



Hazelwood Announcements for Friday, December 10th 2021

- ★ Congratulations to Cortney Johnson, HMS's Teacher of the Year! Ms. Johnson teaches 8th grade Science. We are extremely proud of her!

- ★ Masks are required while inside HMS until further notice. This includes all in-door sporting events.

- ★ We had even more students nominated this week for a token to receive a free book from our SUPER COOL Book vending machine that is in the commons outside of the library! These students received a ticket for great behaviors that their teachers saw this week, working hard in the classroom, and for having good character. The winners were: Chris Gibbs nominated by Ms. Wiley, Quint Reeves nominated by Ms. Moore, Tanjela Bonner nominated by Ms. Dankovich, Maya Zaragoza nominated by Ms. Woodruff, Layci Harris nominated by Ms. Vierling, and Robert Garland nominated by Ms. Kiesler. Congratulations!

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- ★ Hazelwood Theatre Arts will be performing, "Frozen, Jr." this spring!
 - The audition workshop for anyone interested in auditioning for Frozen Jr. will be on Monday, December 13th, from 3:45-5:00.
 - All students in grades 5-8 are welcome to attend, and it is highly recommended that you come to the workshop if you are planning to audition!
 - Auditions will be on Tuesday, January 4th from 3:45-6:00 and on Thursday, January 6th, from 3:45-6:00 (students will sign-up for a spot and will only need to come on one day).
 - Audition materials will be handed out at the workshop.

- ★ Pawsitive Weekly Report: <https://youtu.be/4H0iOzI1a0c>

- ★ Spirit Week!
 - Monday- Polar Express PJ Day
 - Tuesday- Holiday Character Day
 - Wednesday- Holiday Accessory Day - wear holiday socks etc.
 - Thursday- PTO Ugly Sweater Day
 - Friday- Winter Wonderland Day -Wear Blue or White to show you're ready for winter break!

- ★ December 13th-17th: Students can be entered to win a pair of Beats headphones. When they eat lunch in the cafeteria all 5 days they will receive a ballot with each lunch. They can fill it out and drop it in the box by the office.

- ★ Join us for the Indiana Pacer's mascot Boomer on December 22nd vs Tell City. Special thanks to Kahl's Body Shop for making Boomer's trip to New Albany High School possible. Boomer will run out with the Bulldogs during the Varsity game, perform his NBA halftime dunk show routine at halftime, and be available during the second half for pictures and autographs. If you do not have season tickets single game tickets can be purchased at the ticket gates on 12/22 for \$6. Tickets will go on sale at 5PM when the doors open. Join us for high school basketball and NBA entertainment on 12/22!

- ★ Students, please remember that once you have gone through the lunch line, you may **not** go back through to get extras. If you're purchasing extra items, you must do so when you are getting your lunch!

- ★ Join us for Fellowship of Christian Athletes on Tuesday mornings before school starts! We will be meeting at 8:40 in Mrs. Woodruff's room (room 282).

- ★ Hazelwood's 2021-22 yearbook can be ordered now for \$30. Reserve your copy before it's too late. Online orders can be made at JostensYearbooks.com. You can also pick up an order form on the ledge outside the office.

- ★ On December 17th, we will be having our annual wreath laying ceremony at The New Albany National Cemetery. The ceremony will be open to the public and we encourage community members, especially those with loved ones in the cemetery, to join us at 1:45 in the auditorium. We will be taking donations that will be used towards purchasing wreaths until November 12th. Each wreath is about \$8.00 and we would love to be able to honor as many veterans as possible! You can make checks out to Hazelwood Middle School, memo line Wreaths. If you would like to donate another way or have any questions, please email Ms Miller at lmiller@nafcs.org.

★ **Tonight's Athletic Events:**

- ★ **5th-8th Grade Wrestling Tryout Dates and Times:** (You must attend all days of tryouts, and you MUST have a completed physical form on file with the office)
 - Monday, 11/29 4:00-5:30

- Tuesday 11/30 4:00-5:30
- Wednesday 12/1 4:00-5:30
- Thursday, 12/2 No Tryout
- Friday, 12/3 4:00-5:30 Please contact Coach Chad McClanahan chad.mcclanahan@yahoo.com if you have any questions.
- For More information printouts are on the ledge by the office.

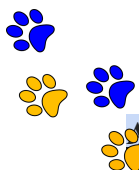
★ **5th & 6th grade Boys basketball tryout information** - Tryout Dates and Times: (You must attend all days of tryouts, and you MUST have a completed physical form on file with the office)

- Monday, 12/6 5th Grade – 4:00-5:30 6th Grade – 5:30-7:00
- Wednesday, 12/8 5th Grade – 4:00-5:30 6th Grade – 5:30-7:00
- Friday, 12/10 5th Grade – 4:00-5:30 6th Grade – 5:30-7:00

Please contact Coach Scot Doty hdoty@nafcs.org if you have any questions.

★ **Today's Lunch Menu:** *Entrées:* Homestyle Chicken & Waffles, Breakfast for lunch, Cheese Pizza, Fajita Chicken Salad, Fiesta Beef or Chicken & Cheese (Nacho or Rice Bowl), Juicy Hamburger or Cheeseburger, Hot & Spicy Chicken Sandwich, Entree Garden Salad, PB and Grape Jelly Uncrustable, Seasonal fruit, choice of milk

★ **Breakfast for Dec 13:** Yogurt and Muffin, seasonal fresh fruit, variety of cereals, 100% juice box, buttered toast, choice of milk



After School Tutoring Available

- When: Tuesdays & Thursdays
- Time: 3:45-5:15
- Where: Library
- What: Tutoring for Math and English

★ **Update:**

- **Contact Tracing Protocols**
 - Now that masks are required of everyone in the building, the “3 feet rule” is in play. We are required to contact those students within 6 feet of a positive person for at least 15 minutes. Unvaccinated individuals determined to be close contacts by that guideline will need to quarantine. Vaccinated individuals determined to be close contacts by that guideline will be required to wear a mask for 14 days.

The following 4 items will not follow the color coding policy:

- All unvaccinated adults (employees and visitors) must wear facial coverings while in our facilities.
- Due to federal regulations for public transportation, face coverings are required on school buses for all students and staff. This policy will continue until the Feds change it. This policy is independent from the other color coded policies.
- Indoor athletic and spectator events and sales will be governed by the IHSAA and other guidance factors.
- At present, there are no mask requirements for outdoor activities regardless of color code.

NEW ALBANY FLOYD COUNTY COLOR CODE COVID POLICY	
Advisory Level	
BLUE	Students who are not fully vaccinated are recommended to wear a face covering; however, it will be optional during the school day. Visitors, field trips and events allowed.
YELLOW	Students who are not fully vaccinated are strongly recommended/encouraged to wear face coverings; however it will be optional during the school day. Visitors, field trips and events allowed.
ORANGE	Face coverings will be required for all staff and students on school buses and indoors, unless a medical situation dictates otherwise. No field trips. Indoor event have capacity and safety requirements.
RED	Face coverings are required for all staff and students on school buses and indoors, unless a medical situation warrants otherwise. Visitors will not be permitted beyond the main office area.

★ Students, don't forget that you MUST still wear a mask on the bus!

Guidance for when your child is sick:

- If your child has a fever, vomiting or diarrhea, please keep him/her home until he/she is symptom free for 24 hrs. Please call the Attendance Hotline at 812-542-3301 to report your child's absence.
- If your child was a close contact to someone that tested positive for Covid and was not wearing a mask at the time of the exposure, please call our Nurse, Ms. Fisher, at 812-542-8502 for guidance.
- If your child has Covid symptoms and you are going to get him/her tested for Covid, please do not send him/her to school and call our Nurse, Ms. Fisher, at 812-542-8502 to report this.
- If your child has tested positive for Covid, please call Dr. Waters at 812-542-8502 as soon as you are able to do so to report this.

