

FALCON FLYER

FIRELANDS HIGH SCHOOL

HOLIDAY CONCERT HIGHLIGHTS WEEK

ANNUAL FHS HOLIDAY CONCERT - The annual FHS Holiday Concert highlights the week of events at FHS. The concert will have performances by all of our Choral Groups, as well as the Jazz Band and Concert Band, as the event always culminates in a performance by both groups, who are joined by FHS Alumni. The event will take place on Thursday evening, December 14th, beginning at 7pm. People are encouraged to arrive at least 15 minutes early to ensure a seat as the event packs the FHS Gym. Please come join us for a fantastic event and a great show to get you in the holiday spirit.



Come join us on Thursday evening for the Annual FHS Holiday Concert. The Select Choir, seen here performing last weekend at Kalahari, will be one of the acts to help get everyone in the Holiday spirit.

STATE OF OHIO END-OF-COURSE EXAMS - Beginning on Monday, students who need to retest on the Ohio End-of-Course exams will be testing in the FHS Computer Lab, beginning at 8:30 am. These students have been remediating for the EOC Exams in hope that improved scores will get them over the 18 point threshold so that they can become eligible for a diploma, under Ohio Revised Code rules. Also, students who are currently taking American Government will be taking, for most of them, their final EOC Exam during their Government Block Periods. Students who need more time than the Block period allots will be permitted to complete their test before continuing onto their next class. Good luck to our Juniors and re-testers who will be participating this week.

FINAL 2017 FLYER - This will be the Final Flyer of 2017, with the next Flyer available on Monday, January 1, 2018. Happy Holidays and Happy New Year to our entire Falcon Family.

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Special points of interest:

- * Concert on Thursday at 7 pm
- * EOC Exams this week
- * FHS events from last week

FIRST SEMESTER EXAMS

With nine days remaining before Winter Break, this is a great time for our students to begin preparing for their Semester Exams, which will be held at Firelands High School from **Wednesday - Friday, January 10, 11, 12.**

FHS will be on a Semester Exam schedule for those three days. That schedule will be available to the students this Friday during FAST. Students are reminded to

return permission slips so that they can either arrive late, or leave early for their exams, as attendance during lunch and study hall periods is not required during these times, but students must have SIGNED parental permission to take advantage of the exam late arrival or early dismissal times.

Students who need to take the bus during these times are

reminded that busses will run as normal in both the morning and afternoon, and will be provided a quiet study hall if they cannot find transportation home during exams.

Semester Exams account for 20% of a student's Semester Grade, and are great assessment and preparation tool for both students and staff.

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FHS EVENTS FOR THE UPCOMING WEEKS

Day	Date	Event	Time
Tue	Dec 12	F/JV/V BBB vs Lutheran West	4:30 pm
Wed	Dec 13	JV/V GBB v Wellington	6 pm
Thr	Dec 14	HOLIDAY CONCERT	7 pm
Fri	Dec 15	Wrestling @ Archbold Invitational	4 pm
Fri	Dec 15	F/JV/V BBB v Wellington	4:30 pm
Sat	Dec 16	Wrestling @ Archbold Invitational	10 am
Sat	Dec 16	V GBB @ Oberlin	1 pm
Mon	Dec 18	JV/V GBB v Vermilion	6 pm
Tue	Dec 19	F/JV/V BBB @ Oberlin	4:30 pm
Wed	Dec 20	JV/V GBB @ Black River	6 pm
Fri	Dec 22	F/JV/V BBB @ Black River	4:30 pm
Fri	Dec 22	WINTER BREAK BEGINS	
Tue	Jan 2, 2018	SCHOOL RESUMES	
Wed	Jan 3	JV/V GBB v Edison	6 pm
Fri	Jan 5	JV/V BBB @ Brookside	6 pm
Sat	Jan 6	Wrestling @ Perrysburg	9:30 am
Sat	Jan 6	JV/V GBB @ Brookside	1 pm
Sat	Jan 6	JV/V BBB @ Open Door	6 pm

FHS HIGHLIGHTS

FHS Highlights will be listed here each week to highlight different aspects of FHS Campus activities. Student achievements in the classroom, extra-curricular activities, and community events will be highlighted here, along with important information from both the FHS Main Office and the Athletic Department.

DRAMA PRESENTS TO ELEMENTARY STUDENTS – Mrs. Callahan and her drama classes have been performing a holiday themed play to students at FES. The play concludes this week with performances during block periods on Wednesday and Thursday, with FES students coming across the parking lot to enjoy the play in the FHS Gymnasium.

FHS HOSTED HOLIDAY PREVIEW - Our annual Holiday Preview & Brunch for our local senior citizens and retired FLSD employees was held on December 7, 2017 at Firelands High School. Doors opened at 9:30 am and entertainment was provided from our FES Choir, FHS Select Choir, and FHS Jazz Band, along with a performance by an FES Choir. New this year, the FHS Visual Arts Department had a gallery display. Brunch was served. Approximately 80 people attended what has become a fantastic holiday event. A

big thank you to Jen Butchko who coordinated the event.

DECEMBER 5 BASKETBALL GAME VS EDISON A NIGHT TO REMEMBER
MRS. JOHNSTON – Last Tuesday evening, December 5th, FHS honored the memory of Mrs. Johnston with a ceremony coinciding with the Boys Basketball Game against Edison. T-Shirts were sold, and gift baskets raffled off, with proceeds from both going into the Traci Johnston Scholarship Fund at Edison High School. Over \$1,200 was raised, with a scholarship for a Firelands student created by Edison High School through the fund. A big thank you to Deb Van Cooney and Tom Moyer for coordinating the event, which also brought the creation of a teaching award in the FLS which will be named in Traci's honor.