Hi Hawk Families!

I hope you had a great weekend! Thank you so much for your presence at the 2nd Semester Open House. We are intact for another successful half of the school year. As I’ve stated on many occasions, communication is key. Be sure to communicate as needed. I tell teachers the same thing. It is vital that we teach the students to advocate and communicate. They are at a stage in life where they have to take ownership for their decisions and outcomes but also use their resources and get the tools around them that help them to be their best selves. ONE TEAM ONE GOAL – STUDENT SUCCESS!

The Hillgrove Foundation is closing in on the “Roaring 20’s Silent Auction Gala.” This is the replacement for what used to be Casino Night and we are excited to have this Hillgrove Fundraising Event. It is March 27th at 7:00PM at the Cotton Gin. It is $50.00 per person. Please mark your calendars and plan to support our school. The funds go toward purchasing more technology resources for our students and Capital Improvements for our campus. We appreciate your support!

From Sherri Thoroughman – Athletic Director

Hello Hawks!

I hope everyone had a great weekend. We have plenty of things going on this week. Spring sports officially start competition this week! Come out and support our Hawks!

Here is how it went for our Hawks last week:
Swim and Dive- Olivia Devore took 5th place at the Cobb County Championships. She broke the school record with a new score of 400.4 points and made All American Diving Consideration. Overall the Hydro Hawks took 7th at the Cobb County Championships. Here is more information from the preliminaries. The girls team took 8th in the county and the boys team took 7th in the county.

Olivia

Warming up for County Prelims

County group picture 2020

Warming up for County Finals

County Finals pre-meet pep talk.

Tommy Bried took 3rd place in the 200 Individual Medley.
Tommy Bried is the County Champion in the 100 m Butterfly.

Paige Cook took 3rd place in the 100m Breaststroke and broke the school record!


Varsity Girls Basketball- beat Kennesaw Mountain 44-33 and lost to North Cobb 61-51.

9th Grade Boys Basketball- beat Kennesaw Mountain 39-37 and lost to North Cobb 35-25.

JV Boys Basketball- beat Kennesaw Mountain 52-41 and lost to North Cobb 44-41.

Varsity Boys Basketball- lost to North Paulding, lost to North Cobb 50-37.


FBLA- FBLA won the Regional Leadership Conference at Villa Rica High. This was the 1st time in school history that they are the region champions! The following students got 1st place: Christian Robinson in Business Plan, Briana McClure in Word Processing and Help Desk, Palmer Williams in PSA, Yasmeen Hart in Econ and Client Service, Heaven Varner in Job Interview, and Atiya Salam in Intro to Public Speaking. Many other students placed in the top 3 and will advance to the State Leadership Competition in March.
Tri-M: Many members went to Dowell and got to introduce K-2nd grade students to string and band instruments. The Hillgrove students created lessons and presentations independently!
Follow us on Twitter @hillgrovesports or find more information on our website at [www.hillgroveathletics.com](http://www.hillgroveathletics.com). Visit our galleries online. Mrs. Morgan has uploaded more pictures!

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Here’s what’s happening this week at Hillgrove:

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Reflections that benefit us all

“**No pain No Gain**”

*Jane Fonda*