

Sandtown Middle School



A 2010 and 2011 Georgia Department of Education Distinguished Title I School

Kine' Geathers, Principal

Kendrick Liles, Assistant Principal

Doretha Melton, Assistant Principal

Connie Reliford, Assistant Principal

Congratulations to our Spelling Bee Winners:

1st Place –Emanuel Graham, 8th Grade

2nd Place –Esai Ambo, 6th Grade

3rd Place –Bharisha Master, 8th Grade

Parents:

Students in P.E. were given a **FitnessGram** Newsletter to take home for you to review, sign, and return to their P.E. teacher. The FitnessGram is a state mandated test to measure students' fitness levels from school grades 3rd through 12th. Once students are tested, results will go home for parents and student(s) to discuss their individual fitness level. All scores are kept confidential. It is important for parents to understand the FitnessGram. If you have any questions concerning testing refer to the following website: www.fitnessgram.net or call 404-346-6500 ext. 156 to speak with Ms. Dawkins.

FYI.....

**Student Hardship Applications are due
February 15, 2012.**

NO EXCEPTIONS

Beginning January 2012, parents of Fulton County students can apply for a 2012-2013 hardship transfer to another Fulton County School or request renewal of an existing hardship transfer. For more information, contact:

Student Assignment Office

404-763-5550 www.fultonschools.org/studentassignment.

Counseling Corner:

Magnet Programs

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Several Fulton County high schools offer a specialized magnet program in addition to the usual educational offerings and programs. Essentially, it is a way to manipulate elective choices in a student's area of expertise/interest, or possible career choice, and offer enriched opportunities and activities (internships, field trips, use of highly specialized equipment, master classes with practicing artists, etc.)

Math/Science Magnet –Westlake High and North Springs High

International Studies Magnet – Riverwood High

Performing and Visual Arts Magnet- North Springs High
Tri-Cities High

The Charter High School for Math/Science- Holcomb Woods

Each school with a magnet program has an Open House so that students and parents may visit and ask questions.

Future Magnet Dates to Remember:

Tri Cities HS (Auditions) – Saturday, January 21st & February 25th
Riverwood HS (Open House) – Sunday, January 22nd 3-5 PM; (Magnet Deadline) January 31st
Westlake HS – (Magnet Deadline) – Thursday, February 9th
North Springs HS (Magnet Deadline) January 30th

Reminder:

Transcripts Request for magnet programs must be submitted 48 hours prior to desired pick up date. Please contact student services Records Coor. (Mrs. Morgan) to submit your request.

Processed request can be picked up from the front office between 8 AM and 4 PM

January 2012

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>7</i>
<i>8</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>14</i>
<i>15</i>	<i>16</i> <i>MLK</i> <i>Day</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>20</i> <i>7th Grade</i> <i>Basketball</i> <i>SMS @</i> <i>Renaissance</i>	<i>21</i> <i>Debate</i> <i>Tourney</i> <i>South</i> <i>Cobb</i> <i>High</i> <i>School</i>
<i>22</i>	<i>23</i> <i>3:30</i> <i>Pathfinders</i> <i>Meeting</i>	<i>24</i> <i>4:15pm</i> <i>Debate</i> <i>Practice</i> <i>6pm</i> <i>Parenting</i> <i>Teens in</i> <i>Difficult Times</i>	<i>25</i> <i>1:30pm</i> <i>Honor Roll</i> <i>8th Grade</i> <i>7th Grade</i> <i>Basketball</i> <i>SMS @</i> <i>Woodland</i>	<i>26</i> <i>1:30pm</i> <i>Honor Roll</i> <i>6th & 7th</i> <i>Grades</i> <i>4:00pm</i> <i>Movie Night</i>	<i>27</i> <i>8am</i> <i>Morning</i> <i>Coffee</i> <i>7th Grade</i> <i>Basketball</i> <i>Camp Creek</i> <i>@ SMS</i>	<i>28</i>
<i>29</i>	<i>30</i> <i>3:30</i> <i>Pathfinders</i> <i>Meeting</i>	<i>31</i> <i>6pm</i> <i>Parent</i> <i>University</i> <i>Subject:</i> <i>Bullying</i>				