



Reminders

- 5/7-11: Teacher Appreciation Week
- 5-9: School Nurse Appreciation Day
- 5-10: NJHS Inductions @ 6pm
- 5-13: Mother's Day
- 5-14: Armed Forces Day
- 5-17: Movie night 4-6 pm
- 5-18: Dodgeball Tournament
- 5-22: Choir Concert @ 6pm
- 5-23: Awards Day
- 5-24: History Re-enactors
- 5-24: Band Concert @ 6pm
- 5-28: Memorial Day-No School
- 5-31: Last Day of School

Monthly Fun Facts

- Birthstone: Emerald
- Flower: Lily of the Valley
- May is the third and last month of the spring season.
- The Indianapolis 500 car race is held each year during May.
- The Kentucky Derby, the world's most famous horse race, is held the second Saturday of May.
- Mother's Day is on the second Sunday.
- Armed Forces Day is on the third Saturday of May.
- Memorial Day is on the last Monday.

Twitter Safety

- Twitter is fun to use, but be cautious when using. Consider the following:
- 1-Is it necessary to add your location to tweets?
 - 2-Get rid of Geotag info from your photos before tweeting them.
 - 3-Enable Twitter's privacy and security options.
 - 4-Keep your personal information out of your profile.

Nurse's Corner

Please pick up all of your medication in the nurse's office before the school year is over. All medication not picked up will be destroyed.

Math/Science Team

On April 21, the Flour Bluff Intermediate and Junior High Math/Science Team traveled to San Antonio for the TMSCA State Championship. For the 33rd consecutive year (every year since 1985). Flour Bluff is once again the 5A State Champion by almost 400 points. Our amazing Hornets won first place in both Team Number Sense and Calculator (we had the highest Calculator score at the entire meet in any division). We also placed 5th place in General Math (only 26 points from first place) and 7th place in Science. Some of our individual results were just as impressive. Every student on the 7th and 8th grade Calculator team places in the top 15 (First time this has happened). We almost had 5 of the top 10 in 7th grade Number Sense, 4 of the top 10 in 8th Grade Number Sense. We had 24 of 60 top 10 individual awards in the math events. It was quite a showing by our Hornets and they have kept our tradition alive for the 33rd year in a row.

Athletic Physicals

When: May 10
Where: High school gym from 2:30-4:30 p.m.
Cost: \$25
What: Any athlete needing a physical for the upcoming school year.

Have a safe and happy summer!
We look forward to seeing everybody again next year!

Newsletter brought to you by NJHS

Choir News

The Varsity Girls Treble Choir received "Sweepstakes" Straight 1's in UIL Concert/Sightreading Evaluation in March. The NonVarsity Girls Treble Choir Received a 2 in Concert. Congratulations to all Choir members.

Track News

- Congratulations to the 8th Grade Boys and Girls Track Teams as they both won their District Championships in Track and Field.
- Congrats to the Girls and Boys 7th grade teams on finishing second place in District.
- For the Boys, here are your District Champions:
7th Grade
-Wyatt Elwood in the Triple Jump
-Wyatt Elwood in the 400 Meter Dash
-Mile Relay Team consisting of:
Wyatt Elwood, Conner Tyler, Christian Tijerina and Hayden Wilson
8th Grade District Champions
-Johnny Dickson in the Discus
-Jacari Thompson in the 110 Meter Hurdles
-Gio Reyes in the 100 Meter Dash
-800 Meter Relay team of: Gio Reyes, Xavier Perez, Isaac McElroy and Carlos Riojas
-Carlos Hernandez in the 200 Meter Dash
-Mile Relay team of: Alec Roberson, Isaac McElroy, Robert Anderson and Carlos Hernandez



Testing Dates

- May 9: Algebra 1 EOC
- May 14: 7th Math; 8th Math (retest)
- May 15: 7th Reading; 8th Reading (retest)
- May 16: 8th Science
- May 17: 8th Social Studies

School Nurse Day

May 9 is School Nurse Day. Thank you Nurse Tiffany for keeping us safe and healthy each day!

Teacher Appreciation Week

May 7-11 is Teacher Appreciation Week. Thank you to all of our awesome teachers for your dedication to students' learning!

Awards Ceremonies

7th Grade:

Ceremony @ 10:00 at the high school auditorium on May 23

8th Grade:

Ceremony @ 1:30 at the high school auditorium on May 23

May 16 is Educational Bosses' Day. Thank you Mrs. Holder, Mrs. Philomeno, Mrs. Tijerina, and Mrs. Miller for all of your guidance and direction in our learning.

Library

All library books are due by Friday, May 18th after STAAR testing. If you have lost a library book, the cost of the book will need to be paid before the end of school so you can receive your final report card. Otherwise, you may be delayed in registering for school in August.

Yearbook

Order your Yearbook today! Yearbooks can still be pre-ordered at a price of \$35 in the Library only. Yearbooks will be delivered to students the last week of school. For anyone who does not pre-order their yearbook, the price will increase to \$40. Save yourself some money and pre-order your yearbook today! Orders may be placed in the Library with cash, check or money order. Don't get left out-your memories, your yearbook!

Puzzle Cube Contest Results

Giles Coulter and Cameron Ainsworth won the puzzle cube competition in Design and Modeling. Congratulations to both students!

Contest Results

Communities in Schools of the Coastal Bend Do the Wright Thing School Ambassadors 2018: Emery Tremlett and Landon Alaniz
Congratulations to both students!

End of Year Carnival

Flour Bluff Junior High will be having our annual Carnival on Friday, May 25th during the last 2 periods of the day. Admission is free. Please bring small change as we'll have a ton of fun games such as ring toss, dunk the teacher, slip and slide, toss the football through a ring, and so much more!

Counselor's Corner

- GT Testing will be April 26-27.
- STAAR Testing:
- *5/14: 7th Math & 8th Math Retest
- *5/15: 7th Reading & 8th Reading Retest
- *5/16: 8th Science
- *5/17: 8th Social Studies
- 5/4: Registration confirmations will be mailed home.
- 5/9: Algebra I EOC
- 5/17: The last progress report for the 6th six weeks will go home.
- 5/23: Awards Assembly @ HS Auditorium (10:00 a.m. for 7th grade & 1:30 for 8th grade) invitations will be mailed home.
- 6/8: Final report cards will be mailed home.
- STAAR summer school for 8th graders will be 6/5-6/27.
- Academic summer school will be 6/5-6/21. Parents will be notified if students will require remedial summer school.
- All students have access to career exploration through www.campus2careers.com.

-Mrs. Aguilar and Mrs. De Leon

May 31-Last Day of School