



# Hope-Hill Happenings



ISSUE NO. 11 NOVEMBER 2022

## CALENDAR

- November 3 (Thursday)**
- 5:30 pm - GO Team Meeting
- November 4 (Friday)**
- Pre-K Field Trip to Alliance Theater
- November 8 (Tuesday)**
- Election Day!
  - Professional Learning Day for Staff. Students do not report.
- November 14 (Monday)**
- 3rd Grade Field Trip to Zoo Atlanta
- November 15 (Tuesday)**
- Kindergarten Field Trip to Atlanta Botanical Gardens
  - STEM Advisory Board Meeting
- November 16-17 (Wed/Thu)**
- GMEA District V Honor Chorus
- November 17 (Thursday)**
- Progress Reports go home
- November 18 (Friday)**
- GABIE In-House STEM Field Trip
- November 21-25 (Mon-Fri)**
- Thanksgiving Break. Students do not report.
- November 28-December 2**
- Scholastic Book Fair
- November 28 (Monday)**
- Science Fair projects are due for 3rd-5th graders
- November 28-30 (Mon-Wed)**
- Dine Out at Doc Chey's to support our PTA
- December 1 (Thursday)**
- 6:00 pm - Winter Holiday Singalong with Atlanta Young Singers



## FROM THE DESK OF THE PRINCIPAL

We had a very busy month of October filled with many fun opportunities for our students. I am looking forward to our students taking the second MAP Assessment so we can identify areas of growth and opportunity. We will share the family reports with you before the Thanksgiving break. During the month of November, it is always a time to reflect upon our blessings. I am truly thankful for our entire Hope-Hill Community for all that you do to help us put students FIRST! I hope you have a safe and restful Thanksgiving holiday!

*Maureen Wheeler*

Look who came to visit! **Freddie Falcon** was here for Falcon's Friday to remind our students to RISE UP against adversity!



Thank you for supporting the Hope-Hill PTA! We have another Dine Out this month--this time at **Doc Chey's** in Grant Park from November 28-30. We also hope you'll join us for a fun, free event to get into the holiday spirit. The **Winter Holiday Sing Along** will be December 1st at Hope-Hill. The Atlanta Young Singers will be here to lead us in some holiday favorites.

**Questions? Contact us:**  
hopehillespta@gmail.com

**Scan QR Code to join PTA**



**PTA**

**NO PARKING ON IRWIN STREET CURB**



Please be reminded of the policy in our student handbook that prohibits parking on the curb on Irwin Street. This is a **no parking zone** and violators are subject to a **ticket or tow**. If you arrive late or are checking out early, please park in a designated space in the school parking lot, or across the street in the MLK lot.

## Dine Out for Hope-Hill



**NOVEMBER 28 - 30**

Mention **HOPE-HILL** when you order lunch or dinner (in-store or online) & **25%** of your purchase will be donated to the Hope-Hill Elementary PTA! Not valid on delivery.



GRANT PARK | 563 MEMORIAL DR. | 11:30am - 9pm | 404.688.4238 | DOCCHEYS.COM

## Please join us for a Winter Holiday Sing Along

sponsored by the Hope-Hill PTA led by the Atlanta Young Singers and our own Hope-Hill Chorus!



Thursday, December 1  
6:00-7:00 pm  
In the Gym at Hope-Hill

*Fun for all ages!*

**MORE ON BACK**



# MEDIA CENTER MINUTES

Hope-Hill **Race 2 Read** Minutes as of October 31 is **134,145** minutes.

## K-1 Sequential Order

What does a pumpkin need in order to grow?

## 2-3 Sequence of Events

Students are creating a Google Slide Presentation of events that happened in the story.

## 5 Point of View

The students had to rewrite a story from a different point of view.

**Book Character Parade** was held on October 31st. Students and staff had an opportunity to dress up as their favorite book characters. Here are just a few characters we saw:



# MATH



The main focus in math number talks throughout the month of November will be **computation with addition and subtraction**. Students will be learning about the relationship between addition and subtraction. Knowing basic addition and subtraction facts will be imperative.

Any practice at home would be very helpful. Students will also apply their knowledge to solve multistep word problems. Please continue to review place value as this is a topic that we will be continually coming back to. Scan the QR Code above for some games you can make and play at home when reviewing addition and subtraction.

<https://padlet.com/latricegreen/HHParentMath>

# ELA

Did you know that November is **National Family Literacy Month**? This month, please make an additional effort to snuggle up and read aloud with your child. Perhaps your older child can read with a younger sibling. Just 15 minutes a day can make a huge difference in a child's reading development.

As our students continue to learn to read and write, much of our work will be focused on informational writing, summarizing fiction and nonfiction texts, and studying morphology (adding suffixes to change the meaning of a word).

# GO TEAM

Hope Hill Staff/Parents/Friends, the GO TEAM. Reminder these meetings are open to the public; our goal is to strengthen engagement and transparency. Join the next two to participate in our Strategic Plan. You'll learn the process used to create the plan, successes, and goals. We value your voice and need your presence. For questions, contact GoTeam Chair Donell Woodson (DWoodson1979@gmail.com) or Principal Wheeler (mtwheeler@atlanta.k12.ga.us).

- 11/03/2022 5:30p Thursday (Strategic Plan)
- 12/13/2022 4:00p Tuesday (Strategic Plan)
- 1/31/2023 5:30p Tuesday
- 2/15/2023 4:00p Wednesday
- 3/9/2023 5:30 Thursday
- 5/3/2023 4:00p Wednesday



**Walk & Roll to School** and **Trunk or Treat** were both a huge success! **Thank you** to everyone who supported these events!



# STUDENTS OF THE MONTH FOR OCTOBER

## Pre-K

**Graham-** Jude Couch  
**Trahan-** Ciceley McMutuary

## 2nd Grade

**Harper-** James Forster-Hall  
**Turner-** Whelan Heffernan  
**Williams-** Yousuf Al-Busaidi

## 4th Grade

**Orris-** Levi Lundi  
**White-** Aubrey Young

## Kindergarten

**Bennett-** Daia Luellen  
**Killebrew-** Jayla Meredith  
**Riley-** Celeste Hicks-Winn  
**Smith-** Parker Logan

## 3rd Grade

**Ellis-** Josiah Schloss  
**Holmes-** Kamyron Williams  
**Taylor-** Naomi Wu

## 5th Grade

**Currie-** Luna Carr  
**Spragin-** Imani Fluker  
**Watkins-** Evan Ward

## 1st Grade

**Anderson-** Bayero Barry  
**Callender-** Montserrat Rodriguez-Solis  
**Dorsey-** Quinlan Henderson  
**Fries-** Jeremy Maganda  
**Roberson-** Connery Heath



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