

FWHS & FLHS COLLEGE ADMISSIONS PANEL

THURSDAY JANUARY 9, 2014

7:00 P.M. FAIRFIELD LUDLOWE AUDITORIUM

A panel of four experienced college admissions officers will discuss how various colleges go about the process of selecting their students for admission to their schools. Each will give a ten minute overview of their institution and discuss how they review applications, the criteria they believe are important, and how they make their final selections to build a class each year.

The four schools represent a very diverse group of colleges. The presenters have experiences at a number of colleges and varied backgrounds. Their comments—while specific to their individual schools—will also give parents and students an insight into admissions at similar schools and the entire application and admissions process.

After their presentations they will answer questions from parents and students.

Our Panel:

Benjamin Baum
Associate Director of Admissions
Tufts University

Sharon Brennan
Assistant Director of Admissions
Stony Brook University

Kerrie Mills Landa
Assistant Director of Admissions
University of Connecticut System

Ann Fleming Brown
Director of Admissions
Union College

The evening will be informative and valuable for juniors and their parents as well as underclassmen and their parents: it is never too early to start thinking about post high school plans. Please join us.

JUNIOR POST HIGH SCHOOL PLANNING KICK-OFF PROGRAM

The School Counseling Dept. at FWHS will hold it's annual post high school planning kick-off program on ***Friday, January 10th, 2014 from 7:30-8:30 AM***. Juniors and their parent/guardians are invited to attend. We will provide an overview of the college selection and application process, by House. Be sure to arrive early and follow signs to your House location.

9TH GRADE PARENT PROGRAM

On ***Wednesday, January 8th, 2014 from 7:30 to 8:30 AM***, the School Counselors would like to invite you to join us for our **9th Grade Parent Program**. This program will provide you with important information as we end the first semester of freshman year and also gives you an opportunity to meet your student's Counselor. Topics include: exams, an overview of upcoming course selection process, academic resources, Family Connection, Infinite Campus, website resources, communication with teachers, and a review of the developmental counseling services provided to all students at FWHS.

Check in will take place from 7:15-7:30 AM in the front lobby where you will be directed to your House program location. We hope you will join us for this valuable program.