

# Tiger Times

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Hallsboro Middle School, Hallsboro, North Carolina 28442

## ROCAME / Social Studies Club

The ROCAME/Social Studies Club recently went to Ripley's Aquarium in Mrtle Beach, SC. They enjoyed a first-hand view at the different species of fish and learned about their habitat and environment. The students ate lunch at the Golden Coral afterwards.

Their next adventure is to go to A&T University in Greensboro, NC on February 24. They will tour the Engineering Department during that visit. They will meet engineers at the School and will actually see how they develop different types of techniques with the latest equipment. The students will have the opportunity to participate in hands-on activities using modern technologies and computer devices.

To help fund this trip, the clubs will have a Doughnut Sale on February 1. Doughnuts will sell for \$5.00/box or 2 doughnuts for \$1.00. Students and parents are urged to participate in the fundraiser.

*Jessie Nealy/Georgia Mathis—Sponsors*

## 5th Grade Science

Students are learning about our three cycles—the water, nitrogen, and carbon cycles. Through ongoing experiments, we are trying to see if we can get hot water cold. We poured half a cup of cold water into half a cup of hot water. We now had half a cup of WARM water. We concluded that at least one cup of cold water was needed to make half a cup of hot water COLD. These simple science experiments are teaching important lessons.

The science students are observing the sky and closely watching the clouds. We observe clouds for a period of five to ten minutes. We draw diagrams and attempt to make predictions of what the weather will be in two days. We are following up on our predictions to determine how accurate they are.

## BETA Club Convention

On Monday, January 23, the NC Junior BETA Club Convention will be held in Greensboro, NC. Hallsboro students are attending and will be participating in workshops and entering the Arts and Crafts Competition. We will be staying at the Four Seasons Motel. We express a special thanks to everyone who helped in raising money to fund the trip.

Students who will be making the trip are: Myeshia Baldwin, Derrick Bracey, Brandon Carter, Amanda Coffman, Jana Freeman, Hanna Garrell, Brittney Godwin, Caitlyn

Harrelson, Summer Jacobs, Natalie Malpass, Samantha Malpass, Drew McKeithan, Kelsey Mills, Kimberly Pope, Lexus Pyatt, Taylor Stevens, and Hyland Tyler,

*Samantha Malpass*

## BETA Club Field Trip

On December 8, 2005, the Junior BETA went on a field trip to Medieval Times in Myrtle Beach, SC. We ate with our fingers—medieval style. The food included Cornish hens, potatoes, vegetable soup, and chocolate chip cookies.

New members of the Junior BETA Club are: Kendra Bowen, Madison Carroll, Ben Connor, Summer Cathron, Cameron Daniel, Lexus Dudley, Darian Formyduval, Alina Freeman, Jasmine Jacobs, Stormy Jacobs, Jessica Novak, Tabitha Reaves, Eboni Smith, and Jordan Smith.

Sixth grade members are: Myeshia Baldwin, Alex Batten, Amanda Coffman, Jana Freeman, Taylor Helms, Summer Jacobs, Natalie Malpass, Samantha Malpass, Kelsey Mills, Bobby Patrick, Kimberly Pope, Lexus Pyatt, Taylor Stevens, and Hyland Tyler.

*Tabitha M. Reaves*

## Reminders From The School Nurse

Cold and flu season is here once again. Stay healthy by doing the following: 1) Wash those hands often. 2) Cough or sneeze into the inner part of your elbow. 3) Get plenty of sleep. 4) Eat reasonable amounts of a variety of foods such as vegetables, fruits, lean meats bread, rice, potatoes, milk, and water. 5) Try to avoid to many sweets, sodas, and fatty foods.

*Elaine Hughes, RN*

## Yearbook Reminders

1. Friday, January 27 is Freestyle Picture Day. Have your picture made with your friends and enjoy pictures made your way! You can even have your little brothers or sisters come and take a picture with you. Don't forget to tell your parents about this big day. Information will be given to you soon.

2. Don't forget to purchase your yearbook now and don't wait until the last minute! They are on sale now. Buy yours today so you can participate in yearbook events coming during the year. They are \$33.00. See Mrs. Stevens to get yours today.

## History Club Formed

Members of the 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade History Club elected officers to serve this school year. Victor Jacobs was elected President. Layton Patrick was elected Vice President. Kaylee DeWitt was elected Secretary/Treasurer. The supporting members of the club this year are John Jackson, Justin Campbell, Austin Brisson, Brannakin Jacobs, Rebecca Simmons, Alex Sutherland, Mallory Green, Alfred Walker and Daniel Lee.

## History Club Sponsors Trip to Battleship

History Club President Victor Jacobs put together a field trip experience visit to the World War II battleship "U.S.S. North Carolina" docked in Wilmington on the 15<sup>th</sup> of December. The History Club invited members of both the Science Club and the 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Beautification Club to participate and several, including Sponsors Mrs. Tebay and Mr. Register accepted the invitation. An activity bus was used to transport the Club participants to the morning self guided tour of the battleship and to lunch in the afternoon. The tour included a movie presentation of the noteworthy role that the battleship played in the Pacific Theatre of World War II and a walk through look at the four decks of the ship. Those that took part in the experience, besides the History Club president and the three club sponsors were Justin Campbell, Brannakin Jacobs, Robert Mullins, Justin Combs, Shanonda Stokes, Dannelle Jackson, Kristian Young, Michael Thomas, Daniel Lee, Alfred Walker, Carleta Pridgen, Mallory green, Kaylee DeWitt, Lori Boone, Isiah Simmons, Brittany Edwards, Amber Mitchell, Rebecca Simmons, Takeara Smith, Austin Brisson, Matthew Spaulding, Joshua Harris, Dillon Gore and Shannon Spaulding. Vice President of the History club, Layton Patrick, was not able to join the others for the trip.

## Eighth Grade Language Arts Happenings

Mrs. Priest's Eighth grade Language Arts classes have been working on several projects this six weeks. Her students read *The Call of the Wild* By Jack London and participated in literature circles. After reading the novel, the students created mobiles, booklets and movie posters to represent their interpretation of what they had read. They are now working on their autobiographies by creating life lines. The life lines include informative details about each year of their lives along with family pictures and drawings.

## Letters From The Media Center

I'm a library worker at Hallsboro Middle School. I work first period everyday. It's always a new experience for me each and every day. So far this year, I have learned how to use the new computer system. I also learned new tricks to straightening my shelves. Plus, Mrs. Blanchard taught me where all my books go. There's just one thing I really don't like - When I straighten my shelves nice and neat, someone comes behind me and seems to intend on messing them back up. But as time has passed, I learned how to blow past things like that.

*Cameron Daniel*

## Letters From The Media Center (Continued)

I like working in the library. The only bad parts are when someone comes to the desk and says their number so quietly no one could possibly hear it! Another thing is that right after I straighten up my books on my shelves, people go back there looking for a book and mess everything up again! Other than these two things, it is really fun. I like working at the computer the best. I have no regrets in becoming a library worker.

*Zachary Reynolds*

I was supposed to write about what I do in the library but something happened to my paper. So, instead of rewriting it, I'll just write instead about what recently happened.

It was around 4:30 on the afternoon of November 1. I had just gotten off the phone with Kaylee, who had listed a few complicated words to use in the paragraph to make Mrs. Blanchard thing I actually did something. After about ten minutes, I was finished. I guessed it would get me at least a C which was better than what I usually get. I decided to do my chores that I had been neglecting for the past few weeks. But as I pressed the button on the vacuum cleaner, the plug ripped out of the wall and the vacuum got bigger and suddenly it had a mouth and eyes. It said, "I want to get your paper!!!" And then "Ummm." It did. And that's how my vacuum cleaner ate my homework. Really!! It actually happened.

*Shanice Stokely*

## Observations From The Office

The duties of the office assistants include answering the phone, operating the copier, and running errands, to name only a few. You get to meet and welcome the new students when they register. One of the hardest tasks that office assistants perform is trying to find students and pass on to them messages. Be prepared to walk a lot if you want to work in the office.

When we are not busy, Mrs. Salyer encourages us to read our AR books. Points are deducted from our grade if we report to the office without our AR book.

Mrs. Salyer, being the nice lady that she is, made us cinnamon rolls as a Christmas treat.

## Parents Are Vital

**Get Involved With The School.** Keep in touch with your child's teachers and participate in school activities.

**Encourage Good Homework Habits.** Require your child to study every day. Make sure he has a quiet place to work and the supplies he needs.

**Show Interest In Schoolwork.** Ask your child about what she's studying. Look over her assignments. Praise her efforts and achievements.

**Make Attendance a Priority.** Don't make a habit of taking your child out of school for non-medical reasons.

**Support The School.** Learn about school rules and expect your child to follow them.

**Talk About The Importance Of Learning.** Let your child know that you value learning and see education as an important part of life.

## Hallsboro Tigers Girls Basketball

Shakeyla George	32
Tabatha Moore	30
Shaneeka Hampton	24
Shanita Hampton	23
Victoria Freeman	00
Delena Anders	31
Erin Mcabee	14
Brittany Hazel	10
Brooke Spaulding	15
Samantha Hickman	22
Kasey Bracey	11
Brandi Strickland	12
Charity Baldwin	13

## Overall Record 6-2 Conference 3-1

Girls Coach  
**Dave Zickafoose**

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## Hallsboro Tigers Boys

Channing Smith	20
Beret Proctor	24
Fred Blanks	34
Darius McKoy	52
Charles Bowen	54
Skylar Bowen	10
Derrick Bracey	12
Demetri Anders	14
Ben Jenkins	22
Houston Barnes	30
Kendrell Robinson	32
Derrick Majors	40
Kenneth Reaves	42
Joecephus Gore	44
Kendal Reaves	50

## Overall Record 5-3 Conference 1-3

Boy's Coaches  
**Gary Smith**  
**Jamie Locklear**

## 2nd Six-Weeks Principals List

The students listed below made the Principal's List for the 2nd six-weeks at Hallsboro Middle School. Please list these in the next edition of your paper.

Kendra Bowen, Ben Connor, Cameron Daniel, Eric Dominquez, Samantha Malpass, Drew McKeithan, Randy Miller, Sarah Moore, Tabitha Reaves, Eboni Smith, Brooke Spaulding

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## 2nd Six-Weeks Honor Roll

The students listed below made the Honor Roll for the 2nd six-weeks at Hallsboro Middle School. Please list these in the next edition of your paper.

Ivette Andres, Houston Barnes, Derrick Bracey, Madison Carroll, Amanda Coffman, Anthony Cook, Sumer Cothron, Cheyenne Cox, Shanna Cummings, Lexus Dudley, Alexandria Elliott, Christina Ferriola, Darian Formyduval, Jordan Fox, Alina Freeman, Janice Freeman, Travis Frick, Devin Galloway, Vanessa Garcia, Hanna Garrell, Brittney Godwin, Brea Hampton, Shanita Hampton, Brittany Hazel, Taylor Helmes, Mallory Holmes, Ashli Jacobs, Jasmine Jacobs, Stormy Jacobs, Summer Jacobs, Taylor Jacobs, Hollie Kinlaw, Forrest Malpass, Natalie Malpass, Hali McCulloch, Kelsey Mills, Tabatha Moore, Daniel Nolan, Jessica Novak, Bobby Patrick, Kimberly Pope, Tanasia Pridgen, Beret Proctor, Lexus Pyatt, Ronald Ratliff, Zachary Reynolds, Jana Sasser, Renulfo Serafin, Jordan Smith, Taylor Stevens, Brandi Strickland, Hyland Tyler, Forrest Wayne

**PROUD TO BE A TIGER!**