



Howard Huskies

H3- YOU KNOW!

HOWARD ATHLETICS NEWSLETTER

Message from your Athletic Director

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Dear Husky Family,

I am excited to welcome you to the 1st Edition of *H3 – You Know*, the official newsletter of Howard High School Athletics. Each month, we will highlight the achievements of our student-athletes, recognize the hard work of our coaches, and share important updates about upcoming games, events, and opportunities to support our Huskies.

At Howard, we believe athletics is more than just competition—it is a powerful extension of the classroom where lessons in teamwork, leadership, resilience, and sportsmanship are learned and lived. Our Huskies continue to represent our school and community with pride, passion, and perseverance, both on and off the field.

Thank you for your continued support of Howard High School Athletics. We are building a tradition of Excellence, Together! —once a Husky, always a Husky.

ATHLETES OF THE MONTH



Kinglsey Ware

Congratulations to Kingsley Ware on being offensive athlete of the week vs Westside! Kingsley is a junior quarterback for the Huskies. Kingsley, we're excited for your future as a student-athlete!

Tristian Sands

Congratulations to Tristan Sands on being defensive athlete of the week vs Westside! Tristan is a junior defensive lineman for the Huskies. Tristan, we're excited for your future as a student-athlete!





Ta'Shawn Poole

Congratulations to Ta'Shawn Poole on being special teams athlete of the week vs Westside! Ta'Shawn is a junior defensive back/wide receiver for the Huskies. Ta'Shawn, we're excited for your future as a student-athlete!

Charles Ellington

Congratulations Charles Ellington on being defensive athlete of the week vs Rutland! Charles is a sophomore defensive back for the Huskies. Charles, we're excited for your future as a student-athlete!





Bralen Jones

Congratulations to Bralen Jones on being special teams athlete of the week vs Rutland! Bralen is a senior tight end for the Huskies. Bralen, we're excited for your future as a student-athlete!

Julius Ramsey, Jr.

Congratulations to Julius Ramsey, Jr. on being offensive athlete of the week vs Rutland! Julius is a freshman running back for the Huskies. Julius, we're excited for your future as a student-athlete!





Thor Griffin

Congratulations to Thor Griffin on being the poose team builder of the week vs Rutland! Thor is a junior offensive lineman for the Huskies. Thor, we're excited for your future as a student-athlete!

STAFF SPOTLIGHT



Trey Porter is the head coach of our Football team and Boys Track Team. He was a running back at Southeast Missouri State, where he received a B.S in General Studies and Special Education, and his M.A in Secondary School Administration.

GET TO KNOW COACH PORTER

Favorite food?

Rice and Peas/Rasta Pasta

Favorite place on campus?

The Fieldhouse

Favorite TV series to binge?

Power/BMF

Dream destination?

Any Beach

What does being a "Husky" mean to you?

Being part of teamwork, growth, and community building. Being here has helped me in the area of working with others toward a common goal and purpose. That goal and purpose is to establish a community connection in a space that's new to the idea and concept. Our school geographic is isolated from the greater communities that we serve so embracing the challenge and building the community is what Huskies do. Huskies move as a pack and we're forming ours here at 6400 Forsyth Road. Being a Husky means taking pride in our school, friends, and self. We support one another by celebrating our victories and showing up for each other through actions!

UPCOMING MONTH'S HOME SCHEDULE

**Football**

5th vs West Laurens 7:30 (Thompson Stadium)
18th vs Hephzibah 7:00 (Thompson Stadium)
25th vs Southwest 5:00 (JV) (Thompson Stadium)

Volleyball

2nd vs Mary Persons Peach County- 5:00
3rd vs Southwest- 5:30
4th vs Ola 5:30
10th vs Westside 4:00
16th vs Central 5:00

Softball

4th vs West Laurens- 5:00
8th vs Warner Robins- 5:00
11th vs Hephzibah- 5:00
16th vs ARC- 5:00
23rd vs Harlem- 5:00
29th vs Southwest- 4:30

OTHER NEWS IN HUSKY ATHLETICS



- **Husky Cheerleaders** will be attending Georgia Tech Spirit Day Pre-Game Clinic and participating in the halftime performance. Na'Liyah Merritt has her official visit to Georgia Tech on September 6th as well.
- **"New Season, New Gear, Same Husky Pride!"**
The Lady Huskies Flag Football season is right around the corner, and we are thrilled to share that our program received a **\$5,000 grant from the Arthur M. Blank Family Foundation**, which allowed us to purchase brand-new uniforms, flag belts, and footballs. This year, the Lady Huskies have **12 scheduled play dates**, and we're looking forward to seeing our fans in the stands as we work toward an exciting and successful season.
- Come out and support your **Lady Husky Volleyball Team** as they compete this 2025 Season!



Flag Football Preliminary Tryouts
will begin September 3rd at 4:00
in Room 116 with Coach Taylor.

Download the SportsYou app
here:

<https://sportsyou.app>

Your team code is: 8X2Z-DXPX

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For the latest updates on Howard Athletics,
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SCHOLAR ATHLETE OF THE MONTH



Our Scholar-Athlete of the Month is the perfect example of hard work, balance, and determination. Maintaining a 4.0 GPA and ranking 2nd in her class, she continues to set the standard for academic excellence. She is a proud REACH Scholar, an active DECA officer, and a dedicated member of Rho Kappa. Beyond the classroom, she is enrolled as a CGTC phlebotomy student and gained valuable hands-on experience as a summer intern at Atrium Health. On campus, she shines as a member of the Howard Cheerleading team, bringing spirit and energy to our school community. Even with all these commitments, she still finds time to work at Publix, showing her strong work ethic and time management skills. Her dedication both in and out of the classroom truly embodies what it means to be a Howard Husky!



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