall, 3.78 GPA)

BOYS' CROSS COUNTRY

(8-1 Conference, 2nd place, 80-12 Overall, 3.78 Team GPA)

Andy Larsen (12), Chris Kantos (11), Andy Bocchi (10)

VOLLEYBALL

(3-6 Conference, 7th place, 16-12 Overall, 3.70 Team GPA)

Nicole Delahanty (12)

FOOTBALL

(6-2 Conference, 2nd place-Tied, 10-3 Overall, 3.40 Team GPA)

John Shevlin (12), Jim Colvin (12), James Voyles (12),
Andy Casey (12), Pat Sommerstad (11), Eric Yuen (11)

GIRLS' SWIMMING AND DIVING

(4-4 Conference and Overall, 6th place, 3.61 Team GPA)

Jamie Howard (12), Michelle Garnsey (12), Kaitlin Marko (11)

ExCEL Award Nominees

Congratulations to juniors **Alex Gioe** and **Ishanaa Rambachan** for being nominated by Eastview High School for the ExCEL (Excellence in Community, Education and Leadership) Award. ExCEL is a unique recognition program designed exclusively for Minnesota high school juniors. Students who are active in school, who demonstrate leadership qualities, and who are model citizens in their community are nominated by their schoolteachers and coaches.

Alex has excelled in athletics and the arts at Eastview High School. He is a member of the Basketball and Baseball Teams and was a varsity letter winner in Baseball as a sophomore. He also plays alto saxophone in various bands at Eastview including Symphonic, Jazz, Marching, and Pep Band. **Alex** serves as Photography and Entertainment Editor for the Lightning Press. He has been published in *Voices*, Eastview's Literary Arts Magazine, and is serving on the Editorial Board this year. **Alex** is a three-year member of the "A" honor role, has earned academic letters, and is a member of the National Honor Society. As a sophomore he was one of five students from Eastview selected to attend the University of Minnesota's Northern Stars Leadership Conference. In addition, he was selected to represent Eastview at the Hugh O'Brian Youth (HOBY) Leadership conference. He currently is serving as Vice-President of the HOBY Alumni Association and will serve as President-elect next year.

Ishanaa has excelled in the arts at Eastview High School. She is currently serving as captain of the Debate Team where as a freshman she placed sixth at the State Tournament and as a sophomore was named State Champion and All Conference. As a freshman on the Speech Team, **Ishanaa** was first alternate to Nationals and last year took ninth in Extemporaneous Speaking at the National Tournament. She has also been active on the Student Council where she was elected as an Executive Member this year. **Ishanaa** has been a reporter for Eastview's Lightning Press and this year is its Front Page Editor. She also had a letter published in the May/June 2002 issue of *Foreign Policy*. **Ishanaa** is a three-year member of the "A" honor role, has earned academic letters, and is a member of the National Honor Society. In addition, she is active in the community through membership at the Minnesota Hindu Temple, volunteer work at Fairview Ridges Hospital, and membership in the Youth Community Council.

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Where to go to see Lightning Student-Athletes in Action:

Boys' Swimming and Diving
Boys' and Girls' Hockey
Gymnastics
Basketball and Wrestling
Figure Skating
Dance Team
Alpine Skiing & Nordic Skiing
Adapted Floor Hockey

Falcon Ridge Middle School
Apple Valley Sports Center or Hayes Community Center
EVHS North Auxiliary Gymnasium
EVHS Main Gymnasium
Apple Valley Sports Center
EVHS Main Gymnasium
Check your schedules for locations
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We welcome your attendance at our games this winter. Please enter EVHS through the west doors and use the lower gym entrance for basketball games, gymnastics meets and wrestling meets. For swimming and diving enter FRMS through the south doors.

Special Recognition for Student Athletes



Congratulations to:

The **girls' soccer team** for winning the Section 6AA Championship. They defeated the Eden Prairie Eagles in a shootout 1-0 which qualified them for the quarterfinal round of the MSHSL Soccer Tournament. The team played the Lakeville Panthers at Irondale High School to a hard fought 1-0 loss. They were coached by Mr. **Len Bierlein** and Ms. **Erin Shaw**.

Senior soccer players **Caroline Wertis** and **Amber Cambridge** for being named to the Minnesota Soccer Coaches Association All-State Team. Amber was also named All-State by the Pioneer Press. They were also invited to play in the Senior Classic Soccer game in the Metrodome on Wednesday, November 13.

Senior soccer players **Amy Quist**, and **Jenny Michuda**, for being named to the US Bank MSHSL All-State Tournament Team.

Our **girls' swimmers and divers** for their 4th finish in the Section 3AA meet.

Senior swimmer **Jamie Howard**, for winning the section championship in the 200 individual medley. The team is coached by **Mr. Mark Tollefson**, **Mr. Eric Vogen** and **Ms. Jessica Ubl**.

The **girls swimming and diving** team for their 8th place finish at the State Swim Meet at the University of Minnesota November 14, 15, and 16. The **200 medley relay team** of **Leslie Strobel, 9**, **Michelle Garnsey, 12**, **Jamie Howard, 12**, and **Danielle Rux, 10**, were state runner-ups. **Katlin Marko, 11**, was 10th in the 200 Freestyle and 6th in the 500 Freestyle, **Howard** was a state runner-up in the 200 Individual Medley and 9th in the 100 Freestyle, **Garnsey**, was 9th in the 100 Breaststroke and the **200 freestyle relay team** of **Howard, Rux, Emily Viau, 12** and **Marko** finished 8th. Every competitor earned all state honors.

The **football team** for winning the Section 1AAAAA championship. They defeated Rochester Mayo for the championship, 21-0 in the championship game. They then defeated the White Bear Lake Bears in the state quarterfinals and then played in the semifinal game in the Metrodome with the Champlin Park Rebels. The team is coached by **Mr. Kelly Sherwin**, **Mr. Shannon Humbert**, **Mr. Eric VandeBerg**, **Mr. Todd Beach**, and **Mr. Tyler Krebs**.

To senior football player **John Shevlin** for being named to Randy Shaver's KARE 11 All Metro team, the Star Tribune All Metro Team, the AP All-State Team, Pioneer Press All State Team and the Minnesota Vikings All-State Team.

Eric Engstrom, 10, and **Matt Simmons, 9**, for winning the competing in the MSHSL State Tournament for **POHI Adapted Soccer**. The Dakota United Hawks finished fourth in the tournament held at Stillwater Area High School on Friday and Saturday, November 8 and 9. The team is a cooperative

team of the high schools in Dakota County and is coached by **Ms. Ladonna Michaud**.

Seniors **Chris Kantos, 11**, and **Andy Larsen, 12**, for competing in the state cross country meet at St. Olaf College on November 2. Chris finished 24th and earned All-State recognition. Andy finished 41st. Chris and Andy are coached by **Mr. Tom Sharp** and **Mr. Nick Mattox**.

The Eastview intramural football league. The league consisted of 91 boys and girls. They played 6 games and 3 playoff games. The Gators won the league championship. The league was coordinated by **Mr. Mark Groebner**.

The Eastview intramural badminton league. The league consisted of 64 boys and girls competing in four divisions. **Lars Martinson, 11**, was the boys' single championship. **Tim Hartung, 12**, and **Jon Jukuri, 12** were the boys' double champions. **Hieu Trinh, 12**, was the girls' singles champion and **Trinh** and **Kim Kantos, 12**, were the girls' doubles champions. The league was coordinated by **Mr. Freddie Berberena** and **Ms. Debbie Peterson**.

Check out the Lake Conference Website

All schedules for conference activities are listed on this site. Please visit this site to get the most accurate game schedules, maps to competition locations, or ticket price information.

You can visit this site at:

www.lakeconference.org

or by visiting the Eastview website at:

www.district196.org/evhs

Winter Sports Schedule Posters are in

Our new winter sports season schedule cards and posters are available in the athletic office. Please stop by to get your own copy of the schedules.

JANUARY

- 1 No School - Winter Break
- 6 8th Grade Parent Registration Meeting
- 8 Registration Materials Distributed/Advisory Day
- 9 Perspectives on Parenting: "Been There and Should Have Done That - Reflections on Planning For College and First Year of College by EVHS Graduates", 7:00 p.m.
- 10 Parking Permit Applications for Semester 2 due to Attendance Office by 3:00 p.m.
- 10 School Dance, 8:00-11:00 p.m.
- 13 Winter Band Concerts, 6:30 and 8:00 p.m.
- 15 Career Center Open, 4:00-8:00 p.m.
- 20 Martin Luther King Day, No School
- 21-23... Parking Permit Pickup, 11:00-12:30 p.m.
- 23 End of Quarter 2
- 24 No School for Students
- 25 Winter Dance Show, 7:30 p.m.
- 25 SAT Test
- 27 First Day of Quarter 3
- 28-29... Basic Standards Test/MN Comprehensive Assessment - Grade 10 - Written Composition

FEBRUARY

- 3 Jazz Band Concert, 7:00 p.m.
- 4-5 BST Reading Test
- 6-7 BST Math Test
- 7 Quarter 2 Report Cards sent home with students
- 7 Quarter 2 Incomplete Deadline
- 7 Quarter 3 Pass/No Credit Deadline
- 8 ACT Test
- 10 PAK Meeting, 6:00-7:00 p.m., FRMS
- 10 Perspectives on Parenting: "Parental Influences on Teenage Sexuality", 7:00 p.m. FRMS
- 13 Perspectives on Parenting: "Understanding the Maze of College Financial Aid", 7:00 p.m.
- 13-14... State One Act Play Competition at St. Kate's
- 14 Pepfest
- 15 Winterfest Dance, 8:00 - 11:30 p.m.
- 17 No School - President's Day
- 19 Career Center Open, 4:00-8:00 p.m.
- 22 EVHS hosts Speech Tournament

MARCH

- 3 Site Council Meeting, 7:00 p.m.
- 3 Quarter 3 Progress Reports sent home with students
- 6 Parent/Teacher Conferences, 5:00-9:00 p.m.
- 6 Perspectives on Parenting: "NCAA Clearinghouse Information", 7:00 p.m., East Commons
- 7 No School for Students
- 10 Masterworks Vocal Concerts, 6:00 and 8:00 p.m.
- 13 Spring Fashion Show, 7:00 p.m., PAC
- 15 School Dance, 8:00-11:00 p.m.
- 17 Spring Band Concerts, 6:30 and 7:30 p.m.
- 18 Perspectives on Parenting: "Managing Your Teenage Driver", 7:00 p.m., EVHS Media Center
- 18 Percussion Ensemble Concert, 7:00 p.m.
- 19 Career Center Open, 4:00-8:00 p.m.
- 28 End of Quarter 3
- 31 First Day of Quarter 4

January 28, 2003

Late Start for Juniors and Seniors

The Minnesota Basic Standards Writing Test will be given on the mandated state test date, Tuesday January 28th. The test will be given to all 10th graders and a few 11th and 12th grade students who have not taken or passed the writing test.

- **ALL JUNIORS AND SENIORS** not taking the test will report to school at 9:15 a.m. and begin the school day with their 3rd period class at 9:25 a.m. (There will be a 10 minute transition period between 2nd and 3rd period from 9:15 a.m. to 9:25 a.m.) **Students arriving before 9:15 a.m. will be placed in a supervised study hall in the commons. Students will not be allowed to go to their lockers or the academic wing before 9:15 a.m.**
- Any student in grades 11 or 12 who plans to take the test that day will report to school at the designated testing site at the normal 7:30 a.m. school start time. More information will be provided through the guidance office.

Bus transportation will be provided on the regular schedule. **Students who do not take the bus at the regular time, are responsible for their own late start transportation.**

- **10th GRADE STUDENTS** will report to their designated test site at 7:30 a.m. The test is scheduled for periods 1 and 2. This is not a timed test, though most students will complete the test in approximately ninety minutes. Students who have completed the test will return to their 3rd hour class. Students who have not completed the test will be allowed additional time.

More information and designated test sites will be communicated to students through their English or Social Studies teacher. Specific student test site location information will also be posted.

- **9th GRADE STUDENTS** will report to their 1st hour class at the regular 7:30 a.m. start time. Students will follow their regular schedule. Your classroom teachers may communicate some room adjustment to you.

If you have questions please contact the EVHS Guidance Office at (952) 431-8914.

Prom Date Correction

The correct date for Eastview's Prom is **Saturday, May 31, 2003** at the First Trust Center in St. Paul. This is a correction from the Saturday, May 24 date that is printed in the Calendar/Guidebook. Please make this change in your copy of the Eastview High School Calendar/Guidebook.