

Friday Update November 17, 2006

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Meeting	Date	Time	Location
Interactive Classroom Training	11/20	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.	Riverside Campus – Tech Lab
APs' Meeting/Academy	11/21	4:00 p.m.	Riverside Campus – A107
Teacher Workday	11/22	----	Traditional +Year-Round Calendar
Thanksgiving Holiday	11/23+24	----	Students, Teachers, and Staff
BOE Meeting	11/27	7:00 p.m.	Riverside Campus – A107
Music, Band, and Drama Teachers Meeting	11/28	4:00 p.m.	Riverside Campus – A107
STAC meeting at Franklinton High School	11/29	4:00 p.m.	FHS campus
United Way Educational Grants Reception	11/30	7:00 p.m.	Mitchell Media Center
Christmas-Tree Trimming	12/4	4:00 p.m.	Franklin County Courthouse
US History/Civics and Econ Teachers Meeting	12/5	8-10:30 a.m.	Riverside Campus – A107
PE Teachers Meeting	12/5	4:00 p.m.	Riverside Campus – A107
Dropout prevention meeting	12/7	4:00 p.m.	Riverside Campus – A107

New Franklinton High School site – PURCHASED: The Franklin County Board of Commissioners voted this week to purchase the site for the new Franklinton High School. The 75-acre layout is located at the intersection of Cedar Creek Road and Lane Store Road and will run all the way to Highway 56. The site is located between Youngsville and Franklinton.



Laurel Mill smashes goal: The Laurel Mill Elementary School Students Against Violence Everywhere (SAVE) club set an initial goal of collecting 400 canned good items. After a few days, the students had reached that goal but continued to pursue goods relentlessly. When the drive was over, students had collected **1,236** canned goods to be distributed to Care and Share of Franklin County for the upcoming holidays. Families in Franklin County will benefit from these kind donations. For more information about this program contact Rhonda Denton at Laurel Mill Elementary (853-3577).



Christmas-Tree Trimming: There will be a Christmas-tree trimming celebration on December 4th at the Franklin County Courthouse featuring elementary students, art teachers and music teachers from FCS. Elementary students will make ornaments for the tree. Music teachers will lead students in the singing of Christmas Carols.



Foreign Language, Art and English meetings: Some of the dates for the Foreign Language, Art and English meetings have changed. Here is a revised schedule:

Foreign Language	Art	English
December 5	December 14	January 11
February 8	February 13	April 26
May 2	May 1	

Flu outbreak forces school closings: The flu is already rearing its ugly head in North Carolina. There has been an outbreak of the flu in Yancey County. The high number of cases led to some school closings in Yancey County because of high levels of absentees of students and faculty. The flu results in approximately 36,000 deaths in the U. S. each year. Elderly and medically frail people are most likely to have life-threatening effects from the flu. If you have not received a flu shot, you may want to consider doing it ASAP.

High School U.S. History and Civics and Economics (C+E): The U.S. History and C+E Teachers meeting scheduled for November 16th has been rescheduled for **December 5th from 8:00 a.m. until 10:30 a.m. at the Riverside Campus**. We will be meeting with Judy McGinnis and Kelly Thomas, both DPI Social Studies Consultants. If you are unable to attend this meeting, please call me at 496-2600.

Calendar info needed: If you have information that you would like to include in the weekly calendar for the Friday Update, please email it to NathanMoreschi@fcschools.net.

High School Football Playoffs: Louisburg High School cruised to an opening-round 1AA playoff victory last week and travels to James Keenan for round two this Friday night at 7:30 p.m. The Bunn Wildcats fought off a talented Tarboro squad en route to a 16-13 triumph last week, also advancing to the round two of the state playoffs. The Wildcats travel to Farmville Central this Friday for a 7:30 p.m. kickoff as they continue their run in the 2A state playoffs.

Cheerleading success: Congratulations to the Franklinton High School varsity cheerleading squad for their silver finish in the North Carolina High School Athletic Association's annual cheerleading state championship. Franklinton, coached by Lesley Coe, was second out of the seven teams in their division (small varsity).



FHS Cheerleaders

No Friday Update next week: There will not be a Friday Update during the Thanksgiving Holiday.

**Have A Great Weekend,
Bert L'Homme,
Superintendent**