



The BEST of Northwood Elementary



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BEST = Building Excellence Successfully Together

January 10, 2020

Calendar Dates:

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| January 13 | Report Cards Go Home |
| January 15 | School Governance Council – Public Comment Meeting 7:00AM |
| January 17 | Principals Chat --CANCELLED |
| January 20 | NO SCHOOL – MLK Holiday |
| January 21 | Julia Bernath w/Katha Stuart Meeting Holcomb Bridge MS 9:30AM |
| January 24 | Parent Academy – Study Strategies for Success 7:45AM |
| February 14 | School Governance Council (SGC) Release Day - Students Stay Home |
| February 17 | NO SCHOOL – Holiday – SCHOOLS CLOSED |
| February 7 | All Pro Dads 7:10-7:40AM |
| February 7 | PTA Bingo Night and Silent Auction 6:00-8:30PM |
| February 25 | Kindergarten Round-Up and Open House 8:30AM (for future Kindergarten Northwood Explorers) |
| February 28 | Hardship Transfer DEADLINE |

NEWS AROUND NORTHWOOD

Congratulations!



Results from the Fulton County Tech Fair Competition have officially been released. Congrats to all who worked to compete. Everyone did a great job across the board! Thanks to all the parents for working with us through this process. First place winners are going to the state competition on March 14, 2020 at Kennesaw State University.

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| Internet Applications | 03~04 | First | Edward Chung |
| Productivity Design | 03~04 | First | Ishaan Rajdeo |
| Graphic Design | 05~06 | Second | Victoria de Oliveira |
| 3D Modeling | 03~04 | Third | Bethany Dooley |
| Animation | 03~04 | Third | Lauren Wright and Kelsey Akin |

<https://www.fultonschools.org/en/divisions/acd/learnteach/Pages/Technology-Competition.aspx>
<https://www.gastc.org/>

- **Hardship Transfer Deadline: Feb. 28, 2020**



Hardship Transfer applications are available beginning Jan. 1 for parents who wish to apply for a 2020-21 hardship transfer or to renew a current hardship to another Fulton elementary, middle or high school. Parents will use an online form to enter and submit their information. **Get more info and access the application here.**

Healthy habits from The Wellness Team
Listen to music to start your day on a happy “note”



“Hawaiian Roller Coaster Ride “by Mark Keali’l hjo’Omalu
“Walking on Sunshine” by Katrina & The Waves.

Message from our Eco Team

The following Northwood students have proudly accepted the **Waste Free Monday** challenge by packing their lunch in reusable containers. They are a great example of how we can “go green” during lunch.

Kindergarten – Madison McFarlin, Alex Domingo, Liberty Harriman, Nati Green, and Mrs. Cope

First Grade - Gabi Siddiqui, Abbas Jafari, Selah Dahl, Tara Sharma, Elanore Thurston and Jackson Mize

Second Grade – Shaarav Parikh, Anthony Rowe, Sophie Haber, Lilly Wiggleston, and Phoebe Howard

Third Grade – Madison Sherwood

Fifth Grade - Lisa Asante and Trenton Dahl

Northwood PTA

www.northwoodpta.com

The Centennial Knights Players

present

An Evening with **Matilda!**

*Please join the CHS cast for a
Parent's Night Out!*

Friday, January 24th

6:30pm-9:00pm

Centennial High School

\$20/student

Open to all Kindergarten - 5th grade students

Register online at

<https://tinyurl.com/MatildaNightOut>

Deadline to register is January 17, 2020
and space is limited.

*Learn a song
and dance*

Meet the cast!

*Craft and
Snack Provided*

BINGO NIGHT IS COMING!

So, you're wondering when the next great event is...well, look no further because **BINGO is coming** to a cafeteria near you! Not only BINGO, but our auction (including the silent kind) is making a comeback for another year! **We have great items to bid on like Disney Park Hopper tickets, an Amazon Echo, Kendra Scott jewelry, and more!** Don't miss this amazingly fun experience, and you can if you don't book fast. This event always sells out, and we don't sell tickets at the door!

- Visit <https://northwoodpta.membershiptoolkit.com/volunteer/59509> to **Volunteer** because you know it takes a village! All volunteers entered to win a \$25 amazon gift card! Beta members welcome! Limit of 10 spots for Beta Members!
- Visit <https://northwoodpta.membershiptoolkit.com/packet/3256> to **purchase additional tickets or raffles!**



Northwood Elementary PTA presents

**Meal Deal Ticket
Includes:**

- 1 Drink Ticket
- 2 Pizza Slices
- BINGO Board

\$8 Meal Deal Tickets
\$5 BINGO Only Tickets
Raffle Ticket Packages
sold online

**Friday February 7th
6:00PM – 8:30PM
Northwood Cafeteria**

Fun for the Whole Family!
Pizza, Dessert, Prizes, and Raffles

Online Silent Auction is BACK!
Lookout for details as we go live a week prior!

Limited Seating! This Events Sells Out! Tickets NOT Available at the Door!

If you want to pay by check, send in an envelope marked BINGO Night with this form filled out. Deadline is Monday, February 3rd.

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Teacher: _____ Grade: _____

Adults: _____ # of Children _____

Children under 3 _____ # BINGO only: _____

Total \$: _____

Here are just a few tips for a great time:

- **Check in starts at 6:00 PM.** Come in and receive your Bingo board(s) and your meal tickets. You can play BINGO all night long. The evening ends at 8:30.
- Find your seats and grab your food. **Extra pizza, drinks and dessert will be available for purchase for \$1 each.**

- **Bingo will start at 6:30 PM.** Numbers will be called, and you will also see them up on the screen. When you shout **BINGO**, go to the stage and get your prize. We have lots of fun toys and games for the kids, restaurant gift cards and a fantastic Samsung Galaxy kids tablet as a final prize.
- **Raffle prizes are awesome.** They include: Kendra Scott jewelry, Park Hopper Disney Tickets, gift cards to local eateries, an Amazon Echo, and more. To win a raffle prize, you need to put your ticket - with your name printed on the back - in the basket in front of the prize. Each prize has its own basket. Prizes will be called throughout the night. Raffles cost 3 tickets for \$5, or 15 tickets for \$20.
- **Silent Auction** We are so excited to bring back this experience! While you are playing Bingo with your friends and family you can also use your phone to keep bidding. The auction will end at 8:15 PM. **To place a bid, you will need a cell phone.** Bids can be placed on a website (sent in later communications) or by text message.

We are happy to provide information about the following programs, but please note that they are not sponsored by Northwood Elementary School**

Free CHS Girls Lacrosse Clinic for Grades 2-8

Trying lacrosse for the first time or want to improve your LAX skills? Join the Centennial High School Girls Lacrosse team for a FREE lacrosse clinic for girls of all ability levels in grades 2-8! Come out on Sunday, January 26 from 1:00-4:00 p.m. at Centennial High School to find out what LAX is all about! Equipment provided if needed. Register at: <http://www.tinyurl.com/CentennialLaxClinic>

Free Girls Lacrosse Clinic

THE KNIGHTS

Jan 26th
1pm-4pm
Girls grades 2nd-8th
Centennial High School Stadium
9310 Scott Rd, Roswell, GA 30076

What to bring:
New to lax: Lacrosse stick
(sticks will be available to borrow)

Sponsored by Centennial High School Girls Lacrosse
Current Player: Stick, mouthguard, and goggles
Register: www.tinyurl.com/CentennialLaxClinic

Cafeteria News

Adult lunches are \$3.45. Please have only your child join you at the designated visitor tables. Please remember that outside food is not allowed. This can be a special “Parent and Me” treat.

Announcement for School Breakfast Programs:

Did you know that a hot and fresh breakfast is served every morning in the cafeteria? It’s a proven fact that breakfast helps jumpstart your brain for a day full of activity and learning – so be sure your child starts their school day ready to go with a delicious breakfast! We invite your child to visit the cafeteria from 7:10AM to 7:35AM to get their breakfast! The cost is \$1.10.

Lunch Menu – January 13-17

<http://www.fultonschools.org/en/divisions/ops/Nutrition/Pages/MenuCalendars.aspx>

1/13 – Meatloaf – Popcorn Chicken – Cheese Pizza Pack

1/14 – General Tso’s Chicken – Cheese Quesadilla – Black Forest Chicken & Cheese - Lunchbox Buddy

1/15 – Tomato Basil Soup w/ Grilled Cheese – Burger Sliders – Grilled Chicken Chef Salad

1/16 – Chicken of the Day – Mozzarella Cheese Sticks – Yogurt and Cheese Pack

1/17 – Fish Filet Sandwich – Meat Lover’s Pizza – Cheese Pizza – Jamwich Pack