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Celebrating Social Worker Week

School social worker week was celebrated March 7-11. School social workers are advocates that assist students in reaching their potential by identifying barriers and providing resources. School social workers work with families and students in our district to promote academic and social success.



Teacher of the Year for LP, GBT, SAMS, and DLL

Congratulations to Ms. Heather Neal at Lindley Park, Mrs. Jennifer Brumley at Guy B. Teachey, Ms. Jaime Cope from SAMS, and Ms. Ella Kern from Donna Lee Loflin. Thank you teachers for your dedication and commitment to our students! Keep up the great work ladies!





Information on Transfers

If your child attends Asheboro City Schools from another district, it is now time to contact your home district to apply for a release for next school year. Applications for admission, release, and reassignment for ACS will be available March 1- June 1, 2016. If you have any questions, please contact Tena Lester in the Student Support Services office.

AHS Faculty Scholarship

Faculty and staff Asheboro High School are raising money to support the 2nd Annual AHS Faculty Scholarship, which will be awarded to a deserving AHS Senior to help them pay for their college education. If you are interested in supporting this scholarship, please email Rachel Gentry, the AHS College Adviser, at rgentry@asheboro.k12.nc.us.

AAEOP Fundraiser

The Asheboro Association of Educational Office Professionals (AAEOP) will be holding a raffle for two \$50 Visa gift cards. This is a fundraiser for the AAEOP Scholarship fund. Tickets are \$1 each or six for \$5. Please see any AAEOP member or your school secretary to purchase tickets. The drawing will be held on Tuesday, April 26.

Hispanic Youth Educational Summit

Approximately 19 Asheboro High School students from the AIM Club participated in the 17th Annual Hispanic Youth Educational Summit last Friday. Students had the opportunity to be involved in workshops and presentations that offered tips and information about how to acquire skills and develop strategies to improve their academic achievement. Presenters also informed students about educational opportunities and school programs at various community colleges and universities in North Carolina. The Summit was sponsored by the North Carolina Society of Hispanic Professionals and was hosted for students in 40 counties acriss the state.

Parent Modules at DLL

DLL parents were super excited to take home strategies to use with their students during Parent Module meeting at the school. This was a great way to get parents engaged in their student's learning.

Wax Museum at Teachey

Third grade students at Teachey Elementary hosted their fourth annual Wax Museum on Friday. Each student in the third grade picked a famous person to research. During the event, students dressed like their subjects and when prompted, gave a brief history of the person's life. At the event, parents and visitors met with famous people like Princess Kate Middleton, Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., and President Theodore "Teddy" Roosevelt.

















Teachey Tiger Fitness

Teachey Tiger Fitness students are preparing for their annual 5K race in May. Students in the third, fourth, and fifth grades are training after school to complete the 5K race together on May 21st.

Corey Comet at Lindley Park

Corey greeted families upon arrival to school and rewarded students that brush their teeth and wash their hands every day!



ACS Students Art Featured in Art Show

Asheboro City and Randolph County Schools partnered last week to host a community event in honor of Youth Art Month at the Moring Arts Center (Randolph Arts Guild) in downtown Asheboro. Students from each elementary, middle, and high school in ACS and RCS were featured in the show. The art will remain in the Moring Arts Center through the end of the month for people to view. Viewing the artwork is free!









NAMS Mustache Fraternity Travels to Raleigh

The NAMS Mustache Fraternity traveled to Raleigh Saturday to volunteer with the NC State sports marketing department to help put on Sunday's game day promotion. It was "Bojangles Day" at the NCSU baseball game and the Mustache boys assisted in handing out gift cards at the gates and welcoming fans to the game. After the game, the group had a campus tour and enjoyed time experiencing the university.







Corey Comet Wellness Tip of the Week

Make Better Food Choices with MyPlate.Gov. If it's there, you'll eat it.

Keep healthy foods in your kitchen that need little preparation. Keep your fridge filled with carrots, apples, oranges, low-fat yogurt, and eggs. Stock up on fresh, canned, or frozen vegetables and fruits, lean meats, canned beans, and tuna or salmon. Find healthier heat-and-eat options to replace heating up a frozen pizza. See more at: http://www.choosemyplate.gov/ten-tips-get-the-facts-to-look-and-feel-better#sthash.dNyHTue7.dpuf

AHS Athletics for This Week

Monday, March 14

4:00 PM Boys Varsity Golf Randleman High School **Home**4:00PM Boys Varsity Tennis Southwestern Randolph High **Away**5:00PM Girls Junior Varsity Soccer Central Davidson High School **Away**6:00 PM Boys Varsity Lacrosse Southern Alamance HS **Home**7:00PM Girls Varsity Soccer Central Davidson High School **Away**

Tuesday, March 15

4:00 PM Coed Varsity Track Asheboro Meet **Home**4:30 PM Boys Junior Varsity Baseball Western Guilford High School **Home**6:00 PM Girls Varsity Softball Western Guilford High School **Away**7:00 PM Boys Varsity Baseball Western Guilford High School **Home**

Wednesday, March 16

4:00PM Boys Varsity Tennis North Forsyth High School Home
4:30 PM Boys Junior Varsity Baseball North Moore High School Away
5:00 PM Girls Varsity Softball Trinity High School Home
5:30 PM Girls Junior Varsity Soccer Reagan High School Away
6:00 PM Girls Varsity Soccer Southern Guilford High School Home
7:00 PM Boys Varsity Baseball North Moore High School Away

Thursday, March 17

4:00 PM Boys Varsity Golf Eastern Randolph High School **Home** 4:00PM Boys Varsity Tennis Ledford Senior High School **Away** 6:00 PM Girls Varsity Soccer Wheatmore High School **Home**

Friday, March 18

5:00PM Boys Varsity Baseball Southwestern Randolph High Away 5:00PM Boys Junior Varsity Baseball Southwestern Randolph High Home 6:00 PM Girls Varsity Softball Southwestern Randolph High Home 7:15 PM Boys Varsity Lacrosse Robert B Glenn High School Away

SAT/ACT Words:

Verbatim: in the exact words: word for word

Theriac: a remedy for all ills. **Palatable:** agreeable to the mind

READING COMPREHENSION:

Babel: a confusion of multiple sounds & voices

Word of the Week:

Rankle: to cause anger, irritation, or deep bitterness

Other Events this Week

Wednesday, March 16 – Administrative Leadership Team meeting in the PDC, starting at 9 a.m.

Thursday, March 17 – The Central District Bandmasters Association (Western site) Music Performance Adjudication event will start in the afternoon and continues through the day on Friday. All concerts are free and open to the public. The Symphonic Wind Ensemble's MPA performance will also be on Thursday and begin at 8:10 p.m.

March Madness Curriculum Night at Lindley Park

Friday, March 18 – The Central District Bandmasters Association (Western site) Music Performance Adjudication event will take place all day and it is free and open to the public. The Wind Symphony's performance will also take place on Friday at 11:15 a.m.

Career Day at McCrary Elementary School.

Saturday, March 19 – The Human Race takes place in the morning and the Booster Club's annual drawdown will take place at AVS at 6 p.m.

In other news...

Our deepest sympathies go out to Tena Lester who lost her brother and Junior Goldston who lost his wife, Sheri Goldston, last week. Please keep these ACS families in your hearts and thoughts.