



HARWOOD HIGHLIGHTS

HARWOOD JR. HIGH

JANUARY 12, 2024

SCHOOL BOARD RECOGNITION MONTH

Harwood would like to thank the HEB ISD School Board for working tirelessly to ensure our students feel empowered and are ready to excel each and every day! We appreciate the countless hours you put in to serve this community.

We wouldn't be where we are without you!



*Pictured left to right: Fred Campos - Member, Place 7 Julie Cole - Secretary, Place 1
Rochelle Ross - Vice President, Place 4 Andy Cargile - Member, Place 6 Chris Brown - Member, Place 5
Matt Romero - President, Place 3 Dawn Jordan-Wells - Member, Place 2 Joe Harrington, Ed.D. - Superintendent*

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- **JANUARY 12**
StuCo Winter Wonderland Dance, 6-8 PM
- **JANUARY 15**
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, No School
- **JANUARY 19**
January Jam
Pep Rally, 2:45 PM
- **FEBRUARY 5**
National School Counselor Week
- **FEBRUARY 7**
Faculty Meeting,
No After School Tutorials
- **FEBRUARY 8**
ELAR STAAR Field Test,
7th & 8th Grade

HOLOCAUST TIMELINE ACTIVITY

Students in Mrs. Oldenburg's, Mr. Jones' and Ms. Hackworth's English classes participated in a timeline activity from the US Holocaust Memorial Museum. On Tuesday and Wednesday, students built a timeline in layers. Each layer provided content, revealed meaning through context, and asked the participants to reflect on a new level of complexity. As each layer was added, new insights, connections, and questions emerged. The goal was not to definitively answer how and why the Holocaust happened, but rather to allow students to formulate their own questions and arguments based on textual evidence. Each layer illuminated another, showing the incremental nature of persecution. It allowed students to make inferences about the interrelatedness of time and geographic location to the events that took place, and promoted critical thinking about the impact on groups targeted for persecution and the experience of individuals within those groups.



Students of the Month

January 2024

MYKAH RALLS, 9TH GRADE

Mykah works diligently in English class and applies himself with a positive attitude. Mykah does not allow difficult tasks to stand in his way!



ISAN BHUSAL, 8TH GRADE

Isan is respectful, responsible, and resourceful. He is positive, persistent, productive, and polite. Isan is a model student, a joy to have in class, and has a bright future!



ZION WAGEMA, 7TH GRADE

Zion has an infectious energy that brings so much life into our classroom family! His responsibility, commitment, and positive attitude are just a few reasons that it is a joy to teach him!



KATE DE LA CRUZ, 9TH GRADE

Kate is a bright, shining light in my class. She makes maximum effort on all of her work. Kate is very respectful, and a brilliant star.



SAANVI THAPA, 8TH GRADE

Saanvi is brilliant, humble, hard-working, responsible, kind, and respectful. She is an exemplary student who sets the standard for her peers!



KYLA MCCAMMON, 7TH GRADE

Kyla is kind, respectful, and committed to her work. She not only participates in classroom discussions, but she is often the leader, driving deeper learning in our classroom and pushing herself to grow.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- 1/12 Winter Wonderland Dance Hosted by Student Council, 6:00-8:00 PM
- 1/15 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day - Staff & Student Holiday
- 1/19 January Jam Pep Rally, 2:45 PM
- 1/21 Harwood Choir 7/8 All-Region Clinic/Concert at the Southlake Performing Arts Center
- 1/25 HEB Honor Band Rehearsal at Trinity High School - Select WE & SB Members - 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM
- 1/26 HEB Honor Band Rehearsal/Concert at Trinity - Select WE & SB Members - All Day
- 2/7 Faculty Meeting - No After School Tutorials
- 2/8 ELAR STAAR Field Test, 7th & 8th Grade
- 2/13 Science CBA 3, 7th & 8th Grade / Biology CBA 3, 9th Grade
- 2/13 Harwood Band Anti-Valentine's Day Party in the Gym - All Bands - 6:00 PM - 8:30 PM
- 2/14 Harwood Choir Alley Cats Event at Alley Cats Hurst - 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM
- 2/15 Social Studies CBA 3, 7th & 8th Grade
- 2/21 ELAR Interim Assessment 2, 7th & 8th Grade / English 1 Interim Assessment 2, 9th Grade
- 2/22 Harwood Choir Pre-UIL Concert/Sightreading Contest at Martin Methodist Church - All Day

SPORTING EVENTS

BASKETBALL

GIRLS

- 1/16 Harwood Freshman Girls Basketball vs. Central JH at Central JH - 4:30 PM
- 1/17 Harwood 7th Grade Girls Basketball vs. Richland MS at Richland MS - B-5 PM/A-6:15 PM
- 1/18 Harwood 8th Grade Girls Basketball vs. Richland MS at Harwood (HOME) - B-5 PM/A-6:15 PM
- 1/19 Harwood Freshman Girls Basketball vs. Eules JH at Harwood (HOME) - 4:30 PM
- 1/22 Harwood 7th Grade Girls Basketball vs. North Oaks MS at North Oaks MS - B-5 PM/A-6:15 PM
- 1/23 Harwood Freshman Girls Basketball vs. Hurst JH at Hurst JH - 4:30 PM

BOYS

- 1/16 Harwood Freshman Boys Basketball vs. Weatherford HS at Harwood (HOME) - 6:30 PM
- 1/17 Harwood 7th Grade Boys Basketball vs. Richland MS at Harwood (HOME) - B-5 PM/A-6:15 PM
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- 1/19 Harwood Freshman Boys Basketball vs. Eules JH at Harwood (HOME) - 4:30 PM
- 1/22 Harwood 7th Grade Boys Basketball vs. North Oaks MS at Harwood (HOME) - B-5 PM/A-6:15 PM
- 1/23 Harwood Freshman Boys Basketball vs. Boswell HS at Boswell HS - 6:30 PM

GYMNASTICS

- 1/23 Harwood Gymnastics vs. Central JH and Hurst JH at the FEW - 6:00 PM



HURST-EULESS-BEDFORD ISD
BOX OFFICE

Check it out!
You can now get your
game tickets online!
Click on the link below:
<https://hebid.hometownticketing.com/embed/all?schools=10>

MORE EVENTS & NEWS

JOIN US AT THE HARWOOD STUDENT COUNCIL

Winter Wonderland Dance

JANUARY 12, 2024
6-8 PM
HARWOOD CAFETERIA

Art Club 2024

Afterschool with Ms. Moss in the Art Room!

Join us on the following

MONDAYS till 5pm:

January 22 & 29
February 12 & 26
March 4 & 18
April 8 & 22
May 6 & 20

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TRINITY TROJANS BASEBALL TRYOUTS

Friday, January 19th
6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

@ Trinity High School
Baseball Field

*Must currently be in 9th or higher

Contact Coach Will Averitt if you have any questions:
(817) 571-0271 ext. 6255

HEBISD Clothes Closet

Winter Coat and Shoe Drive

January 9-19

Please Donate New or Used Coats and Athletic Shoes in any condition

Drop-off in green collection bag near the front office.

For more information: clothescloset@hebid.edu
<https://www.facebook.com/HEBISDPTACC>

Thank You for Your Donation...

CHEER AND MASCOT TRYOUTS

!!! ATTENTION 6th-9th GRADERS !!!

Interested in trying out for Harwood or Trinity Cheer or Mascot?!

Plan to attend ONE of the following MANDATORY meetings WITH your parent/guardian:

Wednesday, February 7

OR

Thursday, February 8

6:00 PM in the Trinity High School Auditorium

Sign up and attend these optional events:

Open Gyms - Tryout Practices

January 23 & 30, February 6

3:45-5:00 PM; Gymnastics Gym

February 12-15

3:45-5:30 PM; Harwood Cafeteria

Tryout Material Clinic (\$10)

February 10

8-11 AM

Harwood Main Gym

SIGN UP HERE



QUESTIONS?

See Coach Henderson in H114 before or after school, or email her at meganhenderson@hebid.edu



SIGN UP HERE

MORE INFORMATION COMING SOON!

January Jam

Basketball Spirit Day

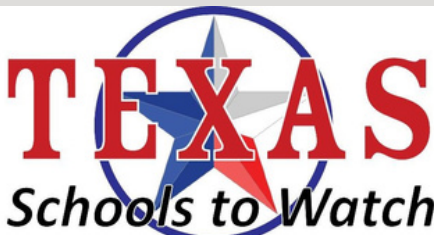
Rep your favorite basketball team and join us for the "January Jam" Pep Rally on Friday, January 19!

Friday, January 19

Pep Rally at 2:30 PM

HARWOOD CHEER TRYOUTS

January 16	Pick up a tryout packet from H114 or G107, or read a copy online at padlet.com/hebspirit
January 23 & 30 February 6	Open Gyms: 3:45--5:00 PM in the Harwood Gymnastics Gym
February 7 & 8	Mandatory Parent & Athlete Meetings: Attend <u>ONE</u> of the meetings at 6:00 PM in the Trinity Auditorium
February 9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tryout Material: Posted at 4:30 PM at padlet.com/hebspirit Tryout Application Due: Complete and submit a Tryout Application Google Form by 4:30 PM at padlet.com/hebspirit
February 10	Tryout Clinic (Optional): 8-11 AM in Harwood Gymnastics Gym; Cost is \$10 (Cash or Check made out to Harwood Cheer) SIGN UP HERE →
February 12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Current Physical Due: Turn in a current physical to Coach Henderson by 4:00 PM (If you have one on file for athletics, email Coach IMMEDIATELY so I can verify.) Current Report Card Due: Turn in a current report card (from the December 15 grading period) by 4:00 PM
February 12-15	Tryout Practices & Mock Tryout (Optional): 3:45--5:30 PM in Harwood Cafeteria SIGN UP HERE →
February 16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tryouts: Warm-Up at 4:15 PM at Trinity Indoor Facility; Tryouts begin at 4:45 PM Results: Posted at 9:00 PM at padlet.com/hebspirit



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