

### Ella Ballard Named 2022 DCHS STAR Student



Congratulations to DCHS Senior, Ms. Ella Ballard on being named the 2022 STAR Student. The STAR program recognizes high school seniors who have the highest SAT score among their graduating class. Each STAR student may select their STAR Teacher and Ella selected Ms. Tina Roberts, who was her fifth-grade teacher at Davis Elementary. We would also like to thank the Trenton-Dade Optimist Club for serving as the local host for the STAR recognition program. Pictured above are (front row) *Don Townsend, Ella Ballard, Tina Roberts, Tammy Ballard, Carolyn Ballard*, (back row) *Brandon Ballard, and Byron Ballard*.

### Congratulations To DMS Spelling Bee Winners



Congratulations to DMS students Lydda Wylie and Asher Crane on an excellent spelling bee performance. Lydda finished 1st place in the 2022 Spelling Bee contest and Asher finished in 2nd place. A special thanks to Ms. Lisa Bell, Ms. Stephanie Durham, and Mr. David Lyons for organizing this event.

## Davis Character Spotlight - Staff

"Mrs. Townson always addresses each and everyone in the cafeteria as Mam or Sir - no matter student or adult. She is always listening so she may answer and know the complete story first. What a very respectful individual she is!" "Mrs. Townson, thank you for being the perfect example of respect and someone we admire and look up to. We appreciate you!"



## DMS Sixth Grade Students Perform At UGA



Congratulations to these four Sixth-Grade, GMEA Statewide Honor Chorus singers, Amaya Wilson, Taylix Harvey, Paige Accord, and Myah York! They recently performed at the UGA Classic Center as part of the Parthenon-Napoles Choir! We are proud of them and their hard work!

## DCHS Boys Basketball Advance To State Playoffs

A promotional poster for the GHSA State Tournament. On the left, a basketball player in a maroon and gold Dade County jersey (number 10) is shown in a dynamic pose, dribbling a basketball. The background is a light gray with a subtle geometric pattern. To the right of the player, the text "STATE TOURNAMENT" is written in large, bold, light gray letters. Below this, the Dade County logo (a stylized "DC" in maroon and gold) is followed by "VS" and the Heard County logo (a maroon silhouette of a Native American head). Below the logos, the text "DADE COUNTY VS HEARD COUNTY" is written in bold, black letters. At the bottom, a dark red banner contains the text "2.22.22/ 7:30PM / HEARD CO. HS" in white. The GHSA logo is in the top right corner.

For the second consecutive year, Coach Mark Whitt and the DCHS Boys Basketball team will be playing in the first round of the GHSA State Tournament. Dade County will represent Region 7AA as the three seed as they will travel to Heard County, the Region 5AA two seed today and take on the Braves at 7:30PM. Best of luck to our DCHS Wolverines!

## DCS Appreciates Our School Resource Officers



In honor of National School Resource Officer (SRO) Appreciation Day, which was observed last week, DCS extends a special thank you to the SROs that serve the school district. Pictured above are SRO Amanda Lind, SRO Denny Reyes, SRO Sandra Matthews, and SRO Michael Cloud.

## COVID-19 Latest

Location	+ Students	+ Staff	Q - Students	Q - Staff
Davis	2	0	1	0
DES	1	0	1	0
DMS	0	0	2	0
DCHS	4	0	1	0
District Staff		0		0
<b>DCS Totals</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>

*DCS reported 7 positive cases and 5 quarantines to GaDPH on 02/18/2022.*

## February Calendar Of Events

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Month

Day

List

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
30	31	1	2	3	4	5
		DMS NGAC Varsity Bask... Superintendent Josh ... DCHS Soccer @ Coah... DCHS Varsity Girls Ba... DCHS Varsity Boys Ba...	DMS NGAC Varsity Bask... DMS Spelling BEE - TBA	DMS NGAC Varsity Bask... Soccer @ LFO 5:00/7:...	DMS Kids Night Out Aft... DCHS Varsity Girls Ba... DCHS Varsity Boys Ba...	
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
National School Course... DMS Scholastic Book Fair	National School Course... DMS Scholastic Book Fair Progress Reports Go Ho... Superintendent Josh ... DCHS Varsity Girls Ba... + 2 More	National School Course... DMS Scholastic Book Fair DMS Scholastic Book Fair Soccer (Home) vs. Laf...	National School Course... DMS Scholastic Book Fair DMS Scholastic Book Fair JDC Band: District Ho... Called Board Meeting @...	National School Course... DMS Scholastic Book Fair JDC Band: District Ho... SAT Registration Deadl... DCHS Varsity Girls Ba... + 2 More	JDC Band: District Ho...	
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Davis Valentine's Dance... Davis PTO Valentine Gr... Soccer (Home) vs. Go... City Council Meeting: 6:...	Upcoming Freshman Re... Superintendent Josh ... Soccer (Home) vs. Rid... Davis Parent Workshop:...	Upcoming Freshman Re...	Upcoming Freshman Re... GMEA All-State Chorus(... "It's a Teen Thing" at th...	GMEA All-State Chorus(... In-service - Employees ...	GMEA All-State Chorus(...	
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Student/Teacher Holiday	School Bus Driver Appr... Superintendent Josh ... Soccer @ Ridegland S...	Davis Spring Picture Da...	DMS JV Baseball DH vs. ...	ACT Registration Deadli... DMS PBIS Clubs DMS Varsity Baseball D...	DMS Varsity Baseball Pl... DMS JV Baseball Playda...	
27	28	1	2	3	4	5
BOARD OF EDUCATION ...						

For up-to-date events, please be sure to check the district calendar as scheduled events may change or new events may be added. Click [HERE](#) to view the monthly calendar of events.

*The Dade County Board of Education will hold its regular-scheduled meeting Monday, February 28, 2022, at 5:00PM. The meeting will be held at the Dade County Board of Education building located at 52 Tradition Lane Trenton, GA. 30752. For a listing of the Dade County Board of Education's monthly meetings, please click [HERE](#).*

