

# February 2019

DISTRICT NEWSLETTER



## YOU ARE THE KEY TO THE DREAM



WHEN FAMILIES ARE INVOLVED IN THEIR CHILDREN'S EDUCATION, THEY EARN HIGHER GRADES AND RECEIVE HIGHER TEST SCORES, ATTEND SCHOOL MORE REGULARLY AND COMPLETE MORE HOMEWORK ASSIGNMENTS. STUDENTS ALSO DEMONSTRATE MORE POSITIVE BEHAVIORS AND ATTITUDES, GRADUATE FROM HIGH SCHOOL AT HIGHER RATES AND ARE MORE LIKELY TO ENROLL IN HIGHER EDUCATION THAN STUDENTS WITH LESS INVOLVED PARENTS.

- ★ Talk to your child about the importance of education to his or her future.
- ★ Participate in or attend your child's extra-curricular activities.
- ★ Review school and homework assignments.
- ★ Communicate regularly with teachers and work as a teammate with schools.
- ★ Volunteer by serving on decision-making committees and advisory boards related to the education of your child.

YOUR CHILD'S EDUCATION IS A TEAM SPORT. YOUR ROLE IS VITAL TO THE MISSION OF MAKING THE DREAM WORK.

## February Reminders

FEB. 15-  
EARLY RELEASE

FEB. 18-  
PROFESSIONAL  
DEVELOPMENT DAY  
NO SCHOOL FOR  
STUDENTS



## Board Meetings

Feb. 5

Work Session

Feb. 12

Board Meeting

BOARD MEETINGS ARE HELD AT  
28 MAIN ST, DAWSONVILLE, GA

## School Counselor Week

THANK  
YOU

FEB. 4-FEB. 8  
IS SCHOOL  
COUNSELOR  
WEEK. WE  
APPRECIATE  
ALL THAT YOU  
DO!

## Employee Discounts



DISCOUNTS ADDED OFTEN TO THE WEBSITE; CLICK HERE TO VIEW.  
**MUST SIGN IN WITH GOOGLE.**



**RELAY FOR LIFE 2019**

**SIZES AVAILABLE:**  
YOUTH S - YOUTH XL  
ADULT S - ADULT 4XL

**SS T-SHIRT PRICING:**  
YS - AXL - \$15  
2X - 4X - \$20

**LS T-SHIRT PRICING:**  
YS - AXL - \$20  
2X - 4X - \$25

**ORDER DEADLINE FRIDAY, MARCH 29, 2019**

RSN PROMOTIONS • 864.592.2007

CONTACT YOUR SCHOOL'S CAPTAIN TO ORDER, OR EMAIL  
TIFFANYDAVIS@DAWSON.K12.GA.US FOR MORE INFO

## Meals by Grace

2/9/19

Harmony Baptist Church:  
1575 Harmony Church Rd

Register at [mealsbygrace.org](http://mealsbygrace.org)



## Travel Discounts



GSSA HAS PARTNERED WITH  
SNAZZY TRAVELER TO OFFER OUR  
STAFF DISCOUNTS ON TRAVEL.  
CLICK FOR MORE INFORMATION.

## Luminaria Sales



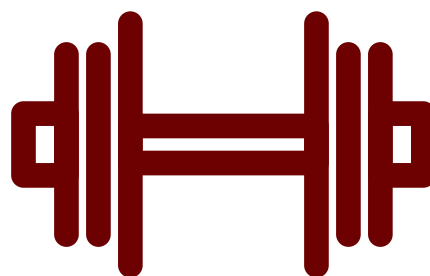
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## Wee Books



LEAP FOR LITERACY FUNDRAISER  
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 2019  
WAR HILL PARK

## DCHS Athletic Events

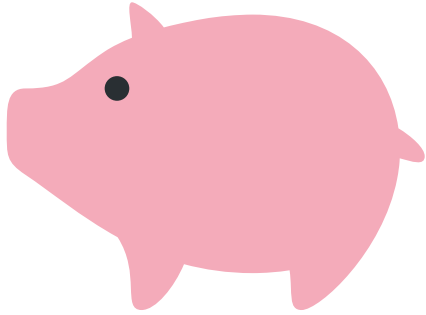


Click to view a list of Feb. Athletics.



## FFA Fundraiser

WIN HALF OF A MARKET HOG FROM THE DAWSON FFA. TICKETS ARE \$2. TWO DRAWINGS WILL BE HELD IN MARCH. CONTACT [KPANKEY@DAWSON.K12.GA.US](mailto:KPANKEY@DAWSON.K12.GA.US) FOR MORE INFORMATION.



## Online Learning Days

CLICK TO VIEW THE PROCEDURES FOR ONLINE LEARNING IN CASE OF INCLEMENT WEATHER.



## Spelling Bee

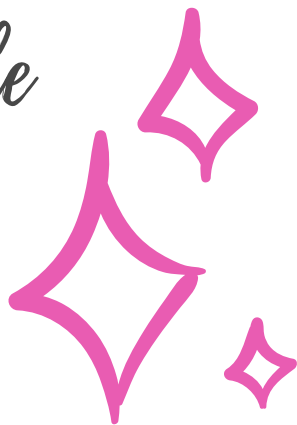


CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 2019 SPELLING BEE PARTICIPANTS! THIS YEAR'S SYSTEM WINNER- JENNA BURKE OF BMES AND ALTERNATE- BEN HODGE OF DCMS.



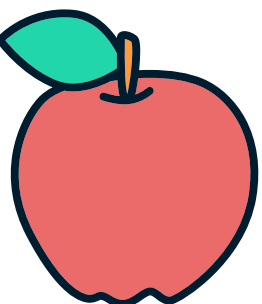
## Ms. Sparkle Pageant

FRIDAY, MARCH 8TH  
STARTING AT 6PM AT  
THE PERFORMING  
ARTS CENTER



## Pre-K Registration

REGISTER ONLINE ON  
MARCH 6 @ 8AM  
CLICK FOR MORE INFO!



## Kindergarten Registration

FRIDAY, MARCH 15  
8AM-5PM  
AT ROCK CREEK PARK.  
CLICK FOR MORE INFO.



## Continuing Education



VALDOSTA STATE UNIVERSITY HAS PARTNERED WITH VESI TO PROVIDE ONLINE COURSES THAT ARE AVAILABLE FOR PROFESSIONAL LEARNING UNITS (PLUS)/CONTINUING EDUCATION UNITS (CEUS).



# Board Meeting Recognitions



TREVOR DUBA, GEORGIA POWER  
GRANT RECIPIENT



30 YEARS OF SERVICE TO  
DAWSON COUNTY SCHOOLS



25 YEARS OF SERVICE TO  
DAWSON COUNTY SCHOOLS



20 YEARS OF SERVICE TO  
DAWSON COUNTY SCHOOLS



15 YEARS OF SERVICE TO  
DAWSON COUNTY SCHOOLS



10 YEARS OF SERVICE TO  
DAWSON COUNTY SCHOOLS



5 YEARS OF SERVICE TO  
DAWSON COUNTY SCHOOLS



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UPDATE OR EVENT TO THE MARCH NEWSLETTER,  
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