



HHMS DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2023



5th GRADE

Thursday is a C day.

Friday is an A day.

Dates to Remember

HHMS Meet the Teacher Night: Tuesday, September 19th from 6:00-8:00

Homecoming Parade Early Release: Friday, September 22nd

Fall Break (No School): October 9th-13th

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. **Homecoming Week HHMS Dress Days –**

- Monday, September 18th – PJ Day
- Tuesday September 19th – Favorite Team/Club/Jersey/Band Day
- Wednesday, September 20th – Hawaiian Day
- Thursday, September 21st – Neon Day
- Friday, September 22nd – Orange and White Day

2. **Trash Bag Fundraiser** - Order forms will come home Tuesday, September 5th and all order forms and money are due on Wednesday, September 20th. Pickup will be on Thursday, October 5th from 2:30-6:00. If you have any questions, please contact Shalyn Garrison (sgarrison@hhschuskies.org)

3. **Book Fair** – We are hosting our first Book Fair of the year from September 21st-28th. Please click [here](#) to visit our book fair website for more information, to put money in an ewallet account, or to order online!

4. **Yearbook Sales** – Yearbooks are on sale for the 2023-2024 school year and will be delivered in May of 2024. To purchase, visit yearbookforever.com and search for Hamilton Height Middle School. The basic cost is \$35, however, extra add-ons are available. Pre-order before winter break! Note; extras may or may not be available in the spring. **New this year:** Share your photos of HHMS students/athletes in action with our yearbook staff to Yearbook Snap on yearbookforever.com. The access code is: hhmsphotos. Email Mrs. Goodman egoodman@hhschuskies.org with questions.

5. **Study Tables** – Study Tables have started! They happen every Tuesday and Thursday from 3:25-5:00. Please plan to wait in the gym until the study tables supervisor directs you to the correct room. You will need to be picked up promptly at 5:00 at Entrance O.

6. **Safe Sitter Classes** – These classes are designed to prepare students in grades 6-8 to be safe when they're home alone, watching younger siblings, or babysitting. Classes are available September 23rd or October 21st from noon to 5:30 pm or November 22nd or December 2nd from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. There is a cost and preregistration is required at least one week in advance. For more information or to register, contact Keith Freer at kfreer@carmel.in.gov or 317-460-5792.

CLUB MEETINGS AND CALL OUTS

1. **7th/8th Art Club Meeting** – Art Club 7/8 will have its first meeting this Thursday, September 14th, from 3:25-5:00. Please attend ONLY if you have submitted your application, been emailed, and added to the Canvas page. Don't forget to bring your club fee!
2. **Pokemon Go Club** – Calling all trainers! Do you want to "catch them all"??? Join the Pokemon Go Club. Stop by the Media Center to pick up a schedule and permission slip. Turn it in ASAP (by Oct 2), so you don't miss one of our awesome hangouts (Cicero Park, Forest Park, Red Bridge Park, etc...)! I See Mrs. B with questions.
3. **Huskies for the Cross (HFC)** – We meet each Friday morning. We typically have a short devotion, prayer, and sometimes donuts (if a parent donates them). There is no sign-up required. See Mrs. B if you have any questions!
4. **Husky Readers Club** – Do you love books and love to read? The Husky Readers Club is for you! Join with other readers in our building to promote reading in our school, community, and world! Applications are available in the Media Center. They are due September 29. See Mrs. B if you have questions.
5. **Spell Bowl Callouts - Calling all SPELLERS!** Please contact Mrs. Combs (kcombs@hhschuskies.org) if you were unable to attend the callout and have any questions.
6. **Builders Club Callouts** –If you need more information, please email Miss Rash (srash@hhschuskies.org) or Miss Wright (swright@hhschuskies.org).
7. **Lego Club Callouts** –Any questions can be directed to Miss Wright (swright@hhschuskies.org).
8. **Drama Club Meetings** – Regular Drama Club meetings have started! All interested 5th and 6th graders will meet every MONDAY in the Band Room during Homeroom and 7th and 8th graders will meet every THURSDAY during Homeroom. If you were not able to attend the callout, feel free to come to a meeting to see what Drama Club is all about!
9. **FFA Callouts** – Any student interested in joining FFA is encouraged to use the QR code below to find out more information. If you would like to see the upcoming schedule of events, please click [this link](#). If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to FFA Sponsor Emilie Carson (ecarson@hhschuskies.org).

Important iPad Reminders

Please remember the following pledges you made to use a school iPad!:

1. I will make sure my iPad is charged every evening and ready for use each day.
2. I will take good care of the device that I use.
 - *iPads must be situated securely on the working surface.
 - *iPads must be in the school issued case and protected at all times.
 - *Make sure the iPad is not subject to careless or malicious damage.
 - *Ensure that the iPad is transported as securely as possible (i.e. not visible in a vehicle; not left unattended in school, etc.)
3. I will never leave the device unattended or in an unsupervised area.
4. I will never remove my device from the case
5. I will never lend my device to others unless directed by the teacher.
6. I will keep food and drinks away from my device.

ATHLETICS

5th grade is able to participate on the following 5 HHMS Athletic teams:
Cross County, Wrestling, Swimming, Golf, Track & Field

Upcoming Athletic Events

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
10 th	11 th	12 th	13 th	14 th *7/8 Volleyball vs. Sheridan 5:30	15 th	16 th *Cross Country at Miller-Rock Invite 9:00 *7/8 Football at Logansport 10:00

ATHLETIC RESULTS

Cross Country – On Monday night the Cross Country teams competed against Heritage Christian and Northwestern. The ladies started the night off well against good competition. Our top finisher was Lilly H. placing 2nd overall. Congratulations to Reese D. and Hayley W. for getting their PR's tonight. The ladies placed 2nd overall. The boys went running for the races and didn't look back! Will M. was our top finisher in 2nd place and also got his PR. Other runners getting their PR were Jake W., Dillon A., James D., Levi H., Lincoln K., Huxley B., Jackson G., Glenn H., Matt H., Luke P., and Sebastian P.. The boys won the meet with 20 points.

Last night the Cross teams traveled to Elwood to compete against Elwood and Frankton. It was a great evening to run and that showed with all the PR's for the evening. Congratulations to the following for getting their PR: Reed C., Silas F., Noah H., Gavan H., Eli N., Zane P., Luke A., Nicholas B., Kaden Cantlon., Tommy G. Jonah W., Lucas C., Arlo F., Case R., Selah H., Fiona M., Lilly H., Maddy H., Amelia M., and Scarlett R.. Both teams also brought home the blue team ribbons. They are back in action on Saturday in a very competitive Miller-Rock Invite. Good luck to all runners!

ATHLETIC CALL OUTS/PRACTICES

6th Grade Cheerleading Callouts – Any 6th grader wanting to try out for the basketball cheer season is invited to attend a callout meeting on Monday, September 18th in the Cafeteria.

Girls Basketball Open Gyms – Girls grades 6-8 Basketball open gym opportunities from 5:30-7:00 pm. There will be open gym opportunities the following dates in September:

- Wednesday September 20th
- Wednesday September 27th
- Monday September 25th

You must have a final forms account and be green to be eligible to participate. Please be sure to be dressed for basketball, bring a reversible jersey if you have one, and bring a water bottle. Please enter on the north side of the Middle School at the Athletic Entrance. A coach will be there to let you in. Any questions contact Coach Hite @ mhite@hhschuskies.org.

Boys Basketball Open Gyms – Boys in grades 6-8 are invited to attend Open Gyms. Below is a **tentative** schedule. You must have a final forms account and be green to be eligible to participate. Please make sure to check your Final Forms email to confirm times for the week.

- Thurs, Sept 14 - 6-7:30 pm
- Thurs, Sept 21 - 6-7:30 pm
- Sat, Sept 16 - 2-4 pm
- Sat, Sept 23 - 3-4:30 pm
- Mon, Sept 18 - 6-7:30 pm
- Mon, Sept 25 - 6-7:30 pm
- Sat, Sept 30 2-4 pm

LUNCH

Thursday

North Line – Hamburger w/ Bun, Cheeseburger w/ Bun, BBQ Pork Sandwich, Assorted Fruits & Veggies

South Line – Boneless Chicken Bites, Boneless Spicy Chicken Bites, Corn, Cinnamon Roll

Both Lines – Chef Salad, Bistro Box – Cheese/Turkey/Fruit, Ham and Cheese on Croissant, Turkey Sandwich, PBJ Uncrustable Meal

Friday

North Line – Breaded Chicken Sandwich, Spicy Chicken Sandwich, Appetizer Platter, Assorted Fruits & Veggies

South Line – Pizza, Side Salad, Assorted Fruits & Veggies

Both Lines – Spicy Southwest Salad, Bistro Box – Cheese/Turkey/Fruit, Turkey Club Sandwich, PBJ Uncrustable Meal



SIGN UP FOR

FFA



Current and New members must sign up and pay dues \$25!

The image is a promotional graphic for FFA sign-up. It features a yellow background with a subtle pattern of white dots and lines. At the top, the text 'SIGN UP FOR' is written in a bold, blue, sans-serif font. Below this, the letters 'FFA' are displayed in a very large, bold, blue, sans-serif font. On either side of the 'FFA' text is a circular FFA logo. The logo consists of a central eagle with wings spread, perched on a shield. The shield contains the letters 'FFA'. The eagle is surrounded by a circular border containing the words 'AGRICULTURE', 'EDUCATION', and 'LEADERSHIP'. Below the 'FFA' text and logos is a large QR code. At the bottom of the graphic, there is a light purple rounded rectangular box containing the text 'Current and New members must sign up and pay dues \$25!' in a blue, serif font.