



# HIGH SPRINGS COMMUNITY SCHOOL



## Hawk Happenings – April/May 2024

Principal: Lynn McNeill ♦ Assistant Principals: Emery Bishop & Jennifer Spencer

### Important Dates in April

- 4/3: HOME soccer vs Mebane @ 4:00
- 4/5: HOME soccer vs Bishop @ 4:00
- 4/8-4/12: Middle School Book Fair
- 4/8: HOME soccer vs Oak View @ 4:00
- 4/10: AWAY soccer vs Kanapaha @ 4:00
- 4/12: Kid's Heart Challenge
- 4/15: Fourth Grade Field Trip to St. Augustine
- 4/16: Spring Picture Day
- 4/18: First Grade Field Trip to Santa Fe Zoo & Planetarium (Beaupied, Crisalli, Duncan)
- 4/19: First Grade Field Trip to Santa Fe Zoo & Planetarium (Elixson, Wheeler, Davis, Kieszek)
- 4/24: Kindergarten Round Up @ 2:00 pm
- 4/25: FFA Field Trip to Epcot  
Honors Choir Field Trip & Performance @ Trinity Methodist Church

### Jr. Beta News

Our Jr. Beta Club is sponsoring a team that will be participating in the North Florida Relay for Life on Friday, April 26<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 – 10:00 pm at the Legacy Park Multipurpose Center in Alachua.

If you would like to support our team and donate to this wonderful cause,

- Visit the Relay for Life of North Florida website: [https://secure.acsevents.org/site/STR?pg=entry&fr\\_id=104080](https://secure.acsevents.org/site/STR?pg=entry&fr_id=104080)
- Click Donate
- Search for High Springs Jr. Beta Club



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### Middle School Book Fair

#### Dates

April 8<sup>th</sup> -April 12<sup>th</sup>

#### Hours

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday: 7:15-3:00

Thursday: 7:15-6:00

Friday: 7:15-12:00



### School Advisory Council

Looking forward to the 2024/2025 school year, we will have two parent vacancies on the School Advisory Council.

An electronic nomination form will be sent very soon.

### FAST Testing

K-8<sup>th</sup> grade students will complete Progress Monitoring #3 from April 22<sup>nd</sup> to May 22<sup>nd</sup>.

Results of Progress Monitoring #3 will be posted in Skyward Family Access.

### Kindergarten Round Up

Do you have a child who is entering kindergarten for the 2024/2025 school year?

Join us for Kindergarten Round Up  
April 24<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 pm





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- 5/2: Elementary Art Show 5:30-6:30 pm  
Elementary Chorus Concert @ 6:30 pm  
Title I Parent Engagement Event
- 5/9: Kindergarten Field Trip to Camp Kulaqua  
Middle School Sports Banquet @ 6:00 pm
- 5/14: SAC Meeting @ 2:30 pm
- 5/15: Kindergarten Program @ 8:15 am
- 5/16: 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Field Trip to Legoland  
Jr. Beta End of Year Field Trip
- 5/17: FFA Banquet @ 6:30 pm
- 5/20-5/24: Elementary Book Fair
- 5/20: Middle School Band/Elementary Chorus Concert @ 6:30 pm
- 5/23: 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Field Trip to Camp Kulaqua  
7<sup>th</sup> Grade Field Trip to Sea World
- 5/28: K-5<sup>th</sup> Reward Day
- 5/29: 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Reward Day
- 5/30: 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Bridging Ceremony
- 5/31: 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation and Last Day of School

### Title I News

Title I will be hosting a Parent Engagement event on May 2<sup>nd</sup>!

Please be on the lookout for an invitation to join us and receive free materials that will help prevent Summer Slide!

We look forward to seeing everyone on May 2<sup>nd</sup>!

### Elementary Book Fair

#### Dates

May 20<sup>th</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup>

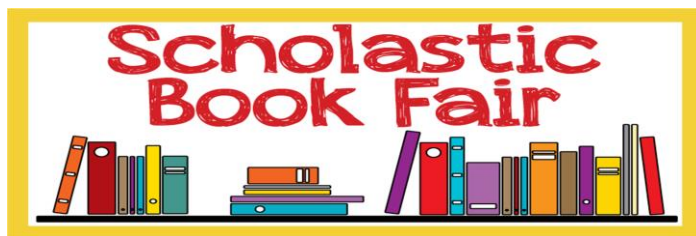
#### Hours

Monday, Tuesday and Thursday: 7:20-2:15

Wednesday: 7:20-1:30

Friday: 7:20-12:30

The book fair will also be open the evening of May 20<sup>th</sup> from 5:00 – 6:30 PM



### Middle School Music News

Is your current 7<sup>th</sup> or 8<sup>th</sup> grade band member interested in marching/color guard with SFHS' Award Winning Raider Regiment next year? Contact Mr. Montauk or the high school director for more information.

If your student is interested in auditioning for 2024 Middle School All-State band, audition information will be available early May.

Dates to remember:

April 12<sup>th</sup>-Music Performance Assessment 5:15 pm @ Lincoln Middle School

May 20<sup>th</sup>-Spring Concert with Elementary Chorus, 6:30 pm

This has been a wonderful year of growth, and I am looking forward to our musical future. Thank you, parents, guardians, everyone at HSCS from administrators, educators, and staff, as well as various members in our community for all the support that is given to the HSCS band program.



Musically yours,  
Mr. Montauk

### Middle School Sports

**Let's celebrate a great volleyball, basketball and soccer season!**

Sports Banquet

May 9<sup>th</sup>, 2024

6:00-7:30

### Elementary Art Show and Chorus Concert

Join us on May 2<sup>nd</sup> for our Elementary Art Show and Chorus Concert!

Art Show: 5:30-6:30 pm

Concert: 6:30 pm

