Hebron High School Parent Teacher Student Association 2014-15 Tidbits, Vol. 1

Welcome to the first issue of the HHSPTSA Tidbits for the 2014-15 school year. This newsletter goes only to those individuals who have joined PTSA for this school year. These will be coming out every month or so in an attempt to keep you up to date on issues, events and activities at Hebron High School that we think will be of interest to PTSA members.

A Note from the PTSA President

Welcome Back! The 2014-2015 school year has started as busy as ever, I hope you and your family are settling into the school routine. Thank you for joining PTSA, by simply joining you have joined forces with the largest advocacy group for children in the state of Texas. The theme for the year is "Back the Future", and we are doing just that at Hebron High School. The Texas House of Representatives will be in session this coming February and the PTSA plans to be there as well. Keeping you informed on what the Legislature is doing in regards to education and how it effects your student.

Homecoming is approaching fast and we hope to see you at the parade 6:30pm Wednesday, September 17th. It is such a great Hebron community event. I love seeing all the future Hawks and the great students at Hebron.

Hebron High School was ranked 4th in the state of Texas for the 2014 Lone Star Cup Division 5A. You can read more about that at http://www.uiltexas.org/lone-star-cup. The points do not just come from athletics but all UIL competition including Fine Arts. Hebron is the highest-ranking LISD School on the list. We have some great kids here doing some amazing things. I am pleased the whole state of Texas can see that now as well! The Hebron PTSA is proud to back ALL of the Hawks at Hebron. If the Hebron PTSA or I can be of any service, please do not hesitate to ask. Go Hawks!

For up to date information please like us on Facebook Hebron High School PTSA

Sincerely,

Jenny Proznik, President HHS9 & HHS PTSA

HEBRON OPEN HOUSE - MONDAY, SEPT. 15

6:00 to 7:40 p.m. All Parents are invited to attend.

6:00 – 6:20 - PTSA Meeting and Performance in Main Campus Cafeteria

6:30 – 6:40 – First period

6:50 - 7:00 - Second Period

7:10 - 7:20 - Third Period

7:30 – 7:40 – Fourth Period

Parents are asked to follow their students' schedules on the Main Campus and the Ninth Grade Center. You can find your child's schedule on Skyward. Open house is an opportunity for the parents to hear a description of each class by their students' teachers but is not intended to be a time for parent-teacher conferences. Please leave your name and contact information with the teacher if you would like to schedule an individual conference.

• HHS spirit wear and goods will be available from various organizations in the main campus hallway, and you can join PTSA then as well. Please tell your friends!

New Web Site

HHS PTSA has a new website this year. It is www.hebronptsa.org It will go LIVE on September 15th at Open House and will have great information and links to all sorts of parent resources – be sure to check it out.

Membership and Scholarship Requirements

If you are planning to apply for any of the PTSA scholarships for graduating seniors, you **must be a current PTSA member**. While 4 year membership is not required in order to apply for the scholarship it is a category that receives points for term of membership. All applications are evaluated anonymously by the Lewisville Education Foundation (LEF).

Volunteer Background Checks

If you plan to volunteer at any LISD campus you must have a background check completed once every three years. This website will give you more information... http://www.lisd.net/apps/pages/index.jsp?uREC_ID=118446&type=d&pREC_ID=255241

Reflections Update

Reflect your artistic talents through the PTA Reflections program. This year's theme is "The World Would be a Better Place If..." entry categories are Visual Arts, Literature, Film Production, Photography, Musical Composition, and Dance Choreography. The deadline for entries at Hebron is November 7th in the library at the main campus or 9th grade center. You can get participation rules and entry forms at www.txpta.org/programs/reflections or

you can contact our local PTSA reflections co-chairs Lisa Lowary or Lee Jansen at lisalowary@hotmail.com

Homecoming 2014

Homecoming week is September 15th-20th. There is a ton of information on the Hebron website http://hhs.lisd.net/apps/news/show_news.jsp?REC_ID=393699&id=1

- * The theme for the week is 'Hawkflix Streaming Success Since 1999'
- * Dress up Days are Mon-action/adventure, Tues-animated characters, Wed-chick flicks, Thu-horror/thriller, Fri-Hebron spiritwear
- * The Homecoming parade is Wednesday, Sept. 17th at 6:30pm at Hebron High School. Immediately following the parade all participants, parents, friends and attendees are invited to the community pep rally at Hawk Stadium. The pep rally is an important part of the festivities, please make plans to attend!! If you are hungry after the parade we are thrilled to have food stations on site! On your way to the pep rally you can purchase food from a variety of vendors before making your way into the stands to cheer on the Hawks!
- * The Homecoming Dance is Saturday, Sept. 20th at 8:00pm in the cafeteria.
- * Homecoming mums sales benefitting the Silver Wings are before school and at lunches in the cafeteria through Friday, Sept 12th.

PTSA is a proud supporter of ALL Hebron students and organizations, and we will be offering up news and information from some of the other great organizations on campus.

A Note from the Football Booster President:

Welcome to Texas 6A Football! Hebron Hawks have our first district game this week against Plano @John Clark Stadium, 7:30 PM Friday.

We want to celebrate by kicking up some noise against the Plano Wildcats. All Hawk fans need to show up to the game LOUD and PROUD in blue & silver. Remember if we can't hear you we can't see you!!!

Here are game day tips for our fans:

- BEFORE THE GAME: Wear blue & silver and be LOUD. Arrive early.
- WHEN WE ARE ON OFFENSE: This is NOT the time to make noise. Make it easy to hear plays. Cheer when we make a first down. High Five everyone around you when we score!
- WHEN WE ARE ON DEFENSE: THIS is the time to make noise. Follow the player's lead. Our players feed off of our excitement be Loud & Proud! De-Fense...De-Fense Fense
- WHEN OUR OPPONENTS ON THIRD DOWN: MAKE some NOISE so they can't hear the

snap count! Encourage those around you to make noise. Get loud!

- AFTER THE GAME: Wait for the kids to line up for the school song. Sing the Fight song. Be proud to be a Hebron Hawk!

LOUD & Proud to be a Hebron Hawk!

Kronda Thimesch Hebron Football Booster Club President www.HebronFootball.com

FUN FACTS AND INTERESTING ITEMS

- HHS Main campus has current enrollment of 2,471, and the Ninth Grade Center has almost 900 students
- Hebron website is hhs.lisd.net
- Hebron 9th Grade Center is hhs9.lisd.net
- The 9th Grade Center is planning to put in a green screen to help students with filmmaking projects.