



SEAHAWKS NATION Newsletter

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This district newsletter is sent home with FCS Pre-K - 5th students every Thursday.

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Music in our Schools Month



Week of

MAR. 8th - MAR. 14th, 2026

Sports

Key Dates

MONDAY, Mar. 9th - Prayer @ 7:45 - 8:00 AM (Butterfly Garden)
Colby Blackburn's Signing @11:30 AM (library)
 FCSB Workshop @5:00 PM (Willie Speed Boardroom in Eastpoint)
TUESDAY, Mar. 10th - Ms. Brown's 1st Grade on WMBB News 13
 The pledges are scheduled to air between 6:30 and 6:55 AM CST.
 Volunteers Reading to PreK-1st Grade @11:30 AM - 2:30 PM
WEDNESDAY, Mar. 11th - FCS/ABC Freshmen Orientation @8:45 AM
 5th Grade ANERR Field Trip @9:00 AM - 2:30 PM
THURSDAY, Mar. 12th - Ms. Bigcas 5th Graders | WMBB NEWS 13 (same time)
 Odyssey of the Mind/ Klinkenberg Facebook Bake Sale @8:00 AM - 3:00 PM
 NO REFERRAL PBIS Event (Kickball)
 5th Grade Class of 2033 | Spring Dance in Cafe @6:00 - 8:00 PM
 End of 2nd nine weeks
FRIDAY, Mar. 13th - **TEACHER PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**
HEADS UP: MARCH 16-20TH - SPRING BREAK
MARCH 26TH - REPORT CARDS
QR CODE TO 2026-27 SCHOOL CALENDAR →
 Use the camera on your device to scan the code
Fundraisers: Odyssey of the Mind/Clark Klinkenberg (calendar \$)
SGA has Pretzel Rods for a \$1.00 donation per rod (4 flavors/60 per box)
Prom Tickets - \$20.00 Donations until April 10th | Seniors Free
 Class of 2033 Finest Chocolate Fundraiser (For more info: See Lynn Clark)
 Senior Class - donations for a chance to win a seafood cooler w/ seafood
 8th grade trip - candy bars through 5/30/26 - L. Smith
 Middle School Cookie Dough Fundraiser (end-of-the-year trip)



MONDAY, Mar. 9th - Track @Bainbridge MS @3:30 PM
 Varsity Baseball Tournament (AWAY) (TBD)
TUESDAY, Mar. 10th - HOME Beach Volleyball vs. Rickards |3:30 PM
 Boys Weightlifting vs Wewa @3:30 PM
 Varsity Softball @Liberty @6:00 PM
 Track Practice @3:00 - 4:30 PM
WEDNESDAY, Mar. 11th - Track Practice @3:00 PM
THURSDAY, Mar. 12th - HOME Beach Volleyball vs. Godby 3:30 PM
 Track (Bozeman Invite) @4:00 PM HS/Varsity
FRIDAY, Mar. 13th - Have a great weekend, Seahawks!

Be sure to check our website and Facebook for news & updates.
 Email our PIO, Morgan Martin, at mmartin@fcsdfl.org for district features & Seahawk shoutouts.

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SEAHAWK SPOTLIGHT - CONGRATULATIONS, SEAHAWK BAND!

Community support powers new uniforms, instruments and renewed pride

The Franklin County Seahawks Band made a bold statement at the recent Barkus Parade in Apalachicola. New look. Same pride. Bigger sound. The uniquely combined Seahawks — high, middle, and upper elementary students — took to the parade route in brand-new uniforms, performing on new and newly repaired instruments and showcasing the heart of a program on the rise.

Nearly \$27,000 raised during the Forgotten Coast Parrot Head Club's Jimmy Buffett weekend, along with the generosity of community supporters, helped make the moment possible. Students not only marched but made a statement with spirited performances, bright smiles, and a celebratory meal from Fat Daddy's Barbecue. Thank you to every donor, volunteer, director, and supporter who continues to help rebuild the band stronger than ever. The comeback is underway, and this is only the beginning.



Photo courtesy of the Forgotten Coast Parrot Head Club



A special thank you to our music teacher, Temolynn Wintons A.K.A. "Mrs. Music", for her leadership and dedication.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

March 8th - Jenna Hill
 During Spring Break/until the next issue, we have...
 Angela White (16th), Matha Kohl (18th),
 Victoria Paredes (19th), Elaine Velasco (21st)
 Jennifer Sterling (23rd), & Tara Ward (25th)



**ALL STUDENTS
 FREE LUNCH
 MENU BELOW**



Monday

Meat Lover's Stromboli
 Cheesy Bites
 Sweet Potato Fries
 Green Beans
 Fruit Choice

Tuesday

Popcorn Chicken
 Holy Cow Hamburger Steak
 Grainiac Roll
 Spud Spouters
 Mashed Potatoes & Gravy
 Broccoli And Cheese
 Fruit Choice

Wednesday

Beef Taco Bowl
 Beef Nachos
 Taco Stick
 Side salad / Salsa
 Black Beans
 Mexican Corn
 Fruit Choice

Thursday

Chicken Tenders
 Mac & Cheese Maniacs
 Grainiac Roll
 Mini Comdog
 Steamed Corn
 Peas and Carrots
 Fruit Choice

Friday

Detroit Style Pizza
 Game Day Cheesy Bites
 Marinara Sauce
 Baby Carrots
 Green Beans
 Fruit Choice