

# Harlem High School

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## Homecoming 2009

This is a list of activities for Homecoming next week! Everything is pretty normal except for the addition of the community activities, as well as something new we are trying on Friday. We are giving each student a scavenger hunt list of things to find in their pockets, book bags, lockers, etc. along with a few odd items and fun facts around the school. The student with the most items wins a great prize.

Hopefully this will be a great homecoming week....please encourage your students participate and show school spirit....we need to do the same.

Thu 15<sup>th</sup> – nominate court in HR

Fri 16<sup>th</sup> – Court is announced and called to commons for paperwork

Mon 19<sup>th</sup> – **Hillbilly day**

Court practices on field with band after school

Tues 20<sup>th</sup> - **Super Hero Day**

Powder Puff Game 6:00 Bon fire afterwards  
Bring your family and smores stuff!!

Wed 21<sup>st</sup> - **Perfect Pair Day**

Homecoming Assembly-Return to HR to vote for king and queen

Thu 22<sup>nd</sup> - **Duct Tape Day**

Parade at 6:00 (line up at 4:45 at Harlem Park – end at HMS) Community Bonfire and “tailgate” at HMS 7:00 – 9:00

Fri 23<sup>rd</sup> - **Black Out Butler Day**

Scavenger Hunt – students will be given a list of items to find by the end of the day.

Pep Rally to announce King Game!!

Saturday – NOTHING!!!

## Science News

The school year has been extremely busy in the Science Department. Environmental Science has completed Scavenger Hunts and will be working on Biome Projects before the end of the year. The Biology students had many great Insect Collections in September. We will be investigating DNA and Genetics in the following months. Finally, Chemistry will be exploring the Periodic Table, and Physics will be launching rockets.

We encourage all parents to visit the Science Department web pages for updates, homework, and upcoming projects.

## Harlem High School's FCCLA

(which stands for Family, Career, Community Leaders of America) recently participated in the Oliver Hardy Festival. They had an impressive float in the parade, where members were able to throw out candy to the crowds. Then they had a booth and sold homemade chocolate chip cookies, sugar cookie dog bones and brownies. They made \$113 dollars, which will be spent on future field trips and community service projects. Class members in all culinary arts classes helped make the tasty homemade treats. FCCLA president Ashlee Crawford and vice president Andrea Hitchcock and their families were particularly helpful in making this project a great success!

## HHS Web Event Calendar

We encourage all parents to check our web event calendar regularly for information regarding activities that involve students of HHS. We hope to

see you at many of the events and would like to invite you to join our many booster clubs that help support various aspects of your child's high school career. Access the site from our web site, [www.ccboe.net/hhs](http://www.ccboe.net/hhs) and click on left navigation and calendar of events.



## CNA Clinical Class

Demonstrates Importance of Healthcare Science  
HHS Healthcare students began their clinical site rotations on Monday, October 12. Our aspiring medical professionals began their first foray into healthcare at Lake Crossing Nursing Home and will be there for four weeks. Next month they will be transported to Doctors Hospital for a three week rotation. Second year students who've been practicing in the classroom will be implementing their knowledge by taking vital signs, making beds, giving baths, weighing patients, and assisting with many other skills. In anticipation of following the first clinical class students who are initiating the program, our introductory students are completing their Vital Signs unit while practicing taking blood pressure, temperature, and pulses.

## 2009-10 Senior Projects

We have a number of exciting and original Senior Project topics this year and we can't wait to see what our students will accomplish! This year our student presentations will take place Monday, March 15<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday the 16<sup>th</sup>. As always, we want to have as much local participation as possible. If you or someone you know is interested in serving as a judge for the Senior Project Presentations, please contact Juliana Boatwright at [juliana.boatwright@ccboe.net](mailto:juliana.boatwright@ccboe.net) or 706.556.5980.

Here is the information on **Prom 2010**

Prom: April 16, 2010

Location:

Julian Smith Casino  
Augusta, Georgia



Recently in **Harlem Drama**, there has been plenty going on. The year is off to a great start, with the girls who participated in the combined pageant having a great time. Skye Slagle was crowned Miss HHS, while Hannah Price is our new Miss Spirit. The workshop held in September with Ms. Kim Bowers-Rheay was a success. All the students who attended said they really enjoyed themselves and learned a lot about their craft. Meanwhile, the annual Harlem Fest is in the works, to be held on October 9th and 10th here at HHS. It will involve lots of workshops on various subjects as well as plays from several schools. Region One-Act will be held here at Harlem, and we encourage everyone to come attend both of these events.

Harlem Drama has also had a good time correlating with the Art department in activities related with Tuesdays with Morrie. There will be an art show presented with that piece of theatre.

Finally, in the first and second weeks of December, the theatre department will put on A Tuna Christmas, the story of one town's extremely country, extremely slapstick Christmastime. It looks like it's off to a good year, and we hope you will join us for the journey.

The cheerleading Competition Team of Harlem High School will be competing at the Region Meet on Saturday 7, 2009 at Putnam County High School. If they place in the top four in the region, they will win a bid to State. They have been working hard. So, wish them the best.

## Harlem High School

**Cheerleaders** are kicking off their Donate-A-Dollar Campaign. Donations are being accepted to assist with the purchase of cheer mats and uniforms for next year. Any donation of any size will be accepted and your support is needed and appreciated. If you are willing to sponsor them by making a donation, please make checks payable to Harlem High School and send the donation to the following address:

Attn: Angel Afolabi  
1070 Appling Harlem Road  
Harlem, Georgia 30814

You may email Mrs. Afolabi at [Angel.Afolabi@ccboe.net](mailto:Angel.Afolabi@ccboe.net) for more information. Remember, these donations are tax deductible.

## Harlem High School Scholarship Search



### Scholarship Bulletin:

Click here to go to  
HHS Latest Bulletin:  
<http://www.ccboe.net/hhs>

Application Forms:  
Check in Guidance Office

School Scholarship Contact Persons:  
Ms. Beckum, Guidance Counselor  
Mrs. Quinones, Guidance Counselor  
Mrs. Humphrey, Principal's Secretary

### Harlem High Scholarship Corner:

As time approaches for your student to complete their high school career and to begin their post secondary education, you will have to be resourceful in obtaining funding to help cover the cost of your child's college education.

We have updated our scholarship files and encourage you to take the time to check out our website for information regarding scholarships. Each week we make announcements to the students for upcoming deadlines to apply.

Please feel free to contact us at the school if you have questions or need help with scholarship information. You can email [liz.humphrey@ccboe.net](mailto:liz.humphrey@ccboe.net) for assistance and she along with our guidance counselors will be glad to get information needed to your student. Thanks, HHS Administration

The following students were nominated for the Governors Honor Program and will compete at the Columbia County level auditions:

Drama:

William Kyle Odum

**Auditions:** Drama/Theater – October 16<sup>th</sup> 3:00 – 5:00, Evans Middle School Media Center

Kenneth Aaron Johnson

Music: Ashton Nicole Montgomery

**Auditions:** October 20<sup>th</sup>, 3:00 – 5:00, Augusta State University Fine Arts Center

Band: Michael Preston Kitchings

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Samuel Bruce Souers

Congratulations and Best wishes at the next level of competition.