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## **Transportation to Hooper**

If you would be interested in your children riding a bus to and from Hooper Academy please contact Tommy Campbell at [Southernframe@aol.com](mailto:Southernframe@aol.com). Pickup and dropoff locations to be determined later. Possible locations are Perry Hill Road in Montgomery and downtown Montgomery area.

## **New Students**

We are looking for new students at Hooper. If you know of a potential new student, please give their name and contact information to the office so an invitation and/or a phone call can be completed.

## **Credit on Tuition**

Per Board policy, any family that refers another family to Hooper, receives a free one month, one child tuition credit to their account.

## **7<sup>th</sup> Grade World Geography**

Mr. Mehaffey's 7<sup>th</sup> Grade World Geography would like to thank Mrs. Susan Wynn and

Mr. Tim Wilsford for providing transportation to Kabuki Japanese Steakhouse for a class field trip. After learning about various Asian cultures, 7<sup>th</sup> graders were able to interact with Japanese culture and sample their cuisine.

## **Senior Portraits**

Upcoming Senior Portraits will be July 13th and 14th. Lifetouch will be contacting you with the necessary information regarding scheduling times. Please plan your out of town trips so you will not miss these dates.

## **Hooper Academy Board Positions**

The orientation meeting for new board member candidates will be held on Thursday, May 5th at 6:00 pm in the school library. Attendance is all that is required at this meeting. Interested parties should contact Mike Pugh at 334-288-2966 or 334 202-4740 prior to May 5th.

## **West Montgomery Education Foundation Annual Meeting**

The WMEF Annual Meeting will be held on June 13, 2011 at 7:30 in the Auditorium.

From the Headmaster...

## A Tribute To Mothers

He maketh the barren women to keep house, [and to be] a joyful mother of children. Praise ye the LORD. Psalm 113:9

### WHO IS MOTHER?

Mother is half of the Father/Mother team, the one who gave birth to you as a child. When she first held you in her arms, she fell madly in love with you! She is the one that changed your diaper, gave you your bottle, bathed and dressed you. She is the one who tended to you when you were sick, wishes she could have bore your pain, but unable to even share it with you. There is none like a mother.

If you have children, then you know what it's like to be a Mother. Often, it's a tough job, with unruly children, and many heartaches before they are grown. Sometimes a Mother is lucky that she has well-disciplined children, but only because she has done her best in order for them to be well-adjusted teenagers and later adults. Mostly, Mother sits and worries that she hasn't done her best with her children, especially if they don't turn out as she thought they should, with all the training she had given them.

Mother is a human being, capable of making mistakes. She is not perfect, just as none of us are perfect. But she is the one that we picture as being perfect during our childhood. As we become older, we realize that Mothers are capable of right and wrong ways of doing things, missing the mark, just as much as the next person. But she is still Mother. The thing that sets her apart is her everlasting love for her children and her intent that they lead normal, well-adjusted lives.

Not until we become adults, do we really begin to appreciate WHO Mother really is. She has nurtured you through your childhood, put up with your sassy ways and times of being lazy during your teenage years, and cried through your becoming an adult. But Mother was always there to encourage you when you made a mistake, although sometimes it's hard not to show disappointment {I am sure I've done that}.

As we grow older and have our own children, we realize that Mother was a very strong person, and we begin to wonder can we ever fit into her shoes. No, we wear our 'own shoes'...we can never do things the same as our Mother, although she has given us the pattern from which to build. IF we have a Godly Mother{I did!}, then we can bring up our children in the ways of God, so that when they grow older we have the assurance that some day they will live for God. After all, Proverbs 22:6 says "Train up a child in the ways he should go, and when he is old, he will not depart from it."

Mothers are special. Is your Mother living today? If so, try to make this Mother's Day the most wonderful day of her life! Show her you care if only by telling her you love her. Take her out to eat, take her flowers, but show up on Mother's Day, if possible. You will never know how much this helps Mother to realize her family still cares. Sometimes we get busy doing the usual things in life, and lose sight of the most important aspects – loving our family. And Mother happens to be where that 'family' began. Without Mother, there would never have been a family. You might also tell Daddy that you are so happy that he chose Mother to be his wife. Make his eyes light up as well!!

M – Messenger, relaying God's Word

O – Outpouring of genuine Love

T – Trusts in God

H – Heart set on things above

E – Earthly saint

R – Rescuer of the Wayward

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God Bless You! Have a loving Mother's Day!

Sincerely,  
Dr. John D. Niblett  
Headmaster



## 2011-2012 JV Cheerleaders

Thank you to Donna Piel, Kris Rogers and Terry Hudson for donating breakfast for the FCA meetings in April. The last meeting will be May 3rd. The meeting begins at 7:15 a.m. in the lunchroom.

### Hooper Academy Golf

The Hooper Academy Golf Team has participated in eight tournaments this season and represented the school very well. The members of the golf team are Will Finlayson, Drew Danner, Shepard Bowden, Brady Bowden, Hayden Davis, John David Watts, and Myles McCollum. We have two seniors, one junior, a freshman, and three eighth graders on the team. The team finished 3<sup>rd</sup> in the Morgan Academy Tournament in Selma and missed qualifying as a team for the State Tournament by two strokes at the Fort Dale Tournament in Greenville with a combined score of 362.

Congratulations to Will Finlayson and Brady Bowden! Both golfers qualified for the State Tournament that will be held April 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> in Troy. Will Finlayson qualified numerous times during the year and finished 3<sup>rd</sup> in both the Morgan Academy Tournament and the Monroe Academy Tournament. Brady Bowden posted an 85 to qualify during the Macon East Academy Tournament. Good luck in the State Tournament!

Lamar Davis  
Golf Coach



Pictured left to right: Anabeth Milstead, Charity Bowden, Courtney Wynn, Chaplain-Morgan Davis, Captain-Morgan Maxwell, Co-Captain-Abby Watts, Spirit Leader-Katey James, Laura Gravely, Madeline Maxwell

The 2011-2012 JV cheerleaders enjoyed dinner at Mellow Mushroom and Justin Bieber's Never Say Never 3D movie in celebration of their recent selection on the newest JV team. It was a fun evening for the girls, as well as a great bonding experience for them. The girls have already started practice in preparation for competition season. We look forward to another successful year!

Donna Maxwell, JV Coach

### Tutoring

Tutoring: Prepare your student for next year's math classes. Summer Tutoring Available for General math, Pre-Algebra and Algebra I. Contact Mrs. Purvis for more information at [KCToods@yahoo.com](mailto:KCToods@yahoo.com).

# **Booster Club News**

## **Spring Banquet:**

The spring banquet has been set for Tuesday, May 10, 2011 at 6:30 on the baseball field. Hamburgers and hotdogs will be served.

## **Football:**

Spring football practice began on April 26<sup>th</sup> for the JV and Varsity football teams.

## **Basketball:**

A camp/game has been scheduled for June 8, 9 and 10<sup>th</sup> with Lee-Scott. Cost is \$20.00 per player.

## **Boston Butt Sale:**

Thank you to everyone that sold/purchased a boston butt. The booster club was able to sell 180 butts and 15 bags of tips.

## **Vacant Offices:**

President

VP of Fall Sports

VP of Winter Sports

VP of Spring Sports

## **Newly Elected Offices:**

Secretary/Treasurer:	Donna Piel
Membership:	Shannon Williams
Sports Program:	Raelene Barnett and Jennifer Boone
Merchandise	Kim Smith
Signs	Barbara Owens

## **Girls Summer Workout Schedule for Grades 10-12**

June: Beginning on June 6<sup>th</sup> every Monday, Tuesday and Thursday from 8:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

July: Every Monday, Tuesday and Thursday from 8:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

# Hooper Track Team Places at State

Congratulations to Elissa Cargile, Shelby Morgan and Austin Collins. Elissa won 1<sup>st</sup> place in Discus, Shelby won 3<sup>rd</sup> place in Shot put and Austin won 4<sup>th</sup> place in High Jump in the State Track Meet in Selma, Alabama.



Austin Collins – High Jump



Elissa Cargile – Discus



Shelby Morgan – Shot Put



Brandon Piel – Relay Team

# Hooper Academy Students Tour Historic Boston

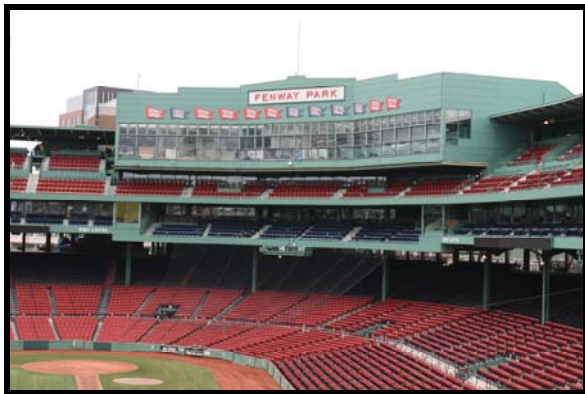


During Spring Break, Mr. John Mehaffey and several of his students from Hooper Academy's Street Law class traveled to Atlanta to board a plane with a destination of Boston, Massachusetts. They enjoyed a guided tour of one of the oldest cities in the United States as well as the surrounding areas. The tour started with a walk through the streets of historic Boston that included visits to Paul Revere's house, the Old North Church, and the USS Constitution. They ended the day with a view of the city from the Prudential Tower and dinner at the Hard Rock Café. On the second day of the trip, the class toured Lexington and Concord. This was the location of the first military battle of the American Revolution fought on April 19, 1775, and where the "shot was heard around the world." The class walked over the North Bridge, which is where the Battle of Concord took place. Later that day, the class toured Salem and learned about the history of the area. After lunch and a visit to a Witch Museum, Ye Olde Pepper Candy Company "the oldest candy store in America", and the House of Seven Gables, they had the opportunity to enjoy the beautiful scenery in Marblehead. They later had dinner at Brothers restaurant back in Salem. The third day of the trip took the students to Plymouth. They boarded the Mayflower II and toured the ship. They also saw the historic Plymouth Rock. The group had lunch while watching snowflakes starting to fall. Afterwards, they walked through the Plymouth Plantation in the snow and visited replicas of Indian and Pilgrim villages. Dinner was back in Boston at the No Name restaurant where the class enjoyed seafood. The final day of the trip took the class to Cambridge with a walk through Harvard Yard and a visit to Fenway Park. The last stop was at the JFK Memorial library in Boston and then back to the airport for the flight home. These are just the highlights of a fun, historical, and memorable class trip taken by Hooper Academy students. A special thanks to their teacher, Mr Mehaffey, for making this great experience possible.

## Boston Pictures



Arriving in Boston



Fenway Park



Enjoying some SNOW at Plymouth Plantation



At Harvard



The Mayflower

# May Calendar of Events

2	Monday	State SGA Convention	
3	Tuesday	Dual Enrollment meeting in Room 14	6:00 p.m.
6-7	Fri – Sat	State Softball @ Lagoon	TBA
8	Sunday	Mother's Day	
9	Monday	Senior Dinner	6:30 p.m.
10	Tuesday	BB/SB Cookout on baseball field	6:30 p.m.
		Booster Club meeting	6:00 p.m.
12	Thursday	Class Day	8:30 a.m.
14	Saturday	Athletic physicals @ Trinity	8:30 a.m.
15	Sunday	Baccalaureate	2:00 p.m.
16	Monday	5 <sup>th</sup> Period Exam	1:20 p.m.
17	Tuesday	1 <sup>st</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Period Exams	8:30/10:30
18	Wednesday	Senior Picnic – Oak Mountain State Park	
		2 <sup>nd</sup> & 6 <sup>th</sup> Period Exams	8:30/10:30
19	Thursday	K5 Graduation	6:00 p.m.
		3 <sup>rd</sup> & 7 <sup>th</sup> Period Exams	8:30/10:30
		End 4 <sup>th</sup> Grading Period	
		Everyone dismisses at NOON	
20	Friday	Graduation	8:00 p.m.

**7-12 grades dismiss at noon 5/17-5/19**

**Everyone dismisses at noon on 5/19**

## Hooper Academy Daycare Menu – May 2011

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 Chicken strips Rice Pilaf Green Beans	3 Corn Dog Nuggets Fries Baked Beans	4 Spaghetti w/meat sauce English Peas Corn	5 Cheeseburger Fries Ice Cream	6 Pizza Corn Nuggets Peaches
9 Steak Mashed Potatoes Fried Okra	10 Corn Dog Nuggets Macaroni & Cheese Corn Nuggets	11 Steak Fingers Cheesy Potatoes Applesticks	12 Hamburger Fries Applesauce	13 Chicken Strips Rice Pilaf Field Peas
16 Pizza Fries Chocolate Pudding	17 Steak Mashed Potatoes Green Beans	18 Corn Dog Nuggets Tater Tots Baked Beans	19 Chicken Nuggets Cheesy Potatoes English Peas	20 Ravioli Corn Peaches
23 Chicken Fingers Cheesy Potatoes English Peas	24 Cheeseburger Tater Tots Green Beans	25 Steak Creamed Potatoes Field Peas	26 Corn Dog Nuggets Tater Tots Corn	27 Pizza Fries Ice Cream
30  HOLIDAY				

## Hooper Academy K4 & K5 Menu – May 2011

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 Chicken strips Rice Pilaf Green Beans	3 Corn Dog Nuggets Fries Baked Beans	4 Spaghetti w/meat sauce English Peas Corn	5 Cheeseburger Fries Ice Cream	6 Pizza Corn Nuggets Peaches
9 Steak Mashed Potatoes Fried Okra	10 Corn Dog Nuggets Macaroni & Cheese Corn Nuggets	11 Steak Fingers Cheesy Potatoes Applesticks	12 Hamburger Fries Applesauce	13 Chicken Strips Rice Pilaf Field Peas
16 Pizza Fries Chocolate Pudding	17 Steak Mashed Potatoes Green Beans	18 Corn Dog Nuggets Tater Tots Baked Beans	19 Chicken Nuggets Cheesy Potatoes English Peas	20
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## Hooper Academy Menu – May 2011

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 Teriyaki Chicken Rice Pilaf Green Beans Roll  Chef Salad	3 Hot Dog w/Chili & Cheese Spicy Fries Baked Beans	4 Spaghetti w/meat sauce Corn Garlic Bread	5 Cheeseburger French Fries Ice Cream	6 Pizza Fries Peaches  Chef Salad
9 Country Fried Steak w/white gravy Mashed Potatoes Fried Okra Roll  Chef Salad	10 Corn Dog Macaroni & Cheese Corn Nuggets  Chef Salad	11 Taco Salad Chips Corn	12 Hamburger Fries Applesauce	13 Chicken Fingers Rice Pilaf Field Peas Roll  Chef Salad
16 3 meat Italian Flatbread Fries Ice Cream  Chef Salad	17 Corn Dog Tater Tots Peaches  Elementary Only 7-12 Dismiss @ Noon	18 Chicken Sandwich Fries Jello  Elementary Only 7-12 Dismiss @ Noon	19 Hot Dog Spicy Fries Applesauce  Elementary Only K4-12 Dismiss @ Noon	20
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