

HMS Student Council Fall Semester, 2023



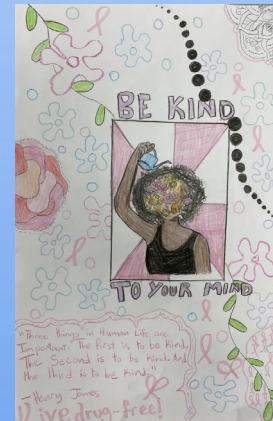
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What is Student Council?

- Student council is a voluntary club at HMS
- Made up of students in grades 6 - 8
- Depending on their schedule, students can come and go as they please
- Student Council Goals:
 - Provide **leadership** and **service** opportunities for HMS students
 - Raise awareness about issues concerning middle school students
 - Run fundraisers for local charities and organizations

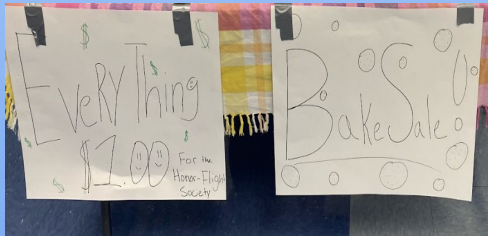
Red Ribbon Week

- Raise awareness of the dangers of drug abuse
 - Students take a drug free pledge
 - Team up with local agencies to spread awareness
 - Learn about the dangers of specific drugs
 - Participate in Spirit Days



Veterans Day

- Created lessons about Veterans Day for social studies classes
- Organized cards and letters for veterans delivered to VA Hospital
- Held Bake Sale - Raised \$550 for Honor Flight Network



Annual Canned Food Drive

- HMS has a long history of CFD success.
 - Recent struggles due to Covid
- Our goal this year:
 - 23K in 2023
- Benefits: Salvation Army, Brighton Center, and St. Vincent De Paul



Canned Food Drive Fun!



HMS Canned Food Drive!!!

It benefits:

- Salvation Army
- Brighton Center
- St. Vincent dePaul



Don't be rude
Donate some food.
11/13/23 through 11/21/23



HMS Day Of Service - 11/18/23

Over 150 HMS students participated in service including:

- Volunteering in their neighborhoods
- Canvassing streets of Fort Thomas collecting cans.
 - Home owners left canned goods on their porches for students to collect
 - Drop off stations around the city
 - More success with individual flyers
- Volunteering at small businesses around town:
 - Fort Thomas Coffee
 - The Post
 - Grass Roots & Vine



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Add pictures



CFD Continued: Final Reveal

- Over the weekend, our goal seemed like a longshot
- Going into the final day, we were over 3,000 cans short
- But on Tuesday we brought in over 11,000 cans
- Bringing our total to...

31,250 CANS!!!

Thank You

Student council appreciates this opportunity to present the work we have done to make Highlands Middle School and Fort Thomas a better place!

Our success is the result of:

- Community support
- Encouragement of faculty and staff
- Dedication and hard work of students
- This guy:



thank you!