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April Dates to Remember:

Apr 5 - Board Meeting, 6:30pm

Apr 7 - 1st & 2nd Grade Music Concert, 6:30pm, MS Gym

Apr 7 - 10 - Senior Grad Bash

April 8 - 7th Grade Carowinds Field Trip

Apr 11-15 - Spring Break

Apr 18 - NJHS Inductions, 6:00pm, MS Gym

Apr 18 - PTA Board Meeting, 6:00pm

Apr 18 - PTA General Meeting, 7:00pm

Apr 19 - Board Meeting, 6:30pm - (if called)

Apr 21 - Senior Awards Night, 6pm

Apr 22 - 8th Grade Spring Formal, 7:00pm

Apr 23 - BINGO Night, 5:00pm

Apr 26 - PAC Meeting, 6:00pm

Apr 28-29 - 5th Grade Williamsburg Field Trip

Apr 28-30 - Theatre Spring Production, 7:00pm

Message from Mrs. Hobgood

Dear Parents and Students!

Cell phone use has become an ongoing issue in Middle School. Our policy is that cell phones must remain put away unless directed otherwise by their teacher or Director. However, this year there has been a rise in parents calling and texting students during the educational day, which students feel obligated to answer.

Per FLA Board of Directors policy, students and parents sign an Acceptable Use policy which prohibits use of cell phones during the school day. If students violate this policy, they will lose the privilege of having a cell phone at school. If parents need to contact their student during the day, they can phone the front desk or send a Jupiter message to their student's teacher.

Please contact Lisa Mayhew if you have any questions.

Thank you



Tuesday, April 5th @ 6:30pm

Tuesday, April 19th (if called) @ 6:30pm

Link to Live Stream:

<https://live.myvrspot.com/player?udi=ZmFsbHNsYWtlYWVhZGVteQ%3D%3D&c=ZmxhMQ%3D%3D>

Lost and Found

We have a lost and found bin in the elementary/middle school building, located in the main office. Our bin is overflowing with all sorts of jackets, shirts, personal belongings, lunch boxes and water bottles and we simply can't keep holding onto them indefinitely. Any items of clothing not claimed by this Friday, April 8th will be donated. If your child is missing something, please have them check the bin by this Friday. Typically items brought to the lost and found bin are held until the last Friday of the month and any items not claimed by then are then donated. Water bottles and lunch boxes are discarded weekly.

Booster Club News

The Falls Lake Booster Club will be having a Captains Choice (Superball) golf tournament on April 2, 2022, at South Granville Country Club, with a 1:00 start.

The booster club supports all athletic teams to pay for equipment, uniforms, field rentals, and upkeep of facilities. How can you help; by entering a team to play in the tournament or buy a hole sponsorship. For more information or brochures, please contact a Booster Club member or either one of the Athletic Directors.

We need your support! Our next Booster Club meeting will be Feb. 16th at 6:00 in the High School Lobby.



Reminder NO SCHOOL



April 11th - 15th

Relay For Life

Granville County is holding a Face to Face **Relay For Life** event this year and **WE WANT YOU** to be a part of the **CELEBRATION!** Please join our Falls Lake Academy Relay Team!!! Go to www.relayforlife.org/granvillenc to register. Our team will be in charge of the luminary ceremony on **September 30th** at **6:00 PM** in the Relay For Life Event at the GAP located at 4615 Belltown Rd, Oxford, NC 27565. Our first fundraiser will be a barbeque chicken plate on Friday May 13. Tickets will be available soon. Contact Jennifer Frederick (in the high school) for more information.

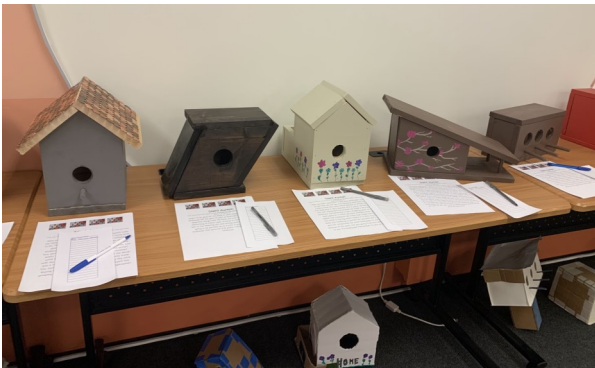
Teacher Assistant of the Month



Mrs. Teresa Wadford is our TA of the month for April. Mrs. Wadford is new to us this year at FLA she is the assistant to Mrs. Smoak in kindergarten. She has come in and fell right in with our family and loves the kids, fosters their growth and is always willing to do what is asked of her. While she is quiet, she has a passion for helping kids learn and giving them the support they need on a daily support. We love and appreciate everything that Mrs. Wadford does for our school and the kids.

6th Graders at Falls Lake Academy Build Birdhouses and Raise Money for ACIM

Sixth-grade students at Falls Lake Academy have been working with their teachers to complete a project designed to give back to their community. Students were learning about hunger in the community in their Project-based Learning class. The students heard about the needs in our community from the director of the ACIM. One of the solutions they came up with to address this problem was to have a fundraiser. The sixth-grade teachers decided that building birdhouses would be a perfect tie-in with the concepts they had been working on in math and science classes. Students worked in collaborative groups with each other to design and build their birdhouses (with some outside help from community members). The project culminated with their Presentations of Learning where they shared what they had learned and done with parents and others. A silent auction was conducted alongside the presentations and bids were placed by parents, staff, and visitors. The students were able to raise a total of \$1,266.00 to donate to the ACIM.



Elementary Concerts

Congratulations to Kindergarten on their excellent first concert!

First and Second Grade will have their concert soon, April 7th at 6:30 in the Elementary/Middle School Gym.

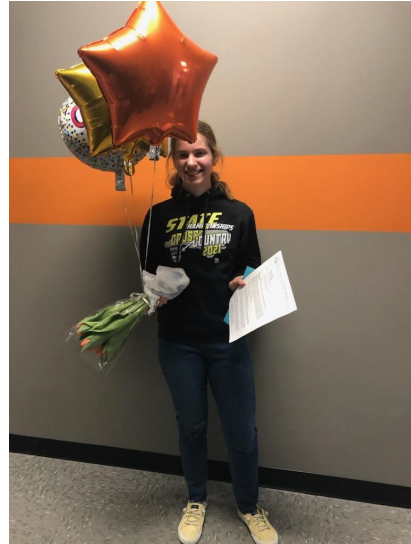
The Third, Fourth, and Fifth Grade concert has been moved to May 5th, also in the gym at 6:30 and we hope to see many of you there!

Contact lacemcwatters@fallslakeacademy.com with any questions.



Special Congratulations!

Congratulations Madison Karan for being selected to North Carolina Governor's School. This is the second year in a row that a student from Falls Lake Academy has been selected for Governor's school. Madison was chosen from 1700 students from around the state of North Carolina. The area that she qualified for was Instrumental Music Percussion.



Congratulations Iesha Landis, her National Society of Jr Black Engineers earned 2nd place out of 7 teams in the virtual 9/10th grade math competition.



**FALLS LAKE ACADEMY THEATRE
PRESENTS**



**FLA HIGH SCHOOL GYM
APRIL 28TH, 29TH, 30TH AT 7PM AND MAY 1ST AT 2PM**

SUMMER CAMPS

M&M Boys Camp



With Ms. McRae & Mrs. Mennella
FINALLY, a camp just for the boys. Come
spend a week with us playing sports, doing
science experiments, and meeting new friends!



For: Rising 1st - Rising 5th grades

Dates: June 13-17 (Session 1)

& June 20-24 (Session 2)

Time: 9am-2pm (Bring your own snack & lunch)

Cost: \$120 (fee includes supplies)

Permission Slip Attached to email message.

DIY Craft Camp for Girls is back!!

Come hang out with us this summer! Learn new skills. Make new friends. And have tons of fun as we DIY our way through everything from slime to lip gloss.

Some crafts include: jewelry, simple cooking, room decor, clay fun, experiments, and of course SLIME!

Where: FLA - Mrs. Voss and Mrs. Frazier's room (room 206)

For: Rising 2nd graders and up

Dates: 2 session options (The same crafts will be done at both sessions).

June 13-17 or

June 20-24

Time: 9am-2pm (bring a lunch)

Cost: \$120 (fee includes supplies)

Early registration (Cost \$110 if you sign up before April 16th)

How to sign up: Return registration form (attached to email) and payment (cash or check payable to FLA) to Mrs. Voss, Mrs. Frazier, or the front office.

For questions or to request a registration form
email mollyvoss@fallslakeacademy.com

FAST Summer Camp



June 6th thru July 8th

From 7:00 a.m. till 5:00 p.m.

Cost \$130 a week (\$650.00 for the entire camp)

Special Offer:

Save \$25 if you Pay 5 Weeks Upfront

FAST will be offering a fun and exciting summer camp this summer for students in grades 1-5. Incoming Kindergarteners are welcome, if they have a current sibling attending Falls Lake Academy. Space is limited!

Email FAST@fallslakeacademy.com with questions or to request a registration form.

Return payment to Mrs. Watkins or Mrs. Jones or the front office.

Checks made payable to Falls Lake Academy

BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND, FLA'S SUMMER ENRICHMENT CAMP!

We're excited to announce the return of our ***SUMMER ENRICHMENT CAMP for rising 6th through 9th graders!***

Last year, we cooked, went on field trips, created art and built robots. Who knows what we'll get up to *THIS* summer. (Seriously, we have no idea. All we know for sure is, ***IT'S GONNA BE AWESOME!***)

We are so excited to host another summer camp with our amazing students. Camp will be held during the month of June, so mark your calendars and be on the lookout for email announcements with dates, times and other details, ***COMING SOON!***

Capacity WILL be limited, so when the sign up period opens, and details come out, be sure to respond quickly.



When: Saturday, April 23, 2022 at 5 pm

Where: South Granville Country Club

Sponsors Needed!

Own a local business or know someone who does? We need community support to help make Bingo Night a huge success!

Sponsor Levels:

Platinum Sponsor - Cash Donation* or Prize Valued at \$200 or More

Gold Sponsor - Cash Donation* or Prize Valued at \$150-\$199

Silver Sponsor - Cash Donation* or Prize Valued at \$100-\$149

Bronze Sponsor - Cash Donation* or Prize Valued Up to \$99

*Cash donations may be combined with cash donations from other sponsors to purchase prizes or create prize packages

Examples of Past Bingo Prizes:

Local Business Gift Certificates

Salon Gift Packages

Theme Park Packages

Gaming Systems

TVs/Electronics

Custom Made Furniture or Gifts

Sports Packages

100% of proceeds from Bingo

Night goes to support the mission of the FLA PTA, including funding classroom teacher grants, school enhancements, teacher appreciation events, and fun activities for FLA students, staff, families, and the community at large.

Interested in getting volunteer hours by serving on Bingo Night Planning Committee? Email the PTA at fallslakeacademypta@gmail.com.

Well that's all for this addition of the Screamer, until next time.....

-Fred the Firebird

