Good evening Marauder families,

I hope this email finds you doing well and relaxing after what was an exciting weekend for many of our students. I wanted to extend a shout out to our football team on a fantastic win, our marching band for a great show, our cheerleaders who keep the crowd electrified, and our staff who helped our student council who planned a tremendous pep rally and dance! We had over 970 tickets that were purchased for the dance, which is an all time high.

Even though the busiest week of fall has passed, we still have some events coming up:

- Picture Retake Day is 10/12/16 for all students who didn't have a picture taken for their ID or who would like to get retakes.
- Our first meeting of the CHS Parent Advisory Committee will be 10/19 at 6:00 pm in room 101B. At
  this meeting we will discuss social media strategies for parents in light of the recent events at CHS
  along with other happenings at CHS.
- College Application Week is 10/24 10/28. During this week, many Michigan universities and colleges offer a free or reduced fee on their applications. We will be working to have every student complete at least one application.
- Believe it or not, the end of the first quarter is approaching. This will be 11/4 and you will see the first official grades coming out.
- We will be offering two more courses during the second semester. If your child is interested, please make sure they contact their counselor.
- We have continued our specific work during our late start Mondays. Our staff has used this time to collaborate around MPT Enrichment and Intervention opportunities, research and select strategies to help our students earn the SAT scores they desire to go to the school of their choice, and organize our curriculum into two-week cycles with specific areas of focus. This means that each staff member will be able to intervene when students need it during each cycle and have the support of their teaching team to select the best strategy.

Thanks for taking the time to read this and for sending us the best students around!

Have a great evening,

Jessica Shultz Principal Carlson High School