

**HAMILTON CO. SR. HIGH ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
**January 29, 2013**

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Congratulations to the Lady Foxes Basketball team for picking up their 20<sup>th</sup> win of the season by defeating Carmi 56-48. They are also tied for the conference with 1 game remaining. Great job ladies.

Last day to be guaranteed a yearbook is tomorrow. After Wednesday yearbooks will only be available as long as supplies last.

There will be no Freshman boys basketball practice today.

This is an important announcement for all 17-18 year old male students. Remember than when you turn 18 it's the law that you register with Selective Service. Registering is your civic responsibility and keeps you eligible for student loans, job training, government jobs and driver's licenses. You can register at the post office or online at [www.sss.gov](http://www.sss.gov)

SIU Edwardsville is hosting an Open House for all Nursing programs on Saturday, February 16. Any high school student who would like to learn more about nursing programs on their campus are invited to attend. Visit the Guidance Office to find out more.

SI Women's Teen Conference is Saturday, February 23 at John A. Logan College. Young women in grades 7-12 are invited to attend. You can register on line at [www.w4hw.org](http://www.w4hw.org) Registration is \$20.

Attention FCA/Youth for Christ: You are responsible for the Beautification Program on Wednesday, January 30. Meet at the front of school at 3:02.

Representatives from Rend Lake College will be here on February 14 to administer the Asset Test. Any Sophomore thru Senior who has not tested or needs to retest must sign up in the Guidance Office. The Asset Test is required in order to take Dual Credit or Dual Enrollment classes at Rend Lake.

Attention Seniors: Josten's will be here on Friday during both lunches to bring Senior Keys, etc. They will be receiving payments at that time for your Senior orders.

The Science Club meeting planned for after school today has been rescheduled to a later date. Look for future announcements.

Congratulations to Thomas Becker and 2nd Hour Advanced Biology for receiving a co-sponsored grant from the Illinois Department of Natural Resources, The Illinois Conservation Foundation and the Environmental Protection Agency to study chimney swift ecology. Well done!

The following sophomores are signed up to work at the concession stand on Wednesday, January 30th: Tyler Kelly, Tucker Braden, Madison Wilkerson, and Landon Vaughan. Be at the concession stand by 5:45. If you cannot work, it is your responsibility to find a replacement and tell Ms. Wilson. Also, we still need 5 sophomore workers for this Thursday's game. Please sign up on the sheet outside of Ms. Wilson's room if you are interested. If no one signs up, sophomores will be drafted to work.

Quarter 2 and Semester 1 honor rolls are posted in the case outside of the guidance office. Please check the lists and report any questions to guidance by today. Honor rolls will be sent to the Times Leader on Wednesday, January 30.

FFA Officer meeting Wednesday at 4:30.

The senior class is planning their trip to Nashville, Tennessee April 22<sup>nd</sup> through April 24<sup>th</sup>. Any senior that would like to go on the trip should sign up with Mrs. Ellis or Mr. Hall and pay a non-refundable \$50 deposit by today. This will ensure that hotel and bus space is reserved.

The Interact Club is asking you to herd up your coins and rally together in our effort to support a special orphanage in Uganda. Our goal is to raise enough money to help purchase chickens, goats or ultimately a cow which is \$600. The purchase of these livestock is important in providing food for many of its children. So clean out those pockets and piggy banks and rustle those coins in to your first hour class. We will collect coins through the week of January 28 - February 1. The first hour class with the highest average of money will win a donut breakfast sponsored by the Interact Club. We will top off our week with a hat day on Friday, February 1<sup>st</sup>. All money that is donated will go toward the purchase of a cow, goat or chickens for the orphanage. Good Luck.

**Please Stand and recite the Pledge of Allegiance then remain standing for a moment of silence:**

The Junior Class is holding a raffle for a 2008 Wildfire 150 CC Scooter. The drawing will be on February 15<sup>th</sup>. Raffle tickets are \$10.00 each. Proceeds will

help fund Post Prom activities. Tickets are sold in the commons area at home basketball games or you can purchase one from a Junior Class officer.

FFA members are reminded to log onto FFA.org to begin completing National FFA scholarships which must be completed and verified by February 14th. Record Books must be completed by January 31 for competition

Southeastern IL Electric Coop is participating in a "Youth to Washington" and "Youth to Springfield" program once again this spring. Any Junior or Senior that is interested in potentially attending a trip to Springfield or Washington may fill out an application. Applications are due to Mrs. Lueke by March 12. Please obtain the application from the Guidance Office or by visiting [www.youthtour.coop](http://www.youthtour.coop).

**Index yourself!** A great way to get you, your friends or your club in the yearbook one more time. Get a bid sheet from the school store window pick a letter and submit a bid to Mrs. Auten (no money needed until the bid is won). Watch the auction sheets to see if someone out bids you. Deadline is February 1.