



Weekly Update 2/17/25

Hawk Nation:

As a school, we were just recognized for increasing our acceleration success by 36% over the last 5 years. Florida has placed this into our school grade. Acceleration points mean that graduating seniors have either passed an AP exam, an AICE exam, passed a dual enrollment course, or earned an industry certification through our Career and Tech Electives. In 2019, our graduation rate was 80% and our acceleration rate was 41%. The class of 2024 has a graduation rate of 86% and the acceleration rate is now at 77%. The bar for graduation also rose in 2023 for students to reach their reading and math benchmarks. This is a true testament to HawkNation continuing to rise to amazing heights.

We also hosted a Girls Summit on Thursday, February 13th. We had girls from a variety of grade levels work on vision boards and had amazing community leaders speak with them. It was an amazing event!

Armwood's Key Club volunteered at a pet relief center on Saturday and is featured on the Florida District of Key Club International page. Great job Hawks!!!!

Coach Davis, our head football coach, hosted a recruiting fair on Saturday with the support of the National Football Foundation. We had 45 high schools, and 29 colleges came and spent the day to assist as many bay area players as possible an opportunity to play at the next level.

Celebrations:

Girls basketball ends their season in regionals last Thursday against Horizon High School. We are so proud!

Kenzie Jackson placed 2nd and is moving on to regionals for girls wrestling. Our girls wrestling team finished 12th out of 20 teams in districts. Armwood hosted the girls tournament. Thank you to Coach Cain and his team of staff and students that did an amazing job hosting the 2-day event.

Boys wrestling was at Brandon High on Saturday. Our hawks are doing well!
Issac Lainez-1st

Conlan Hackett-2nd
Jayden Cain-1st
Rainel Machado-1st
Jayden Corcino-4th
Kenneth Malone-3rd
Alex Washington-4th
Jake Gunter-1st
Elem Hart-1st
Greg Lott-1st
Braden Huges-4th

County Championship-Gregg Lott and Jake Gunter 5th place

Weekly Schedule

Monday 2/17: No Early Dismissal-full day of school rest of year

Tuesday 2/18: Tennis vs. Sumner; track at Leto; softball vs. King; baseball vs. Chamberlain

Wednesday 2/19:

Thursday 2/20: Pre MPA concert; softball at Freedom

Friday 2/21: Boys wrestling districts;

Saturday 2/22: JROTC drill meet; girls wrestling regionals