



Crabapple Middle School

Friday Notes

Week of March 9—March 13, 2009



MARK YOUR CALENDAR	
Mar. 11	'Pajama Day' sponsored by Yearbook
Mar. 12	7th grade to High Museum
Mar. 13	Teacher Work Day— NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS
Mar. 17	Linda Schultz Community Meeting @ Crabapple MS—9:30am
Mar. 18-21	8th Grade Washington Trip
Mar. 19	Jr. Beta Club Meeting
Mar. 25	Early Release Day—Students Dismissed at 12:35pm
Mar. 25	Spring/Buddy Pictures

Oratorical Contest Winner

Congratulations goes out to Adrian Hanson for placing 2nd in the Roswell Optimist Club's Oratorical Contest. Adrian is a 7th grader at CMS. Way to go!

Spelling Bee News

Congratulations to Sam Moeller, our Geography Bee winner, who has qualified for the State Geography Bee that will be held April 3rd in Milledgeville, Georgia. We wish Sam the best of luck!

Moving Over the Summer?

SIXTH AND SEVENTH GRADERS: PLEASE

NOTIFY the Counseling Office if you are not going to be attending CMS next year. We will prepare a packet for you to take to your new school. The packet will contain immunizations, test scores, and other important info to help make a smooth transition. The packet will be sent home the last week of school.

EIGHTH GRADERS: If you are NOT attending our feeder school, Roswell High School, be sure the Counseling Office knows the high school you will attend-**IN WRITING**. We do not receive the placement letters you receive for Magnets, M TO M, and NCLB, or acceptances to private schools. We want to be sure your records are sent to the correct school.

Atlanta Hawks, Thrasher and Braves Tickets

If your child made either honor roll or super roll, they are invited to attend an Atlanta Hawks game on March 13th or April 4th and see the Atlanta Thrashers in action March 6th or April 11th. There are several Braves games to choose from and you receive two complimentary Upper Box tickets if you send in the form. Have your student come to the front office for the forms if they qualify.

Teen Forum

The Marietta-Roswell Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated is pleased to present our 23rd Annual Teen Forum. The theme for this year's event is "*W.i.i. Fit: Working to Inspire Fitness . . . Mind, Body and Soul*". This event will be filled with educational and interactive workshops that promote total wellness. Student workshops will be centered on fitness, healthy cooking and eating, making healthy lifestyle choices, and a variety of health awareness issues including preventive, sexual, and mental health. They will also offer adult workshops, specifically forums where attendees can engage in conversation with doctors on preventive and mental health issues as well as a how to discuss challenging health topics with children *W.i.i. Fit* is **free**, so please register early to reserve a space! In addition to the workshops, *W.i.i. Fit* will feature a Community Health Fair, with representatives from health organizations distributing information, answering questions and offering free medical screenings. Online registration started Monday, February 16th and will be available from through March 14th at www.dstmrac.com. This event is Saturday, March 21, 2009, 8:00 a.m. – 2:00pm (Health Fair: 10 a.m. – 2 p.m. at Campbell Middle School 3295 S. Atlanta Road

Becoming a Love & Logic Parent is Back

This program provides simple and practical techniques to help parents have less stress and more fun while raising responsible kids. Seven sessions will begin March 17th from 7:00pm-9:00pm in the Mountain Park Elementary Media Center for the cost of \$75 per person or \$90 per couple. Contact Sharon Egan at sharondegan@aol.com for more information.



Other School Notes

[Link to View Meal Menus](http://www.fultonschools.org/dept/schoolnutrition/)

Please visit <http://www.fultonschools.org/dept/schoolnutrition/> website to view the breakfast and lunch menus for the month. This website has valuable nutrition information for all parents. Remember, no student is allowed to 'charge' a meal in middle school.

This week is National School Breakfast Week. Students can purchase a nutritional and delicious breakfast, here at school, for just 95 cents.

Due to the current status of our economy, we want to make all parents aware that free and reduced meal applications are available. Applications may be submitted at any time during the school year and are available from the school nutrition manager at all schools in the district. If you have questions, please feel free to contact the school cafeteria or the Regulatory Office at (404) 305-2220 or the CMS café office at (770)552-4513.

Help with Language Arts CRCT

The Language Arts Department will be holding special review help sessions prior to the CRCT. All students are encouraged to attend. The help sessions will be held from 3:45 – 4:15 PM.

6th Grade:

2/23 Prepositional Phrases– Strickland
3/09 Pronouns– Daykin
3/11 Commas –Strickland (originally scheduled on snow day)
3/16 Predicates/Parts of the sentence– Hale
3/23 Hooking the reader– Cowin
3/30 Quotation Marks– Cornett

7th grade:

2/26 Adjective/Adverb Phrases – Edwards
3/05 Adjective/Adverb Clauses – Thomas
3/12 Sentence Structure – Wade
3/19 Verb Tenses – Javier
3/26 Pronoun-Antecedent Agreement – M. Ellis
4/02 Extraneous Details/ Redundancy – Boayue

8th Grade:

2/26 Core Sentence Structure – Claeys
3/04 Phrases – Braddock
3/11 Dangling Modifiers – Connors
3/18 Noun Clauses/ Sentence Structure – Connors
3/26 Adverb/Relative Clauses – Claeys
4/01 Punctuation: Commas, Semi-colons, etc. – Braddock

Partnership Perks!

Music Matters is offering CMS students 50% off the first month of lessons until the end of the school year. Call Alex Simmons at 770-619-3456 for more information. Their Roswell store is conveniently located on Hwy 92 in the Kohl's shopping center.

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