



OCTOBER 4, 2022

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October Dates to Remember:

Oct. 3rd - School Custodian Appreciation Day
 Oct. 3rd - HS Nutrition Class Field Trip
 Oct 4th - Board Meeting, 6:30pm
 Oct. 6th - National Art Honors Society Induction Ceremony, 6pm, HS Gym
 Oct. 6th - Booster Club Meeting, 7pm, HS Lobby
 Oct 7th - Improv Coffee House, 7pm, HS Gym
 Oct. 10th - 3rd grade POL Presentations
 Oct 10th - PTA Board Meeting, 6pm
 Oct. 10th - PTA General Meeting, 7pm
 Oct. 10th-14th - Fire Prevention Week
 Oct. 11th - End of 1st Quarter
 Oct. 12th-14th - Fall Break
 Oct. 17th - 3rd Grade Field Trip
 Oct. 18th - Board Meeting (if called), 6:30pm
 Oct. 21st - Report Cards go Home
 Oct. 22nd - Fall Festival
 Oct. 24th-28th - HS Spirit/Red Ribbon Week
 Oct. 24th - Teacher Workday
 Oct. 25th - PAC Meeting, 6pm
 Oct 27th - Kindergarten and 1st Grade Field Trips
 Oct. 27th - FLARTS Meeting, 6pm
 Oct. 28th - Elementary Truck or Treat, 9am
 Oct. 31st - Middle School Science Show
 Oct. 31st-Nov. 9th - Book Fair

Message from Mrs. Keith

Dear Firebird Families,

It is my pleasure to introduce myself as Interim Executive Director. I have been a part of the firebird family since 2014 and I am eager to continue here in this new role. In 2014, I joined the FLA staff as a 6th grade math and science teacher. This gave me the opportunity to build many relationships with our families and have hands-on experience with Project Based Learning. In 2018, I completed my Masters in Educational Administration and joined that administrative team as the Director of Curriculum and Instruction/Testing Coordinator and quickly moved into the role of Upper Elementary Director.

I will be spending the next month working alongside Mrs. Hobgood to ensure a seamless transition.

My love for Falls Lake Academy runs deep and I truly believe in the mission and vision of the school. I am confident that working with the great staff at FLA that we can continue to make this school the best place to learn for all of our students.



Tuesday, October 4th @ 6:30pm

Tuesday, October 18th (if called) @ 6:30pm

Link to Live Stream:

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



Thursday - Friday, October 12th-14th - Fall Break

Monday, October 24th - Teacher Workday

Theatre Arts News

On October 27th Mr. Cerullo's Theatre classes will be taking a trip to McGregor Hall to see a production of The Little Mermaid. This is a special school performance the theatre company is doing in the morning and FLA is so excited to be able to get to see it!

FLA Theatre is in need of some items for the set they are building for their fall production. Please be advised, these are items you WILL NOT receive back. These items will be painted, glued etc.- CDs/DVDs (Blank CDS work well too!)

- Newspapers
- Books (Specifically banned books OR books with a cover slip that are pretty generic from far away when the cover is taken off)
- Magazines
- Radios
- Old (non-smart) devices (such as old home phones, etc.)
- Vinyls/records
- Media players (VHS players, CD players, etc.)
- Tapes/VHS
- Any Filler Material to put in trash bags such as paper, newspaper, cardboard, etc)

Please contact Mr. Cerullo Dancerullo@fallslakeacademy.com if you can donate any items.

Thank you so much for your support of FLA Theatre!



Falls Lake Academy Theatre Presents...



7th Annual Improv Show



Oct. 7th @7pm

Falls Lake Academy High School Gym

\$5 To Enter

A Message from Elementary Music

This year in music we are listening to how music has changed over time. We will be MOVING and PLAYING as much as possible. I suggest sneakers on music days.

Save the Date! All Concerts will start at 6:30 in the Elementary/Middle School gym and will last less than an hour. More information will come out as we get closer.

Nov 15 1st and 2nd Grade Concert
March 14 3rd, 4th, and 5th Grade Concert
March 21 Kindergarten Concert

Core Music Standards:
Create - Perform - Respond - Connect

Questions? Send a Jupiter message or email to LaceyMcWatters@fallslakeacademy.com



Morning Math Assistance Program

Struggling with Math? Need help on a few Math problems?

Come join Mrs. Graham and Mrs. Holcombe for Math support

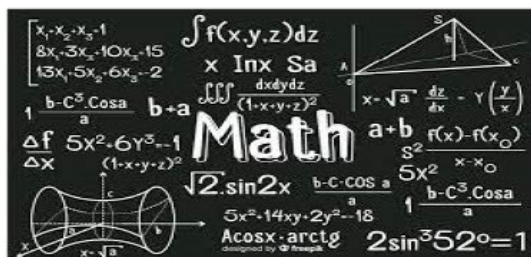
All Middle School Students Welcome

Beginning
September
5th

Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays

Room: 404 From 7:15 - 7:55

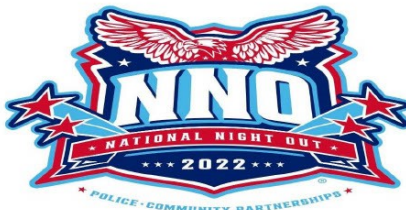
No need to sign up JUST show up!





TUESDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2022

Butner
Public
Safety



5:00 PM – 8:00 PM
BUTNER ATHLETIC PARK

1105 West B St., Butner, NC 27509

FUN ★ GAMES ★ PRIZES ★ FOOD

Volunteer Opportunity for High School age students!

If you would like to volunteer at NNO please click on the link below to sign up! Information about this event was sent via Jupiter to all high school students and families.

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSen0HE1Y1dSqY4Qofp415RzlrxAukaOhPfL9QpfJJR3l-W-mQ/viewform?usp=sf_link



October 19th- Unity Day

October 24-28- Red Ribbon Week

October is National Bullying Prevention Month

For the month of October, we will recognize National Bullying Prevention Month! During this month, we encourage you to join us creating a world that is kinder, more accepting, and more inclusive. We will be teaching bullying prevention lessons in the classroom and cover topics such as what bullying is and is not, how to be an upstander, and what to do if you find yourself to be a victim of bullying. We will also be making daily announcements with facts about bullying and hosting a K-8 poster contest! On Wednesday, October 19th, please wear **ORANGE** in honor of **Unity Day**; the day everyone can come together—in schools, communities, and online—to send one big, **ORANGE** message of support, hope, and solidarity!

Red Ribbon Week

Red Ribbon Week is a national campaign for drug prevention. This year we will celebrate Red Ribbon Week as a school from October 24th - October 28th! This year's theme is **"Celebrate Life. Live Drug Free."** Red Ribbon Week is a time to remind all students of the dangers of drug and alcohol abuse, the importance of being drug free, and making healthy decisions. We look forward to providing this important information with students as well as promoting spirit week!

K-8 Red Ribbon Spirit Week

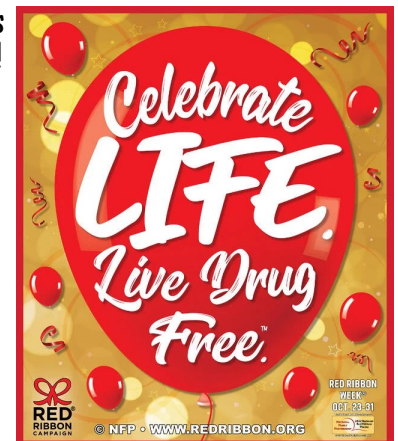
Monday (10/24)- No school for students!

Tuesday (10/25)- "Say 'peace out' to drugs!"- Wear tie dye!

Wednesday (10/26)- "Lei' off drugs"- Hawaii day!

Thursday (10/27)- "I'm too bright for drugs!"- Wear bright or neon colors!

Friday (10/28)- "Say 'Boo' to drugs"- Wear a Halloween costume!



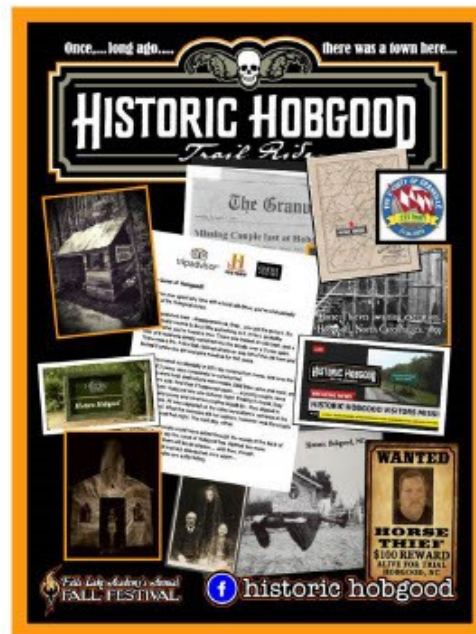


FUNDRAISER GOING ON NOW!

FLA PTA's Fall Fundraiser for elementary and middle school students is going on NOW through October 7th. Brochure packets went home with students on or after September 21st but sales can also be done online. See Jupiter email of September 19th for more details!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS – ANNUAL FALL FESTIVAL ON OCTOBER 22nd

FLA PTA's Annual Fall Festival is scheduled for Saturday, October 22nd. You do not want to miss this year's event. We have some exciting new events planned, in addition to the return of favorites such as Carnival Games, Spooky Hayride, Haunted House, and the Hobgood Trail. Online wristband sales will begin October 1st. Be on the lookout for more details via Jupiter and social media!



**FALLS LAKE ACADEMY 2022
2ND ANNUAL**

VENDOR FAIR & FOOD TRUCK RODEO



**ADMISSION - 1 NON-PERISHABLE
FOOD ITEM
NOVEMBER 19TH
10AM TO 3PM**

Many different vendors
will be in attendance.
Come out shop and support
local.



Food Trucks, Vendor Fair, Raffle
Can Food Drive

Bye for now.....until next time.....-Fred the Firebird

