

WHAT'S NEW?

Girls Soccer will have Spirit Night at Newks on March 1, 2017 from 5-9 p.m. Newks is donating 20% of all receipts for those that mention they are there to help with the fundraiser when they order. Please come out and support our Girls Soccer program.

The Hoover Buccanette Dance Teams will hold a mandatory audition meeting on Wednesday, March 15th at 5:30 for any interested current 8th, 9th, 10th, or 11th graders. One parent and the dancer auditioning must attend in order to be eligible to tryout for either the Varsity or Junior Varsity Dance Teams.

For more information [click here](#) or contact Alicia Wilbanks at awilbanks@hoover.k12.al.us or Amy Blacker at ablacker@hoover.k12.al.us.

ACADEMIC REMINDERS

Balfour representatives will be at Hoover High School on Feb 23rd and 24th during 5th period in the lunchroom to collect money for cap and gown order and to take graduation announcement and class ring orders.

Attention sophomores: Want to plan prom and the 3k next year? Make plans to attend the mandatory JCO interest meeting in D-347 during your advisory this Thursday or Friday!

"You Make My World Go 'Round"

* It's prom time! Prom will be Saturday, April 8th at the Downtown Sheraton. Tickets are available for purchase on preptix.com/hooverprom Tickets will not be sold at school or at the door. However, the link will remain active until the night of prom.

* Prom shirts are available for pre-order only. See a member of JCO to purchase or go to D347.

* See the flyer for additional information:

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/0BzBLLgKbylqxLVYzNTQ2LWViRVk/view?usp=sharing>

PROM IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER -- Men's Wearhouse is Hoover High's Partner for Prom 2017! On Thursday, February 23rd, Men's Wearhouse will host a Dress for Success Seminar and Prom Rep Kickoff in the Community Room during 5A-D.

Students may attend during their advisory time. The MW Prom 2017 program offers discounts and Prom Rep benefits where student reps earn a free tux and cash prizes. Please make plans to have your student attend the seminar to learn more or go by

Men's Wearhouse @ Galleria Circle and see Amanda to sign up as a Prom Rep and for more information. Email jwesterlund@hoover.k12.al.us for information or details. Men's Wearhouse is a national DECA sponsor and this is a co-curricular function of Hoover Co-op to fund the annual Hoover Co-op Scholarship.

The Hoover City Schools 2nd annual Showchoir Showcase will be held at the Spain Park High School Theater on Friday, February 24. Admission is free. Schedule:

6:00 Spain Park High School
6:30 Simmons Middle School
7:00 Brock's Gap Intermediate School
7:30 Bumpus Middle School
8:00 Berry Middle School
8:30 Hoover High School

[Brock's Gap Intermediate School Show Choir](#)
[Simmons Middle School "Synergy"](#)
[Bumpus Middle School "Cadence"](#)
[Hoover High School "Paradigm"](#)

Volunteers Needed:

Birmingham Area Mothers of Multiples Twice As Nice Consignment Sale need volunteers on Friday, February 24th, 4:30 pm – 9 pm and on Saturday, February 25th 12:30 pm - 4:30 pm to help with their sale. It's held at the Zamora Temple, 3521 Ratliff Road, I-459 and Grants Mill Road Must be on time. Wear comfortable shoes since you will be on your feet walking around putting clothes back on the sale racks. To sign up email Mary Tucker 1stvice@bamom.org

Community Service Opportunity:

Friday March 3rd from 4-9 pm. 10 referees needed for Deer Valley Elementary School mother/son dodgeball tournament contact Mrs. Zellmer at azellmer@hoover.k12.al.us or in room C328 if interested and able to commit.

Attention Seniors who have been inducted into Latin Honor Society. Please see Mrs. Joy in D155 for some information about ordering your cords for graduation.

WANT TO SHOW YOUR BUC PRIDE?

Help support the Hoover High School Scholars Bowl team! These shirts are perfect for game day at any Hoover event, and are quite timely. Strike while the meme is hot! The front asks "Did your team just get wrecked by our team?", while the back suggests you call a certain person who appears regularly on billboards throughout the region.

You can view this shirt at

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B1kqeNSZ8OvRT2t0YmtlZmJjV0k/view?usp=sharing>

Shirts are \$15 for pre-order, \$18 for long sleeve. They are in sport grey and use the Gildan "SoftStyle", which is very similar to "Comfort Color" shirts in feel. We will be accepting pre-orders through 2-24-2017; checks should be made payable to Hoover High School Scholars Bowl and will be taken in the lunchroom during 5th period. Payment via MySchoolFees will also be available early next week.

Summer School Dates and Information

Summer School Credit Recovery

Dates: June 12th – June 30th

Meets: Monday thru Friday from 8:00 am – 1:00 pm at Hoover High School

Cost: \$200.00 per semester class

Summer School Credit Enhancement (Includes Driver's Ed and Health)

Dates: June 12th – June 30th – 1st TERM

July 10th – July 28th – 2nd TERM

Meets: Monday thru Friday from 8:00 am – 1:00 pm at Hoover High School

Cost: \$200.00 per semester class

Notes: Health will meet the first day of each term and all other assignments are submitted virtually (All assignments must be completed by the last day.)

Driver's Ed will meet the first 5 days of the term and students will drive two other days during the term.

Registration packets will be available in April. Students can begin registration on May 2, 2017.

Course Selection for 2017-18 is now online!

<http://www.livebinders.com/play/play?id=1911240>

Parents, please notify the school nurse if your child has been diagnosed by a physician with the flu. We only use this information for tracking purposes. You may call the health room at 439-1330 or email gstoudenmire@hoover.k12.al.us to report any cases.

The Road to College

Monday, February 27, at 6 p.m., Homewood Public Library in the Large Auditorium, 1721 Oxmoor Rd, Homewood, (205) 332-6600,

www.HomewoodPublicLibrary.org

This informational workshop is geared towards high school students and parents who are overwhelmed with the college application process. Admission counselors from several local colleges and universities will be present to answer questions regarding financial aid, ACT vs. SAT, application timelines, and much more. No registration required

2017-2018 Yearbook Staff Applications are now available! If you are interested in photography, graphic design, marketing, travel opportunities, attending school events, or journalism, then being on the Hoover High Yearbook staff is for you! If you would like to join the HHS Yearbook Staff, please stop by Room D247A to pick up your application. All applications must be turned in by March 3rd.

Questions? Email dhaynes@hoover.k12.al.us or bduke@hoover.k12.al.us

Prepare for the ACT test with Henson Test Prep.

After school Classes begin on Monday, March 6th for the April 8th and April 19th test dates.

Register online now at HensonTestPrep.com. For more information, call Amy Henson at 205-862-6004.

Balfour is our provider for class rings, caps, gowns, announcements, graduation supplies, etc. Balfour comes to our campus several times each semester, but parents and students can also go online at <http://www.alabamabalfour.com/> to place any orders.

Attention all students -- we are looking at making some changes to our bell schedule for next year and want your input. Please take a moment and fill out the Google Form using [this link](#).

See Senior Exam Exemption Policy for Spring 2017 here:

https://docs.google.com/a/hcs-students.net/document/d/1OsyEcCMubuNPM5Rh_dRrgDuQd0IGAJ8PPxB2D8VeSa4/edit?usp=sharing

ATHLETIC REMINDERS

Sports News:

- The golf team is currently in 11th out of 21 teams at the Fairhope Classic.
- Congratulations to the wrestling team as they finished 2nd place in the 7A state tournament this past weekend. The team had four individual state champions, which is the most of any school in the state.

Upcoming Athletic Events for this Week:

Tuesday, February 21st:

- Boys Golf will play in the Fairhope Invitational.
- Girls Golf will play in the Auburn Tournament at Indian Pines at 9 a.m.
- Varsity Girls and Boys Basketball will play in the Regional Championships at Wallace State Community College in Hanceville. Girls will play Sparkman at 9 a.m. Boys will play Vestavia at 10:45 a.m.
- JV Boys, Varsity Girls and Varsity Boys Soccer will play at Tuscaloosa County. JV Boys will play at 4 p.m. Varsity Boys will play at 5:30 p.m. Varsity Girls will play at 7 p.m.
- Softball will play at Sparkman. JV will play at 4:30 p.m. Varsity will play at 6 p.m.
- JV Girls Soccer will host Helena at 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday, February 22nd:

- Softball will host AL Christian Academy. Varsity will play at 4:30 p.m. JV will play at 6 p.m.
- Freshman Boys Soccer will host Spain Park at 6 p.m.

Thursday, February 23rd:

- JV Girls Soccer will host Mountain Brook at 5 p.m.
- Varsity Girls Soccer will host Hewitt at 7 p.m.

Friday, February 24th:

- Softball will play in the Sidney Cooper Invitational in Columbus, GA.
- Freshman Boys Soccer will play in the Lakeshore Freshmen Tournament.
- Boys and Girls Tennis will play at Gulf Shores at 3 p.m.
- Varsity Baseball will play at Huntsville at 5 p.m.
- JV and Varsity Boys Soccer will host Auburn. JV will play at 5 p.m. Varsity will play at 7 p.m.

Saturday, February 25th:

- Freshman Boys Soccer will play in the Lakeshore Freshmen Tournament.
 - Freshman Baseball will play a double header at Cullman.
 - Softball will play in the Sidney Cooper Invitational in Columbus, GA.
 - Varsity Baseball will play at Bob Jones at 10 a.m. and at Grissom at 1 p.m.
 - JV Baseball will host Vestavia at 10 a.m. and Cullman at 2 p.m.
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On Saturday, March 11, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. our Hoover Football Program is hosting our 5th Annual Mattress Sale fundraising event. This event has been VERY successful here at Hoover and school districts across Alabama and the US over the last 10 years. We are excited to have this event here again at Hoover

Top Brands are available including Simmons, BeautyRest, Comfort Aire, and Southerland. The mattress sets are also deeply discounted at 30%-50% below retail stores! Over 25 mattress sets will be on display; prices range from \$249 to \$3499. Awesome pillows and adjustable beds are also available. The sale is at Hoover High School in the cafeteria. Please tell your friends about this event and help support our Bucs!

For more information, check out our event page at:

[Hoover High School Football's Mattress Fundraiser Event Page](#)

Please join the event and invite your friends.

Please make sure to use your [Mattress Fundraiser Coupon!](#)

Discounted athletic passes may be purchased for students in grades K-12 for \$30.00 for the second semester- this includes remaining winter (basketball/wrestling) and spring sports (baseball/softball/soccer/track). The pass may be used for admission to any regular season, home sports event at Hoover HS, Bumpus Middle School and Simmons Middle School. Passes may not be used at away games or AHSAA playoff games/tournaments. Nationally televised games may also be excluded.

Passes can be purchased online at www.myschoolfees.com Enter the name of the student for whom the pass is being purchased for at checkout. Please bring a copy of the receipt to the Hoover HS athletic office to pick up the pass. On sale through March 10th.

GO BUCS!!!

Each grade level at HHS can sign up to receive text message alerts. To sign up for HHS class text message alerts, click here for instructions for a specific grade level: <http://bit.ly/HHSTEXT>

Class of 2017 seniors and parents: please join our Remind group to get all the important senior information sent directly to your phone. <https://www.remind.com/join/c4eb7d>

Enews can always be found on our HHS website: <http://hooverhigh.al.hch.schoolinsites.com/>

For EEOC Notices click here: <https://goo.gl/aqYptm>