# **Daniels Magnet Middle School**

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# Daniels Magnet Middle School Families,

Happy Veteran's Day. I hope everyone enjoyed the day off yesterday with loved ones. We wrapped our fall sports season with conference championships for both football and soccer! Next week is the start of basketball tryouts (no rest anymore between seasons). I am happy to announce that we had over 600 students participate in the Honor Roll breakfast celebration (picture on page 2) on Thursday. Next time you are at the school make sure to check out the Media Center, because on Monday it is finally getting its' renovation. Aligning nicely to our magnet, Mr. Roberts will be on-campus Thursday teaching our physical education classes about the globally popular sport of rugby. Finally, next Saturday, the 18th, we will be hosting a campus beautification day from 9:00-12:00. More details will be forthcoming.

## "What Every Tech Healthy Family Needs to Know"

In partnership with the Wake PTA Council, Instructional Technology and Library Media Services is sponsoring a parent event entitled "What Every Tech Healthy Family Needs to Know." As a part of their fall Convergence, our opening keynote speaker, Janell Burley Hofmann (author of *iRules: What Every Tech Healthy Family Needs to Know about Selfies, Sexting, Gaming, and Growing Up*) will speak to parents on November 27th from 6:30-7:30 pm at the McKimmon Center at NCSU. There is limited space and registration is required (http://bit.ly/wcpsstech).

#### **Broughton Fusion Jazz Band/Dance Concert**

On November 19th five of our dancers and our Jazz Band will be participating in Broughton's Fusion Concert. The Concert begins at 3:30 in the auditorium.

Additionally, some of our dancers will be participating in the ABC 11 Holiday Parade! They will performing at 11:45 in front of the ABC 11 studio on Fayetteville Street. I will send out more information as I get it.

#### **Broughton**

Broughton Global Studies
Magnet High School, which
is an International
Baccalaureate World School,
will be hosting several
events for prospective
Broughton base and magnet
students and their families.
On November 15 from 5:30 to
7:30 PM, there will be an
Open House that will
include guided tours of the
building and opportunities
to meet with staff members.



parents, and students. Also, please visit the Broughton website to find more information about upcoming school tours during the school day as well as about the Broughton Global Showcase that will take place from 5:30 to 7:30 on January 17.

#### **Career Fair**

Daniels Magnet Middle School will be hosting a career fair in the spring. Students were issued a career interest survey to determine the professions they had the most interest in exploring. Those professions were: Sports Medicine, Construction, Criminal Investigator, Engineer, Veterinarian, Architect, Doctor, Teacher, Fashion Designer, Lawyer, Marketing Manager, Information Technology, Athletic Trainer, Interior Design, and Scientist. We are looking to cater the presenters based on student interest. All fields within a particular career are encouraged. For Example: If the career is "Lawyer" we would love to have a legal secretary, a paralegal, and a lawyer. If you are interested in presenting please complete this form.

#### Carpool

- Please continue to be considerate of the families and neighbors who live close to Daniels Magnet Middle School by respecting the posted signs.
- MORNING CARPOOL IS STILL WIDE OPEN FROM 7:30-7:45! If you come at this time you can move right through the line.
- When dropping off for morning carpool as soon as you are aligned with the sidewalk, have your child exit. Waiting to get to the door slows down carpool significantly.

#### Signs of Suicide (SOS)

SOS is a research based suicide prevention program geared for middle school students. The main message of the program is to ACT: Acknowledge, Care and Tell. Acknowledge - That you are seeing signs of suicide in friends and that it is serious. Care - Let your friend know that you are worried about him or her, and that you are concerned that he or she needs help you cannot provide. Tell - A responsible adult, wither with your friend or on his or her behalf. Seventh grade students will be bringing home a letter with more information next Friday. The Marlins team will be the first to go through the program,

starting Tuesday, November 7th. Please contact student services with additional questions.

### **Basketball Tryouts**

Basketball tryouts will start Monday, November 13th. All students must have a physical turned in and completed with all dates/signatures filled in prior to a child being able to tryout.

#### Girls

- Monday Thursday 3:10-4:20
- Roster will be determined after Thursday

#### Boys

- 7th Grade Only Monday Tuesday 4:20-5:30
- 8th Grade Only Wednesday Thursday 4:20-5:30
- First cuts will be made after Thursday
- 7th and 8th graders making first cuts will come back Friday 4:20-5:30

Weekly Calendar	
Monday, November 13th	PLEASE SEE BASKETBALL TRYOUT ANNOUNCEMENT ABOVE 3:30-4:30 Leadership Meeting
Tuesday, November 14th	PLEASE SEE BASKETBALL TRYOUT ANNOUNCEMENT ABOVE 3:15-4:30 Chess Club - Room 3106 6:30-8:00 Fall Athletics Banquet - Cafeteria

Wednesday, November 15th	PLEASE SEE BASKETBALL TRYOUT ANNOUNCEMENT ABOVE 3:00-4:15 FCCLA Meeting - Room 3301 3:30-4:30 Friends Club Meeting - Collaboration Room
Thursday, November 16th	PLEASE SEE BASKETBALL TRYOUT ANNOUNCEMENT ABOVE 3:00-4:00 All County Band Clinic - Martin Middle School 3:15-4:00 Battle of the Books - Media Center
Friday, November 17th	PLEASE SEE BASKETBALL TRYOUT ANNOUNCEMENT ABOVE 9:00-4:00 All County Band Clinic - Martin Middle School 3:00-4:30 Robotics Club - Collaboration Room
Saturday, November 18th	9:00-12:00 Campus Beautification

# HAVE A WONDERFUL WEEKEND!!!