

Weekly Warrior

... Your School News ...



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HIGH SCHOOL**

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UPCOMING EVENTS

January 23

6:00pm Varsity Basketball Vs. Marion @ Marion High School

January 24

8:00am - 12:00pm Saturday School (see pg. 6)

All-State Band Auditions @ Lexington High School

January 26

6:00pm J.V. Basketball Vs. Dillon @ Dillon High School

January 27

6:00pm Varsity Basketball Vs. Dillon
6:00pm Wrestling Vs. Timberland & R.B. Stall @ Timberland High School

January 28

7:15am FCA in the WHS Media Center

January 29

8:00am All-County Band and Chorus Clinic @ Georgetown High School
6:00pm J.V. Basketball Vs. Mullins @ Mullins High School

January 30

12:00pm All-County Band and Chorus Clinic @ Georgetown High School
6:00pm All-County Band and Chorus Concert @ Georgetown High School
6:00pm Varsity Basketball Vs. Mullins @ WHS Gymnasium

January 31

9:00am Region VIII-AA Varsity Wrestling Tournament
6:30pm Competitive Speech team presents "A Murder Mystery" Dinner & Show at the Mitney Center in Georgetown (details on pg. 6)

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COMING HOME WEEK

January 26-30

We will celebrate our school pride for our winter sports with week-long dress-up days, a Stud Muffin volleyball game on Friday for students who paid \$3, and the crowning of the King and Queen of Hearts during the pep rally on Friday.

MONDAY

**DRESS UP
SPORTS**

TUESDAY

**DRESS UP
TACKY/ TACKY
TOURIST**

WEDNESDAY

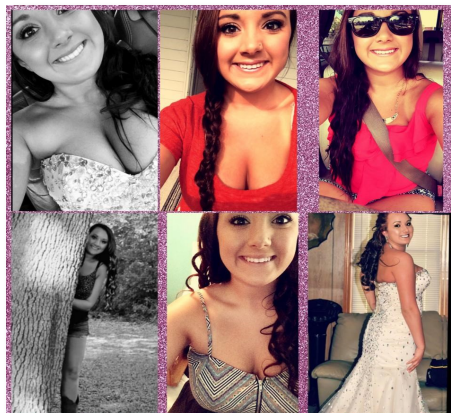
**DRESS UP
AMERICAN**

THURSDAY

**DRESS UP
CLASS COLOR**

FRIDAY

**DRESS UP
WARRIOR PRIDE**



RIP, Heaven

We Love You!

Your Waccamaw
Family



The Speech Team Places 3rd in Tournament

The speech team had a great tournament at Hillcrest High School last weekend! The team placed 3rd overall competing against 20 other schools. Below is a breakdown of individual standings:

Picture courtesy of Mrs. Lawson



Congratulations, Windtalkers!

Amani Huell	1 st place in Dramatic Interpretation and 3 rd place in Poetry
Coya Darcangelo	2 nd place in Children's Literature and in Poetry Interpretation, and 4 th place in Dramatic Interpretation
Clayton Register	4 th place in Impromptu Speaking
Kenzie Confer	4 th place in Children's Literature
Aaron Lampe	4 th place in Humorous Interpretation and 5 th place in Dramatic Interpretation
Amani Huell and Sam Averette	6 th place in Duo Interpretation
Sydney Register	6 th place in Novice Reading and 7 th place in Impromptu Speaking



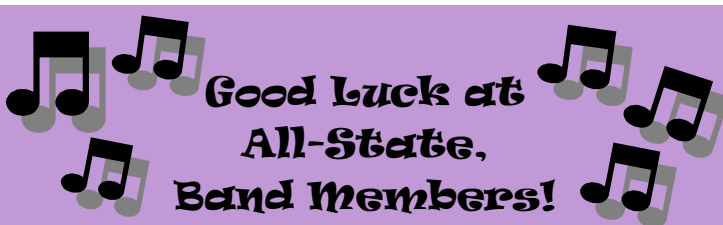
PIANO CLASS MOVES INTO THE 21ST CENTURY

By Hannah Wolf
Pictures by Josh Stafford

After receiving donations from the Pawleys Island Festival of Music and Arts



and WHS's WAVE parent-teacher organization, Ms. Warr, the chorus and piano teacher, was able to purchase ten touch-sensitive, 61-note Yamaha keyboards along with power supplies, headphones, and four keyboard stands. Ms. Warr said, "Class has been more than amazing with our new keyboards." The students are excited to finally be using up-to-date equipment to learn and practice their music. Thank you WAVE and the Pawleys Island Festival of Music and Arts for your donation and support to the music program.



On January 10th, 28 band students participated in All-Region tryouts with 14 of those musicians moving on to the All-State tryouts on Saturday, January 24th.

Congratulations and good luck to Zary Gouin, Tori Setliff, Parker Cline, Hannah Miller, Raleigh McMillan, Hans Stoetzer, Christine Humowitz, Aubrey Gauthier, Sam Insignares, Connor Graham, Faith Bierman, Ross Medure, Colt Woodhouse, and Nick Van Nest!



Report Cards Distributed

Parents, on Wednesday, January 21st, report cards were handed out during 3rd period classes; PACE students 4th period. If you have any questions or concerns, contact the school at 237-9899.

WRESTLERS SHINE ON THE MAT

By Sam Windham; Pictures by Mrs. Gouldin and Jed Parreno

Coach Cook said the goal for the team was to “survive through December.” That goal was met as the wrestling team finished the first half of the season 7-7. Now with an almost complete and healthy line-up, the team faces the second half of the season very optimistic.

On January 14th, Waccamaw defeated Timberland 45-27 and on the 17th competed in the Horry-Georgetown Championships, an individual wrestling event. Arman Singh and Shea Burke brought home championship wins, Tyler Davis brought home a 2nd place finish, and the team finished 5th overall.

On January 24th, Lexington High School will host the 41st Annual Carolina Invitational Wrestling Tournament. The best middle school and JV wrestlers in the state will be participating in the tournament, consisting of 17 middle school and 14 JV weight classes. Each weight class will have the top 16 wrestlers in that weight class participate in a double elimination tournament; the top three in each weight class will receive medals. Team scores will also be kept and the team champion will be recognized, with the team awards being JV Champion, JV Runner-Up, Middle School Champion, and Middle School Runner-Up. Two of our middle school wrestlers and two of our junior varsity wrestlers qualified to compete in this tournament: Aiden Ormsby (117), Trey Davis (185), Jack Cook (170), and Liam Sullivan (182); each won in their weight class in a qualifying tournament on January 10th to advance them to the state championships. Congratulations and good luck this weekend, wrestlers!



Ormsby



Davis



Cook



Sullivan

VARSIITY BASKETBALL ENTERS REGION PLAY

By Davis Eddy; Pictures by Danielle Mallon

Last Tuesday both boys' and girls' varsity teams faced off against Mullins. The boys played fiercely, outscoring Mullins 26-22 in the first quarter. At the half, Waccamaw was up 42-41, an impressive feat against a strong Mullins team. The third quarter presented the most significant loss for the Warriors as Mullins took the lead 64-57. In the fourth, the Warriors managed to generate 20 points over Mullins's 17, yet this was not enough to regain the lead. The boys ended up falling to Mullins with a final score of 81-77. Leading scorers were Justin Busby with 20, Rob Ferraro with 18, and Jemon Smalls with 17. The girls' game was not nearly as close, as Mullins made sure victory was secured within the first half. The final buzzer ended the game at Mullins-79 to Waccamaw-30. Leading scorer for the girls with 12 points was Alexis Grove, the only Warrior to break single digits throughout the course of the game.



Dee Funnye contributed 12 points to the victory over Loris



Alexis Grove scored 14 points against the Lions



On Friday, the 16th, the Warriors took on Loris at home. The boys played a heated game, outscoring Loris in all but the third quarter (20-17; 13-10; 19-20; 14-9). Karim Stanley was lead point scorer with 17, followed by Busby, who nailed three 3-pointers and one 2-pointer for a total of 11. The boys finished the game strong, resulting in a 66-56 win over Loris. The girls were just as successful against Loris as the boys. After a controlled game of dominating the court, the Warriors shut down Loris. Leading scorers for the girls were Grove and Dee Funnye. Both Warrior teams advanced to 1-1 within the region due to the wins.

This Tuesday, the 20th, the Waccamaw Varsity Basketball teams faced Aynor for their third region games this season. The boys secured the win in a relatively low scoring, defensive game of 47-41. The girls once again played a rather decisive game against Aynor, resulting in a final score of 54-26. Leading scorers were Grove with 11 points and Jada Torrance with 10 points. Following the victories against Aynor, both teams advanced to 2-1 in the region. The boys remain second place, while the girls are tied for second within the region.

Summer will soon be here!



**Monday, February 16
9 AM - 11 AM**

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- Bonuses
- Competitive Wages

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www.TheJacksonCompanies.com

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SAT TEST DATES		
Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Registration
January 24, 2015	expired	expired
March 14, 2015	February 13, 2015	February 27– March 3, 2015
May 2, 2015	April 6, 2015	April 17-21, 2015
June 6, 2015	May 8, 2015	May 22-27, 2015

ACT TEST DATES		
Test Date	Registration	Late Registration
February 7, 2015	expired	January 10-26, 2015
April 18, 2015	March 13, 2015	March 14-27, 2015
June 13, 2015	May 8, 2015	May 9-22, 2015

**A NOTE FROM THE
SCHOOL NURSE**

Parents and Students,

I want to make you aware of a program called "Give A Kid A Smile." It is for students that do not have any insurance but are in need of dental services. Healthy Learners will be partnering with Horry-Georgetown Technical College in serving these students with free dental care.

Please call me if you have questions and would like your child to participate. 843-237-0461.

Shelly A. Edgecomb, R.N.

Counselor's Corner

**A - J Guidance Counselor,
Mrs. Tucker**

**K - Z Guidance Counselor,
Mrs. Graham**

**Guidance Secretary,
Mrs. Simmons**

**Guidance Assistant,
Ms. Smalls**

Help meet your financial needs!

Scholarship Name	Application Due Date	Qualifications	Award Amount	Special Notes
James F. Byrnes Foundation	1/2/15-2/6/15	One or both parents deceased, satisfactory academic record, excellent character, financial need.	\$3250 per year	www.byrnesscholars.org
Ronald McDonald House Charities U.S. Scholarship Program	1/31/15	Exemplary role models.	Varies	https://aim.applyists.net/RMHC
James O. Thomason Scholars	1/31/15	Students interested in Print of Photo Journalism, advertising, public relations, or mass communications.	One year for \$2000	Download Applications at www.hamptonwildlifefund.org/scholarship.html
Harry Hampton Scholarship/Wallace Pate Scholarship	1/31/15	Students in natural resources discipline such as wild-life biology, fisheries biology, forestry, or marine science.	Varies from \$1500-\$2500	Download Application at www.hamptonwildlifefund.org/scholarship.html
David M. Cline Scholarship	1/31/15	Students in natural resources discipline such as wild-life biology, fisheries biology, forestry, marine science, or law enforcement/criminal justice.	One year for \$2000	Download Application at www.hamptonwildlifefund.org/scholarship.html
The James (Coach) Day Scholarship	2/1/15	Senior track & field member at a school participating in a scheduled Bob Hayes Track Meet.	\$1000	Download Guidelines and Application at www.bhitm.org
The National Co-op Scholarship Program	2/14/15	Cumulative GPA of 3.5 on 4.0 scale, apply and get accepted to WACE Partner Institutions	Varies	Apply online at www.waceinc.org/scholarship/index/html
DAR Scholarship	2/15/15			http://www.dar.org/national-society/scholarships/general-info Application in Guidance
Dixie Softball Scholarship	3/1/15	Seniors who have participated in Dixie Softball for any two(2) seasons	\$1500	Email for application at DSIScholarship@suddenlink.net Application in Guidance
Yawkey Scholars Program	3/2/15	Strong academic record, plan to attend college in SC, engaged in a mentoring relationship, unmet financial need	Maximum \$25,000 (average award is \$7928)	http://www.tip.org/scholarship/yawkey-scholars-program
HTC & Carolina Trust: Education Unlock Your Potential for CCU or FMU	3/2/15	Senior planning to attend Francis Marion or Coastal Carolina University	\$1000	Download application at www.carolinatrust.org or www.htcinc.net Application in Guidance
Optimist Oratorical Contest	3/10/15	Any high school students under the age of 19	Varies	Application in Guidance
The Randolph Elliot Scholarship GKCU	Postmarked 3/20/15	Active GKCU (Georgetown Kraft Credit Union) member or child/relative of member, exemplary character, work ethic, & strong education goals.	\$1000	Application in Guidance
The Making of a Man	4/30/15	Essay.	\$100	Application in Guidance or online www.TheMakingsofaMan.com/scholarship
PI Rotary Scholarship	5/1/14 to Guidance	Seniors planning to attend technical, 2 year, or 4 year college.	\$500-\$750	Application available January 2015 in Guidance
Music, Theater, Visual Art Scholarship Competitions (Anderson University)	Spring Auditions	Audition Required.	\$3500-\$6000	Register online at www.schoolofhearts.com Email: SCschoolofhearts@andersonuniversity.edu or call 864-231-2196
The Lyceum Scholars Program (Clemson University)	Fall Senior Year	Mentor Program focused on moral, political, economic foundations of free society	Up to \$10,000	Clemson.edu/capitalism/lyceum
H & R Block Budget Challenge	Ongoing	Play the game to win scholarships	Varies	Apply online at www.waceinc.org/scholarship/index/html
Scholarship Search Engine through SCOIS	-	No profile set-up required, search for scholarships based on selected criteria.	-	https://sccis.intocareers.org Username:waccamawhs Password:warriors
Scholarship Search	-	Must set up profile.	-	www.fastweb.com www.collegexpress.com

"Triumphs, Trophies, and Tragedies"



...A **Murder** Mystery Dinner Theatre

Presented by the

Waccamaw High School Competitive Speech Team

Saturday, January 31st, 2015

Advanced Ticket Sales Only • Ticket Price: \$30.00

Contact mlawson@gcsd.k12.sc.us or any cast member for tickets.

Show & Dinner Begin at 6:30 PM

At the Mitney Center • 610 Hawkins St, Georgetown

January Birthdays

January 24

Shabazz Eutsey
Ciara Parker

January 25

Madison Biddix
Ashely Steele

January 26

Alonzo Trent

January 27

Trevor DeChamplain
Adriel Duncan
McKinley Grooms
Hayden Kelly
Jason Walters

January 28

Kiera Campbell
Sara Ness

January 29

Toni Brady

January 30

Chase Fink
Kadijah Smalls

January 31

Tylik Edwards
Sam Windham

Staff

January 26
Mr. Vereen

January 28
Ms. Ehnat



Saturday School is January 24th (Attendance Make-Up Day)

Parents and Students:

"Saturday School/School Attendance Make-Up Day" is an attempt to assist students who academically succeed in class but, because of excessive unexcused absences, may be denied credit. Current guidelines deny credit to students who accumulate more than 10 unexcused absences in a year. "Saturday School" will allow students to make up 1 unexcused absence per Saturday School.

Students will attend from 8:00am to 12:00pm. Late arrivals will not be admitted, no early dismissals, and there is a \$20.00 charge for each Saturday.

Students should bring assignments from teachers and work the entire time. No talking, sleeping, playing, etc.

Students who are scheduled for Saturday, January 24th have been notified.

Students may not bank days for future absences.

Monday, January 26	Tuesday, January 27	Wednesday, January 28	Thursday, January 29	Friday, January 30
<p>Lunch</p> <p>Chicken Pilau Chicken Nuggets WGR Biscuits w/ Either Sausage Pizza</p> <p>Steamed Broccoli Pinto Beans Mixed Vegetables Sliced Peaches Seasonal Fresh Fruit Choice of 1 % Plain or Flavored Non-fat Milk</p>	<p>Lunch</p> <p>*Chicken Fillet on WGR Bun WGR Corndog *Ham & Cheese Croissant</p> <p>Confetti Soup French Fries Garden Peas Pineapple Chunks Seasonal Fresh Fruit</p> <p>Choice of 1 % Plain or Flavored Non-fat Milk</p>	<p>Lunch</p> <p>Fajita Chicken w/ Tortilla Chips or Wraps *Chicken Salad Croissant *Sub Sandwich</p> <p>Marinated Black Bean Salad Garden Peas Celery Sticks w/ FF Dressing Chilled Peach Slices Seasonal Fresh Fruit Choice of 1 % Plain or Flavored Non-fat Milk</p>	<p>Lunch</p> <p>Vegetable Beef Soup Chicken Noodle Soup Cornbread & Crackers w/ String Cheese or Toasted Cheese Sandwich BBQ on WGR Bun Tossed Salad Corn on the Cob Peas and Carrots Mandarin Oranges Seasonal Fresh Fruit Choice of Milk</p>	<p>Lunch</p> <p>Country Style Steak w/ Brown Rice Chicken Panini *Honey Mustard Deli Wrap Orange-Glazed Sweet Potato Patties Steamed Cabbage Oven Baked Okra Applesauce Seasonal Fresh Fruit Choice of 1 % Plain or Flavored Non-fat Milk</p>