



# RARITAN HIGH SCHOOL

*Home of the Rockets*

February 2019 Newsletter

Rocket News

**ROCKET NATION**

**A Message from the Principal**

February 2019

Dear Parent/Guardian:

The New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA) will be administered to all students at Raritan High School who are completing English 9, 10, 11 and who are completing Algebra 1, Geometry or Algebra 2.

Your child will be involved in testing on the following dates:

Course	Regular Administration	Make-Up Administration
English 9, 10 and 11	May 20 – 21, 2019	May 22 - June 7, 2019
Algebra I, Geometry and Algebra II	May 22- 23, 2019	May 24 and May 28, 2019
Grade 11 New Jersey Student Learning Assessment – Science	May 29 – 30, 2019	May 31, 2019

**Students who are not currently taking the courses listed above are permitted to arrive to school up until 9:00 a.m. Upon arrival, they must report to the cafeteria and remain until testing has been completed. Transportation will not be provided at this time.**

Thank you for your continued cooperation. Our teachers and students have been working very hard during the school year. Together we can help your child be confident and well prepared. If you have any questions, please contact the building principal.

Sincerely,

*Heather A. Schwarz*

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Director of Curriculum, Instruction and Testing

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**NEW JERSEY SCIENCE LEAGUE**

The Science League started off the season strong with wins in 4 categories at the first regional meet of the season at Middletown High School North on January 10th 2019. Amanda Stevenson and Sean Lane lead the Biology team to a 2nd place finish with high scores. Clariss Jacob, Brittney Nguyen and Jimmy Zhou led the AP Biology team to a 1st place finish. James Simone posted the highest score of the meet in AP Chemistry and lead the team to a 2nd place finish. Emily Zembricki captured the highest score of the meet and with the help of Evan Lander came in 1st place for Environmental Science. All other members posted competitive scores and had a good time testing their academic prowess; interacting with students from other schools and enjoying refreshments.

The Science League will now prepare for the next meet of the season on February 14th. Please visit the NJ Science Website for updated scores, prep exams and visit the Google Classroom page for announcements.

**Go Rocket Science!**



## **JANUARY**

Maranda Glancy and Nick Torres

Maranda is completely committed to her studies in AP English Language. Her skills steadily grow in this challenging class as her work both in and outside of class deepens in breadth and depth. She is completely polite and considerate to all. She stays accountable for all of her work when she missed class and is always open to suggestions. She is a pleasure to have as a student.

Joe has demonstrated quality work and leadership abilities in and out of the classroom. Joe works well with others in group activities and also is polite and respectful towards his classmates and employees at our job sites during the week. Joe is a hard worker, listens well, and continues to want to improve each day.

**CONGRATULATIONS MARANDA AND NICK**



# Hazlet Recreation Summer Jobs

Need a summer job? Hazlet Recreation is now accepting applications for the Swim club and Summer camp. Deadline to apply is February 28, 2019.

- Camp counselor
- Games and Activity specialists
- Arts and Craft specialist
- Assistant Camp director
- Shift swim club managers
- Camp Snack stand manager
- Camp and swim club office staff
- Life guards
- Pool operations staff

Applications are available at [www.hazletwp.org/Recreation](http://www.hazletwp.org/Recreation).

Summer camp counselors must be 18 or graduate high school by June 2019.

Swim club staff must be 15 years old by April 1, 2019. Lifeguard certification required by the start of employment. Uniform and certification reimbursement if minimum hours are met. Detailed information will be discussed during the interview process.

Call 732-217-8683 for additional information.

Join our team and make a difference!