

### HHS WOW Winner!!

Feliz Navidad!

As the joyful celebrations of the Christmas season continue, may we all count our many blessings, love others more and judge them less. In this season of Giving and Gratitude, please know how much your generosity and kindness to our school projects and your students are appreciated.

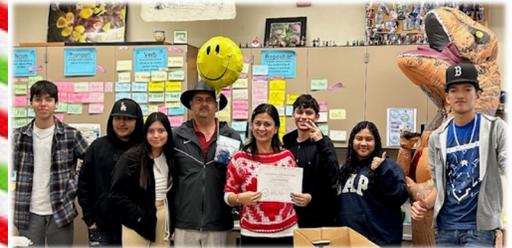
The end of any year is a time to reflect on all that has been accomplished and overcome during the past few months and resolve positively for the future. In my view, 2022 will be remembered as a highly productive and successful year for Hamilton High School!

Our students have continued to produce strong academic results, with our scores being the highest in the Glenn, Colusa, Tehama counties corridor. Additionally, our graduation rate remains at the top among high schools in Northern California, though we always reflect introspectively and seek growth and improvement. We have enhanced our school programs throughout the year, offered various special trips for students to grow their experiences, and are in the midst of plans to upgrade school facilities. We were also witness to Hamilton having one of its best Fall sports seasons in years.

While all these achievements are quite laudable, it is the development of our students into well rounded and grounded people, who show compassion and empathy for those around them, that is the real sign of a successful person. I am very pleased to say I have been blessed to witness these traits first hand on multiple occasions throughout this year from our students, our staff, and our community.

May you find peace and joy during your Christmas and New Year's celebrations with family and friends. I wish you the wonder of the unconditional love of the season and the awe of the miracles of life. Thank you for entrusting your children to us!

Love & Appreciation  
Cris Oseguera



Congratulations Ms. Funderburk for receiving the Wonderful Outstanding Work Award. The award was presented by Mr. O and T-Rex.



Ms. Funderburk is a pillar of our school, involved in supporting our students in their activities both academic and extracurricular.

She accepted the award with a gracious heart and her students by her side.



### Student of the Month

Congratulation to our November/December student of the month recipients 9th grade- Madelyn Culp: 10th grade—Mattix Whitley: 11th grade- Stephania Fuentes: and 12th grade Isela Leal. They were nominated by their teachers and selected based on their excellent student work, good character, and attitude, positive citizenship and civic participation.

They received a certificate along with a gift card courtesy of Mr. O! Way to go BRAVES!!



# COUNSELOR'S CORNER

## SAVE THE DATE:

**FRIDAY, FEB 3RD, 8AM-12:30PM  
HAMILTON HIGH SCHOOL**

## ALUMNI CAREER DAY

More information follow link on the QR Code and enter your information.

You can also contact Mr. Langan at [klangan@hudschools.org](mailto:klangan@hudschools.org) with any questions.



### HHS JV & Varsity Girls Marty Passaglia Tournament Champs

Great Job Lady Braves!! Both JV and Varsity Girls won at our Basketball Tournament. Games were at times intense and other times our girls were dominant over their opponent. At the end, JV and Varsity Girls were victorious!

HHS Boys performed well, JV Boys took 2nd Place and Varsity Boys took 3rd. Congratulations to our MVP's of the Tournament: Hanne Porter & Ally Odom. All Tourney: Sheri Enneking, Esmeralda Castillo, Kaden Strong, and Josh Strong.

Thanks to all who helped and participated in the tournament. Without the coaches, players, parents and HHS Admin, this tournament would not have been possible. Special thanks to Ms. Johnson for all your hard work organizing it all. HHS Loves you, #1 Athletic Director. GO BRAVES!!



### MEChA Annual Giving Tree

We would like to thank the HHS Staff and Community for your generosity. Thanks to our community coming together, we were able to bring some much needed joy to nearly 100 children and their families!

MEChA has been involved in the Christmas Giving Tree for many years now. It is a student club, led by Ms. Reyes, who participate in different activities throughout the year, including events at Chico State. Students fundraise throughout the year, which is used for scholarships and end of the year celebrations.

If you would like to donate to MEChA club, you can do so in the HHS office.

Happy Holiday!!!!

Maria Reyes, Advisor



### Semester Report Cards available Electronically

Hamilton High School, along with all HUSD schools, now offer paperless report cards. You will be receiving a notification via email and/or phone message when your students Report Card is ready to view in your Parent Portal. If you do not have a Parent Portal set up, please do so. If you need assistance please contact the office.

Through the Parent Portal, you will have access to all previous grades from the current year. There are many other things you have access to thru the parent portal, including attendance, grades, and teacher contact information. If you are unable to create a parent portal, please contact Cristina in the office. Electronic report cards will be available starting December 22nd.

Please call the Hamilton High office if you have any questions, (530)826-3261.

# Home of the BRAVES

## SPORTSMANSHIP/BEHAVIOR EXPECTATIONS OF SPECTATORS AT HHS EVENTS

Spectators at athletic events, including parents & students, are expected to maintain high standards of sportsmanship and good behavior at all times. They should appreciate good play on the part of opponents as well as by our own teams. They should respect the decisions of the officials during the games. Visiting teams are guests at our school and should be shown every courtesy. Students and their families are notified that guests accompanying them are expected to behave in a professional, respectful and responsible manner. The School and District retains the right to remove any visitor from an event who disrupts the educational environment or disrupts the peace in any fashion at any school sponsored event.

**LET THE PLAYERS PLAY;**

**LET THE COACHES COACH;**

**LET THE OFFICIALS OFFICIATE;**

**AND LET THE SPECTATORS BE POSITIVE!**

### Hamilton City FFA

Help support our FFA by purchasing some of our tasty olive oil that can be used to create delicious meals or as stocking stuffers for this holiday season. Each bottle of Olive Oil is \$15 or a case of 6 bottles for \$80. All the funds from the olive oil and mandarins sales go back to our students. Students help bag and sell over 250 bags of mandarins this year.

Hamilton High is fortunate to have a farm on campus which includes an olive and mandarin orchard, hog barn, sheep barn, steer pen, and greenhouse. Our three amazing FFA Advisors Janice Lohse, Ashley Hautala, and Andrew Martin utilize it for hands on teaching. Our students learn about growing and harvesting mandarins and olives as well as the care for animals.

Ms. Lohse, Ms. Hautala, and Mr. Martin continuously attend conferences to keep up to date on Ag and FFA information. They recently attended a three day conference for National Ag Instructors in Las Vegas.



Sober Grad is holding the annual 4 school raffle to raise funds for their graduation celebration night. For the past 29 years, Hamilton High Graduates have had a safe, alcohol free place to celebrate their achievements. Thanks to the hard work of our Senior Parents organizing this event, the graduates along with friends get to have fun and win some prizes. The raffle will be held March 4, 2023

Tickets are \$10 each and can be purchased from any of our Graduating Students or you can come to the HHS office. Thank you in advance for your support.





# December 2022

| Sun                          | Mon  | Tue                             | Wed                              | Thu  | Fri                                   | Sat |
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|                              |  |                                 |                                  | 1<br>Soccer at Gridley @3:15                         | 2                                     | 3   |
| 4                            | 5  | 6<br>Soccer vs. Willows @3:15pm | 7<br>Soccer in Oroville @4pm/6pm | 8  | 9<br>Soccer Boys at Red Bluff Tourney | 10  |
| 11                           | 12<br>Plaza School in Cafeteria                      | 13<br>Soccer vs. Colusa @3:15pm | 14                               | 15 Soccer at Live Oak @3:15<br>MP Basketball Tourney | 16 End of 1st Semester                | 17  |
| 18                           | 19 Boys BB vs. Kelseyville @5:30<br><br>Winter Break | 20                              | 21<br>Grades due Teacher         | 22<br>Grades Mailed Out                              | 23                                    | 24  |
| 25<br><b>Merry Christmas</b> | 26<br>Winter Break                                   | 27                              | 28                               | 29   | 30                                    | 31  |



# January 2023



| Sun                        | Mon   | Tue                                   | Wed   | Thu   | Fri   | Sat |
|----------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|---|---|---|-----|
| 1<br><b>Happy New Year</b> | 2<br>Winter Break   | 3                                     | 4<br>Boys BB vs. Mt. Shasta @5:30                           | 5 Soccer at Winters @3:15<br>Girls Basketball at Las Plumas | 6   | 7   |
| 8                          | 9 <b>Start of 2nd Semester</b><br>Soccer at Maxwell @5:30pm | 10<br>Girls BB at Maxwell @5:30pm     | 11<br>Boys BB at Maxwell<br>Girls Soccer at Las Plumas @2pm | 12  | 13 BB Marathon vs. Biggs@3pm<br>Soccer vs. Paradise @3pm  | 14  |
| 15                         | 16<br><b>Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday</b>                | 17<br>Girls BB vs. Williams           | 18 Boys BB vs Williams<br>Soccer at Williams @3:15/5:15pm   | 19  | 20 BB Marathon at Los Molinos @3<br>Boys Soccer at Redding Christ @3:15<br>Girls Soccer at Las Plumas | 21  |
| 22                         | 23  | 24<br>Varsity Girls BB vs. Core Butte | 25<br>Boys BB vs. Core Butte<br>Soccer vs. Durham           | 26<br>Soccer vs. Maxwell @3:15                              | 27 BB Marathon vs. Maxwell @3 Homecoming  | 28  |
| 29                         | 30  | 31<br>Girls BB at Biggs               |   |   |   |     |

