



SEVIER MIDDLE SCHOOL FALCONS

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UPCOMING EVENTS

- 11/9 PTA Shirt Day
Boys in PE/Health begin
Sex-Ed. classes 11/9 - 11/20
- 11/11 Veterans Day Ceremony 10am
- 11/12 6th Gr. Intramurals begin
7th Gr. Roper Mtn. Science
Ctr field trip - Barbare
Chess Club Parent Mtg. 4pm
- 11/13 7th Gr. Roper Mtn. Science
Ctr field trip - Morris
SIC Mtg: 1:00pm
Cookie Dough orders arrive
- 11/14 Falcon Regional Qualifier
Robotics Competition
Six for Sticks Celebration
game
- 11/17 8th Gr. Fine Arts Visitation
forms due
- 11/19 8th Gr. Fine Arts Visitation
Chess Club begins 3:45 pm
Fishing Club 3:45pm
Washington Trip Deposit due
- 11/19 - 21 Youth in Government Trip
- 11/21 Garden Workday
- 11/23 2nd Quarter Progress Reports
Gathering of the Falcons
Flight of the Falcon 6:30pm
- 11/25 - 27 Thanksgiving Break
- 12/1 Basketball @ Greenville
- 12/3 \$1 No Collar Spirit Day
League @ SV basketball
- 12/4 \$7 Chick-Fil-A Calendar sales
end
- 12/5 Robotics Competition
- 12/7 Tanglewood @ SV basketball
- 12/8 Band & Strings Concert 6:30
- 12/10 SV Basketball @ Berea
Drama Performance 6:30
- 12/11 6th Gr. Winter Dance

A Return to Camp Sevier

Join us for our 19th annual Veteran's Day Ceremony — Wednesday, November 11 at 10:00 a.m. This ceremony is very special, as we attend school on the grounds of the World War I Army facility, Camp Sevier. We will honor all veterans and active military personnel, starting the day with speakers in each classroom. Any veteran willing to share a story or two with small groups of students are asked to arrive between 8:20am - 9:00am. Please call the school if you are willing to speak with a student group or need special accommodations (355-8200).

ALL members of the community are invited to attend. You will be pleased that you witnessed this celebration with your child.



FLIGHT OF THE FALCON

An Academic and Related Arts Showcase

Presented by Sevier Middle School Faculty and PTA

5TH GRADERS and PARENTS are invited to join us on November 23rd at 6:30pm to view the challenge and excitement of middle school through the sharp eyes of the FALCON!

- Learn about STEAM, project-based learning, and 1 to 1 computing
- Visit our Engineering, Computer Science, and Digital Media labs
- Tour the locker rooms & the gym!
- Meet school leaders and investigate student activities
- Get a glimpse of Enrichment and support opportunities
- How about a locker for your Band or Strings instrument?
- Don't forget your Homeroom locker! We will draw for 30 top locker reservations on the night of this event.

6:30 - 6:55 pm

Meeting in the Cafeteria for Itinerary and Academic Overview

7:00 - 7:35 pm

"Search for the Falcon's Feather", Meet teachers while you complete a scavenger hunt in 6th Grade and Related Arts classes

7:40 - 8:00 pm

Informal Questions and Answers in the Media Center

8th Grade Service Project: Caring for the Cobras

8th Grade Academy will be working on a series of service projects this year. Our first project, in progress through the month of November, will help Rosemary Middle School whose students not only lost home items but school items as well. We ask that all Sevier families try to help with this effort. We will collect the following items the entire month of November. **We will also be collecting money through November 13 at lunches and in the car line. Our goal is \$1000!** We greatly appreciate your support! We have assigned items for each grade level, however we will accept whatever donations you have available.

Supplies needed:

- 6th grade will bring in: Any School Supplies
- 7th grade will bring in: Personal Supplies/ Toiletries
- 8th grade will bring in: Gently used clothing for all sizes and ages.

Students will place items in bins located in ELA and Sciences classes and these will be collected by 8th graders. Parents and community members may drop off items to the front office. Go to <http://qoo.gl/B9a55o> for more info.



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Fine Arts Visitation Day for 8th Graders

The Fine Arts Center will hold its annual Middle School visitation day on **Thursday, November 19, 2015**. 8th Graders interested in the arts are invited to spend a half day at The Center looking over programs and meeting faculty and students. The session is from 9:15 to 11:05 AM. Transportation is not provided.

Students must complete a Prearranged Absence Form, requiring parent and teacher signatures, and return it to the front office by November 17th. Go to our website for a copy of the Prearrange Absence Form.

*On-line application for new and returning students for the 2016-2017 year will be on the website from November 2, 2015 to January 15, 2016. Go to www.fineartscenter.net.



The deadline to nominate an "unsung hero" is January 29th, 2016. Don't forget YOU can nominate your own "unsung hero" at www.c4ceawards.com

The ACE Awards (Advocates for Character and Education) is an annual banquet honoring 68 male and female students from each of the 34 Greenville County middle and high schools. This award is designed to recognize true "unsung heroes" who all too often are not recognized for their accomplishments. The selection process, established by Greenville County school counselors, focuses on identifying and selecting at risk students as award winners.

Nominate and honor our Sevier Middle School 8th grade students!

ATTENTION 8TH GRADE STUDENTS: Magnet Applications are available online at www.gcmagnetacademies.org. The FAQ's are also posted there. It is very important for students to apply during the first round as spaces in the programs are limited. Deadline is noon Tuesday, November 24.

Students Recognitions

Congratulations to Samatha Holley for auditioning and being accepted into Greenville County's Chamber Strings Orchestra. Sam plays the Viola.

Congratulations to 8th Grade Chorus Student Chalan Johnson. She was chosen to go on to the next level in the Best Singer In The District Auditions!!

PTA REFLECTIONS WINNERS:

Congratulations to our PTA Reflection Winners. The first place winners go on to District competition. After that, Sevier's top 4 in each division will be sent to State.

Literature

- ◆ 1st Place - Grace Brackett
- ◆ 2nd Place - Chloe Henry

Photography

- ◆ 1st Place - Jacob Bishop-Pirrone
- ◆ 2nd Place- Zoe Buddie
- ◆ 3rd Place- Jacob Bishop-Pirrone
- ◆ Honorable Mention - Jacob Bishop-Pirrone

Music

- ◆ 1st Place - Zoe Buddie

Visual Arts

- ◆ 1st - Hailey Bergenthal
- ◆ 2nd - Grace Brackett
- ◆ 3rd - Grace Brackett
- ◆ Honorable Mention - Grace Brackett
- ◆ Honorable Mention - Kennedy Tillery



As part of their STEAM unit all 6th grade students will get to tour the Greenville Zoo "Zoomobile" on December 1st or 4th.

Counselor's Corner



On October 29th students were recognized during Gathering of the Falcons for Character, A and AB honor roll, perfect attendance, as well as many other academic and related art recognitions. Over 360 students made the Honor Roll, and received their awards to go home with their 1st quarter report cards. We are very proud of all of our students.

6th Grade ALL A Principal's Honor Roll: Agustin Acevedo, Amber Altier, Willow Baker, Hailey Bergenthal, Bayley Betsill, Janie Brown, Audrey Bryant, Zoe Buddie, Kerri Burgess, Neleah Clough, Andrew Collins, Jackson Duncan, Ben Duong, Ansley Hall, Juliana Harris, Morgan Hayes, Deacon Hege, Cassandra Hernandez-Zuniga, Alison Hinojosa, Ashley Ho, Ashley Ho, Abigail Koon, Ada Le, Adelaide Nagy, Christy Phan, Lexie Pust, Perla Reyes-Santos, Mariela Rodriguez, Evan Shealy, Madison Stover, Zacharia Strange, Kennedy Tillery, Van Uk, Courtney Williams-Duckett, and Sophia Windham

7th Grade ALL A Principal's Honor Roll: Emma Babetz, Mason Bailey, Mackenzie Barker, Bryn Betenbaugh, Jacob Bishop-Pirrone, Gus Bridwell, Bess Bridwell, Leah Chappell, Seth Dorchen, Owen Dover, Rebecca Eaves, Mitchell Evans, Hannah Hand, Jada Hardy, Logan Harrison, Elizabeth Heible, Eric Ho, Mark Juarez-Vicencio, Aaron LaBar, Avona Le, Hang Le, Christopher Lewis, Caroline Mathis, Gideon McCants, Isaiah McCluney, James Moore, Luke Newlin, Olivia Pechin, William Rankin, Noah Saitz, Jake Shore, Andrew Smart, Isabella Smith, Clark Sponseller, Davis Sponseller, Parker Stambaugh, Anna Stanton, Patrick Stone, Caroline Strinsky, Mia Sutton, Morgan Thoennes, Grace Tomlinson, Kayly Tran, Logan Wagner, Malajah Williams, and Hayden Wyatt.

8th Grade ALL A Principal's Honor Roll: Grace Brackett, Jonathan Brennan, David Calixto, Chris Chau, Loudon Craig, Samuel Evans, Huda Falous, Lydia Flackett, Brett Forsyth, Evan Greeley, Steven Hannon, Adeline Hudson, Zoeie Hughes, Cameron Knox, Kevin Le, Coan Luquire, Sheyla Maldonado Barahona, Johnny Nguyen, Daniel Perez Velazquez, Sarah Rhoades, Brandon Segovia, Ami Sherer, Eduardo Sierra-Hernandez, Lesly Torres, Amando Wampler, Hallie Ward, and Cason Whitmire.



Jami Crisman, 6th grade School Counselor, 355-8485
Tomiko Long, 8th grade School Counselor, 355-8377

Darcy Storm, 7th grade School Counselor, 355-8203
Melinda Howard, Guidance Office Clerk, 355-8204

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Students interested in joining the Chess Club should come by the front office to for a permission

form. Forms should be turned in at the Informational Parent Meeting on Thursday, November 12th. The Chess Club will meet on 1st and 3rd Thursdays from 3:45 - 4:45. Students who miss the informational meeting are still welcome to join. See Mrs. Haack in Room 210 for details. This club does not require a membership fee.



Chick-Fil-A Calendars are on sale for \$7 through December 4th to help support

the Special Olympics. Calendars contain over \$30 in Chick-Fil-A savings. See Mrs. Black.



Falcon & Lady Falcon Basketball

Basketball Schedule

- 12/1 Sevier @ Greenville
- 12/3 League @ Sevier
- 12/7 Tanglewood @ Sevier
- 12/10 Sevier @ Berea
- 12/14 Seiver @ Hughes
- 12/17 Beck @ Sevier
- 1/5 Greenville @ Sevier
- 1/7 Sevier @ League
- 1/11 Berea @ Sevier
- 1/13 Hughes @ Sevier
- 1/19 Sevier @ Tanglewood

Falcons Basketball Team

- Nick Brenegan
- Nauleage Corpening
- Jack Edwards
- Adrian Gleaton
- Raquavious Hodge
- JuQuarius Jones
- Tirrell Jones
- Malik Norris
- Eduardo Sierra-Hernandez
- Lerinzo Terry
- Lamar Warnex
- Cason Whitmire
- Hayden Wyatt
- Jaiden Young

Lady Falcons Basketball Team

- Ryley Edwards
- Hannah Hand
- Ali Hannon
- Olivia Hannon
- Kathryn Haswell
- Hailey Hughes
- Chalan Johnson
- River Johnson
- Cameron Knox
- Vicky Pilz
- Shaler Reeves
- Emily Rhea
- Elizabeth Terry
- Hallie Ward

Sign Up for Remind.
Get Sevier updates!

You are now signed up to receive Mrs. Kapp's updates!

Ask teachers for their Remind codes at Parent Conferences

BAND & STRINGS WINTER CONCERT

6:30pm in the Gym

All are welcome to attend this free event.

All members need to be present at 6pm and dressed in concert black.

Sevier Falcon Regional Qualifier Robotics Competition

Join us Saturday, November 14, in the Sevier Gym. Sevier is hosting the Falcon Regional Qualifier Robotics Competition. Watch our students compete against other middle school and high school teams. Admission is free. Concessions will be sold.

Fuss Free Fundraiser Corporate Sponsors

Sevier Middle School PTA is reaching out to the community, inviting local businesses to become our sponsors. The Sevier PTA provides school supplies, technology, teacher grants, student incentives, teacher and student recognition programs, and volunteer services for school related activities. *Ice Cream sundaes are just around the corner for our Honor Roll students.*

Funding is needed to sustain and expand these efforts. We are seeking from local businesses, a contribution of \$250, or in-kind services toward this endeavor. Your support and business will be recognized on banners upon our fence, on our school slide show, and on various forms of Sevier Middle's printed and social media.

Thank you to the following businesses for their sponsorship by providing money, supplies and services: OnPoint, Money Mailer, PRO Pitch Hit Run, Calder Brothers Corporation, DOT2DOT, Craft Stove Store & Patio, Georgia Luquire with SunTrust Mortgage, Edwards Insurance, Babb Painting, Harvey's Original Family Restaurant, Sharp Business Systems, Beauty for Ashes Counseling, Professional Engineering Associates, Vision Screenprinting and Graphics, Showcase Marketing, Kirby Bridwell with Keller Williams Realty, Chick-Fil-A in Taylors and Cherrydale, Cross Mechanical, Betwixt Boutique, and Play It Again Sports. A special thanks to Vision Screenprinting and Graphics for creating the sponsor banners displayed on our fence.