



# Crabapple Middle School

## Friday Notes

Week of November 3rd-November 7th



### MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Nov. 4	<b>Election Day—SCHOOL CLOSED</b>
Nov. 6-7	Georgia Lighthouse Schools to Watch visit
Nov. 8	GMEA Band/Orchestra Solo & Ensemble
Nov. 10	PTA Board Meeting
Nov. 11	Veteran's Day
Nov. 13	Orchestra Concert @ 7:00pm
Nov. 14	Linda Schultz Community Meeting @

### **Volleyball Game Schedule**

Nov. 5 vs. Haynes Bridge MS @ HBMS
Nov. 7 vs. Northwestern MS @ NWMS
Nov. 12 vs. Hopewell MS @ HMS
Nov. 14 vs. Sandy Springs MS @ CMS
Nov. 18 vs. Ridgeview MS @ RMS

**All games begin  
at 5:00pm**

### Red Ribbon Winners

The PTA would like to thank all the staff, teachers and students for participating in the activities that were planned for Red Ribbon Week.

#### *Homeroom Door Decoration Contest Winners*

- 6<sup>th</sup> Grade – Ms. McCaulley
- 7<sup>th</sup> Grade – Ms. Moss
- 8<sup>th</sup> Grade – Ms. Connors

#### *Husky Huddle Slogan Contest Winners*

6<sup>th</sup> Grade – Ms. Ulmer's Slogan:

**Be like me – be drug free!**

7<sup>th</sup> Grade – Ms. Hackbarth's Slogan:

**Live a...**

**Persistent**

**Resistant**

**Independent**

**Drug-Free**

**Extreme ...Life!**

8<sup>th</sup> Grade – Ms. Gaffney's Slogan:

**You have a voice...Make the right choice!**

Honorable Mention – Ms. Polk's Slogan:

**Live life free**

**Live life true**

**A drug free life is the life for you!**

### Student Spotlight on the Radio

Eighth grader, Lauren Kew, represented CMS this week on the radio morning show, Q100's 'The Bert Show'. She is the Junior Political Correspondent, debating several issue involving the upcoming Presidential election. Listen to Lauren on the air between 7:00am-8:00am on 99.7.

### Roswell Rotary Student of the Month

Cynthia Dominguez, 8th grade student in Mrs. Braddock's homeroom was honored as the October Rotary 'Student of the Month'. Cynthia, along with Mrs. Braddock, were recognized at a luncheon on October 23rd.

### Free Health Fair

The El Shaddai Hispanic Ministry of Crosspointe Community Church is having a FREE medical and dental health fair November 14th-15th at 77 East Crossville Road. There will be free screenings and people will be able to see the medical and dental professionals according to the results of the screenings. Services are on a first-come, first-serve basis. There will also be entertainment for the families.

### Children's Miracle Network

#### Fundraiser

CMS is once again teaming up with Wal-Mart to participate in their Children's Miracle Network Fundraiser. CMN is the alliance of premier children's hospitals all over the country, including Children's Healthcare of Atlanta. These hospitals treat over 17 million children each year and need our support. For every dollar collected, students will receive a personalized paper balloon to be posted on the wall of the café. Last year, we successfully sold 900 balloons and want to match or beat that this year! Let's support Wal-Mart, a wonderful business partner while supporting this great cause!



### Student Council Meeting Planned

ALL Student Council Husky Huddle representatives should plan to attend a Student Council meeting on Monday, November 10th from 3:45pm-5:00pm. Ms. McCaulley, the sponsor, will notify representatives of the meeting's location.

### Volleyball Teams Win!

Congratulations to both the girls and boys teams for their wins against Elkins Pointe Middle School on Oct. 29th. Their next game is November 5th at Haynes Bridge Middle School.

Fall back this weekend. Set clocks back Saturday night.

## Link to View Meal Menus

Visit <http://www.fultonschools.org/dept/schoolnutrition/> website to view the breakfast and lunch menus for the month. This website has valuable nutrition information for all parents. Remember, no student is allowed to 'charge' a meal in middle school.

## Other School News

### Saturday Scholars to Begin Soon

Mimi Gamel, Crabapple Middle School's Graduation Coach and the Kiwanis Club of Historic Roswell are sponsoring the Saturday Scholars program at CMS this school year. Saturday Scholars is a program that consults with both Academic Coaches and regular school day teachers to bring a comprehensive math tutoring program. This program is specifically tailored to upgrade and improve academic performance and enhance student achievement. The program targets 6-7-8 grade CRCT Math Section Level 1 and 2 students that need support with their basic mathematics skills as well as higher math skills applications here at Crabapple Middle School. Saturday Scholars is holding this school year's first meeting at Crabapple Middle School on Saturday, November 8th. Students from the Roswell High School Honor Society as well as Undergraduate students from West Georgia College will be taking time to break down math concepts into small manageable chunks of information. Difficult parts are repeated over and over until the student comprehends what is being taught. High school and college students are paired up with one of our middle school "mathematicians" and given a folder containing background information about each in addition to a list of skills to be previewed or reviewed at specific meeting times. Information is given at a pace which, allows for remediation as well as enrichment from 10:00 to 11:30 Saturday morning. Partnerships remain on topic until the students demonstrate an understanding of what is being taught. This is a fantastic, free, and fun opportunity for your child to learn the math computation basic skills needed to both pass the CRCT in March as well as be successful in the Connected Math Investigations in their regular Math class here at CMS. We have scheduled students from the Roswell High School's National Honor Society, Beta Club and Advanced Math classes to participate as tutors. This year we also have the honor of having undergraduate students from West Georgia College's Teacher Education Department. We are also thankful to our community partner, Kiwanis Club of Historic Roswell who provide snacks for all participants most Saturday morning. Registered students will have a one-on-one tutoring with one of these fantastic tutors on the designated Saturdays from 10:00 to 11:30. We start November 8th and will run through April 25th.

### Please Help Us Help Others

Thanksgiving is just around the corner and the shelves at North Fulton Charities are bare! The CMS cafeteria and Jr. Beta Club are spearheading a canned food drive. Collection efforts have already begun and will continue through November 14<sup>th</sup>. All of the proceeds will be delivered to North Fulton Charities. Please support the students' efforts! Items can be sent in with your child to homeroom or dropped off in the front office.

### Structured Nonsense: Second Saturdays

Do you like hanging out with your friends? Do you think "*Whose Line is it Anyway?*" is pretty funny? Are you looking for something to do on a Saturday night? For the price of a movie (\$10.00), come hang out at Georgia Ensemble Theatre (GET) with your friends, eat some snacks, and do some improv. All middle schoolers are welcome regardless of experience. So why not spend your second Saturday night with us? The doors open for registration at 7:00 pm and the fun lasts from 7:30-10:00 pm each second Saturday. Students can pre-register by phone (770) 641-1260 ext. 232 or sign up at the door. There is more information at [www.get.org](http://www.get.org). GET resides in the Roswell Cultural Arts Center at 950 Forrest Street, Roswell.