



# Hooper Academy Green & White

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## Distinguished Friends Of Hooper Academy

The Communications Committee is soliciting nominations for individuals or couples to receive the honor of “Distinguished Friends of Hooper Academy”. This will be announced during half time of the Varsity home football game against Tuscaloosa Academy on Friday, October 23, 2009.

If you know of someone who has gone above and beyond in their dedication and service to Hooper Academy, please submit their names to Pam Kendrick at [pk4au@yahoo.com](mailto:pk4au@yahoo.com) or to the school office, attention Communications Committee. A brief summary of information about the nominee, detailing why you think they should be considered for this distinguished honor should be provided to help the board in making the final decision.

All nominations should be submitted no later than **Friday, October 9, 2009**.

## Hooper Academy Website

Please don't forget to check the Hooper Academy website at [www.hooperacademy.org](http://www.hooperacademy.org) for school information, pictures, forms, etc.

If you would like to submit an article and/or picture for the Green and White, please send to [hcainfo@hooperacademy.org](mailto:hcainfo@hooperacademy.org) by the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month.

## New Road Signs



The Varsity cheerleaders would like to give a special thanks to Scott Baker, Randy Boyd, and Todd Casey for constructing the new road sign stands that you see when driving down Fischer Road on game days. The Varsity cheerleader's creativity can now be displayed in style. We greatly appreciate their time and expense. These signs will be used for many years to come. Thanks guys and Go Colts!



From the Headmaster

## Expectations

Years ago I was addressing a large group of teachers. Just as I was building up to my main point a teacher in the audience raised her hand. Although this is unusual, especially with large groups, I paused and called on her. She asked, “Do you mind if we grade papers while you are speaking?”

The question caught me off guard, and I reacted honestly. “I don’t mind if you grade papers during my presentation,” I said. “I don’t mind at all – as long as you are comfortable with students doing whatever they want to do in your class while you are teaching.”

A ripple of laughter spread through the room, and I paused for a long moment. Then I asked the audience, “How many of you have heard that great teachers have high expectations for students?” Of course, almost everyone raised a hand.

Setting aside my presentation for a moment, I asked them to consider this statement more closely – and I invite you to do the same.

Many people agree, and I agree, that great teachers have high expectations for their students. However, let’s focus on the question, what is the variable? True, the best teachers have high expectations for students. But is this a difference that separates great teachers from the rest?

Even the worst teachers have high expectations for students. They expect students to be engaged no matter how irrelevant the material is. They expect students to pay attention no matter how boring and repetitious their classes are. They expect students to be well behaved no matter how the teacher treats them. Now, these are high expectations.

The variable is not what teachers expect of students; many teachers of all skill levels have high expectations for students. The variable – and what really matters – is what teachers expect of themselves. Great teachers have high expectations for their students but even higher expectations for themselves. Poor teachers have high expectations for students but lower expectations for themselves. Not only that, they have unrealistic expectations for everyone else as well. They expect the Administrator to be perfect, every parent to be flawless, and every one of their peers to hold them in incredibly high regard.

As a presenter, I had a responsibility to engage the audience. I believe what I am saying was important, and of course I want my audience to give me their full attention – but it’s my job to gain, and to keep, their attention. If I’m not doing that, I need to change my approach.

Just like in the classroom, we must always work to engage the students. If the students are not focused, great teachers ask what they themselves can do differently. I pose a challenge to all teachers. It’s easy to have high expectations for the students in your classrooms. The challenge is to focus on your own performance. Strive to be a great teacher; set even higher expectations for yourself.

Sincerely,

John D. Niblett  
Headmaster

Thought... Great teachers know who is the variable in the classroom: They are.

# COUNSELORS CORNER

## FOR ALL SCHOOL PARENTS:

### **Immunization Survey:**

It's that time of year again where all of our student records are evaluated in order to comply with the State of Alabama immunization law. Letters will be sent out this week for those students that have immunization forms that have expired. Also, please be aware this year that the State of Alabama is requiring the chicken pox vaccine for all K4 through the 8th Grade. (Your child will be exempt if they have already had the chicken pox). You may also receive a note if we don't have a copy of your child's social security card or birth certificate. We ask you to please comply quickly so that your child's record may be complete.

## PARENTS OF JUNIORS:

**PSAT Information:** This month the junior class will be taking the PSAT on October 14<sup>th</sup>. This is an annual test that is given nationwide and is a co-sponsored program by the College Board and National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC).

PSAT/NMSQT stands for Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test. It's a standardized test that provides firsthand practice for the SAT Reasoning Test™. It also gives the students a chance to enter National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC) scholarship programs.

The PSAT/NMSQT measures:

- Critical reading skills
- Math problem-solving skills
- Writing skills

The students will be given a practice booklet so they are aware of the testing format before the day of the PSAT.

**\*Also please note the listing of ACT dates listed below in order to sign your student up in plenty of time during their junior year\***

## PARENTS OF SENIORS:

### **Tri-County Junior League College and Career Night**

This was a huge success by having 71 sophomores, juniors, and seniors to attend the event! Hooper Academy had the most student attendance from all of the private schools that participated. I would like to thank the parents who also attended and brag on the many compliments I received on our student's attitudes and manners. Special thanks to those teachers who offered the extra point incentive for attending the event.

## Selective Service:

All senior young men are required to register with **Selective Service** within **30 days of your eighteenth birthday**. The Selective Service is a government agency whose job is to provide untrained manpower for the Armed Forces if there is a national emergency. You can register online at [www.sss.gov](http://www.sss.gov) or go by the Post Office and complete a registration form.

## Senior Conferences/Deadlines for College Applications:

By now I have met with your child and they are focusing on making application to the colleges we discussed for them. Please make sure and encourage them during this grueling process so that they may reach their goals that I have assigned them individually. **December 1** is the “rule of thumb” deadline for college applications. I believe that is never too early to be making application with their college of choice. Remember, early application = early acceptance. I am very pleased to say I have helped many of my eager seniors thus far in this process and have been very excited with their progress. As the students know by now I am readily available to you and your child to help you through this step by step process.

## College Opportunities/Scholarships:

Each year a large 3-ring binder is compiled noting any scholarships, college opportunities, deadlines, etc. that seniors need to know. This is information that is mailed to me from various colleges across the nation. The notebook is housed in the Guidance Office, and checked out by students during elective classes. Also, as I have received information I have tried to immediately let the students know of the scholarship opportunity. Also, I visit 12G and 12W during English to make them aware of any new information I have received. I did not receive a huge response on parents receiving an e-mail on scholarship information. Therefore, I am choosing to e-mail you as parents individually when I am working with your child on a particular scholarship instead of through mass e-mails.

## ACT Information:

Please note the following information concerning the upcoming ACT (American College Testing Program) important dates for this academic year. Packets are available in the Guidance Office or you may register online at [www.act.org](http://www.act.org) I highly encourage the students who register by mail or online to create FREE ACT web account Packets are available in the Guidance Office, or you may register online at [www.act.org](http://www.act.org)

Test Date	Registration Deadline	(Late Fee Required)
10/24/2009	09/18/2009	09/19-10/02/2009
12/12/2009	11/06/2009	11/07-11/20/2009
02/06/2010	01/05/2010	01/06-01/15/2010
04/10/2010	03/05/2010	03/06 - 03/19/2010
06/12/2010	05/07/2010	05/08-05/21/2010

### **College Campus Visits:**

We have recently had several admissions counselors to visit the school. The students were able to preview their particular college choice and what each has to offer. In September, Hooper hosted Troy University, Auburn University, University of Alabama, Auburn University Montgomery and Samford University. In October, we will be hosting Huntingdon College, Faulkner University, University of West Alabama, and Trenholm Technical College. We will have more to visit campus in November based upon the students request. Each of these visits from the counselors has been an excellent opportunity for the students to see a showcase of various colleges.

If I can be of assistance to you, please don't hesitate to contact me at 288-5980 or my new e-mail is [knewell@hooperacademy.org](mailto:knewell@hooperacademy.org)

Kelley Newell, Guidance Counselor

### **National Honor Society Officers 2009-2010**

President – Blake Piel  
Vice-President – Courtney Baker  
Secretary – Kyle Casey  
Treasurer – Amy Shaw  
Chaplain- Neal Owen

Coordinators:  
Special Events & Projects: Paul Evans/Clayton Royal  
T-Shirts: Lauren Childs

### **Jr. Beta Club Officers 2009-2010**

President – Will Smith  
Vice-President – Drew Owen  
Secretary – Morgan Burbage  
Treasurer – Nisarg Patel  
Chaplain- Chase Bodiford

## Homecoming Attendants

7th Grade:

Mallory McGough  
Abby Watts

8th Grade:

Nikki Flowers  
Amber Whittington

9th Grade:

Morgan Boone  
Ashlyn Gaston

10th Grade:

Allie Baker  
Kirsten Missildine

11<sup>th</sup> Grade:

Ashlea Hudson  
Clayton Royal

12<sup>th</sup> Grade:

Brooke Conway  
Melanie Jones  
April Stroup

## What to Wear Homecoming Week

Monday: Rock and Roll

Tuesday: Toga **\*\*Must wear appropriate school clothes under Toga\*\***

Wednesday: Hawaiian Day **\*\*Must wear appropriate school clothes underneath\*\***

Thursday: Twin Day

Friday: Homecoming T-shirt (Homecoming Shirts will be given out Thursday afternoon in homeroom)

# “Boot the Chiefs”

## Homecoming 2009



Are you ready for Homecoming 2009?! This year, Homecoming will be on Friday, October 2<sup>nd</sup>. Our theme this year is “Boot the Chiefs.” Our own Hooper Academy Colts will be playing against the Lakeside School Chiefs. Kickoff will be at 7:00 Friday night at the Davis Henry field.

### **The Homecoming Court**

During homeroom on Wednesday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>, each class in grades 7 – 12 will vote for their homecoming attendants. They will vote for their grade only. Students may vote for girls out of both homeroom classes in their grades. In grades 7 – 11, two girls will represent each class, and three girls will represent the 12<sup>th</sup> grade class.

Homecoming attendants will be announced in chapel on Friday, September 25<sup>th</sup>. They will be escorted to the gym floor by senior football players.

On Wednesday, September 30<sup>th</sup>, grades 7 – 12 will vote for the Homecoming queen. They will be choosing from the three 12<sup>th</sup> grade attendants.

On Friday, October 2<sup>nd</sup> (Homecoming day), the homecoming court will need to meet on the football field at 10:45 to practice for halftime and the homecoming dance lead-out.

Each attendant will need to meet at 5:30 in the auditorium on Homecoming night to take pictures. The court will be presented during halftime and the Homecoming queen will be announced. The new queen will then be crowned by last year’s queen, Miss Angie Cox.

All attendants are to attend the Homecoming dance which will be held after the game Friday night from 10:00 PM – 12:30 AM. They must bring a date.

### **High School Decorating Competition – Homecoming Float**

This year, each class in grades 7-12 will be creating a float for the homecoming parade. The floats will be transported on trailers of any size, but the actual decorations must be between eight and twelve feet long. The class members will sit on the rest of the trailer during the parade.

The floats can be worked on at students’ homes and should be brought to the school on Friday morning and set up after chapel. They will need to be completed by 11:15 in preparation for the parade which will begin at 11:30. The floats will be judged after the homecoming pep rally by three judges who have no affiliation with Hooper Academy, and the winners will be announced during the fourth quarter of the football game.

### **Homecoming Parade and Pep Rally**

The Homecoming parade will be at 11:30. Elementary classes will line up along the front lawn. High school floats will be lined up in order, starting with 7<sup>th</sup> grade and going through 12<sup>th</sup> grade. Students will sit on their classes’ floats and may throw prizes out to the elementary students (candy, beads, toys – no gum). After the 12<sup>th</sup> grade float passes through, the elementary classes will follow the floats to the football field.

When the parade reaches the football field, it will be time for the Homecoming pep rally 2009! School will let out for the day after the Homecoming pep rally (roughly 12:00).

### **Elementary Decorating Contest – Door Displays**

This year, each elementary class will be designing a display for their door.

The display must include work from the students in the class. This can be a coloring, cut-out, etc. *The display is not to be done entirely by the teacher or a parent, or it will be disqualified.*

The door displays need to be completed by 11:00 on Homecoming morning. They will be judged by three judges who have no affiliation with Hooper Academy. The winners will be announced during the fourth quarter of the football game Friday night.

### **Senior Recognition**

Senior cheerleaders, football players and volleyball players will be recognized on Homecoming night directly before the Homecoming game.

Parents of senior cheerleaders, football players and volleyball players need to wear Sunday dress to the ballgame and meet in front of the concession stand at 6:30 PM. At 6:40, the parents will go as a group to the field and line up on the front hash mark facing the home side.

The names of the senior cheerleaders, football players and volleyball players will be called over the loud speaker, and as each name is called, the senior will take a rose to his or her parents to show appreciation.

### **Homecoming Dance**

The homecoming dance will be held on Friday, October 2<sup>nd</sup>, from 10:00 PM to 12:30 AM in the Hooper Academy auditorium. All Hooper Academy students in grades 7-12 and their dates are invited.

The cost for admission is \$5 for individuals and \$8 for couples. You must stay within the auditorium during the dance; anyone who leaves the auditorium will not be allowed to re-enter and must leave campus.

Attire for the dance is:

- Girls: Dresses or Dressy pantsuits
  - Skirt length can be no shorter than four inches above the knee. Modest spaghetti-strapped or strapless gowns are acceptable, but cleavage is inappropriate. (A chaperone will be posted at the entrance to check dresses. If you are unsure if your dress is appropriate, bring it to school before Homecoming and have Dr. Niblett see it.)
- Boys: Coat and tie
- *\*Anyone who is dressed inappropriately will not be admitted to the dance.*

The teachers and administration of Hooper Academy want dance attendees to have a fun time, but will not tolerate inappropriate dancing or behavior. If you or your date dances or acts in an improper manner, you will be removed from the dance and disciplinary action will be taken. Also, remember that anyone who leaves the auditorium during the dance will not be allowed to re-enter for any reason and must leave campus. Rules in the student handbook will be enforced.

The homecoming court lead-out will be at 12:20. Parents may come into the auditorium at 12:10 to watch lead-out, but may not come into the auditorium before then.

# UU Hooper Academy PTA UU

## Fall Festival



Join us

**“UNDER THE BIG TOP”**

**Saturday, October 31st**

**1pm til 4pm**

\*\*\*\*\*New This Year during the Fall Festival we will have an Arts & Crafts Show in the lunchroom...Booth rental is \$20. If you are interested in renting space please contact Angela Woodham [awoodham@hooperacademy.org](mailto:awoodham@hooperacademy.org)

We look forward to seeing you there!



## Spirit Night

When: **Monday, October 12th**

Where: **Chick-Fil-A at Midtown (Ann Street)**

Time: **5pm-9pm**

*Don't cook....come by and have dinner with us.*

**Elementary Students:** There will be a coloring contest with the winner to be announced and receive a prize the following morning.

**7th -12th Graders:** If you attend, your name will go in a drawing for a **\$10** cash prize. Winner will be announced the following morning.

# UU Hooper Academy PTA UU



**Remember to save your  
Box Tops  
to earn FREE CASH for our school!  
First Due Date: 10/15**

**\*\*\*\*\*Our Enjoy The City  
Coupon Book sale will  
begin 10/5!\*\*\*\*\***

## Booster Club News:

### Help Wanted and Needed

*Please consider donating your time to one of these needs:*

People interested in helping with our Merchandise Booth, please contact Kim Smith.

People interested in learning to be a Clock Worker for basketball, please get in touch with Bill Flowers.

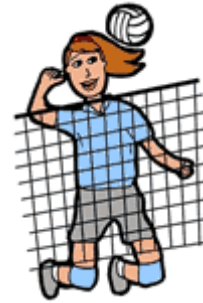
People interested in helping put the lights on the baseball field, please contact Max Pugh.

Banquet News - The Termites/Pee Wees/Junior Varsity banquet will be held on Thursday, November 5, 2009 in the lunchroom of the school at 6:00 p.m. As in the past, it will be a Pizza dinner. Football Players, Cheerleaders and Volleyball Players meals will be provided (2 slices and drink). Extra slices are \$1 each. Parents, siblings, grandparents or guests will be charged \$2 per meal.

The tentative date for the Varsity Sports Banquet for Varsity Football, Volleyball and Cheerleaders has been set for November 19th. Invitations will be sent out with details.

Our next meeting is scheduled for Monday, October 19th at 6:00 p.m. Please join us in the lunchroom. The booster club is what keeps our sports programs IN ACTION!

## Hooper Volleyball



### JV Gets 1<sup>ST</sup> Win Against Evangel Christian Academy

The Colts defeated Evangel in 2 straight with scores of 25-20, and 25-18. Returning only 4 players from last year the Colts are a very “young” team. Key players to watch this year are Morgan Boone, Josie Free, Summer Baker, Amanda Hobbs, Morgan Burbage, Jernigan Crowder, Jasmine Flores, Allie Brown, and Kristen Collins.

### Varsity Improves To 10-4

The Colts had big wins against Evangel, Pike, and Lee-Scott. In the region the Colts are 5-2. Leaders for the season are Tori Flowers with 163 kills and 190 digs, Elissa Cargile with 115 kills, and 167 digs, Bethany Casey with 193 assists and 39 aces, Hannah Davis with 42 aces, Caitlin Walp with 80 assists, Megan Smith with 153 digs and 20 aces, and Jennifer Nunnelley with 135 digs.

The Colts look to advance past the regional tournament for the first time ever on October 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup>. Come out and support the quest to the Final Four.

Coach A

## JV Football

The Junior High Football team got off to a slow start this year, losing the first two games at Edgewood and PCA. But, in the last three weeks, the JV has started to “click” with wins over Morgan, East Memorial, and Fort Dale. I am very proud of the improvement the boys have made and continue to make. With five games left, the JV is 3-2 and looking forward to finishing strong. Thomas Harper leads the Colts in most offensive categories, while Kyle Sides leads the defense. Throw in the leadership of the rest of the 9<sup>th</sup> graders and we have a great combination for success. Our main goal is to improve every week, and so far this year I think we have accomplished this. If you haven’t seen us play, we invite you to join us on Tuesday nights so we can show you how much “Pride” we have in our team. Thanks for all the support you give us.

Coach Dykes

September 29 – East Memorial - here  
October 6 – Pike - here  
October 13 – Lowndes - away  
October 20 – Macon East - away  
October 27 – Morgan - away

## 2009 Tiny Termite Pep Squad



Left to right: Madelyn Dean, Sammi Helms,  
Addie Hampton, Josie Hussey

This is a squad of second grade girls who are supporting our Termite football players. The girls assist the Termite cheerleaders with chants and cheers, and encourage our Hooper Colts fans to keep up the spirit!

The pep squad participated in a two hour pre-season clinic where they learned Hooper cheers, cheerleading motions and jumps, and prepared for the upcoming football games. They also cheer during the elementary pep rallies. These fantastic girls are working really hard and doing a wonderful job. Thanks, Tiny Termites!!

Debi Dean  
Tiny Termite Pep Squad Coach

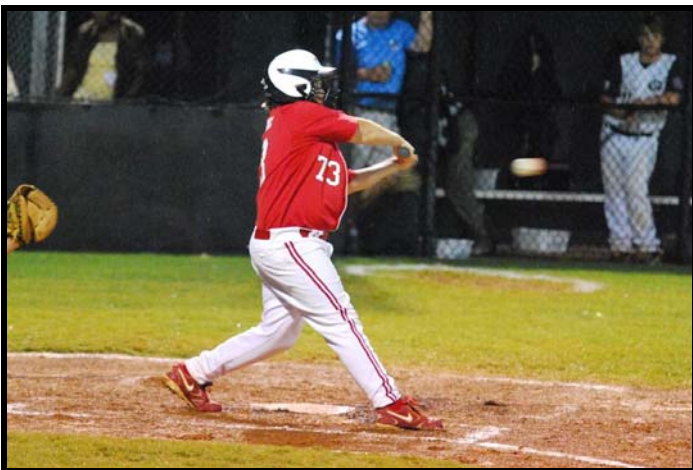
## **Hooper Academy 8<sup>th</sup> Graders Represented at the 2009 Dixie Youth Majors World Series**

Hooper Academy 8<sup>th</sup> graders Walker Kunde and Daniel Friedel (1<sup>st</sup> year student at Hooper) were selected as all-stars in the East Montgomery “Red Division” Dixie Majors (11/12 year old) baseball league in East Montgomery. Their summer was literally spent on the baseball diamond playing or practicing almost everyday except Sundays. Their hard work paid off with their team winning their Sub-District Tournament, placing 2<sup>nd</sup> in their District and winning the Sub-State Tournament. These wins advanced them to the week long State Tournament in Lincoln, Alabama. The top 12 teams in the state played a double elimination tournament and East Montgomery “Red” was victorious in winning the State Championship and secured a place in the Dixie Youth Majors World Series in Laurel, Mississippi. The last 11/12 year old team from East Montgomery to go to the World Series was in 1988, so their accomplishment was extraordinary.

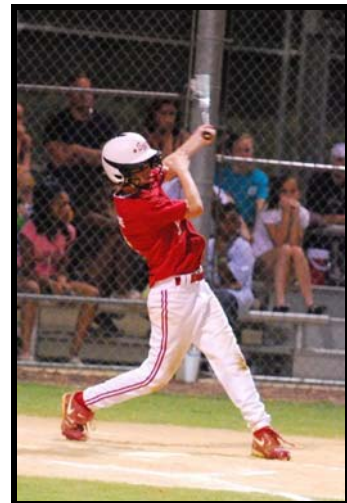
Walker who led his All-Star team with 6 home runs in combined tournament play had an outstanding offensive batting percentage in the World Series and played 3<sup>rd</sup> base on defense. Daniel, who had 2 home runs in the World Series, also had a tremendous batting percentage, and played first base.

Their Alabama team placed 5<sup>th</sup>, far surpassing any expectations.

The experience was every baseball players dream and Walker and Daniel both stood out as tremendous athletes and young men. They represented Hooper Academy and themselves well!!!



Daniel Friedel



Walker Kunde

## Hooper Academy Room Mothers

K4 - Mrs. Vickie Boyd

Davonna Woodham

K4 – Mrs. Sheri Dykes

Amy Mokler

Kathleen Vinson

K5 – Ms. Angela Woodham

Amy Brown

Kelly Lyndall

1G – Mrs. Debbie Moncrief

Amber Newell

Angela Woodham

2G – Mrs. Sharon Fleming

Kathy Huneycutt

Susan Helms

3G – Martha Lee Hall

Kimberly Frederick

4G – Ms. Jane Whitely

Brandi Walker

5G – Mrs. Catherine Hall

Sarah Sides

Tamara Holcomb

5W – Ms. Debbie Kizziah

Rhonda Sikes

Callie Lawhon

6G – Mrs. Linda Richardson

Alicia Beach

Susan Wynn

7G – Mrs. Emily Barnes

Kim Brasington

7W – Mr. John Mehaffey

Debbie Petty

Jennifer Findley

8G – Mrs. Kathleen Purvis

Wren Owens

Laura Allergo

8W – Mrs. Debbi Christensen

Ginger Bodiford

Dixie Brown

9G – Coach Gary Nelson

Jennifer Boone

9W – Mrs. Renee Nelson

Angie Bailey

Jana Smith

10G – Mr. Frank Fisher

Kayla Christian

10W – Mr. Scott Phillips

Donna Watts

Anne Bowden

11G – Mrs. Candice Foster

Angie Burkhalter

Tara Harris

11W – Coach Eddie Dykes

Teri Hudson

Lynn Collins

12G – Mr. Larry Pickett

Samantha Casey

Vickie Wilsford

12W – Mr. Maury Popwell

# Calendar of Events

10/1	Thursday	VB @ Meadowview	4:30 pm
10/2	Friday	Homecoming – School dismisses at Pep Rally/Parade Pre-Game Homecoming Dance 7-12 grades	Noon 11:30 am 6:40 pm 10:00 – 12:30
10/3	Saturday	Elementary Homecoming Dance 4-6 grades	7:00 -10:00 pm
10/5	Monday	Off-Roll – Professional Development Day	
10/6	Tuesday	Termite/PW football pictures VB vs. Pike (here) Termite/PW/JV vs. Pike (here)	4:00 pm 4:30 pm 5:00 pm
10/8	Thursday	VB vs. Ft. Dale (here)	4:30 pm
10/9	Friday	End of 1 <sup>st</sup> Grading Period	
10/10	Saturday	VB Tournament @ Lee-Scott Termite/PW Bowl @ Lee-Scott	TBA TBA
10/12	Monday	VB @ Morgan	4:30 pm
10/13	Tuesday	Termite/PW/JV football @ Lowndes	5:00 pm
10/15	Thursday	PTA – Report Cards Issued	6:00 pm
10/16	Friday	Varsity FB @ Macon- East	7:00 pm
10/19-20	Mon-Tues	Begin VB @ Faulkner	TBA
10/20	Tuesday	Headmaster’s Breakfast Termite/PW/JV football @ Macon-East	7:15 am 5:00 pm
10/21	Wednesday	Fall School Pictures	
10/23	Friday	Varsity FB vs. Tuscaloosa (here)	7:00 pm
10/24	Saturday	State VB @ Huntingdon ACT Test	TBA
10/27	Tuesday	District Oratorical Contest @ Hooper Termite/PW/JV football @ Morgan	5:00 pm
10/28	Wednesday	Election of Who’s Who	
10/30	Friday	Varsity FB @ Springwood	7:00 pm

# Hooper Academy Work Assessment Program

This work assessment program was created to stimulate and increase participation and involvement by all families in maintenance and other activities at Hooper Academy and was approved by the West Montgomery Education Foundation Board members. Families, who do not desire to actively participate in maintenance, repair, and other projects which save the school operating expense or make money for the school, may elect to pay the optional assessment of \$360.00 per school year.

## Program Guidelines

1. Work Verification Forms are available in the office and show details of work performed, the number of hours worked, a space for your signature verifying the work, and a space for the form to be signed by an authorizing member. Authorizing members are any member of the current board of trustees, headmaster, booster club officers, PTA officers, or fine arts officers. If you turn in a form without a signature from one of these authorizing members it will not be credited to your account. All Work Verification Forms must be turned in within the calendar month in which the work was performed. Verification forms turned in outside the calendar month in which the work was performed will not be credited to your account. For work assessment program purposes, the school year runs from June 1st to May 31st each year.

2. Assessments will be prorated according to hours worked.

### *Example*

Works hours required from each family:  $24 \times \$15.00 = \$360.00$

Work hours credited to your family:  $16 \times \$15.00 = \$240.00$

Assessment due for the year = \$120.00

3. Statements for assessments will mailed before May 15th each year and are due before June 15th of the school year. All Work Verification Forms and assessments due must be completed or paid in full before final report cards are issued.

4. Work performed on school grounds, in or on school facilities, moneymaking projects, concessions, providing transportation for student groups, or other approved work, will count as work hour credits. Any person or family having difficulty reaching their required hours should contact the school office for work assignments well in advance of the end of the school year. Hours worked over 24 per year will not be forwarded to the next year. However, we do need and appreciate all time worked for the improvement of our school.

5. Each individual or family is responsible for completing, signing, acquiring an authorizing member's signature, and turning in the Work Verification Form to the office for processing. Due to billing concerns, Work Verification Forms must be signed by an authorizing member and turned in to the office within the calendar month the work was completed or the work hours will not be credited to your account. Work Verification Forms are the only authorized forms, not spreadsheets or other paperwork.

# WORK ASSESSMENT PROGRAM

**\*\* (Submit to the Office each month in which work was performed)**

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Event: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Time Worked: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Authorizing Member's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

This form is the only method by which you can submit your work hours for credit. Spreadsheets and other paperwork are not permissible and will not be accepted. Please ensure this form is filled out completely and signed by authorized members.

## Hooper Academy Daycare/K4 & K5 Menu – October 2009

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			1 Pizza Fries Peaches	2 Steak Creamed Potatoes Fried Okra
<b>5 DAYCARE ONLY</b> Chicken Nuggets Creamed Potatoes Green Beans Roll	6 Steak Fingers Creamed Potatoes Green Beans Roll	7 Ravioli Grilled Cheese Sandwich Applesticks	8 Chicken Sandwich Corn English Peas	9 Pizza Macaroni & Cheese Peaches
12 Chicken Patty Rice Pilaf Field Peas Roll	13 Corn Dog Nuggets Baked Beans Cheezy Potatoes	14 Steak Creamed Potatoes Green Beans	15 Pizza Tater Tots Mixed Fruit	16 Chicken Nuggets Creamed Potatoes Peas-Carrots
19 Ravioli Grilled Cheese English Peas	20 Hamburger Steak w/ brown gravy Creamed Potatoes Green Beans	21 Corn Dog Nuggets Macaroni & Cheese Fried Okra	22 Chicken Sandwich Cheezy Potatoes Corn Nuggets	23 Hamburger Fries Peaches
26 Spaghetti w/ meat sauce English Peas Applesticks	27 Chicken Strips Rice Pilaf Baby Limas	28 Meatloaf Creamed Potatoes Field Peas	29 Pizza Tater Tots Green Beans	30 Steak Cheezy Potatoes English Peas

## Hooper Academy Menu – October 2009

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			1 Flying J Pizza Fries	2 <b>ELEMENTARY ONLY</b> Hamburger Steak w/ brown gravy Creamed Potatoes Fried Okra Roll Chef Salad
5  HOLIDAY	6 Steak Fingers Creamed Potatoes Green Beans Roll  Chef Salad	7 Ravioli Grilled Cheese Sandwich Applesticks	8 Chicken Sandwich Fries Chocolate Cookies	9 School Pizza Fries Peaches  Chef Salad
12 Charbroil Chicken Rice Pilaf Field Peas Roll  Chef Salad	13 Hot Dog w/chili & cheese Fries Baked Beans	14 Beef Stew w/ White Rice Grilled Cheese Sandwich English Peas	15 Flying J Pizza Fries  Chef Salad	16 Corn Dog Okra Macaroni & Cheese  Chef Salad
19 Pepperoni Hot Pocket Spicy Fries Ice Cream  Chef Salad	20 Hamburger Steak w/ brown gravy Creamed Potatoes Green Beans Roll	21 Taco Salad Chips Corn	22 Chicken Sandwich Corn Nuggets Baked Beans  Chef Salad	23 Hamburger Fries Snack Cake  Chef Salad
26 Spaghetti w/ meat sauce Salad Garlic Bread  Chef Salad	27 Chicken Tenders Rice Pilaf Baby Limas Roll	28 Ham & Cheese Croissants Potato Chips Ice Cream	29 School Pizza Fries Ice Cream  Chef Salad	30 Country Fried Steak Sandwich Tater Tots Chocolate Pudding  Chef Salad

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