



Flat Rock “Eagles” ~ Week at a Glance

Monday, November 11, 2019

7:30am – Math Team meeting w/ Ms. Williams room 804

1:40 pm – Veterans Day Assembly Concert Performance @ Gym

*3:10 – 4:30pm – Academic team practice w/ Ms. Reed room 704

*3:15 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. – STEAM Club

*3:25 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. – Intramurals ASP – Girls

Tuesday, November 12, 2019

2pm – Academic Team Competition @ Ola Middle School

*3:10 – 4:30pm – Photo Club

*5pm – 7pm – FRMS 8th B&G. Basketball: FRMS vs RSMS @ RSMS

*7pm – FRMS Chorus/SCHS Chorus Fall Concert

Wednesday, November 13, 2019

Scoliosis Screening 6th & 8th Grade (During Connections)

ESOL Trip to Chick fil A Headquarters

5:30pm – PTO Meeting

Thursday, November 14, 2019

National Diabetes Day (BLUE OUT)

2nd Progress Report (can be viewed after 4pm)

4pm – 8pm All-County Orchestra Auditions @ FRMS

7th & 8th Grade Chorus Trip to Spivey Hall

*5pm – 7pm – FRMS 8th B&G Basketball: FRMS vs BMS @ BMS

Friday, November 15, 2019

Club FRIDAY!

Orchestra Trip to Spivey Hall

Adaptive Class Trip to Kedron Village

*3:30pm – 5pm – Symphonic Band Rehearsal

*3:30pm – 5pm – Orchestra Rehearsal



*Parents please keep in mind our 15-minute rule that all students must be picked up within 15 minutes after athletic events, after school practices, rehearsals and other activities, or your child may be prohibited from participating in future events.

The above dates and more can be viewed on our school website at <http://www.fcboe.org/frms>.

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This past Saturday, students competed in the Fayette County Student Technology Competition (FCSTC). FCSTC was composed of 277 registered participants where 88 teams and 99 individual project submissions from a total of 15 categories. In direct competition by grade band and team and/or individual participation was Bennett's Mill with 12, Rising Starr with 11, and J.C. Booth with 22, followed by Flat Rock with 23 submissions. In result, Flat Rock students receiving awards were:



- Luke Maddox, 3D Modeling, 3rd place
- Areli Ruiz and Soraya Walker, Digital Photo Production, 3rd place
- Khalil Meikle, Audio Production, 2nd place
- Alex Arnsdorff, Digital Game Design, 2nd place
- Jackson Francis, Graphic Design, 2nd place
- Laura Ann Lawton and Grace McCleney, Video Production, 2nd place

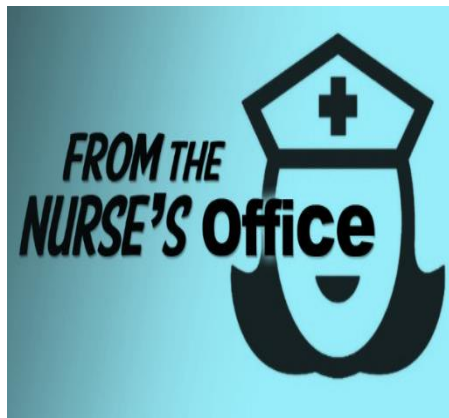
And the first place winners who are qualified to proceed to the regional competition include:

- Farqad Noori and Noah Lake, Audio Production, 1st place
- Maddy Lohr, Animation, 1st place
- Quentin Lunderman and Colin Janeski, Audio Production, 1st place
- Alan Nguyen, Digital Game Design, 1st place
- Nicholas Jenkins, Graphic Design, 1st place
- Imani Newton, Multimedia Applications, 1st place

Congratulations to all the competitors who worked to complete their projects and compete in the second annual Fayette County Student Technology Competition. Way to represent, Eagles!

**Scoliosis Screening for 6th & 8th Grades is
Wednesday, November 13th**

Scoliosis Screening letters were sent home. Sign and return the letter by November 12th ONLY if you DO NOT want your child screened. Girls should wear a bra or bathing suit top so the back can be viewed.



**Diabetes Blue Out
November 14, 2019**

November is Diabetes Awareness Month. November 14th is World Diabetes Day. On November 14th, we will ask all students and staff to wear blue (the color of diabetes) and to bring in a donation to benefit the American Diabetes Association (ADA). All donations will be collected by homeroom teachers and turned in to the front office.

**Our next PTO meeting is November 13, 2019 @5:30pm.
Parents...Your PTO Needs You!**

We have several exciting things planned for this year but we need help. The following board positions are available:

**Ice Cream Social Coordinator & Spirit Wear
Coordinator**

We are also looking for someone to lead the planning for the school dance, which is scheduled for February 2020.

If you have an interest in any of these roles or would just like more information about our PTO, please reach out to Shae Brown, PTO President at sybrown7@gmail.com

Is your child's Chromebook case broken? Is it missing?

We have a solution! You can purchase a new Chromebook case for \$10. For more information, please contact the front office.



**Chromebooks
in Education**



Congratulations to Dr. Harper who was a 2019 Bright Ideas Grant Winner!

This grant is awarded to help fund innovative, creative learning experiences and classroom projects. We at Flat Rock look forward to these new experiences for our students.

3rd Annual Fayette County Invitation Math Competition

Congratulations to our 2nd place award winners: Morgan Bryant, Baotram Hoang, Yosbani Vasallo and Joi Harris. . they competed today in the 3rd Annual Fayette County Invitation Math competition and walked away with the 2nd place award.



IMPORTANT

NOTICE

.....PLEASE READ

There will be a Community Awareness Seminar held at **Whitewater High School on Tuesday, November 12 @ 7 pm**. The focus will be on Vaping - "the truth about the dangers of vaping." Students grades 6-12 are encouraged to attend as well as their parents. Dr. Jared Cavanaugh from the Georgia Poison Center will be our guest speaker and we will hear from a 2019 Fayette County School graduate about issues that were experienced concerning vaping. Students who attend will receive a digital coupon from a popular restaurant!

Thank you in advance for your cooperation with our Community Awareness Seminar concerning the dangers of vaping!



Dear Flat Rock Families,

Our Veterans Day assembly will be held on *Monday November 11, at 1:40 P.M.* There will be a performance by The Flat Rock band, chorus, and orchestra students. We want to invite all of our Flat Rock parents and siblings to the event. If you are a veteran or active duty military personnel, please wear your uniform on this special day.

It is very important that we have adequate space for all of our guests.

Please respond by emailing Mrs. Skaff @ skaff.susan@mail.fcboe.org.

Leadership Word of the month for November

~Responsibility~

Taking care of one's self and others; to carry out a duty or task carefully and thoroughly.

**Leadership Trait of the Week
November 4th – November 8th**

“No-Excuses”

Sean Holloway

“Student of the Week”

Not letting things get in the way of your success; not blaming others or your circumstances.



This student is the epitome of the description of this week's student of the week! From the very first day of school here at "The Rock," he has exemplified a "no excuse" attitude behaviorally, academically, and socially. He is a model student who comes to school each day with a smile on his face. His infectious demeanor exudes such a determination to succeed, in spite of any circumstances that he may encounter. His focus, integrity, and leadership as a 6th-grade student are beyond commendable! Team 6B's student of the week is Sean Holloway! Sean, we are so proud of you! Keep up the good work!