

Holcomb Bridge Happenings

1/20 - 1/21 Science Fair

1/27- Student Award Ceremony
6:30 (Look for you invite next week)

1/ 29 Academic Bowl Tournament

2/7 National School Counseling week

2/7 Scoliosis Screening

2/17 Talent Show

2/24 Spring Pictures

2/24-26 All State Chorus

3/11 School in session for Students

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HOLCOMB BRIDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL

Principal, Joy Schroerlucke Assistant Principal, Matt Vance Assistant Principal, Melinda Springman



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Make-Up Days:

Students will have school on March 11th and April 22nd, to make up two of the days missed due to inclement weather. Please adjust your calendars accordingly.

All current 8th grade boys - Young Men's Service League, Inc. will have a MOM's Informational Meeting on Thursday, Feb 10, 2010 at the Norcross Cultural Arts & Community Center (10 College Street, Norcross, GA). The one hour meeting will begin promptly at 1:30 PM. The purpose of YMSL is to get boys and their moms involved in volunteering in our community together. Please come to hear about YMSL and how you can be a part of this exciting organization. More information can be obtained by emailing [Susan Butler](mailto:SusanButler@estee.com) at sbutler@estee.com. If you have any questions, please contact Susan at 770-823-0159. R.S.V.P. to Susan Butler at sbutler@estee.com by Friday, Feb 4, 2010 to be sure we have enough info to hand out

HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY SUPPORT THE MODEL UN CARNTATION SALE

ON 1/24—2/10

Send to a Friend, Loved One, Teacher, Parent

- 1 Flower for \$2.00
- 2 Flowers for \$4.00
- 3 Flowers for \$5.00
- Half Dozen for \$8.00

Your school has Renzulli Learning - the University of Connecticut program designed to engage kids in schoolwork!

HOW DOES IT WORK FOR STUDENTS? Each student has their own online account and takes a questionnaire that finds their interests, learning styles, and expression styles. The program then matches online resources to each child so that kids have their own mini-internet with safe, educational resources.

HOW DOES IT WORK FOR TEACHERS? Teachers use Renzulli to discover your child's learning styles, to quickly find dynamic websites for class, to group students based on their strengths, and to provide real world applications. They can send students work online and receive work back online.

DOES THE PROGRAM WORK OUT OF SCHOOL? Yes! Students can use their Renzulli account anywhere you connect to the internet.

HOW DOES IT WORK FOR PARENTS? Parents can create their own account to: view their child's academic profile, look at their work, check out websites they've visited and their login history, access their assignments, projects and online journal, send them a message, and more!

Please contact your child's teacher for further information.

If you have questions, please contact the Title I Department, Tawana Miller at millert@fultonschools.orgs or Ethel Lett at

Holcomb Bridge Presents

The Bridges Center Helping Parents & Community To Cross Bridges & Change Lives. One Student At A Time!!!!!!!

Due to weather some of the workshop dates have changed. Please check attached for the changes

Scoliosis Training

On 2/7/11 we will be doing scoliosis screening for your students. Please look for the permission slips to be sent home in the next couple of days. In order to exclude you student from the screening, we **MUST** have the permission slip signed and "no" checked. If you have any questions please call the school.



Jr. Knights Girls Lacrosse

Girls Jr. Centennial Knights Lacrosse is looking for girls grades 2nd — 8th. You do not need any prior experience in Lacrosse. If you are interested in joining please contact Mrs. Gibson at 678-357-2774 or email Mrs. Gibson at llrladyknights@gmail.com.

CALLING ALL FOOTBALL PLAYERS GRADES 4- 12TH !!

MONDAY, JAN. 31st : EARLY Discount Registration Night \$100 discount offered this night only off Regular Registration Fee!

REGISTRATION & Parent Meeting @ CHS AUDITORIUM - 7pm

See attached flyer for addition information

YEARBOOKS

It's yearbook time once again... and now is the time to order a copy of the 2010-2011 edition of the yearbook. Don't miss out on the 2010-2011 yearbook with pictures of all the school year's highlights including sports, academics, band, clubs, student and faculty portraits and so much more. It's all beautifully printed and bound in one spectacular edition!

Ordering the book has never been easier! Simply fill out the order form below and mail your payment, or, to be eligible to win* the iPod Touch we are giving away, log onto www.ybpay.com to place your order using your credit/debit card!

To guarantee your copy of the 2010-2011 edition, payment must be received by February 28, 2011. Order now before it's too late!

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BOX TOPS FOR HBMS!

Another way to earn money for Holcomb Bridge Middle School... Please click on the link below. It will take you to a Kroger sponsored opportunity to earn additional money for Holcomb Bridge. All you do is sign-up using your Kroger card and designate Holcomb Bridge as your school. Just for signing up Holcomb Bridge will earn an additional 5 Box Tops (which is equal to 50 cents to HBMS). As you purchase selected Box Top items at Kroger, Holcomb Bridge will earn additional Box Tops money. There is a complete list of the items to choose from on the Reward Your School site.

Thanks for helping support HBMS!! If you have any questions, please contact Laura McKenna lhdckenna@gmail.com.
<http://www.rewardyourschool.com/>

Parents,

Looking for ways to get involved with Holcomb Bridge Middle School? Please review the revised Title I Parent Involvement Policy by following the link below:

<http://www.fultonschools.org/school/holcombbridge/parentinv.pdf>

The Bridges Cotillion 2011

Invitations for The Bridges Cotillion have been mailed and registration is underway! 7th and 8th graders from Holcomb Bridge and Haynes Bridge will meet at the Country Club of Roswell on Sunday evenings beginning in late January and running through mid March. Students will learn traditional and current dances, as well as proper manners for a variety of social settings. If you have already registered, you should receive a confirmation letter soon. If you haven't registered yet, classes are filling up so don't get left out! If you did not receive an invitation and are interested in participating, please contact the grade level representative listed below.

7th grade - Dana Kauffman - shopenmopen@gmail.com

8th grade - Beth McCraney - beth.mccraney@mac.com

From the HBMS Library Media Center

Safe Web Sites for Student Research

We call it the 24 hour learning center. Just go to the HBMS media center page for a list of resources and databases specially designed and selected for student use. Many of the resources do require passwords to access them from home and those user names and passwords are accessible from the media page or have your students drop by the library for a tip sheet. The media center is open every morning and throughout the day for students to come not only to check out books and read, but to get help with their research projects and computer skills.

<http://www.fultonschools.org/school/holcombbridge/mediac.htm>

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PTA MINI GRANT WINNERS 2010-2011			
Glen Johnson	Boyz 2 Men	\$68.45	Group counseling session with at risk male students
Matt Vance	C'mon get certified	\$300.00	Purchase of several Certification Test Prep booklets
G.A.T.E. Committee	G.A.T.E	\$500.00	Supplies for bins for the 7 G.A,T.E meetings a year with students
Michelle Fleming/ Andrea Cheetham	Girls, Inc. Club	\$646.00	Fees associated with conducting Girls, Inc meetings at HBMS
Andrea Cheetham	Responding to intervention through reading	\$58.00	Utilize the response to Intervention 12 week process to increase basic reading and comprehension skills in at-risk students
Ellen Reagin	More Choice, More Reading, More Success	\$300.00	Purchase of graphic format books for the school library
Ellen Reagin	i-Care Creating a safe, caring inclusive learning environment	\$249.85	New and relevant resources for school wide G.A.T.E. mentoring sessions 3 DVD sets
Ricci Justis	Who I am: sculpture	\$400.00	Supplies for creating expressive paper-mache sculpture-in-the-round

HBMS Model UN Night

At

El Potrillo Mexican Restaurant

WHY: Support the HBMS Model UN Team!

WHEN: Tuesday, February 1st

WHERE: EL Potrillo Mexican Restaurant
Rivermont Shopping Center

TIME: 5:00 – 8:00 PM

Have dinner with your friends from HBMS!

Bring this flyer and give it to your server.

**A percentage of all Holcomb Bridge sales will be donated to the
HBMS Model UN Team!**

Safe and Smart on the Social Web!

For teens and parents! Explore the ins and outs of social media sites like Facebook and Twitter. Learn how to keep in touch with friends, ***manage your privacy***, and stay connected to the world around you!



Monday, January 24th

6 p.m.

Ages 11 and up.

Reservations are required.

Sign up at the Reference Desk

or call the library at the number below.

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