

Purple & Gold

Math Team Scores a Big Win!

The newly formed UDHS Math Team had a great first season in the Math Madness Competition. They defeated Mount Paran Christian Academy of Kennesaw, GA in Round 7 with a score of 20 to 2, then finished their season with a win against PA Leadership Charter School with a score of 13-4! Top scorers were *Chris Dwyer* and *Vince Tran*.



UDHS students visit Lankenau Surgery

Students observed laparoscopic cholecystectomy (gallbladder surgery) at Lankenau Hospital on December 14. The students were amazed and grateful for the opportunity and a few students expressed that they now have an interest in becoming a surgeon.



World Affairs Council

Upper Darby Students participated in the 2018 World Affairs Council- International Student Summit at Temple University Fox School of Business on 12/11/18. Left to Right: Vik Russell, Michael Solomou, Luke Finley, Danny McBride, Carlo Constantine, Ummayh Siddiqua

Rotary Students of the Month

Congratulations to Jude Mathew and Moselle James who were honored for their service to their school and community at this month's Rotary Club Meeting. Pictured are November's honorees, Tom Geiger and Sumaya Ahmed.



Homecoming Festivities

A new Homecoming King and Queen were crowned in November, Nate Sizemore and Yema Tucker are our new King and Queen.

The staff faculty Basketball team beat Haverford during Homecoming week. This was the first win in many years and were lead by Coaches Bob Miller and Mike Lavetsky.



The always competitive Powder Puff game ended in an amicable tie 12-12 for the senior and junior girls.

National English Honor Society

On November 20th the Royal Oak Chapter of the National English Honor society inducted 76 new members, and honored 55 senior members. Students in Accelerated and Honors/AP English courses are invited to apply for membership each spring. Accepted students must maintain a 85% average in all courses, with a 90% average in all English courses, and complete at least three service projects. NEHS students volunteer in the UDSD community. Within



the high school, NEHS students run the Writing Lab during all lunches, where they help their peers with writing assignments. The chapter is also involved in a Community Reading program at the Municipal Library of Upper Darby and holds an annual book drive each spring in cooperation with CHOP Reach Out and Read program. Congratulations to all of the inductees!

DECA Competes at Districts!

Forty students participated in the District 9 DECA competition and out of around 500 students, 9 of our students placed. This is the largest and most competitive district and all of the members worked extremely hard.

Congratulations to our winners!

Sarah Ibrahim- 1st place in Food Marketing

Allison Billie- 1st place in Apparel and Accessories marketing

Brandon Van Bach and Duncan McConnell- 2nd place in Buying and Merchandising Team Decision Making

Amir Sumpter- 3rd place in Principles of Marketing

Haley Keller- 3rd place in Principles of Hospitality and Tourism

Skylar McCullough, Sreelakshmi Kuriakot, and Haley Campbell were also all finalists.

College-Bound!

Cabrini University visited Upper Darby High School on December 9th for an Instant Decision Day. Students met with admission representatives from Cabrini and 11 seniors were accepted into the university on the spot! Congratulations!



UDHS Steps into DHMS

The high school step team traveled to Drexel Hill Middle School to mentor the middle school's newly formed step team. The middle schoolers received some valuable advice from the high school steppers.



District Chorus

On November 17th, 14 UD students went to Rustin HS to compete/audition for PMEA District Chorus. UDHS placed nine students! Tom Geiger and Christine Kelley lead the way with two first place finishes.



Athletics

Royal Athlete

Congratulations to this month's Royal athlete, Kareem McAdams. Kareem is only a junior, but is one of the top three rushers in school history. He was named to the Offensive All-Delco First Team at running back!



Cheerleaders get bid to Nationals

Congratulations to the Varsity cheerleaders who recently won regionals and are once again headed to Walt Disney World to compete for the coveted white jackets at Nationals in February. The JV team also received their bid. Best of luck!



Wrestling opened with a win at the Haverford Duals. The team went 5-0 with a young team and brought home the first place trophy!



Congratulations to our fall athletes recognized as All-Delco & All-Central

Name	Sport	All-Delco	All-Central
Alex Cueva	Boys Soccer	Honorable mention	Second Team
Allison Ascareggi	Volleyball		Honorable Mention
Andy Dang	Football		Second Team
Brylan Brown	Football	Honorable mention- d back	Honorable Mention
Delva Jean-Baptiste, Jr.	Football	second - defense	Honorable Mention- Offense/Second Team- Defense
Denize Cisco	Girls Cross Country	Honorable mention	Second Team
Dezhan Peterson	Football	Honorable mention - d line	Second Team
Eric Miller	Football		Honorable Mention
Gabriella Liberio	Girls Soccer	honorable mention	Second Team
James Tuayemie	Football	honorable mention	
Kareem McAdams	Football	First Team	First Team
Karen Ung	Girls Tennis		Honorable Mention
Kyreese Dennis	Football	Honorable mention - o line	Honorable Mention
Lionel Kone	Boys Soccer	Honorable mention	
Majid Kawa	Boys Soccer	Honorable mention	Honorable Mention
Maria Ngam	Field Hockey		Honorable Mention
Marie Smith	Field Hockey		Honorable Mention
Marson Weh	Football	second - defense	Second Team- offense & Defense
Megan Cook	Girls Cross Country	First Team	First Team
Paula Gongar	Girls Tennis		Honorable Mention
Nick Fargalia	Football		Honorable Mention
Phil Nmah	Boys Soccer	Honorable mention	Honorable Mention
Rylee Shanahan	Volleyball	Honorable mention	Honorable Mention
Sheikh Sirleaf	Boys Soccer	Honorable mention	