
HIGH POINT HIGHLIGHTS - AN INSIDE LOOK

September 15, 2003

STUDENT RECOGNITION:

- High Point's Engineering Design Team placed fourth out of 180 teams at the National Technology Student Association Competitive Events and Conference in Orlando. The team designed a Kids Meal Holder that attaches to a mini van arm rest. The team of **LB**, **Kelsey Ayers** and **Christine DeMaria** also placed second in the New Jersey competition for their solution to an engineering design problem.

ATHLETICS:

- To kickoff the fall season, a Pep Relay was held on Friday afternoon, September 12.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT:

- **Laurie Kusma** attended the National Down Syndrome Convention August 22 - 24, 2003.
- **Karen Kozlowski** attended the American Association of Teachers of French Conference in Martinique, West Indies, July 2 - 9, 2003.

STAFF RECOGNITION:

- Welcome new staff: Erik Carlson - Social Studies, Warren Ceurvels - Interim Business Administrator, Christine Duffin - Physical Education, Patricia Duncan - Chemistry, April Ficke - Special Education Classroom Aide, Brian Gallagher - Physical Education, Michele Grajewski - Coordinator of Guidance, Karen Jackson - P/T Registered Nurse - Special Services. Michael Kaplan, English, Noah Klimas - English, Lara Lovette - Biology, Christopher Mahon - English, Lisabeth Mahon - Biology, Ann Marie Longobardi - P/T Registered Nurse - Special Services, James Matsakis - Mathematics, Dan Muller - Industrial Technology, Jill Retz - Mathematics, Jonathan Tallamy - Social Studies, Mark Veltri - Special Education, Beth Walton - Guidance, Pam Weber - P/T Nurse's Office.
- **Lance Sorchik** has been invited to the Art Educators of New Jersey's Honor Breakfast at the annual conference this October. Invited teachers are being recognized for their consistent promotion of quality art education in New Jersey.
- **Mark Wallace** will be making a presentation on Technology, Applied and Practical Programs at High Point Regional, to the Branchville Rotary on October 10, 2003.
- **Mark Wallace** and **Brian Drelick** are writing an Energy Grant which is due to First Energy (JCP&L) by October 1, 2003, for \$500.

MEDIA RECOGNITION:

- New Jersey Sunday Herald, Scholarship Winners
- New Jersey Sunday Herald, Beat of a different drum
- Advertiser-News North, June 12, 2003, Schools team up in pursuit of \$300,000 in grant money
- The New Jersey Herald, June 17, 2003, Area's best carded impressive rounds - **Hardy**
- Advertiser-News North, June 19, 2003, Local pianists to play at Carnegie Hall
- The New Jersey Herald, June 20, 2003, New Jersey Herald All-Area Baseball
- Advertiser-News North, June 26, 2003, More spring sports all stars from Straus Newspapers
- The New Jersey Herald, All-Area squad provided thrills on the diamond - **Pollak**
- The New Jersey Herald, 2003 New Jersey Herald All-Area Softball
- New Jersey Sunday Herald, June 29, 2003, **Gary Dutko** High Point H.S. Girls Track Coach of the Year
- New Jersey Sunday Herald, June 29, 2003, 2003 Track & Field All-Area
- New Jersey Sunday Herald, June 29, 2003, High Point receives honor

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- New Jersey Sunday Herald, June 29, 2003, Two juniors lead this year's All-Area - **Clausen**
- The New Jersey Herald, June 30, 2003, News from High Point Regional High School
- The New Jersey Herald, July 7, 2003, High Point receives honor
- Advertiser-News North, July 10, 2003, Spring sports honor roll
- New Jersey Sunday Herald, July 13, 2003, Rotary honorees
- The New Jersey Herald, July 14, 2003, High Point wins first place at Academic Team competition
- Advertiser-News North, July 24, 2003, Straus Newspapers' spring sports honor roll
- New Jersey Sunday Herald, August 3, 2003, Sussex Rolls - **Costello**
- Advertiser-News North, August 7, 2003, Miss Wantage
- The New Jersey Herald, September 11, 2003, High Point

CURRICULUM AND PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT (WHAT'S NEWS AND NOTEWORTHY):

- **High Point Regional High School** Engineering Technology Department 's participation and recent partnership with Schoor DePalma have earned Schoor DePalma an Industry Partnership Award from The College of New Jersey's Non Traditional Gender Program.
- The following colleges will be presenting programs on choices beyond high school to our Business classes: Citone Institute on October 10, Chubb Institute of Technology on October 16, and Berkeley College on October 27.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Staff Meeting, September 24, 2003
- Student Cabinet, Period 5, September 25, 2003
- Supervisors' Meeting, October 1, 2003
- Back-to-School Night, October 2, 2003
- HSPA Testing, October 7, 8, and 9 - Makeup Testing, October 14, 15 and 16
- Regional Inservice, October 13, 2003
- Staff Meeting, October 15, 2003