

Weekly Update 8/1824

## HawkNation:

What a week! Our staff and students took on the challenge of some of our new computer programs and nailed it! We deeply appreciate your patience in the drop-off and pick-up lines, but they are improving. Please do not use the Dollar General as a drop off and pick up. Also, our back patio is getting a facelift. We have a huge sunshade and increased the seating on the patio. The fans are being installed next week. With this happening, we will be able to shift to 2 lunches. Students will have an opportunity to adjust elective courses during their lunch Wednesday and Thursday this week.

During homeroom, we reviewed attendance, tardies, dress code, and safety procedures. Please know that the new state statutes require us to secure our gates and buildings more than before which is why our drop off and pick up gates don't open until 7:55 and 3:20. We then must secure the gates off Pine after our wave of dismissal. This has caused some inconveniences, but safety is our top priority.

Parking passes are on sale and information is on our website. We will begin with warnings this week. Students who drive and need to be signed out must have a parking decal to leave without a parent.

Our ATV started this week and can be seen on YouTube as well. Club Rush starts this week in the cafeteria during lunches.

Fall sports are underway with volleyball already playing in a preseason tournament and competing against some solid teams and football played Miami Norland for their preseason classic. The rest kick off this upcoming week.

Yearbooks are on sale at yearbookordercenter.com and the price goes up September 1<sup>st</sup>. The access code 2435 or just type in Armwood.

**Senior portraits can be booked at cady.com/schedule.** They will be on campus on 8/30 but you must book online. Remember, you don't have to purchase the photo package, but the basic photos (cap/gown and tux/black robe) must be taken for the yearbook.

Please download the HawkNation app to stay informed and earn rewards for attending our events! We are going to be hosting several parent events this year to help our families stay informed from a College Fair in September to Monday monthly sessions in partnership with PTSA and our community.

## Weekly Schedule

Monday 8/19: Golf at Sumner

Tuesday 8/20: 9th and 12th grade assemblies; Golf at Brandon; Volleyball at Spoto

Wednesday 8/21: 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> grade assemblies

Thursday 8/22: Volleyball at Blake Friday 8/23: Varsity football at Gaither