

100 State Route 271 South
Lewisport, KY

October 9, 2026
Hancock County Youth Service Center
Laura Kessans, Coordinator
927-6712

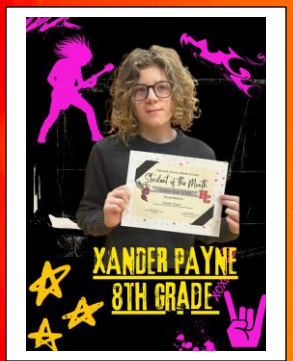
What's happening?

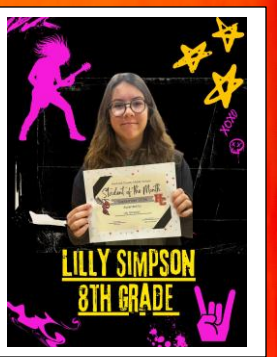
Oct. 12-16:	Fall Break
Oct. 20:	Lady Hornet Bball @ Edmonson 5:30
Oct. 22:	Lady Hornet Bball @ home 5:30 pm
Oct. 23:	Report Cards Go Home
Oct. 27:	Lady Hornet Bball @ home 5:30 pm
Oct. 29:	Lady Hornet Bball @ Daviess 5:30
Oct. 31:	Sorghum Festival @ HC Fair Grounds
Nov. 1:	Daylight Savings Time ends
Nov. 2:	No School
Nov. 2:	Lady Hornet Bball @ St. Romuald 5:30 pm
Nov. 3:	No School- Election Day
Nov. 3:	Hornet Bball @ home 5:30 pm
Nov. 5:	Lady Hornet Bball @ home 5:30 pm
Nov. 9:	Fall Picture Day
Nov. 9:	Lady Hornet Bball @ home 5:30 pm
Nov. 9:	Hornet Bball (6,7,8) @ St. Marys 5:30
Nov. 10:	Lady Hornet Bball (6,7,8) @ Breck 5:30 pm
Nov. 10:	Hornet Bball @ home 5:30 pm
Nov. 11:	Veterans Day
Nov. 14:	Lady Hornet Bball-HCMS 8th grade tourney @ home
Nov. 16-20:	Scholastic Book Fair
Nov. 16:	Hornet Bball @ College View 5:30 pm
Nov. 17:	Annual Thanksgiving Meal
Nov. 17:	Lady Hornet Bball @ home 5:30 pm
Nov. 19:	Lady Hornet Bball @ home 5:30 pm
Nov. 19:	Hornet Bball @ Edmonson 5:30 pm
Nov. 23:	Hornet Bball @ McLean 5:30 pm
Nov. 24:	Lady Hornet Bball (6,7,8) @ St. Mary 5:30 pm
Nov. 25-27:	No School- Thanksgiving Break
Nov. 30:	Lady Hornet Bball @ Grayson 5:30
Dec. 1:	Lady Hornet Bball (6,7,8) @ home 5:30 pm
Dec. 3:	Lady Hornet Bball @ home 5:30 pm
Dec. 4:	Winter Dance
Dec. 7:	Lady Hornet Bball @ Burns 5:30 pm

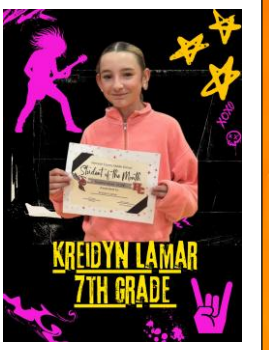


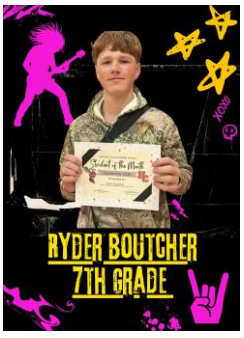
October 12-16th
No School
Classes will resume on Oct. 19th.

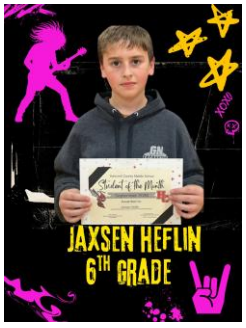
Students of the Month!













The Youth Service Center does not replace broken flip flops. If your student chooses to wear flip flops, please encourage them to bring an extra pair of shoes in their backpack.



Emergency Medications

If your child has emergency medications, or any other medical information that will be important for the nurse to know please contact her as soon as you can at 270-927-6712 and she will get all of the necessary paperwork and information to you that is needed. This will help Nurse Krista to make sure she has all of the tools and information to make sure your child is safe while in school. Thank you for your help!





If your student is needing to receive the weekly backpack food program please email Laura Kessans at laura.kessans@hancock.kyschools.us or call at 270-927-6712 or 270-927-6953.

Menu for October 19-23

- Monday, Oct. 19- corn dog or hot dog, mac & cheese, baked beans, fruit, juice, milk
  - Breakfast: pancake/sausage wrap, fruit, juice, milk
- Tuesday, Oct. 20-Italian day, spinach salad, mixed vegetables, breadstick, fruit, juice, milk
  - Breakfast: chicken biscuit, fruit, juice, milk
- Wednesday, Oct. 21- International day, mixed vegetables, corn, chips, roll, fruit, juice, milk
  - Breakfast: bacon/egg/cheese on English muffin, fruit, juice, milk
- Thursday, Oct. 22-Manager's choice chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, fruit, juice, milk
  - Breakfast: French toast sticks, fruit, juice, milk
- Friday, Oct. 23- hamburger, potato salad, Onion rings, fruit, juice, milk
  - Breakfast: biscuit/gravy, fruit, Juice, milk



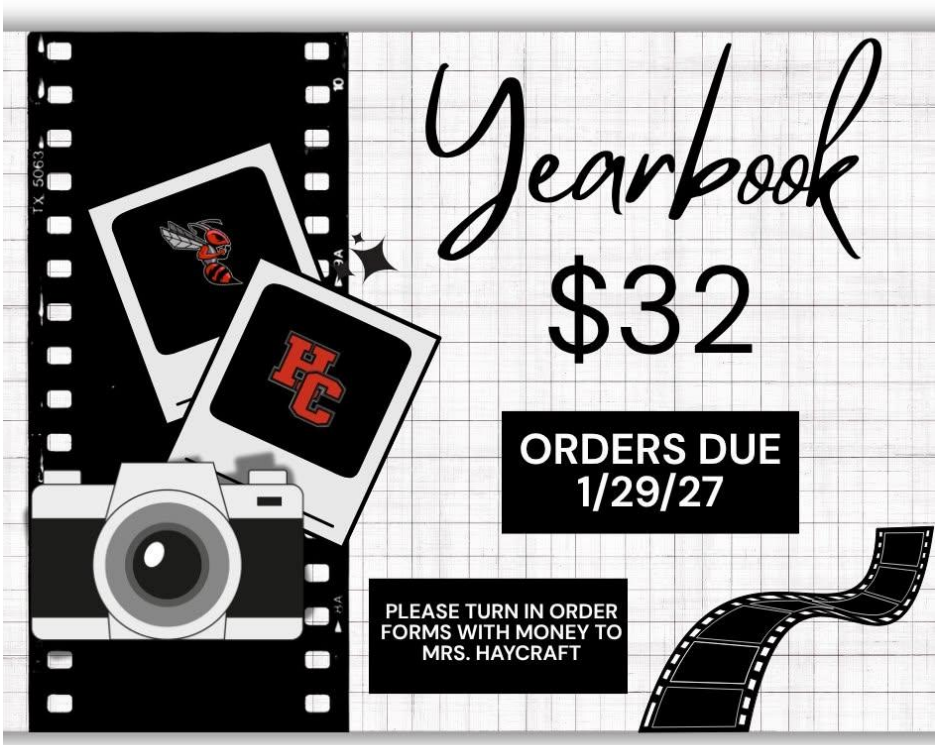
https://safeschools.ky.gov/
Visit safeschools KY to report bullying, violence, and risky behaviors.

Chromebook Insurance:

If you checked on online registration that you wanted insurance make sure that you have paid the $15. Clicking that you want it does not grant you coverage until payment is made.





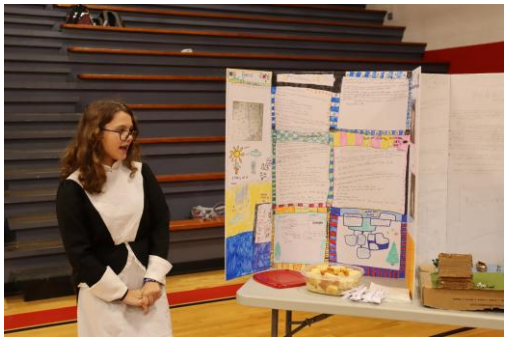


EXCUSES

Please remember that all excuses (doctor, funeral, court, etc.) need to be turned in as soon as possible to Mrs. VanWinkle in the office when your student has missed school.




VISITORS
COLONIAL MARYLAND



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RHODE ISLAND







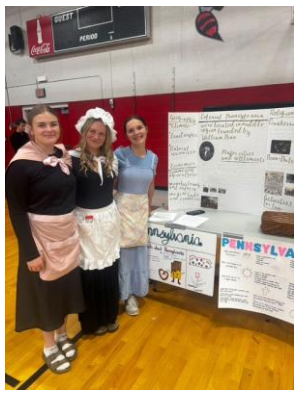

NEW YORK
THE NEW YORK COLONY




GEORGIA
Georgia







BOO GRAM Order Form $1 each

Send a sweet surprise to a friend!

To:	From:	Phone Number:	Swarm Class:	Quantity

Orders are due no later than **October 21st!**

Total Due:





Hancock County Farm Supply will be carrying clear backpacks this school year for $17 for students to purchase.

Where to turn in Hornet Bucks:

6th: Mrs. Bailey

7th: Mrs. Haycraft

8th: Mrs. Goodall

The tennis courts at Vastwood Park will be undergoing renovations over the next few weeks. For your safety, please respect all posted signs and stay out of construction areas until the work is complete. We apologize for any inconvenience and appreciate your patience and cooperation!

GIVEAWAYS FOOD TRUCKS

12TH ANNUAL CRUISIN THE PARK

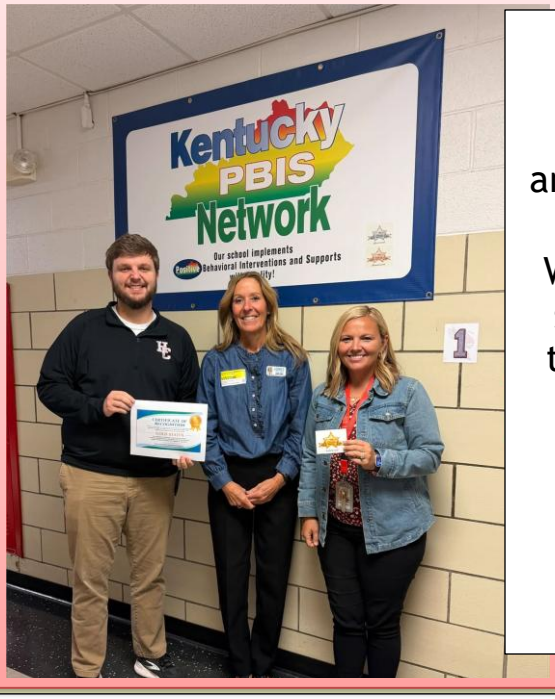


SATURDAY OCTOBER 17TH

10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

VASTWOOD PARK - HAWESVILLE, KY

FACEBOOK: CRUISIN THE PARK



🏆 💛 Hancock County Middle School was recognized by GRREC and KDE for being a PBIS GOLD school! 🏆 💛 We are so proud of our students and staff for the work they put into our positive behavior interventions and support system! 👏 ❤️ ❤️ ❤️ Way to go Hornets!!! ❤️ ❤️ ❤️

Vastwood Park

24th Annual Trail of Treats

Saturday
October 31, 2026
4:30 pm to 6:30 pm

If you or your organization would like to hand out treats please contact Sage Young at the Judge Executive's Office 270-927-8137 for details on how you can participate.

Sponsored by Hancock County Fiscal Court & Hancock County Parks Department



Call, text, or **chat**
when you or someone you love is experiencing:

a need for guidance on bullying
a need for general mental health tips
a need to just ***talk***
a suicidal or mental health crisis
a substance use crisis
overwhelming thoughts

tinyurl.com/Chat988KY

There is hope. Talk with us. Be the lifeline.

LCDHD

988 SUICIDE & CRISIS LIFELINE

tinyurl.com/Chat988KY

RINSE & RETURN

Plastic Pesticide Recycling Program

OCTOBER 14th
9-11:00am
Drop off at
Hancock County Extension Office



Be sure to triple rinse all chemical containers.

- Remove cover from container. Empty the pesticide into the spray tank and let the container drain for 30 seconds.
- Fill the container 10% to 20% full of water or rinse solution.
- Secure the cover on the container.
- Swirl the container to rinse all inside surfaces.
- Remove cover from the container. Add the rinsate from the container to sprayer tank and let drain for 30 seconds or more.
- Repeat steps 2 through 5 two more times.
- Puncture container.

Book and Bites

JOIN THE LUNCHTIME READING CLUB!



Love to read? Want to discover some great new books? Book and Bites is a lunchtime book club for students who enjoy reading and discussing books from the list.
We'll meet during lunch to choose our books, share our thoughts, and enjoy some good conversation (and maybe a few bites, too!). Whether you are an avid reader or just looking for a fun new book to try, you are Interested?

Sign up on the link Mrs. Schneider posted on the Hornet Hive Google Classroom

Bell Schedule

Bell	Action
7:55	Dismiss from Gym
7:55-8:47	1st Period
8:50-9:40	2nd Period
9:43-10:33	3rd Period
10:36-11:27	4th Period
11:30-1:00	5th Period
11:30-11:55	Lunch 1
12:00-12:25	Lunch 2
12:30-12:55	Lunch 3
1:03-1:56	6th Period
1:59-2:50	7th Period
2:50-2:55	SWARM
2:55	Dismiss School

PRINCESS TEA PARTY



Join The HCHS Cheerleaders for a magical Princess Tea Party with snacks, crafts, games, dance party & selfies with your favorite Princess.
Dressing up as your own princess is optional.

OCTOBER
SUNDAY **25** 1-2:30PM
2026
HCHS COMMONS AREA

$20 FOR FIRST PRINCESS.
$10 PER EACH ADDITIONAL PRINCESS SIBLING AND/OR ADULT.

<<<<<PAY BY CARD WITH EVENT LINK ON GO FAN BY OCT 21ST.

CASH OR CHECK (HCHS CHEER) PAYMENTS & FORM CAN BE DROPPED OFF AT HIGH SCHOOL OFFICE BY OCT 21ST.

MUST PREPAY IN ADVANCE TO ATTEND.
WE CAN NOT GUARANTEE SEATS WILL BE OPEN IF YOU WAIT TO PAY THAT DAY.

PARTICIPANT NAME GRADE/FAMILY

CONTACT PHONE:_____
PAYMENT AMOUNT:_____ CASH/CHECK

EMAIL: AIMEE.ESTES@HANCOCK.KYSCHOOLS.US FOR ANY QUESTIONS


FALL


JOIN US FOR OUR
Fall FESTIVAL
& TRUNK OR TREAT
A FUN-FILLED AFTERNOON FOR ALL AGES!
COMMUNITY FAMILIES FRIENDS WELCOME!
CANDY GAMES FOOD RAFFLES AND MORE!
TRICK OR TREAT
FRIDAY
OCTOBER 16, 2026
4:00 P.M.
UNTIL THE FUN ENDS!
HEARTLAND VILLA
NURSING & REHABILITATION CENTER
8005 US-60
LEWISPORT, KY
Good People Brighter Days
COSTUMES ENCOURAGED
TRUNK OR TREAT
CHILI & HOTDOGS AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE
CAKE WALK
YARD GAMES
GIFT CARDS AND MORE RAFFLES
Heartland Villa
NURSING & REHABILITATION CENTER
PEOPLE ♥ PURPOSE ♥ COMMUNITY
We can't wait to see you there!


36th Annual
Witches Walk
MAIN STREET TELL CITY
THURSDAY,
OCTOBER 29, 2026
5:00 P.M. TO 7:00 P.M.
Perry County
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE


2026
INDEPENDENCE BANK
SORGHUM
FESTIVAL
SAT. OCT. 31
HANCOCK COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS
HAWESVILLE, KY


The City of Lewisport's
PUMPKINS
in the
Park
FEATURING
Food * Drinks * Vendors
Pumpkin Carving Contest
Cruise In
Free Face Painting
Games
Hay Rides
Music By The Gently Used
OCT 24
5-8 PM
Chapman Park, Downtown Lewisport









The Youth Service Center could use donations of sweatpants, joggers, mesh shorts, and black leggings in all sizes for the clothing closet. Please drop off any donations to the front office for Mrs. Kessans.





Picture YOURSELF behind The Wheel!

NOW HIRING BUS DRIVERS

FULL TIME AND SUBSTITUTE

$2000.00 SIGN-ON BONUS

- *$1000 when you receive your CDL*
- *$500 after 60 days*
- *$500 after 90 days*

Paid While Training
Full time when training is completed

$20.00 /hr*

**pending approval*

Regular Driver works 4 to 6 hours per day
(with opportunities for more hours)
Full time benefits –
Insurance/retirement benefits
Off nights, weekends, summers,
school breaks
Paid year – round

Questions? 270-927-6015

Scan QR Code for TED Employment Link
Then Select Job Posting
FT Bus Driver OR Substitute Bus Driver

JOIN OUR TEAM

REQUIREMENTS

- High School Diploma or GED
- 21 years or older
- Good driving record
- Clean criminal background check
- Pass required physical exam