

UPPER SCHOOL NEWS

August comes to an end tomorrow and wow did it fly by. I have truly enjoyed getting to know the young men and women in the upper school and the amazing faculty and staff that support these students every day.

Important Announcements:

Pep Rally: Tomorrow at 9:50 a.m. Students should show their school spirit and by wearing either orange or blue for the pep rally.

Parent Night: Thank you all who attended on Monday. If you were not able to attend and have questions about any of your student's classes, please email your child's teacher.

Anti-Bullying Week August 27th – **31st:** We are focusing on a positive school environment this week. We took an anonymous survey on Poll Everywhere and students were given the opportunity to meet and greet each other in all grades during morning assembly.

Class Rings: Your son or daughter met with the representative from Herff Jones this week to hear information regarding ordering class rings. The representative will return during lunch on Friday, August 31, to pick up ring orders. A deposit of \$60.00 is required to place an order at that time. Please contact Katie Houseman if you have further questions or concerns, <u>khouseman@valwood.org</u> or 229-585-9233.

Fall sports are off to a strong start, see the athletic update in the Valwood View.

Thanks for all your support and assistance! GO VALIANTS! Dr. Steve Hankla Upper School Dean