



Weekly Newsletter 3/29/22



IMPORTANT DATES

Monday - Friday, April 4th - 8th - Spring Break (no school)

Tuesday, April 19- Hoya Challenge Night: Open to upcoming 8th graders and their parents - Showcases our Honors and AP programs

Thursday, April 21st- Last day of Hoya Block section

Tuesday, April 26th – Hoya Awards: An Awards ceremony to Highlights Our Year's Accomplishments - Hosted by Student Council

Friday, April 29th- Yearbook Distribution

Monday - Friday, May 2nd - 6th - Teacher Appreciation Week

Wednesday-Thursday, May 18th-May 19th- Senior Finals

Monday, May 23rd; Tuesday, May 24th; and Wednesday 25th- Early Release Days

Tuesday-Wednesday, May 24th-25th- Underclassmen Finals

Wednesday, May 25th-Last Day of School

Thursday, May 26th-Graduation at 2:30 at KSU

SPRING BREAK

Best wishes to Hoya Nation for a fun and SAFE Spring Break for April 4th – April 8th. Please remind your students to make good decisions off campus and to be responsible for what they post on their social media accounts over the break. We are not anticipating any issues, but we wanted to give a friendly reminder. We look forward to seeing our Hoyas back in the building on Monday, April 11th!



SOCIAL MEDIA SAFETY

Parents, please continue to talk to your teens about how they use social media. Remind them that posting a threat or negative comment is hurtful and can even be against the law. Mean, illegal, or negative social media postings are online forever and can be seen by law enforcement, future employers, military recruiters, and college admission officers. When students practice digital citizenship, they avoid embarrassing themselves and their families and/or dealing with law enforcement for potential cybercrimes. Remind your student that there is no anonymity in the digital world and that there is always a record/digital footprint of anything that is put on a social media site. Occasional morning announcements are made for students as friendly reminders. We are not anticipating any problems, and we are always proud of our Hoyas! Thank you for your continued support.

Below are some links for reporting social media abuse:

Instagram <https://help.instagram.com/165828726894770>

Twitter [How to report violations of Twitter Rules and Terms of Service](#)

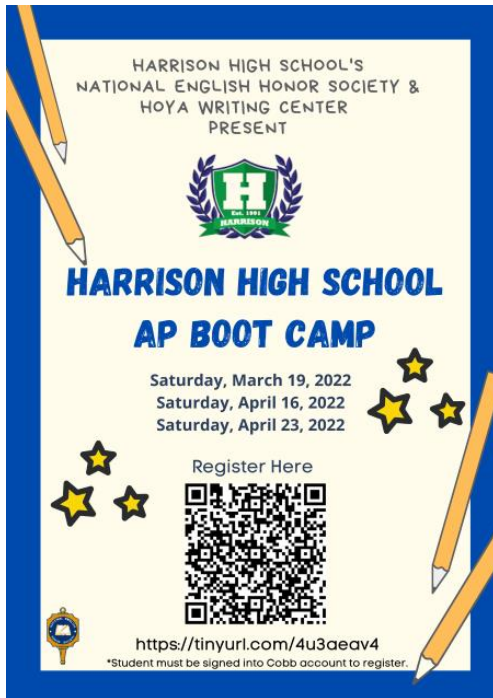
Snapchat <https://support.snapchat.com/en-US/a/report-abuse-in-app>

TikTok <https://support.tiktok.com/en/safety-hc/report-a-problem>

Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/help/1753719584844061>

AP BOOT CAMP

We will be offering an AP boot camp this year to get our students ready for AP exams. Students, please register by clicking on the QR code in the flyer below. The sign-up deadline for AP Boot Camp Review Sessions is Friday, April 9th.



BIOLOGY EOC REVIEW

Biology Boot Camp EOC Review

"Ready, Set, Study!"



4/21-Cells review in room 9303

4/25-Genetics review in room 9304

4/26-Evolution review in room 9303

4/27-Classification review in room 9325

4/28-Ecology review in room 9308

ALL sessions are after school from 3:45-4:45

UPCOMING TESTING DATES

Please review the below schedule for upcoming testing for this semester. You can also visit our website by clicking [here](#) for updated information on testing.



2021-2022 Testing Schedule HARRISON HIGH SCHOOL

Georgia Milestones End of Course Assessments (EOC)	
November 30 – December 15	WINTER - main administration American Lit, Algebra 1, U.S. History, Biology
April 26 – May 17	SPRING - main administration American Lit, Algebra 1, U.S. History, Biology

9th Grade Student Knowledge Inventory (SKI)

Fall Administration	August 2 – August 20
Spring Administration	January 5 – January 26

AP Testing Schedule		9 th Grade – Universal Screening (R/M)	
May 2 U.S. Gov. and Politics	Morning	1st semester	Aug 2 – Aug 11 Pre-Test
May 2 Chemistry	Afternoon	1st semester	Nov. 1 – Nov. 19 Post-Test
May 2 Spanish I Language and Culture	Afternoon	2nd semester	Jan. 5 – Jan. 28 Pre-Test
May 3 Environmental Science	Morning	2nd semester	March 21 – May 20 Post-Test
May 3 Psychology	Afternoon		
May 4 English Literature and Composition	Morning		
May 4 Comparative Government and Politics	Afternoon		
May 5 Human Geography	Morning		
May 5 Macroeconomics	Afternoon		
May 5 Statistics	Afternoon		
May 6 European History/	Morning		
May 6 United States History	Afternoon		
May 6 Art History	Morning		
May 6 Microeconomics	Afternoon		
May 9 Calculus AB	Morning		
May 9 Calculus BC	Afternoon		
May 9 Computer Science Principles	Morning		
May 10 English Language and Composition	Afternoon		
May 10 Physics C: Mechanics	Morning		
May 11 Spanish Language and Culture	Afternoon		
May 11 Biology	Morning		
May 12 French Language and Culture	Afternoon		
May 12 World History	Morning		
May 13 Physics I: Algebra-based	Afternoon		
May 13 Music Theory	Morning		
May 13 2D Art and Design Portfolio Deadline	Afternoon		
May 13 Physics 2: Algebra-based	Morning		

HOYA BLOCK NEWS

If you would like to make a change to your Hoya Block please visit the Main Office, Learning Commons, Counseling Office, and the Attendance Office to submit a change request form. Please contact mandy.sitten@cobbk12.org if you have questions.

SENIOR NEWS

CAP AND GOWN

Any student who did not pick up their cap & gown during distribution yesterday may do so from Dr. Osborne's office before or after school.

SENIORS: SAVE THE DATE

Did you attend one of our feeder elementary schools? If so, save the date for a senior walk on the afternoon of May 20th.

Vaughan, Due West, and Bullard – 1:00 PM

Ford – 1:30 PM

Frey ES – May 23rd at 8 am

Kemp ES – May 24th at 11:30 AM

Details to come..stay tuned!

BACCALAUREATE

Baccalaureate for the Class of 2022 will be held on Sunday, May 15th at Sanctuary Church at 2:30 p.m.

NAME AT GRADUATION

Want to make sure your name is pronounced correctly when you walk across the graduation stage? Then please upload your information to Flip Grid. Flip Grid group <https://flipgrid.com/0a84188e> Seniors, please use your @students.cobbk12.org email address to log in and access the FlipGrid topic. Please speak slowly and clearly your full name (first, middle, and last).

SINGING THE NATIONAL ANTHEM

Interested in singing the National Anthem at graduation this year for the Class of 2022? Any candidates submitting a video must be current seniors at Harrison. Video auditions are being held now – the deadline to submit your performance is April 11th. Use your school email to register and upload your video [HERE](#)

SENIORS CO 2022

SENIOR DUES & T-SHIRTS

- Senior dues are \$80. If paid on time, they include 2 senior t-shirts, a Hoya Pride shirt, and pay for senior activities such as the Senior Summit & Senior Picnic.
- The deadline passed early Fall semester to receive all shirts but there is still 1 more shirt to come...the senior names shirt.
- Final chance to pay dues to receive the "senior names" shirt is Friday, February 4th.
- Pay through MyPaymentsPlus.

T-shirt Name Verification

- If you didn't verify your name for the back of the senior t-shirt in October, use this QR code to verify by Fri, Feb. 11th.



SENIOR SLIDESHOW & HOYA LIGHTS

- Submit 2 photos per senior
- Photos can be individual or group shots (we would like 1 individual & 1 with friends)
- QR Code for link to submit pictures.
- Deadline to submit pictures: Friday, April 29th
- Slideshow will be presented at the Hoya Lights family event on the evening of Thursday, May 19th.



IMPORTANT SENIOR DATES:

- Senior Letters due by Wed. April 20th
- Senior Week: April 25th – 29th
- Senior Breakfast: Wed., April 27th @ 7:45 AM
- Senior Picnic: Friday, April 29th @ 11:30
- Senior Exams: May 18-19
- Hoya Lights: Thursday, May 19th (evening)
- MANDATORY Graduation Practice at HHS: Tues. May 24th at 1 PM
- Graduation at KSU: Thurs., May 26th at 2:30 (graduates arrive at 1 PM)

PARKING REMINDERS

- Only students who have purchased a decal are eligible to park on campus
- Decals must be adhered to the windshield in the appropriate location
- Sophomores are not permitted to park on campus... but can apply for limited parking permissions through the athletics office
- Students parking on campus without a decal will receive disciplinary action and fines

CAFETERIA NEWS

Please check the Food and Nutrition Services website frequently for updated information on Paying for Meals, Menus, Allergy & Special Nutrition Needs, Wellness Information, and Employment Opportunities.

[Cobb Schools Food and Nutrition Services Website](#)

HOYA NEWS

HOYAS GIVE BACK

Shout out to all of our Hoyas who volunteered at Ford Elementary and Due West Elementary this past weekend. Our students showed up BIG TIME! We had many Hoyas show up to work at Ford Elementary, such as football players and athletes from other sports, National Honor Society students, BETA students, and volunteers from some of our other clubs to work on their many outdoor projects. Thank you as well to our football players who volunteered at Due West Elementary the same weekend to work in their garden areas. Having Hoya Nation help complete the many tasks at Due West Elementary and Ford Elementary was extremely helpful. Both schools reported that our Hoyas were very respectful and hard-working! Thank you to our parents for raising such great kids! #HOYASGIVEBACK

HAPPY SOS WEEK!

In the spirit of Wednesday's strength of the day- **Gratitude**, SOS has put together goodie bags for every student at Harrison! Items included are peppermints, a strength card, a stress ball, and a SOS sticker. All students will receive a good bag during 1st period tomorrow.

Thank you all for your support this week!





STATE GHSA LITERARY COMPETITION

Congratulations to the following students from the competition on March 19th.

Boys Solo - David Champion - 4th Place

Boys Quartet - Blake Dwelle, Ethan Martinez, Noah Templin, David Champion - 4th place

Girls Solo - Lauren Sweat - 3rd Place

Girls Trio - Lauren Sweat, Nathalie Nguyen, Macy Kiger - 2nd Place

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

All National Honor Society Applications are due this Friday, April 1st by 1 pm. They must be submitted digitally using the link provided in the application by Mrs. Loesch and Mrs. Motsinger.

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

Vincent Fisher was accepted into the Governor's Honors Program for Visual Art! This is an incredible accomplishment and extraordinarily competitive program.

COUNSELING NEWS

COUNSELING CALENDAR

Please check the Counseling Calendar frequently for important dates, including Virtual Parent and Student Q&A sessions, Virtual College Visit information, and much more! Click here, [Harrison Counseling Calendar](#), or go to the Counseling page on www.harrisonhigh.org

UPCOMING COLLEGE VISITS

We have several College Visits set up for our Harrison Students, both virtual and during lunch block. Please check these out here: [Harrison College Visits](#) and on the Counseling Website.

April College Visits

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
27	28	29	30	31	1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11 US Marines F2F - lunches	12 Dental Assistant School of Atlanta F2F - lunches	13 Georgia Gwinnett College F2F - lunches	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22 University of Mississippi F2F - lunches	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

CLASS NEWSLETTERS

Class newsletters are now sent to all students and parents through CTLS, and you no longer need to register. Please make sure your email is correct in StudentVUE/ParentVUE to make sure that you receive the monthly newsletter. Your most recent class newsletter can be viewed using the links below:

[Freshman Class of 2025](#)

[Sophomore Class of 2024](#)

[Junior Class of 2023](#)

[Senior Class of 2022](#)

HOYA BLOCK COLLEGE VISIT OPPORTUNITIES

We have invited some of the top colleges that our Hoyas attend after graduation for a face-to-face visit during select Hoya Block days in March and April. These are small group presentations with a representative from each school and space is limited. Please see the flyer below for information on how your student can sign up.

COLLEGES COMING TO HARRISON

WHEN

- Dates vary for each school
- Meetings will take place during Hoya Block (9:51 – 10:36) on Tuesday/Thursdays

WHERE

- Harrison Room – off Main Street across from 100 hallway

LIMITED SPOTS, Sign up @

<https://linvurl.com/collegevisits22>

- You will receive a pass the day of the session



This flyer will be updated as colleges continue to sign up

- Tuesday, March 15th
University of Alabama
- Thursday, March 17th
Kennesaw State University
- Tuesday, March 22nd
Georgia Southern
- Thursday, March 24th
Georgia Highlands
- Tuesday, March 29th
Chattahoochee Tech
- Thursday, March 31st
Georgia College
- Tuesday, April 14th
Georgia State University
- Tuesday, April 19th
Univ. of West Georgia
- Thursday, April 21st
University of North GA

SOURCES OF STRENGTH WEEK

Sources of Strength week is March 28th through April 1st. Please see the flyer below for more information regarding this week's planned activities.

Sources of Strength Week
March 28-April 1

Monday: Mentor Monday! Dress up like your favorite teacher, family member, mentor, or any positive role model. #Wearefamily post a picture of family and tag @HoyaSOS

Tuesday: Time for you Tuesday. So, make sure to wear Pajamas
Sign up for a brain break Hoya Block!

Wednesday: We care Wednesday Day! Dress up with a friend and be twins! Goodie bag handouts!

Thursday: Movin' Through Thursday. Wear appropriate active attire!
It's also Nature walk day!

Friday: Find Your strength Friday means choose a strength and dress in the coordinating color! Then, stop by the Photo Booth!

ONLINE CLASS REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Planning on taking an online class. [Click here](#) for the steps to take in order to register.

FREE SAT/ACT TEST OPPORTUNITY

The Tutoring Center Powder Springs has openings for their free SAT/ACT practice test on April 30th. Contact them by phone at 770-222-7133 or by email at PowderSpringsGA@tutoringcenter.com to register.

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Are you looking for scholarships? Click [here](#) to access the Scholarship Bulletin or visit the Counseling Department's Website.

COBB SCHOOLS FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS

Cobb Schools Foundation has announced its 2022 scholarship opportunities. Click [here](#) to learn more.

WORK PERMIT

Please click [here](#) for directions for obtaining work permits for students under age 16.

SPORTS

Congratulations to the following athletic programs for their recent wins and strong performances:

- Boys Soccer for their 4-0 win over North Paulding HS on March 23rd and a big 1-0 win over Hillgrove HS last Friday night. There were strong individual and team performances in both games.
- Boys Lacrosse for their 15-4 win at Newnan HS last Friday night, March 25th. There were strong individual and team performances in the game.
- Baseball for their wins over North Paulding HS last week – a 10-5 win last Thursday night and another 6-3 win at home on Friday night. There were solid individual and team performances in both games.
- Girls Lacrosse for their 9-8 win over East Paulding HS on Tuesday, March 22nd and a nice 20-9 win over Newnan last Thursday night. There were many strong individual and team performances in the games.
- Girls Tennis for their win over North Cobb HS on March 21st. They then beat North Cobb again in the 1st round of the Region Tournament. There were strong team and individual performances in both matches.
- Boys Tennis for their win over North Cobb HS last week, earning them a bye in the 1st round of the Region Tournament. They beat North Paulding HS 3-1 in the 2nd round of Region and play for the Championship this Wednesday! There were strong team and Individual performances.
- Girls Golf for their 3rd place finish in the Cobb County Tournament. Haven Blank finished in 8th place out of 54 golfers and had a nice birdie on hole 3!

HARRISON/HILLGROVE
WEST COBB

WRESTLING CAMP

WHERE: HARRISON HIGH SCHOOL WRESTLING ROOM

WHEN: JUNE 13-15 FROM 10AM-2PM

WHO: GRADES K-8 *no experience necessary (USA Wrestling Card Required)*
<https://www.usawmembership.com/login>

HOW MUCH: \$150 PER CAMPER with HALF OFF FOR A SIBLING
Pay by June 1st and receive \$15 off a full priced camper, only \$135!!!
(Price includes shirt)

REGISTRATION FORM: (<https://forms.gle/P9t22kHvBkJaTm8>)



ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

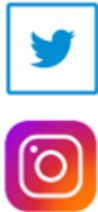
Water will be provided but please bring more if needed. Campers will need to bring wrestling shoes, athletic shoes, workout clothes with extra change of clothes if needed, and bring their own lunch.

Please contact Jeffrey.crocker@cobbk12.org (Harrison) or Shawn.Slenczka@cobbk12.org (Hillgrove) for questions or concerns
www.harrisonwrestling.com

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