

February 17th, 2025

Dr. Lawson and Henderson County Board of Education:

**Personnel:**

Appointments

- Tennis – Alex Chandler (assistant coach)
- Track – Silaf Harris (assistant coach) & Katie Johnson (assistant coach)
- Baseball – Jacob Morris (assistant coach) & Aurelious Woolfolk (assistant coach)

Resignations

- Cross Country – Sara Shelton
- Soccer – Courtney Galyon
- Baseball – Brian Thompson

**Facilities:**

Parent work day took place in the football locker room and athletic weight room. Deep cleaning by custodians and painting with cleanout by parents and coaches put a new fresh look for the students.

The Football storage area and locker room experienced a ruptured water line during the ice/snow freeze. Maintenance and others worked hard to clean up and resolve issue. New Ceiling going in now after repair to leaking roof.

We are excited for inclusion in the fence project at softball, track, and soccer.

Met with Chad Thompson and several others in regards to facility planning and future expansion. A RFP was being created to seek consultation for phase expansion of athletic venues. This is the getting it started on paper so we have a direction to work towards.

**Sports Information:**

Winter sports is winding down and Spring just getting started.

Academic Team

- Academic Team won its district meet on Jan 25<sup>th</sup> at Webster Co.
- The Quick Recall team was undefeated, and the Future Problem Solving team also came in 1<sup>st</sup> place. A ton of kids placed in testing
- Regional meet is Feb 22nd at HCHS.
- We have 18 kids competing across all subjects

Archery

- Won the Union County Tournament 1<sup>st</sup> Place Team with a score of 3305
  - Individual Female Archer – DixiAnne Nurrenbern 1<sup>st</sup> place Overall w/ 284
  - Individual Male Archer – Duncan Vaughn 1<sup>st</sup> Place Overall w/ 283
- Hosted three events this year with great Success, Huge Shout to the Archery Board and Coaches for the volunteer hours and hard work to make a difference for so many students.

### Lady Colonel Basketball

- Clinched #1 seed in district tournament and automatic berth in regional tournament
- Clinched a 20-win season for the 29<sup>th</sup> time in program history. Currently 21-4
- 3 of our losses to top 10 ranked teams in the state
- Undefeated against region and district competition
- Brooklyn Gibson became the 25th player in program history to score 1,000 career points.

### Colonel Basketball

- Clinched #1 seed in district tournament and automatic berth in regional tournament
- One game away from a 20-win season. Currently 19-5

### JROTC Rifle

- Henderson County High School took 3<sup>rd</sup> place at the State Rifle Championship this weekend with a combined score of 1984. Team consisted of Alexzander Stokes, Addison McKenzie, Nolan Abo, and Christian Mayes. Alexzander Stokes took 1<sup>st</sup> place in the individual new shooter category and Addison Mckenzie took 2<sup>nd</sup> place in the individual new shooter category. The marksmen shoot in three positions to earn their combined scores. The shoot from Kneeling, Prone, and Standing.

### Indoor Track

- HCHS hosted an indoor Shot Put, High Jump, and Pole Vault meet. Great Numbers attended.
- Track had their first indoor meet on February 15<sup>th</sup> at the Norton's health and Sports Center in Louisville.
- First outdoor meet, *The Henderson Moms Clinic Colonel Classic*, is March 15<sup>th</sup>.

### Swim

- Season finished as Region 1 Runner-up. Boys placed 2<sup>nd</sup> and Girls placed 3<sup>rd</sup> for an Overall 2<sup>nd</sup> place
- State Swim meet first round was held at Bowling Green HS, everyone competed and we had one swimmer qualify for Lexington Round 2, Melina Schulz (500 Free)

### Winter Guard

- JV and Varsity Guard competed at Wilson Creek in Lebanon, TN this past weekend.
- The formation of an Indoor Winds group is taking shape. Marching band for indoor contest.

### Wrestling

- 37-14 record Dual season boys, 3A Sectional Dual Champions X2
- 9<sup>th</sup> in State Duals out of approximately 72 teams
- Team has six ranked boys with regional tournament February 22<sup>nd</sup> at Paducah Tilghman
- 17-5 record Dual Season girls
- 4<sup>th</sup> in State Duals out of 8 teams selected from across the state to compete.
- Team has six ranked females with regional tournament February 15<sup>th</sup> at Central Hardin

Baseball, Softball, and Tennis have had tryouts. Schedules are entered in Arbiter Sports and ready for getting underway.

Henderson County High School continues to be in compliance with all KHSAA By-Laws.

Respectfully Submitted,

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