Skyline Eagle News

February 2016

Counseling Center	**385-646-5421**	**Main Office**	**385-646-5420**
Attendance Office	**385-646-5433**	**www.schools.graniteschools.org/skylinehigh/**	
Registrar	**385-646-6809**	**www.skylinehighptsa.org**	

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES

Wednesday, February 10 and Thursday, February 11
4:30-7:30 p.m.

Principal's Message:

On Tuesday, March 1, all Skyline Juniors (and all Juniors across the state) will be taking the ACT Test. Test results will be used as a means to assess college and career readiness. This test is also used for college admissions across the United States.

The state of Utah is paying for this test, plus an online study program called Shmoop, an excellent program that includes practice tests and drills. There are free study modules available for each area of the ACT test. I went through a literature module and found it helpful. You can access Shmoop at: www.shmoop.com/utah.

To set up a student account, go to the bottom half of the webpage, locate Skyline, then create your account. When it asks for the "magic" word, enter the word ARCHES.

On the state-wide testing date, Skyline will operate on a special bell schedule. Juniors should arrive at 7:25 a.m. and report directly to their assigned testing rooms. Attendance on test day is critical as each school is required to test a minimum of 95% of their junior class, so please plan accordingly. Also, please ensure that your student gets adequate rest and a good breakfast prior to arriving on test day.

Sophomores and Seniors will not arrive until noon on the testing day. However, Senior and Sophomore students attending Granite Technical Institute classes will board their buses at the normal times.

Junior students will be completing preparatory ACT paperwork on Tuesday, February 23. They should arrive at 7:25 a.m. and go directly to their assigned testing rooms where they will fill out required basic information and take an ACT interest inventory. Senior and Sophomore students should not arrive until 9:00 a.m. on this day, and our bell schedule will be altered. However, GTI buses will board at the normal times for Seniors and Sophomores.

If you have questions or are looking for additional information, please contact our testing coordinator, Rob Scott, by email at rscott@graniteschools.org or by phone at 385-646-5423.

Sincerely,
Doug Bingham, Principal

EARLY ENROLLMENT SPECIAL PERMITS

- Required for new students (including current 9th graders), who are living outside of Skyline's attendance boundaries, and want to attend Skyline High School next year.
- Accepted on first-come first-served basis until February 19, 2016.
- Approval based on available space.
- $5.00 processing fee must accompany the application.
- Questions? Call 385-646-5420.

ARE YOU READY FOR THE ACT TEST?

Visit the Shmoop website to find practice tests, drills for weak spots, reviews and more!

Once students create their personal Shmoop account they will be able to access practice exams, hundreds of drills, and guides to all of the topics that will be on the exams. Each practice problem comes with in-depth explanations and even projected exam scores to help your student prepare for the big day.

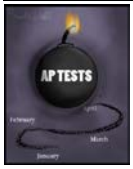
- http://www.shmoop.com/utah/
- Click on the school name from the A-Z menu
- Magic Word: ARCHES (all caps)
- Create a student account
- Click on "Test Prep Passes" in your profile page to navigate to the ACT Prep on Shmoop
- Diagnostic Exam
- Shmoop's Student Dashboard displays real time student progress
- Multiple full-length practice exams to get the full-length experience
- 1000+ vocabulary words and flashcards
- Hundreds of topic specific test prep drills that immediately project the score, along with a thorough explanation of how to solve the problems
- Track, review, and improve your scores

Attendance Reporting – (385) 646-5433

- Skyline does not accept written excuse notes from parents. Students who leave without a street pass will not be excused.
- You must call all absences in on the day of the absence on the attendance phone line by 2:00 p.m. Please have student number available.
- No absence will be retroactively excused after three days. Medical excuse notes from a doctor must be submitted within three days. Fax: 385-646-5422.

Parents should check the parent portal often for any errors. Students should talk directly to their teacher if they feel they were incorrectly marked absent.

2016 AP Testing



AP testing will be conducted at Skyline May 2-13. Please sign up and pay for these tests at the bookstore (before school, during lunch or immediately after school) between February 1-19. The cost is $92.00 per test. Tests may also be purchased with a credit card at the Skyline webstore: www.payskyline.us.

ACT Test Preparation Schedule–Feb. 23, 2016

7:15 am	Senior and sophomore students report to GTI bus as usual.
7:30-8:55 am	All juniors bubble in the ACT answer sheets.
8:55 am	First Bell (ALL STUDENTS)
9:00-10:05 am	First Period-1A (65 minutes)
10:10-11:15 am	Second Period-2A (65 minutes)
11:15-11:50 am	Lunch (35 minutes)
11:55 am-1:00 pm	Third Period-3A (65 minutes)
1:05 pm-2:10 pm	Fourth Period-4A (65 minutes)

Contact Rob Scott, by email at rscott@graniteschools.org or by phone at 385-646-5423.

ACT Test Schedule – Mar. 1, 2016

7:15 am	GTI buses will operate on a normal schedule for senior and sophomore students in the morning. (An additional GTI bus will leave Skyline at 11:40 a.m. to take afternoon junior students to the GTI).
7:25 am	All junior students should arrive at school prepared to take the ACT Test.
11:35 am	ACT Test ends – Dismiss for lunch Note: GTI Bus will arrive at school with the morning sophomore and senior GTI students. Returning senior and sophomore students should report to the Media Center.
11:40-11:50 am	GTI bus leaves with junior GTI students. (These students need to bring sack lunches).
12:10 pm	Lunch ends (35 minutes)
12:15-12:40 pm	First Period-1B (25 minutes)
12:45-1:10 pm	Second Period-2B (25 minutes)
1:15-1:40 pm	Third Period-3B (25 minutes)
1:45-2:10 pm	Fourth Period-4B (25 minutes)

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Come to the library and participate in our February activities

February is Black History month, Chinese New Year is February 8, Valentine's Day is February 14, and Presidents' Day is February 15. We will be doing different things to celebrate each of these important February events.

Calendar Notes:

- February 5 — Midterm
- February 6 — Sweetheart's Dance
- February 10/11 — P/T Conferences, 4:30-7:30 pm
- February 12 — Comp. Day, No School
- February 15 — Presidents' Day, No School
- February 18 — Hunger Banquet-Camp Tracy 6 pm
- February 18-20 — Urinetown & Drama Showcase 7pm
- February 22 — Urinetown & Drama Showcase 7pm
- February 25-26 — Urinetown & Drama Showcase 7pm
- March 1 — ACT Test for Juniors
- March 11 — WAMA Dance
- March 23 — End of Third Term
- March 24 — No School - Students
- March 25 — Spring Break, No School
- March 28 — No School
- March 29 — "Snow Day" – No School
- April 23 — Prom 7pm
- May 27 — Last Day of School & Graduation

Digital Books on OverDrive

Do you like to read but hate lugging a ton of weight around? There are digital versions of books (eBooks & audio books) available for Skyline students to check out on the Granite School District OverDrive system. (https://graniteut.libraryreserve.com/10/45/en/SignIn.htm?url=Default.htm) (Log-in using your computer log-in.) You can access these digital versions on any device at any time, wherever you are. These books automatically return themselves so there are never any late fees. There are hundreds of titles available! Ask the library staff for details and help.

Counselor Calendar

- February 1-19: AP Test Registration at Skyline Bookstore or www.payskyline.us the cost is $92.00 per test.
- February 1-2: Current 9th Graders registration for Skyline at Wasatch.
- February 4-5: Current 9th Graders registration for Skyline at Churchill
- February 5th: Last Day to register for March 5th SAT.
- February 6th: ACT Test
- February 16th: FAFSA Completion Night 5-8 PM in media Center.
- March 1: School wide ACT for 11th grade students.
- March 3: Registration for Window Permit Students and new students who have not received a registration card in the Media Center at 6:00 PM.
- March 5: SAT

We know education pays!
Now let education pay YOU!

(What do you need to take to qualify for the Regents' Scholarship?)

With registration around the corner, we encourage our sophomores and juniors to think about planning their schedules in accordance with the requirements for the Regents' Scholarship, an excellent scholarship opportunity for students planning to attend an in-state post-secondary institution. To learn more about the requirements for this excellent scholarship, go to http://www.stepuputah.com/regentsscholarship. Below is a brief outline of the required courses and possible award packages. You work so hard -- why not take advantage of this excellent scholarship opportunity?

Regents' Scholarship Requirements

4 credits of English
4 progressive credits of Math
3.5 credits of Social Science
3 credits of Science (Biology, Chemistry & Physics)
2 progressive credits of the same Foreign Language

Base Award:

A maximum award of $1,000 (one time award) if you have a 3.0 GPA, have taken the ACT, and have no individual grade lower than a "C" on your transcript in a required core class.

Exemplary Award:

A maximum award of $1250 per semester (renewable for 4 semesters) if you have a cumulative 3.5 GPA, an ACT score of 26, and have no individual grade lower than a "B" in a required core class on your transcript. In addition to this, you will also be eligible to receive the $1,000 one-time Base Award.

PTSA Reflections Winners

School Winners Forwarded to Council Level:

Kaylara Benfield	Visual Arts
Suzi Creveling	Photography
Zane Dunham	Photography
Lauren Furst	Literature
Lauren Furst	Photography
Skylee Hansen	Visual Arts
Shalini Kasera	Literature
Annika Machado	Literature
Sierra Swan	Photography

Council Winners Forwarded to Region Level:

Kaylara Benfield, Annika Machado and Sierra Swan

Skyline High School Announces New Head Football Coach

Salt Lake City, Utah – Skyline High School has hired Zac Erekson as their new Head Football Coach. The new head coach grew up in Springville, Utah. After graduating from Springville High School, Coach Erekson played football for Dixie State College and for Brigham Young University where he earned a bachelor's degree. He then went on to earn a master's degree in Athletic Administration.

Coach Erekson has an extensive coaching background that includes his current position as Offensive Coordinator at Roosevelt High School in Lubbock, Texas, and previous appointments as Defensive Backs Coach, Receivers Coach, and Quarterback Coach. Wherever Coach Erekson has gone, he has left a legacy of strong relationships with players and community members. He is enthusiastic and excited about returning to Utah as the Head Football Coach at Skyline High School. After accepting the position at Skyline, Coach Erekson said "My family and I view this as THE destination, not a stop along the way. This is my dream job, to lead the football program at a school that has great community support along with great kids, amazing faculty, and a wonderful administration!"

Skyline High School is excited to welcome Zac Erekson to Skyline High School as the Head Football Coach along with his wife Julie, daughter Elizabeth, and sons Zac and Caz.

Graduation

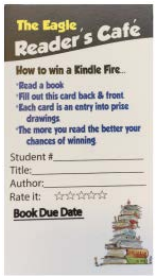
May 27, 2016

1:00 p.m.

Huntsman Center

The Eagle Reader's Café

Skyline Media Center's theme this year is "The Eagle Reader's Café." Join us as we highlight various books on our menu of delicious reading. We hope to whet your reading pallet with menu items such as:



Old Favorites: those oldies but goodies
Main Dishes: fiction
Ala Carte: books that stand alone
To Go Menu: Overdrive e-books and audiobooks
Monthly Specials: try something new
Lite Menu: books under 120 pages

Each time you check out a book you will receive a due date card. When you finish the book fill out the front and back of the card and return it to the media center. Each card is an entry into our monthly drawings and the final drawing at the end of the year for a Kindle Fire. The more you read the more chances you have to win.

Community of Caring Upcoming Events

Community of Caring Up-Coming Events:

- ♥ Feb. 2: 400 Sandwiches, 2:15 p.m. C of C Room 112
- ♥ Feb. 4: Road Home Playroom, 5:15 p.m. East Circle
- ♥ Feb. 5: Heroes Assembly, 8:45 a.m.
- ♥ Feb. 8: Utah Food Bank, 2:15 p.m.
- ♥ Feb. 18: HUNGER BANQUET, 6:00 p.m., at Camp Tracy Lodge. Proceeds going to Nepalese Rotary, tickets are $5.00 each. Pay at the Bookstore.
- ♥ Feb. 26: Teen Forum, 11:15 a.m., C of C Room 112

All students are invited to participate in these activities. For more information, stop by the Community of Caring Room 112 on a B day or contact Mrs. Jensen at amjensen1@graniteschools.org.

Counseling Center

Junior Parents/Caregivers: Now that we have completed our small group CCRP (College and Career Planning) meetings in the Career Center, please call the Counseling Center if you would like to schedule an individual College and Career Planning Meeting with your counselor and student. Please call the Counseling Center (385-646-5421) between 7:30 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. to make an appointment.

Work-Based Learning

Here are some events in which students may participate. Students should see Mrs. Brooks in room 151 if they have questions or want to sign up for any of these upcoming career events:

Feb. 2-4 STEMFEST (South Town Expo)
Feb. 23 Aerospace Industry Tour
Feb. 23 Future Doctors
Mar. 5 GIRLS STEM Expanding your Horizons
Mar. 8 Healthcare Career Day
Mar. 11 SHETECH Girls in Technology
Mar. 17 DigiForge (tech & digital)
Mar. 29 Future Doctors
Apr. 7 Health and Wellness guest speaker
Apr. 20 Skyline Job Fair
Apr. 26 Future Doctors
Apr. 30 Aviation Career Day

We also offer internships!!

Career Center

On January 20 we began our annual presentation to Junior students. The emphasis of this presentation is graduation progress plus College and Career readiness. Each student was given a "Junior Guide Book." This book was compiled by the school counselors and is full of very important information for juniors to help them with scholarship and college preparation. We highly encourage parents and students to read through the information in this guide book.

We are also distributing the ASVAB test results to Junior students. The ASVAB is an aptitude test which helps students understand their strengths and weaknesses in 11 different categories. This understanding of aptitude may be used to help students make class and career choices.

On March 1 we will be administering the ACT test to all Junior students. The ACT test is the preferred college entrance test by all colleges and universities in Utah. This test will be given at no cost to the students. We will be sending out more information as we get closer to the date.

As always, we welcome your comments and questions.

Rob Scott (Coordinator), Samantha Heder (Admin. Assistant), and Susanne Brooks (Work Based Learning)
rscott@graniteschools.org, skheder@graniteschools.org, smbrooks@graniteschools.org 385-646-5423

Graphics

The Graphics program began the year with some new upgrades to the lab: a new 8-color screen press; two 4-color screen presses; and two tabletop 4-color screen presses used for printing t-shirts. Two new spray booths were also added along with an exposure unit. Another wonderful addition was a 19" dye sublimation printer which allows students to print onto a variety of substrates including: t-shirts, flip-flops, dog tags, socks and many other cool products.

Intro students continue to learn Adobe Illustrator, Photoshop & InDesign. They started with creating a coloring and activity page that was bound into an Activity Book for the Skyline Preschool kids. Graphics students also learned about raster and vector images and created a vinyl sticker. An original 16-page, full-colored book was a hit as students wrote, illustrated and printed this product. The "One-of-a-Kind" shirt project is up next as students prepare their own design and produce a t-shirt using the screen printing method.

The Advanced class has done a variety of production work including the t-shirts for several elementary school programs, full colored banners for the wrestling team, and dye sublimation socks and shirts.

This program provides real world business experience that is simulated by students earning Graphics dollars rather than a point system for their grades.

With registration coming up, consider taking the first year Intro to Graphics class, the second year Advanced Graphics course, or the third year Advanced Graphics course. Students will gain a quality learning experience from Graphics. Best of all, the course adds fun to the learning process.

College credit can be earned for this course.

Tryout/Audition Dates

- Cheer: Mar. 7-11. Mandatory parent / cheerleader meeting Wed. 2/24, 6:00 p.m. – SHS Media Center. Stunt Clinic Mar. 1 & 3, 3:30-5:30 p.m. – Cheer Room. Coach Trimmer, strimmer@graniteschools.org.
- Choir: Mar. 14-18 2:30-5:30 p.m. Sign-ups begin Feb. 1 on door of R. 202. Mr. Gundersen - jgundersen@graniteschools.org.
- Cross Country: Jun. 6, 7:00 a.m. Meet at east parking lot at Skyline. Coach Porter, tporter@graniteschools.org.
- Dance Company: Mar. 15-17, 3:00-6:00 p.m., Dance Room. Parent / Student meeting Mar. 14, 3:30 p.m. – SHS Media Center. Ms. Brown, mbrown@graniteschools.org.
- Football: Parent meeting to be announced, more information to come.
- Golf (Boys): First week of Aug. at Mtn. Dell. Contact Coach Barlow at cbarlow@graniteschools.org for details.
- Instrumental Music: Mar. 14 & 16-18, 2:30-4:00 p.m. Sign-ups begin Feb. 29 on door of Room 201. Mr. Larson, alarson2@graniteschools.org.
- Newspaper Staff: Apply with Mr. Moore, R. 120, by Friday, Feb. 19, Mr. Moore, dmoore@graniteschools.org.
- Soccer (Boys): Mar. 2, 3:00 p.m. on the SHS Soccer Field. Parent / player meeting, Wed., Feb. 3, 6:30 p.m. – SHS Media Center. Coach Kennedy skennedy@graniteschools.org
- Soccer (Girls): Aug. 1-4, 8:00-10:00 a.m. & 6:00-8:00 p.m. Parent Meeting May 10, 8:00 p.m. – SHS Media Center. Coach Castillo, yam.sue.cast@gmail.com.
- Softball: Mar. 2-3, 3:00 p.m. @ SHS Softball Field. Parent & Player Meeting TBA. Coach Lovato - (801) 815-2663 or lovapa@aol.com.
- Tennis (Girls): Aug. 1-3, 9:00 a.m.-noon, SHS Tennis Courts. Coach Schmauch, skylinetennisteam@gmail.com.
- Volleyball: Aug. 15-17, 8:30-11:00 a.m., Auxiliary Gym. Coach Hutchins, jlhutchins@graniteschools.org.

For updates and more details, you may check the school calendar at http://schools.graniteschools.org/skylinehigh/.

Skyline Boys Soccer

SKYLINE SOCCER

4A State Champions
2014 & 2015

Players interested in Skyline Boys Soccer are welcome to join us for workouts and open gym on Tuesdays and Fridays in February 2:30-4:30. Tryouts will be held March 2 on the soccer field beginning at 3:00 p.m. Every player must go online and fill out the required paperwork through "Register My Athlete," which can be found under the Athletics tab of the schools website.

The player/parent meeting will be held on Wednesday, Feb. 3 at 6:30 p.m. in the Skyline Media Center.

For more details regarding the calendar and program go to: http://skylineboyssoccer.wikispac-es.com/Home+of+the+Skyline+Eagles.

Coach Kennedy can be reached at: skennedy@graniteschools.org.

Skyline Softball

Open gym:
February 8, 7:00-9:00 p.m.
February 22, 7:00-9:00 p.m.
February 29, 7:00-9:00 p.m.

Tryouts will be March 2 & 3 at 3:00 p.m. at the Skyline softball field.

Please be sure to fill out all of the information on "registermyathlete.com" prior to tryouts. You MUST have this paperwork completed at tryouts. No exceptions.

For more information please contact Coach Paul Lovato at 801-815-2663.

Skyline Drama's upcoming production of *Urinetown* opens on Thursday, February 18, on the Skyline Auditorium stage! The show plays Feb 18, 19, 20, 22, 25, and 26 at 7:00pm. Tickets are $9 for adults, and $7 for students. In addition to *Urinetown*, each performance will also feature a 30-minute showcase of Skyline's Region Drama Team! Tickets are available right now at http://www.ticketpeak.com/skylinedrama (Online credit card orders are subject to a $0.50 service fee per ticket, and box office credit card orders are subject to a $1.00 service fee per ticket.) Get your tickets right away, because this show WILL sell out!

Winner of three Tony Awards, three Outer Critic's Circle Awards, two Lucille Lortel Awards, and two Obie Awards, *Urinetown* is a hilarious musical satire of the legal system, capitalism, social irresponsibility, populism, bureaucracy, corporate mismanagement, municipal politics and musical theatre itself! Hilariously funny and touchingly honest, *Urinetown* provides a fresh perspective of one of America's greatest art forms.

In a Gotham-like city, a terrible water shortage, caused by a 20-year drought, has led to a government-enforced ban on private toilets. The citizens must use public amenities, regulated by a single malevolent company that profits by charging admission for one of humanity's most basic needs. Amid the people, a hero decides he's had enough, and plans a revolution to lead them all to freedom!

Inspired by the works of Bertolt Brecht and Kurt Weill, Urinetown is an irreverently humorous satire in which no one is safe from scrutiny. Praised for reinvigorating the very notion of what a musical could be, *Urinetown* catapults the "comedic romp" into the new millennium with its outrageous perspective, wickedly modern wit, and sustained ability to produce gales of unbridled laughter.

IMPORTANT: Please be sure to arrive at least 10 minutes early to ensure you get a seat! If you are not in your seat 5 minutes before curtain, you may lose your seat! If a performance sells out, unclaimed seats WILL be sold to guests on the waiting list! Late guests will NOT be admitted! In the event that you lose your seat, we MAY be able to provide you with replacement tickets to a future performance, but refunds will NOT be available at the box office!

Debate/Speech

Our Speech/Debate team has had incredible success this year and have represented Skyline well!

AWARDS FOR 2015-16

Loyola HS, CA Tournament September 11-13

- Everest Fang- Double-Octo Finalist Lincoln Douglas Debate
- **Yale Invitational September 19-20**
- Max Cline- Finalist Congressional Debate (Semifinals TOC Bid)

California State University-Long Beach National Tournament September 26-27

- Max Cline-8th Place Open Congress

Beehive Bonanza-University of Utah October 9-10

- Max Cline-4th Place Open Congress
- Max Cline- 2nd Place Open Extemporaneous Speaking (TOC Bid)
- Zo Kronberg- 5th Place Open Congress
- Chris Defreitas-4th Open Impromptu
- Lydia Duan-1st Place Original Oratory (TOC Bid)
- Emi Radetich-6th Place Novice Original Oratory
- Gabe Smith-Semifinalist Novice Original Oratory
- Howard Ying and Megan Zeng-Quarterfinalists Novice Policy
- Oliver Flatt- Octofinalist Novice Lincoln-Douglas

Hunter Haunting October 23-24

- Emi Radetich- 1st Place Novice Original Oratory
- Emi Radetich- 2nd Place Novice Lincoln-Douglas Debate
- Emi Radetich- 2nd Place Novice LD Speaker
- Siddhant Devaru-6th Place Novice Original Oratory
- Siddhant Devaru- 5th Place Speaker, Policy
- Gabe Smith- 4th Place Speaker, Policy
- Jacob Valero-3rd Place Novice Lincoln-Douglas Debate
- Jacob Valero- 4th Place Novice LD Speaker
- Oliver Flatt-8th Place Novice LD Speaker
- Angela Pollack-3rd Place Open LD Speaker
- Abrill Toulier- 4th Place Novice Congressional Debate
- Hyrum Veach- 4th Place Novice Congress
- Marta Hubbard- 7th Place Open US Extemp
- Lydia Duan- 4th Place Open Original Oratory
- Zo Kronberg: 2nd Place Open Congress
- Ava Johnson: 2nd Place Novice Congress
- Aarushi: 3rd Place Public Forum Speaker
- Cathleen Z.: 3rd Place Varsity Impromptu

Debate/Speech (continued)

- SKYLINE DEBATE: 7th Place Sweepstakes out of 25 schools

Granite District Novice Cyprus HS November 3rd

- Cole Griffiths- 3rd Place Congressional Debate
- Ava Johnson- 2nd Place Congressional Debate
- Siddhant Devaru and Tajia Killinger- 2nd Place Policy Debate
- Gabe Smith and Andy Sudarmadi- 1st Place Policy Debate
- Alyssa Fu- 2nd Place Lincoln-Douglas Debate

Speech Arts Debate

- **Skyline 2nd Place Sweepstakes**
- 1st LD Everest Fang
- 2nd LD Emi Radetich
- 2nd Public Forum Mohith Reppale/Alexei Garcia
- Quarterfinalists Kaitlyn Smith/Chris DeFrietas
- 2nd Congress Zo Kronburg
- 3rd Congress Max Cline
- **Juan Diego Silver and Blue November 20-21**
- Skyline High School-2nd Place 4A Sweeptakes
- Gabe Smith- 2nd Place Novice Original Oratory
- Kanishka Ragula-1st Place Novice National Extemp
- Kanishka Ragula- Finalist Novice Foreign Extemp
- Cathleen Zhang- Semifinalist Open Impromptu
- Cahleen Zhang 1st Place Open Declamation
- Cathleen Zhang- 5th Place Open Triathalon
- Chris De Freitas- 1st Place Open Impromptu
- Chris De Freitas-1st Place Open Informative Speaking
- Chris De Freitas- 1st Place Open SPAR
- Chris De Freitas-1st Place Open Triathalon
- Max Cline- 4th Open Impromptu
- Max Cline- 2nd Place Open National Extemp
- Max Cline- 1st Place Open Foreign Extemp
- Max Cline- Semifinalist Open SPAR
- Max Cline- 6th Place Open Triathalon
- Lydia Duan- 2nd Place Open Original Oratory
- Emi Radetich- Semifinalist Novice SPAR
- Emi Radetich- 2nd Novice Storytelling
- Emi Radetich- 5th Novice Speaking Eagle Triathalon
- Zo Kronberg-2nd Place Open Congress

Ursa Major Copper Hills HS

- Max Cline- 1st Place Varsity International Extemp
- Max Cline- 2nd Place Varsity National Extemp
- Max Cline- 2nd Place Varsity SPAR
- Max Cline- 2nd Place Open Triathalon
- SPEECH ARTS TOURNAMENT:
- SKYLINE TOOK OVERALL SWEEPSTAKES!! We beat 2nd place by 17 points!!!
- There were 4 categories for sweepstakes: Overall, Limited Prep, Oratory, and Interps.
- *We also took Limited Prep Sweepstakes!
- 2nd in Oratory Sweeps
- 4th in Interp Sweeps

INDIVIDUAL AWARDS:

- FX: 1st Championship Max Cline
- 3rd Varsity Vikrant Ragula
- 2nd JV Alexei Garcia
- 1st Novice Kanishka Ragula
- NX: 3rd Championship Marta Hubbard
- 3rd Varsity Ava Johnson
- 1st JV Mohith Reppale
- 3rd Novice Cole Griffiths
- Impromptu: 4th Championship Chris De Freitas
- 1st Varsity Gabe Zhavarov
- 4th JV Cathleen Zhang
- Oratory: 4th Championship Lydia Duan
- 4th JV Jacob Valero
- 2nd Novice Gabe Smith
- Prose Poetry: 1st Kaitlyn Smith
- 4th Novice Abrill Toulier
- Humorous Interp 2nd JV Olivia Smith Driggs
- Dramatic Interp: 3rd Connie Zhou

Copper Classic

- Marta Hubbard-3rd Place Varsity National Extemp
- Emi Radetich-2nd Place Novice Original Oratory
- Ava Johnson-1st Place Congress
- **UVU/ Marie Clegg Tournament**
- Max Cline-1st Place Impromptu Speaking
- Max Cline-1st Place Foreign Extemp
- Cathleen Zhang-2nd Place Foreign Extemp
- Cathleen Zhang-Quarterfinalist Impromptu Speaking
- Jacob Valero- Semifinalist Original Oratory (NIETOC bid!)
- Mohith Reppale and Alexei Garcia-1st Place Public Forum
- Chris De Freitas-4th Place Public Forum Speaker Award

Congratulations to Max Cline, who was nominated to attend an Oxbridge Academic program in the summer, which hosts programs at Cambridge, Oxford, Harvard Law, Columbia, and many other strong European universities. Max was nominated at part of the National Speech and Debate All American Team, which is essentially the top 25 people in the nation based on their NSDA points.

Skyline High Community Council
Minutes of 1/14/16 Meeting

In Attendance:
Emily Allison, Nancy Ballard, Doug Bingham, Ian Collison, Ben Horsley, Jami Hutchins, Kim Lovato, Kim Paulding, Karianne Prince, Matt Wells
Excused:
Edwin Espinel, Joe Pereira

1. Meeting Minutes

    Emily Allison made a motion to approve the minutes of the December 8, 2015 meeting. Karianne Prince seconded the motion. Ian Collison called for a vote and the motion was passed unanimously.

2. Bullying
    a. The 2015 Skyline Bullying Survey was discussed.
    b. It was decided that Skyline's focus should be on making sure that students know what to do if they encounter bullying.
3. Ninth Grade Reconfiguration
    a. Ben Horsley, Director of Communications for Granite School District, attended to give information regarding the reconfiguration process for Granite School District.
        i. A packet of information will be sent out to the Skyline Network community.
        ii. An information meeting has been requested and will be scheduled by Granite School District.
        iii. A study of the Skyline Network community will be conducted.
        iv. Skyline Network Community Councils must then make formal requests for the ninth grade reconfiguration to the Granite School District Board of Education.
    b. Moving the gifted program from Morningside and the negative impact it would have on the Skyline Network and reconfiguration was discussed.
    c. Skyline Network Community Councils may want to meet together and visit other schools and districts in order to view the ninth through twelfth grade model.
4. The next meeting will be held on February 11, 2016.