

# Daniels Magnet Middle School

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## Daniels Magnet Middle School Families,

**Another fantastic week for Daniels Magnet Middle School!**

Daniels chorus students performed their winter concert under the leadership of choral director, Dr. Tice. This was Dr. Tice's first concert at Daniels and we are very excited with the direction the choral program is heading.

Thank you to Broughton High School for hosting our #OldRaleighCup basketball games against Martin. Coach Spicer and Coach Hubbard had their athletes ready to go as we took home two victories.



Good luck to our cheerleaders who will be competing this weekend at Green Level High School. Ms. Wadford has the ladies poised for another title!

We had a great turnout for our Winter Dance. It was nice to see the students get dressed up to showcase their moves in the cafeteria. Ms. Tucker, our student council advisor, and her committee members did a great job organizing the dance.

## St. Baldricks

Team TACKLE (Teachers Against Cancer Killing Little Educatees) is back for year 14. If you are unfamiliar with St. Baldricks, it is an organization that raises money (and awareness) to fight childhood cancer. For more information check out [StBaldricks.org](http://StBaldricks.org). Fourteen years ago a group of teachers formed Team TACKLE. We went several months without haircuts, raised money, and then went downtown to have our heads shaved. Over the years Team TACKLE has impacted hundreds of families and been a part of several schools. Team TACKLE has raised \$165,000 in its existence.

### WAYS TO GET INVOLVED

1. Have your child become a shavee. He or she can grow his or her hair out over the next two months, raise money, and then on Saturday, February 29th go bald to put a stop to childhood cancer.
  - [Register your child to be a shavee](#)
2. Donate. You can give to Team TACKLE members or you can donate to your favorite teacher or possibly principal to help them reach their goal.
  - [Donate here](#)
3. Purchase a shirt [here](#).



Email me at [dgaudet@wcpss.net](mailto:dgaudet@wcpss.net) if you have any additional questions

## Continuing Chinese in High School

Any current 8th grade students taking Mandarin and interested in continuing in high school must apply to a magnet high school to have access to the language. Broughton, Millbrook, Garner, Southeast, and Enloe are all magnet high schools that offer Mandarin.

## New Science Teacher

Mr. Sullivan is joining the Daniels family as our new Tiger Sharks science teacher. For more information on Mr. Sullivan please click [here](#).

## Underwood Winter Carnival 2020

Underwood needs student volunteers to help with set up, run carnival games, take tickets, serve pizza and help out with other activities. If you are looking for community service hours or an Underwood graduate or just want to have some fun and serve [sign-up](#) today!

\* Free food and drink for all volunteers!.

## Benchmark Testing

Wake County has created benchmark tests for language arts and mathematics. All students will take this midterm assessment (happening within the next month). The assessment will not count towards student grades. Test data will be used to assess student progress at the mid-point of the school year and inform instruction for the remainder of the year.

## Update from your 8th Grade Counselor Ms. Rush

<b>Weekly Calendar</b>	
<b>Monday, January 27th</b>	7:30-8:05 AM Basketball
<b>Tuesday, January 28th</b>	3:30-4:30 Model UN Meeting
<b>Wednesday, January 29th</b>	NO SCHOOL - TEACHER WORKDAY
<b>Thursday, January 30th</b>	MAGNET APPLICATION WINDOW CLOSES 3:10-4:00 MathCounts - Room 1210 3:15-4:30 Chess Club - Room 3106 4:00-7:00 Basketball AWAY @ Dillard Drive
<b>Friday, January 31st</b>	7:30-8:05 AM Basketball 3:00-4:30 Robotics Club - Room 2304

**HAVE A WONDERFUL  
WEEKEND!!!**