

## A MESSAGE FROM MR. ROTHER

It is with excitement that I welcome all of you to another outstanding year at Chandler High School. Chandler High School is the School of Champions, and this is true both in the classroom, in our extra-curricular programs and on the athletic field. Chandler High is an "A" label school by the Arizona Department of Education and last year earned recognition as one of the most challenging high schools in the United States as ranked by *The Washington Post*. Our graduating class (Class of 2014) earned over 31.5 million dollars in scholarships to universities across the world. In addition, Chandler High was home to individual State Champions in Wrestling, Swimming, Girls Track, DECA and FFA as well as our Girls Track Team who won its 9<sup>th</sup> consecutive State Title. Although the 2013-14 school year was one of the best in school history, we're looking forward to an even better 2014-15!

This is truly shaping up to be a special year at Chandler High as we celebrate our 100<sup>th</sup> year and continue the tradition of excellence. Throughout the year we have celebrations planned to highlight this milestone in Chandler's history, starting with an all class reunion the weekend of September 26<sup>th</sup>. Chandler High School has come a very long way since 1914 when we opened our doors to 19 students. This year we are home to over 3100 students, with nearly 30% of our students attending Chandler High by choice on open enrollment, which ranks #1 for high schools in the Chandler Unified School District. We are proud to lead CUSD as the high school of choice and we are glad that you have chosen to make Chandler the high school for your child.



# **WINNING WOLVES**

Congratulations to the CHS Wrestling Wolves who had outstanding performances at the Western Regionals in Pocatello. Michael Reyes went 6-0 on the Arizona Freestyle Dual Team, Lain Gober took 5<sup>th</sup> place in Freestyle, and Quincy Reece took 2<sup>nd</sup> in Folkstyle and 6<sup>th</sup> in Freestyle.

Congratulations to Mr. Eric Richardson, who as a result of his outstanding achievements and contributions to athletics, has been selected for induction into the 11<sup>th</sup> class of the Chandler Sports Hall of Fame! The Chandler Sports Hall of Fame Committee is excited and proud to add Coach Richardson, coach of the nine-time Girls Track State Champions, to the exceptional list of athletes, coaches, and teams who have represented Chandler.



In June, the Chandler FFA Parliamentary Procedure Team was declared the winner at the AZ FFA State Leadership Conference Career Development Event at the University of Arizona in Tucson. The team consists of Rylie Lewis, Lisa Kendall, Sabrina Bryant, Max Espina, Taylor Bird and Dhylan Patel. The team was coached by Chandler FFA Advisor Matt Lewis and volunteer Allison Tucker. The Wolves will represent Arizona at the National Parliamentary Procedure Career Development Competition in Louisville, KY in October.



The CHS Treblemakers entered a video competition for young women's choruses, sponsored by Sweet Adelines International. The age limit for the contest is 25 and younger. The average age for the Treblemakers was 17. They sang two barbershop contest songs and were judged the winners of the competition. This is the second year of this contest and the Treblemakers placed first both years. Congratulations, ladies!!

Ky Westbrook, 2014 CHS Graduate, was named Gatorade's 2013-2014 High School Girls Track and Field Athlete of the Year. Ky is a two-time winner of this prestigious award. Click <u>here</u> for the official press release. Congratulations, Ky!



#### LINK CREW WELCOMES NEW FRESHMEN

On Friday, July 18<sup>th</sup>, the 100<sup>th</sup> graduating class of Chandler HS, the Class of 2018, attended Freshman Orientation. The freshmen participated in games, met the administrators, attended small group sessions, and were given a tour of the campus. Freshman Orientation was led by Link Crew. Link Crew is comprised of 80 juniors and seniors who are leaders on campus and work hard to make our new Wolves feel welcome at Chandler High.







#### **SAVE THE DATES**

<u>Thursday, July 31<sup>st</sup> @ 6:00 p.m.</u>: CHS Parents' Open House- Please plan on attending the Opening Meeting in the CCA to meet administrators and counselors and hear an overview of the numerous programs CHS has to offer.

Tuesday, August 12th: Underclassmen yearbook photos will be taken through English classes.

Thursday, August 14th: CHS Club Fair during second hour

#### **DUAL ENROLLMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

Chandler High offers Dual Enrollment classes enabling students to earn college credit while taking high school classes and completing many university general studies requirements. Visit <a href="https://www.cgc.edu/dual">www.cgc.edu/dual</a> and (1) create your MEID number; (2) apply to Chandler-Gilbert Community College; (3) and take the Accuplacer test. CHS will administer the Accuplacer test July 28-31 (3-4p.m.) in the library and is offering a Parent Night (July 28 & 29) in the library from 5-7 p.m. to walk families through the Dual Enrollment process.

Students and parents interested in finding out more information regarding Dual Enrollment should contact the counseling department at 480-812-7706 and ask to speak with your student's counselor.

### **2014-2015 YEARBOOK**

If you forgot to purchase a yearbook at WOLF Registration Days, the time is ticking for you to buy the 2014-15 Chandler High School Yearbook at the REDUCED price of \$50.00. You have approximately 6 weeks before the price increases to \$60.00. Go online to buy a yearbook at jostensyearbooks.com or pay in the CHS Bookstore. Buy NOW before the price increases.



Back-to-school shopping brings in TRIPLE points for the month of July. Shop at Chandler Fashion Square or San Tan Mall, and visit the Customer Service desk to record your receipts. You can also turn your receipts in to Mrs. Koziol, CHS Receptionist, in the front office. It takes just minutes to record receipts and all receipts are returned. Tell them the points are for Chandler High School. Shopping includes restaurants, movie theatres and stores.