Dear Resident/Alumnus (a):

The past five years have been a time of unprecedented growth at North Attleboro High School. As alumni, we recognize that an education from North Attleboro High School is a gateway to opportunity. North students continue to benefit from an exceptional educational experience that is both career shaping and life changing.

There is no better way to continue North Attleboro's tradition of creating opportunity than by making a gift to the North Attleboro High School Alumni Association. The Association provides immediate support for one of the school's most important priorities—technology--because we realize that



technology is no longer a luxury, but a necessity. We are happy to announce that the high school is now 100% WiFi, and the School Department is introducing the "Bring Your Own Device" initiative this year in order to accommodate the rapidly evolving nature of education; however, not all of our students have the technology to enable them to take advantage of this new reality.

- Our goal is for every student to have access to a laptop so they can take full advantage of its wireless capability.
- The current reality at NAHS is that students only have access to a limited number of school owned portable devices during the times that they are in class. The "Bring Your Own Device" initiative aims to integrate portable devices into actual classroom curriculum, enhancing lessons for both students and teachers.

A quality education like the one our students deserve, and that North Attleboro Teachers are dedicated to deliver, requires considerable resources. That's why your generosity to North Attleboro High School is essential. The amount you give does not matter as much as giving back to your community, and brightening the future for countless students to come. Alumni support is a key indicator of a strong school system and sends a positive message to the students, showing them that they have a North Attleboro family even after graduation.

Please join us in improving the education for thousands of present and future students through your generosity.

Sincerely yours,

Thomas Pirri '02 – President

Sakshi Wadhwa ('15), NAHS Alumni Association – Junior Intern

Amanda Dean '05 – Fundraising Chairwoman

David Simonds ('15), NAHS Alumni Association -- Junior Intern

# Create Opportunity: Give to the North Attleboro High School Alumni Association today. □ Enclosed is my check for \$ \_\_\_\_\_\_ North Attleboro High School Giving Societies □ Charge my credit card \$ \_\_\_\_\_\_ NA Contributor's Club \$1 - \$49 one time only. Rocket Club \$50 - \$99 □ I will donate online at www.nahsalumni.org Principal's Society \$100 or more □ Please send me a donation receipt. CC Information: On backside

## North Attleboro High School Success Stories

# MCAS – Massachusetts Comprehensive Assessment System

 Awarded Level 1 Status, up from Level II status, where only 24% of schools in the Commonwealth have Level 1 Status, resulting from hard work and collaboration amongst the learning community.

### **Advanced Placements**

- Second year in a row the district has been placed on the College Boards Advance Placement Honor Roll. The following criteria has been met:
  - Simultaneously, achieved increases in access to Advanced Placement courses for a broader number of students and maintained or improved the rate at which AP students earned scores of 3 or higher on an AP exam.
  - o 2014 2015 Academic year AP expansion will include AP Physics and AP European History

# **Bristol County Savings Bank Grant**

• BCSB awarded NAHS with a grant to fund the freshman "Step-Up-Day" which provides incoming freshman an opportunity to familiarize themselves with NAHS as well as meet the faculty.

# **Respectful Learning Environment**

• Three young ladies placed positive quotes on each and every student locker. This story made local and national news.

# **Technological Improvements**

- NAHS was the proud recipient of a \$6M grant for the renovation of the NAHS science labs, the first major upgrade to the school since it was built in 1973. The project was completed in September 2013. NAHS now includes 12 state-of-the-art science labs with new furniture and technology.
- NAHS now has three wireless mobile labs including 30 laptops and a WiFi printer for each. The English, History/Social Studies and Science Departments are the proud recipients of this technology.
- The district is moving to Microsoft Office 365, which will provide the opportunity to access Office Web Apps online.
- The district Libraries are now using the web based version of Follett's Destiny software.

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