

HOLLY GROVE MIDDLE SCHOOL

Parent Bulldog E-Blast

Week of: January 15, 2018

Tracks In Session: Tracks 1, 2 & 3

Track 3: Tracks **Out** at the end of the school day on Friday, January 19th

Track 4: Tracks **IN** on Monday, January 22nd

Track 4 students **TRACK IN** to the following rooms on January 22nd

TEAM 6-4 RED:

Math - Yi	Room 1315
Science - Robinson	Room 1313
Language Arts- TSegool	Room 1316
Social Studies- Beddingfield	Room 1314

TEAM 6-4 BLACK

Math- Greenberg	Room 1305 (return to same room)
Science- VLong	Room 1311 (return to same room)
Language Arts- SSmith	Room 1307 (return to same room)
Social Studies- Henderson	Room 1303 (return to same room)

INCLEMENT WEATHER MAKE UP DAYS: for Tracks 1, 2 & 3 – SATURDAY SCHOOL on:

- January 20th - make up for 1/04/18
- April 7th - make up for 1/05/18

[Saturday School Bell Schedule](#)

HOLIDAY: Monday, January 15th Is a Holiday for students & Staff. **The building will be Closed

BASKETBALL GAME LOCATION CHANGE: Tuesday, September 16th game against West Lake will now be played at Holly Grove due to damage to West Lake's gym floors caused by the winter storm. We invite all Holly Grove families and students to attend the game and hope to have a sell-out crowd.

Please note that because this is considered Lake's home game HGMS All Sports Passes will **not be accepted to get into the game. West Lake Season Pass holders can use their season passes to enter free of charge.

DRAMA AUDITIONS: Auditions for our spring production of "Annie" will be held on January 18 and January 24 from 3:00-4:30 pm in Mrs. Beddingfield's room. Students wishing to audition need to complete the audition form located on the drama club website. Audition materials are also available on the [drama club website](#). Students should come prepared to read from a script and perform a song from the show. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Beddingfield (lbeddingfield@wcpss.net)

THE HGMS "SOUPER" BOWL: Starting Wednesday January 3 until Friday February 2, 2018 Bring in *any* flavor of canned soup to add to the HGMS Pantry and Back Pack Program! *All cans should be UNOPENED and NOT EXPIRED. You may bring in more than one item if you choose to. Please remember to gently place your donations into the collection bin(s) located outside of the office. (HGMS PTSA)

PROJECT LINUS HGMS SERVICE PROJECT: Wed., Feb. 7 from 3:15-4:45 in the Media Center. The Student Council is sponsoring a school-wide service project to benefit Project Linus. Project Linus provides first responders and hospitals with homemade blankets to give to children in crisis situation or children who are hospitalized. On Wed. Feb. 7, we will be making fleece tied blankets in the media center from 3:15 - 4:45. All students are welcome to join us and may sign up using the student link below. Student participants must provide 1 and 1/2 yards of fleece (solid or patterned). Parent volunteers are also needed and may sign up using the parent link below.

Student Project Linus Sign up <https://goo.gl/forms/usnrEi2vH9uXx9ef2>

Parent Project Linus Volunteer Sign up <https://goo.gl/forms/u0x6gAg00SGgJW972>

CAROLINA HURRICANE TICKETS: Want to get rewarded for being active? The Carolina Hurricanes are giving all middle school students the opportunity to earn a free ticket to a game just by logging your physical activity! Check out <http://hurricanes.com/powerplay> and log your daily physical activity for the next 4 weeks to be eligible! Students can use their Wake County ID to log in and keep track of their daily physical activity. 1200 minutes gets a free ticket! See your Healthful Living teacher for more information.

[Power Play School Flyer](#)

CLUB PHOTOS: Club photos for the yearbook will be taken on:

- January 18th – Tracks 2 & 3
- January 25th – Tracks 1 & 4

EARLY RELEASE: Next Early Release Friday, February 9th – All students are dismissed at 12:30. There are NO after school activities on early release.

**All carpool rides must be here by 12:30

HGMS AFTER SCHOOL TUTORING PROGRAM: Do you need extra help with homework? Could you benefit from extra tutoring in English, writing, math, science or social studies?

Then our After School Tutoring Program is what you might be looking for. Tutors are members of the National Honors Society from Holly Springs High School. Your parents must sign you for tutoring. See fliers posted around the building for more information. Tutoring will start Tuesday, October 3 in the media center from 3:00 to 4:30pm

- **Who can attend?** All students (grades 6th thru 8th are eligible to participate in this program). **Students can attend tutoring twice a month.**
- **How many spots available?** Each week we will have 24 tutoring spots available.

- **Tutors:** Members of the National Honors Society from Holly Springs High School. Tutors will provide assistance with homework and subject area content.
- **Location:** HGMS Media center (Students will report directly to the media center after dismissal)
- **Date:** Every Tuesday (Tutoring begins Tuesday, October 3.)
- **Time:** 3:00-4:30 pm
- **Pick-up:** Parents are responsible for making arrangements for their child to be picked up no later than 4:30 p.m.

Direct links to tutoring information:

Tutoring Flier - <https://tinyurl.com/HGMStutoringflier>

Tutoring Sign-up Genius - <https://tinyurl.com/HGMStutor>

Tutoring Permission Form - <https://tinyurl.com/HGMStutoringform>.

EARLY COLLEGE AND MAGNET HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION: Visit [WCPSS Magnet Schools Overview](#) to learn more about these schools and to see the timelines and school showcase dates and times.

- Magnet and Early College Schools Fair is Sat., Nov. 4, 2017 at Southeast Raleigh High School
- Magnet Schools application period is January 10 - 31, 2018

Here Comes The Bus: With the [Here Comes the Bus](#) app both you and your children will know where the bus is. The school code you will need is 67500 (or copy and paste address in browser: <https://herecomesthebus.com/>)

ATHLETICS: Ticket Price (school age and up) is \$5.00

1/16 APEX @ HGMS **home game for APEX MS (HGMS season pass cannot be used)

1/18- HGMS @ Fuquay Varina NC

- Athletic Director: Mr. Zimmerman – nzimmerman2@wcpss.net
- Boys Basketball: Coach Veale – fveale@wcpss.net
- Girls Basketball: Coach J.Smith – jsmith1@wcpss.net

FIELD TRIPS:

- 1/26&1/27- Band/AllDistrictClinic,EChapelHillHS/ParentTranspo/Mr. Capps
- 2/15- Select8thGraders/Meredith&PeaceColleges/ActivityBus/Ms. Dunn
- 2/17- BattleOfTheBooks/ApexFriendshipHS/ParentTranspo/Ms. Murdock
- 2/17- ScienceOlympiad/CampbellUniversity/ParentTranspo/Ms. Schelin
- 3/01- Team6-1/MyrtleBeach/CharterBus/Ms. Price
- 3/16- FirstInFitness6th/SouthEastRaleighHS/ActivityBus/Ms. Eye
- 3/22- Team6-2/MyrtleBeach/CharterBus/Ms. Price
- 3/22-3/23/DawgsLeadership/CharlotteNC/CharterBus/Mr. Tyson
- 4/13- AlphaAcademy/NCCentral/ActivityBus/Ms. Jarrett
- 4/18-4/21- Performing Arts/OrlandoFlorida/CharterBus/Ms. Retseck

2017-2018 REMAINING EARLY RELEASE DATES: All Students are dismissed at 12:30PM.

**There are NO after school activities on early release.

- 2/09/18
- 3/02/17
- 3/29/17

UPCOMING EVENTS:

2/07- Internet Safety Presentation (for Parents)

2/16- School Dance

2/27- HGMS Talent Show

“All Students WILL Succeed”

