

FEBRUARY

FLAT ROCK “EAGLES” ~ WEEK AT A GLANCE

February 18 - 20, 2019

Winter Break – No School

Thursday, February 21, 2019

5:00 p.m. – B & G Basketball Game 8th Grade: FRMS vs BMMS @ BMMS Gym*

Friday, February 22, 2019

8:10 a.m. – 8:40 a.m. – Science Olympiad @ Room 805*

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. – Black History Assembly @ Gym

3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. – Orchestra Rehearsal*

3:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. – Symphonic Band 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
Attention: All Transportation changes must be made before 2:00 pm and early dismissals must be made before 2:50 pm each day for adequate communication time. All lost and found items are cleared out and donated to charity the last school day of the month. Please be sure to check it regularly. The above dates and more can be viewed on our school website at <http://www.fcboe.org/frms>. Be Informed and Stay Connected with Flat Rock Middle School.



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Dear FRMS Parents,

Please complete the survey below to assist Flat Rock Middle School in our School Climate Rating. The Georgia Parent Survey is also available in Spanish. Parents may select the Spanish version within the survey.

Georgia Parent Survey:

<http://gshs.gadoe.org/parents> The Georgia Parent Survey contains 24 questions. Parents may complete the survey using their personal computer, smartphone,

or tablet. Survey responses are anonymous and will be submitted directly to the Georgia Department of Education for analysis. Our School Climate Rating is calculated from the data of the Georgia Parent Survey. School perception is influenced by this information. In addition, families frequently use this data to determine relocation into our district and selecting our school for their child. The data can also have an impact on the following: perception of parent involvement as well as district and state rankings.

Thank you for your time and support in assisting Flat Rock Middle School in making your student successful.



Congratulations to all of the students inducted into the National Beta Club

The National Beta Club recognizes outstanding academic achievement. It promotes strong moral character, social responsibility and encourages service to others; as well as fostering leadership skills while providing settings for them to develop strong interpersonal skills.

On Friday, Feb. 1st, we inducted 12 new 7th and 8th grade students into the prestigious organization. Flat Rock currently has 73 members in the Jr. Beta Club organization.



Parent Power

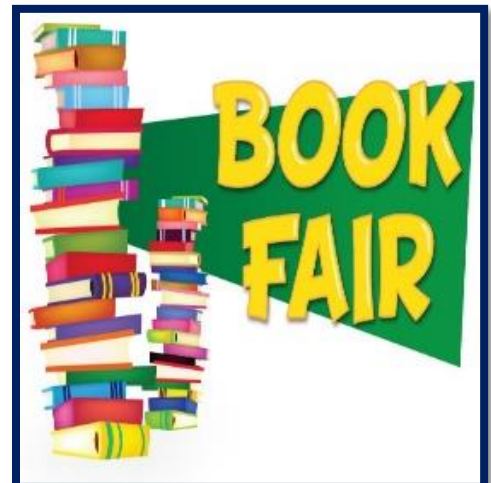
Parents benefit from being involved in their children's education by getting ideas on how to help support their children, learning about the school's academic programs and how those programs work. The journey of school is not just for educators and students, it's about parents, too! The **Parent Power** segment is dedicated to sharing articles that support your child's success in school.

Check out the link below to see "phone and screen time rules a mom gives her 8 kids"

["Your phone is not your property"](#)

The FRMS Book Fair is just around the corner! Parent volunteers are needed to operate cash registers and help students as needed. The book fair will be **February 25 - March 1** during the school day in the Media Center. If you are able to help out, please go to the website below to sign up:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0849aaac2ca46-frms6>



The Eagle Wings is sponsoring the *Pennies for Patients* program which benefits the **Leukemia & Lymphoma Society**. There will be a special treat for the homeroom that raises the most money for this worthy cause. Please visit <https://events.lls.org/pages/ga/Flat-Rock-Middle-School-2019> to donate on behalf of the school. Also, students can earn Hero Gear when they contribute. The campaign will begin Monday, February 11th and conclude Friday, March 1st.

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Leadership Word of the Month for February

Diligence– Careful and persistent work or effort



Leadership Trait of the week: February 11 – February 15

Focus: to direct time, attention, and effort to a particular issue or task

Student of the Week

When comes to focus and dedication this student exemplifies these qualities. This student arrives at school every day ready to learn and participate in the classroom. She never finds a challenge too large for her and she will always rise to the occasion. She often knows the correct answer and can explain her thinking process. She is resilient and wonderful team-player, always willing to offer a helping hand to any of her peers. She represents her class with dignity and honor. The student of week for 8A is **Ashlee Taylor**. Congratulations!



SAVE THE DATE



Flat Rock Talent and Fashion Showcase

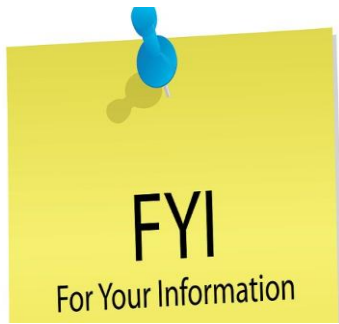
Please join us for this fun event

Friday, March 8th at Sandy Creek High School Patriot Hall

7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Tickets are on sale now for Flat Rock Middle School's Fashion and Talent Showcase. This awesome event will be held on March 8, 2019 at Sandy Creek High School (Patriots Hall). Doors open at 7PM. You do not want to miss the event of the year. Tickets are \$5 in advance \$7 at the door. Tickets can be purchased online <https://squareup.com/market/frmspto> or at school.

Please join us for our next PTO meeting on Wednesday, February 13th at 5:30 P.M.
We have a lot of great activities planned for the remainder of the year. We look forward to seeing you there!



There will be a mandatory FRMS Track and Field interest meeting for all eligible participants on Monday, February 25th at 6:00 p.m. in the media center.



Builders Club members enjoying a day at the State Capitol learning and watching Legislators at work.

→ Eagle Robotics ← *Presents*

A 6 week coding class for 6th & 7th graders interested in joining our award winning robotics club in the fall.

This will familiarize students with just the robot portion of FIRST LEGO League.

The 7 week course will include the basics of:

- LEGO technic robot building
- Robot attachment building
- FIRST LEGO League robot game missions
- EV3 coding
- Coding and usage of sensors

Questions? Contact:

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- Space *is* limited.
- The application window will open from February 18th-22nd.
- Applications will be on the FRMS website.
- Practices will start March 13th and will end April 25th.
- We will meet Wednesday & Thursday afternoons until 4:30pm.
- Cost \$10 for new students, free to 2018 fall team members.



SEE LINK FOR APPLICATION: [HTTPS://GOO.GL/FORMS/FKGMX33KsFzMMHW63](https://goo.gl/forms/FKGMX33KsFzMMHW63)