



FLAT ROCK “EAGLES” ~ WEEK AT A GLANCE

Monday, September 17, 2018

3:25 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. – Intramural: **Boys**

Tuesday, September 18, 2018

3:10 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. – Photo Club

4:30 p.m. – 10:00 - Fayette County Marching Exhibition @ McIntosh HS*

5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. - Volleyball Game: FRMS vs BMS @ BMS*

Wednesday, September 19, 2018

Thursday, September 20, 2018

Friday, September 21, 2018

3:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. – Symphonic Band Rehearsal*

Saturday, September 22, 2018

9:15 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. – Cheer Competition @ WHS

10:00 p.m. – 12:00 p.m. - Parent Power Workshop: Literacy & Technology Support Training Part 2 - Rooms 601 - 604

*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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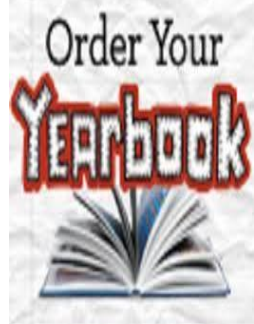


The FRMS Media Center is in need of parent volunteers who are able to help on a daily, weekly, or monthly basis. Some of the things you would be doing are shelving books, straightening shelves, and checking out books to students. If you would like to become a regular volunteer in the Media Center, please email Cassie Upshaw at upshaw.cassie@mail.fcboe.org

Thank you for your support!

Fayette County Marching Exhibition School Improvement

Listen to Fayette County's middle and high school bands perform during the annual Fayette County Marching Exhibition taking place on **September 18 at McIntosh High School starting at 6 p.m.** Middle school bands will kick off the evening by performing the National Anthem and their schools' fight songs followed by an exhibition of the high school marching band shows. Tickets are \$5 for adults and \$2 for students with ID; children under 12 are free.



Attention Flat Rock parents, Yearbooks are on sale now!

Order online @ www.yearbookordercenter.com the order number is 16550. **Save \$15 by purchasing before September 15th!**

Attention ALL 8th grade parents!! Ads to commemorate your 8th grader's final year in middle school should be created and purchased online.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact Ms. Maddox at maddox.dionne@mail.fcboe.org Thank you!!



Thank you to our Partner in Education

For the 4th year in a row **Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.** members donated school supplies to Flat Rock for our students!

We appreciate everything that you do for our school!



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 advice on "5 things you can do when a child says": [I don't want to go to school](#)



Leadership Word of the Month for **SEPTEMBER: HONESTY**

Showing a good and truthful character; able to be trusted

Leadership Trait of the Week
September 10 – September 14th
Principles
Adey Mulugeta
Student of the Week



Principles – The belief that helps you know right from wrong and influences your actions

This student is always a role model for her peers, a wonderful leadership quality. She is always doing what is expected of without the teachers asking. She is often quiet but quietly making an impact on those around her, earning their respect. Adey Mulugeta exemplifies these wonderful qualities. She is well-respected among her teachers, always conducts herself with dignity, and is diligent with her responsibilities. She always is striving to do her best. This weeks' student of the week for 8A is **Adey Mulugeta**.

Tech Saturdays

Is a STEM and **Parent Power** initiative designed to expose parents, students and other community stakeholders to educational technology resources that we use in the classroom. Many of these tools have practical applications beyond the classroom and can teach our students workforce development skills. For the 2018 - 2019 school year, we'll leverage the **Flexible Learning Center** to host technology sessions, each session will last an hour on the second Saturday of every month. We will provide light refreshments and request participants to make a charitable donation so we can continue to offer Tech Saturdays throughout the school year.

Session Dates

- Saturday, October 13th - Professional Presentations with Google Slides
- Saturday, November 10th - Web Design with Google Sites
- Saturday, December 8th - Graphic Design with Canva
- Saturday, January 12th - Creating Professional Videos
- Saturday, February 9th - Using Spreadsheets with Google Sheets (or Excel)
- Saturday, March 9th - Creating Surveys with Google Forms
- Saturday, April 13th - Creating & Publishing Podcasts

Event Registration Link: <https://goo.gl/forms/zCBrnNdeKp1HgK583>



FLEXIBLE LEARNING CENTER
2ND SATURDAY OF EVERY
MONTH

REGISTER FOR A SESSION USING THIS LINK

(770) 969 - 2834 or (470) 231 - 8372
Email: carby.natell@mail.fcboe.org
www.fcboe.org/frms



FAYETTE COUNTY BRANCH NAACP EDUCATION COMMITTEE

PRESENTS:

A CALL TO ACTION TOWN HALL SUMMIT

Theme: *An Educated Approach
To Our Children's Safety*

Purpose: Is to take a pro-active approach to address
the issues of "Guns in Our Schools."

Saturday, September 15, 2018 | 10:00am – 1:00pm

Sam's Auditorium
205 LaFayette Avenue, Fayetteville, GA 30214

Moderator: Edali Pollard, eqenec consulting

For more information contact
Fayette County Branch NAACP (770) 954-6021



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Flau'jae
Savannah, GA
America's Got
Talent finalist

**King
Roscoe**
Atlanta, GA
America's
Got Talent
and The Rap
Game finalist



The Coca-Cola Give Program

Dear Parents,

We're excited to share that Flat Rock is part of the **Coca-Cola Give** program. This is a new funding opportunity to help improve learning environments for students. The best part? Donations don't come out of your own pocket. When you make Coca-Cola purchases, you simply enter the product codes here: <https://us.coca-cola.com/give/schools/> and our school will receive a donation.

A second option is to save bottle caps from your Coca-Cola products. Students can turn in the bottle caps to their homeroom teachers and the Flat Rock STEM Team will scan the caps for you! As a bonus, the homeroom in each grade level that collects the most caps each month will receive a doughnut breakfast.

Thanks for your support!

Systematic
Training
Effective
Parenting

FREE! Workshop

September 18 & 25
October 2, 16, 23 & 30
November 6 & 13

Download the registration form from
this website. Click on the "Programs"
tab and select the "Student Assistant
Services C.A.R.E." link.

The school system's CARE (**Children at Risk in Education**) program is sponsoring a free STEP (**Systematic Training for Effective Parenting**) workshop for parents of students at all grade levels. It is 10-week workshop that will help parents better understand their child's behavior; improve communication with their child and other parenting topics. It will run Tuesdays, from September through November at the Center for Innovation. **Parents interested in attending should contact your child's school counselor for more information.** The registration form can be downloaded from the FCBOE website @ www.fcboe.org and the completed form turned in to the school counselor. Click on the "programs" tab and select the "Student Assistance Services (CARE)" link. The STEP parenting class link is on the left.