

Hillsboro High School Board Report December 2016

Enrollment

Enrollment: Total – 547 (9th – 145, 10th – 146, 11th – 131, and 12th – 125)

Professional Development / Student Involvement

Mr. John 'Doc' Robertson has taken on an additional role at Hillsboro High School with his already assigned duties of Athletic Trainer. Doc has returned to the classroom to gain additional certification in order to teach our students interested in the Principles of Health Science. This is just another example of a HHS faculty member role modeling to our students that learning is a life-long process. Not only is Doc furthering his education and certification areas, he is opening more doors for our students at HHS interested in the Health Science fields. Recently Doc invited members of our Hillsboro Fire Department and EMS to visit his classes in order for his students to get a hands-on opportunity and up-close look into possible careers.





Student Community Service

The HHS Student Council officers had the opportunity to visit the Town Hall Estates nursing home recently for the Thanksgiving Holiday. They made Thanksgiving cards with the residents and talked about what they are thankful for this year. The HHS Student Council members and the residents look forward to our students visiting them again next month around the Christmas Holiday. Our Student Council kids also received an optimist club pin which they wore to school identifying their community service work.



Student Hands-On Learning

Mrs. Tayler Smith-Sullivan, Family and Consumer Science Teacher, has a 'Chopped Contest' each year with her Culinary Arts students. Each Culinary class period had 3 kitchens competing against one another during the 'Chopped Contest'. Students work in teams of 4-5 students to create a tasty appetizer using specific ingredients. For this particular 'Chopped Contest', their ingredients to use were biscuit dough, corn flakes, bacon, green beans and spinach. Each group did an excellent job, and really showcased their talents. Special 'Chopped Contest' tasting judges were Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Boyd, Mr. Hannah, and various other HHS teachers.





Upcoming Athletic Events

December 8th – 10th Girls Basketball Tournament @ HHS

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December 12th Boys Basketball vs Knox HS (Australia) @ HHS

December 13th Girls Basketball vs La Vega @ HHS

December 16th Girls Basketball vs Connally @ Connally

December 19th Girls Basketball vs Navasota @ HHS

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