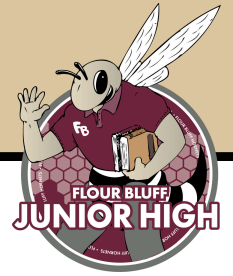


THE HIVE REPORT

November Issue



Monthly Fun Facts:

- The birthstone is the topaz.
- The birth flower is the chrysanthemum.
- November is between fall and winter.
- Daylight Saving Time Ends November 3.
- Election Day is the first Tuesday, after the first Monday, in November.
- November 11 is Veterans Day.
- World Kindness Day is November 13.
- Thanksgiving Day is the fourth Thursday in November.
- Football is the main sport of the month.
- November is National Fun with Fondue Month, Peanut Butter Lovers Month, and National Pepper Month.

Upcoming Events:

- 11/1 - Early Release @ 12:20
- 11/4 - Picture Retakes
- 11/7 - Veteran's Day Choir Concert 6:00-7:00 p.m.
- 11/11 - District Holiday
- 11/13 - Thanksgiving Feast 11:52-1:26 (follows student schedules)
- 11/20 - Paraprofessional Day
- 11/22 - Early Release @ 12:20
- 11/25 - 11/29 - No School- Thanksgiving Break

Paraprofessional Day:

	Wednesday, November 20
	Ms. Benavides-Nerio, Ms. Herrera
	Mrs. Hinojosa, Ms. Lewis, Ms. Rangel
	Ms. Stover, Mr. Taylor, Mrs. Tobola
	Ms. White, Mr. Williamson

Positivity Project:

This month's Characteristic Traits for the Positivity Project are Bravery and Gratitude.



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Boys Basketball:

8th Grade A-Coach Weepie (Games @ 6:30)

·11/14 vs Grant

·11/21 @ Adkins

8th Grade B- Coach J. Gonzalez (Games @ 5:30)

·11/14 vs Grant

·11/21 @ Adkins

7th Grade A-Coach Bateson (Games @ 6:30)

·11/14 vs Grant

·11/20 @ Adkins

7th Grade B-Coach Ehlen (Games @ 5:30)

·11/14 vs Grant

·11/20 @ Adkins



Girls Basketball:

8th Grade A-Coach Solis

·11/4 vs Seashore

·11/14 @ Grant

·11/18 vs Adkins

8th Grade B-Coach Smith

·11/4 vs Seashore

·11/14 @ Grant

·11/18 vs Adkins

7th Grade A-Coach Salinas

·11/4 vs Seashore

·11/13 @ Grant

·11/18 vs Adkins

7th Grade B-Coach Baker

·11/4 vs Seashore

·11/13 @ Grant

·11/18 vs Adkins

B Team @ Old FBJH Gym

A Team @ New FBJH Gym



Dyslexia Information:

FBISD Families, please see the [TEA Dyslexia and Related Disorders document](#) that provides information to families about dyslexia & dysgraphia as well as evaluation/identification, effective instructional strategies, and accommodations/modifications. For further information regarding our local dyslexia instruction and teacher qualifications, please visit our district [Special Education website](#).



LOTC:

LOTC will start their annual "Toys for Driscoll Kids" drive in November. It will run from November 4th to December 18th. There will be several boxes in the front office area and one by the LOTC classroom.



Library News:

For November's Reading Challenge, YOU become the author! You have the choice to roll-a-story, do a free-write, or participate in NaNoWriMo. Your prize this month will be the purple duck, candy, and the chance to have your writing published in our school library!

Swing by the library or check out our Google Classroom (PCJPHYRC) for more information.

-Mrs. Chouinard



Band News:

On November 1st, the JH Band will play with the HS Band at the Varsity Game. This is for 8th grade band students only.

-Mr. Lichtenberger and Mr. Hawk



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Counselors' Corner:

-In October, Anchored 4 Life participated in a FBISD Combined Community Service Project that involved writing letters to a deployed service member and "Real Talk" covered the topic of "Bully Prevention" during lunch shifts.

-The A4L topic of the month in November is "making friends". "To the world you may be just one person, but to one person you may be the world." -Dr. Seuss

-Crochet Club kicked off and is off to a great start this school year!

-Mrs. De Leon, Ms. Vargas, & Mr. Reyes



Nurse's Corner:

-Vision and Hearing Screenings have been completed. Referral letters have been sent out for those students who need a referral to a provider.

-Spinal Screenings will be completed November 18-21 for 7th grade females and 8th grade males during P.E. for anyone without a current 2024-2025 sports physical.

-Flu season has started once again. Helpful tips to prevent getting ill include:

getting the flu vaccination, cover your mouth and nose with your arm when sneezing/coughing, frequently wash hands with soap and warm water for 20 seconds, be a role model, and practice proper hand hygiene yourself.

-If you are sick, please stay home from school and work, and stay away from others until you are better.

-Protocol to return to school from illness is overall improvement in symptoms, fever (100.0), vomiting, and diarrhea free without the use of medications for 24 hours.

-Reminder: Students are not allowed to bring any medications to school under any circumstances. Parents are required to bring all medication in and fill out a medication administration form.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at 361-694-9388. -Nurse Mallory

Choir News:

-Congratulations to the FBJH Hornet Singers who represented FBJH at the TMEA 2024 MS/JH Region Choir Auditions. Results are as follows: 680 total students from across Region 14 registered, 26 out of 28 FBJH Students who auditioned made the Region Choir - that's 93%!

-Thank you to Dr. Hope Thacker, FBJH Head Choir Director, Mr. Fernando Fernandez, FBHS Head Choir Director and Lorri Dow, FBI Choir Director for all your work with these amazing students. The TMEA MS/JH Region Clinic & Concert will be held on October 26 at the Victoria, TX Performing Arts Center.

-Choir members: (top ten chair positions are noted)
Soprano 1: Amelia Roberts (5th), Gabrielle Berger (6th), Caroline Blackstone (8th), Lacey Hodor, Aubre Dotson, Morgan Walker

Soprano 2: Taylor Moody (1st), Elizabeth Keith (1st), Tessa Coapland (4th), Avery Feraci (6th), Theanna Maglinte (6th), Sofia Gomez

Alto: Audrey Madarang (1st), Faith Castillo (2nd), Isabelle Porcher (4th), Sarah Burleigh (5th), Jaanvi Bhakta

Tenor 1: Johnny Casorla (3rd), Aiden Arriaga (6th), Quinlan Close

Tenor 2: Cole Curry (5th), Adrian Huitron, Connor Dune

Bass: Joseph Thacker (1st), Jake Dwyer (9th)



-Calling all VETERANS, friends, and family! The FBJH Campus Choir, Art, and Theatre students will be presenting their annual Veterans Day Concert on Thursday, November 7th at 6 pm the FBHS Auditorium. Please join us and invite friends and family as we honor Veterans. Handmade cards will be given to all veterans in attendance as a token of appreciation for their service to our country. The concert is free and open to all.

