



Why Wait, When You Can Grab and Go?

What a great, healthy-looking lunch! Food service has now implemented a convenient Grab and Go lunch that consists of a sandwich with topping and a bag of chips. This will eliminate a long line while trying to make a decision of choice. Every three months the choice of meat changes. The students love that their lunch is contained in one package.



Get Your Wildcat Collectible Ornaments Before They're Gone!

[The Wildcat Market-Place](#) is selling three different keepsake ornaments featuring the FCPS shield or the Fayette-Ware Wildcat. [You can use the new forms found here](#) to order ornaments through Dec. 21. Please visit Christi Holland at the CCTE front desk to be connected with Dr. Charlene Wooldridge directly to place your order.



A Season of Fun

The Carl Perkins Center hosts an annual Festival of Trees. The Festival of Trees is opened to the community to decorate and display a tree, at a small fee. All proceeds will benefit the children at the Exchange Club-Carl Perkins Center for the prevention of child abuse. During the Festival of Trees, students can pay to vote on their favorite tree and also participate in arts and crafts. The Festival of Trees is normally opened to the public for two weeks.





¡Feliz Navidad! Southwest Elementary Students explore holiday traditions from around the world in Spanish class

Spanish class at the Eagle's nest takes students on classroom adventures through Latin America as the holidays draw near. Grades 1-5 learn to speak new Spanish words each lesson, create colorful art projects and listen to exciting new music. While studying the country of Brazil, students learned to say Feliz Navidad, which means Merry Christmas.



TN Compass Update

Audience: Certified Teachers

Please check your TN Compass account to update your address and email. If you have moved, please edit and change your address. You may also change the email they have on file to your personal email if you prefer. Also, if you have a teaching license that expires on Aug. 31, 2019, please go ahead and take steps to renew your license. Those individuals who hold a practitioner's license or an out of state license need to immediately check to make sure they have completed all the requirements to renew or advance. All certified teachers have a TN Compass account.



Oakland Elementary Stars Host 'Family STEM Night'

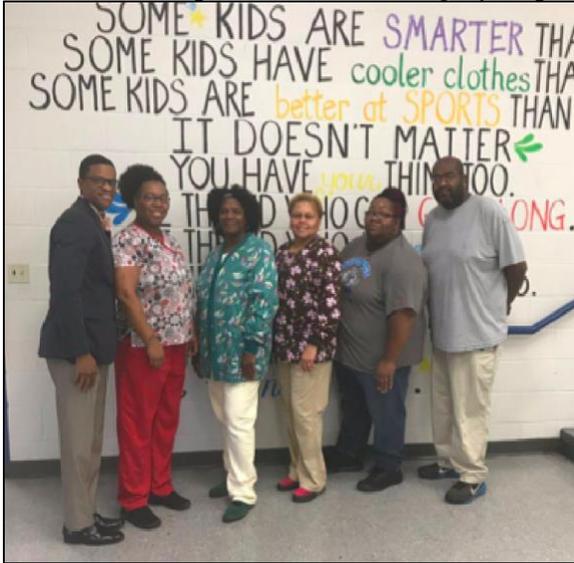
Oakland families packed the house Thursday night as Science, Technology, Engineering and Math brought families together to build towers, fly planes, and make snowflakes. Family fun was had by all as students, families and teachers returned to school after hours with a passion for learning. Oakland students also explore STEM strategies throughout the school year in classrooms.





Special Delivery!

The cafe' staffs at both East and West Junior High Schools were delighted with a recent surprise visit from Dr. Marlon King. Leaving tokens of his appreciation for their tireless dedication and services, the superintendent left highly impressed with the on-the-job efforts of these teams.



FWCHS Theatre Department Brings to Life A Christmas Carol

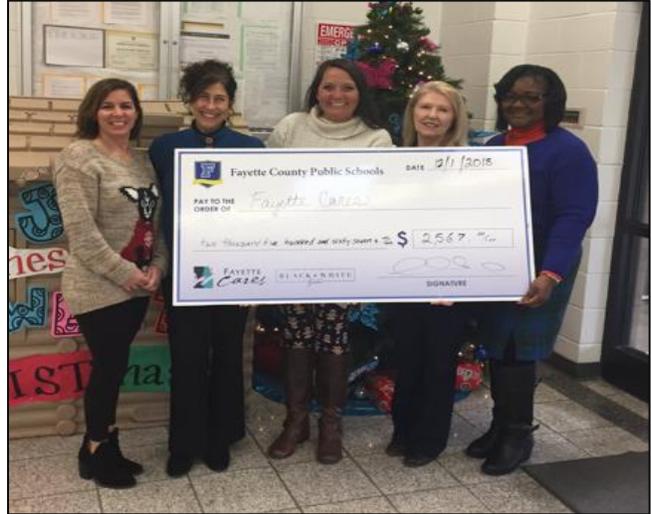
FWCHS put on a production of *A Christmas Carol* by Charles Dickens December 6th, 7th, and 8th. This is the first FWCHS production in over a decade. The cast and crew started production seven weeks prior to the first showing. The set was constructed by FWCHS construction students and painted by Senior Drew Duke. Several community businesses showed their support, BancorpSouth, Town of Somerville, Ace Hardware of Oakland, Porter Paint, and Fayette Lumber. Community churches also showed their support, Fayette Baptist, Hickory Withe Baptist, and Victory Life all made donations. The production came together beautifully; audiences were delightfully entertained.





Two Paths: One Goal.

Shout out to the students, parents, faculties and all staff members of both East and West Jr. High Schools! As a result of their giving-spirits, these schools joined the rest of the Fayette County Public School System in providing generous, timely donations to Fayette Cares. Thank you to everyone who contributed, helping to prove once again that community-partnerships matter.



College Career Technical Education - CCTE Internet and Cabling Honors Students Keeping the Information Superhighway Going

Internet and cabling honors students are able to get real hands-on, work-based training at Fayette Ware's College and Career Technical Education Academy. These students lend a hand to IT by digging in and pulling cables to keep things moving. These students wired the Distance Learning Lab at FWCHS, as well as the 9th Grade Academy Lab. They also built all of the CCTE labs and ran all of the wiring for the offices in CCTE.





West Tennessee All Star Football Game, South Defeats North 14-3

On Friday, December 7th, USJ hosted the West Tennessee All Star Football Game full of talent from high school seniors selected from all over West TN. Fayette Ware and Fayette County can be proud that our representatives did us proud for the South team. Trenton Hubbard was our only selectee this year but he played well and made some really big plays. Our coaches, Head Coach Michael Hodum and Assistant Coach Jordan Laxton, were also part of the South team and did a great job coaching. "Coach Laxton, coaching defense was able to nearly shut out the North team, allowing them only 3 points," said Coach Hodum. Great job coaches, great job Trenton and all those players that participated this year!



East Bulldogs Travel to Lakeland and Get the Sweep!

Monday, December 10th, was another thrilling night of basketball for Fayette County, especially if you were watching the East Jr High basketball teams. The Bulldogs played at Lakeland Middle School and had some great games. First up, the Lady Bulldogs took on the Lady Lions but proved too much for them as the Bulldogs led the whole game and won 48-23. Then the boys took the court with aspirations of doing the same. However, the Lion Boys were much more of a match than the ladies and took the lead immediately. Bulldog boys would get close but could never get a lead in the first half, trailing by 3 at half time. Coach Smith made a couple of slight adjustments, gave the boys some encouraging words and the 2nd half was almost a completely different game. Bulldog boys came out on fire and after an exhilarating final 2 minutes, Bulldog boys defeated Lakeland 45-42. East completing the sweep of Lakeland! Great job girls and boys and to Coach Walker and Coach Smith.





Wildcat JV Boys Defeat Wooddale JV on the Road!

Fayette Ware Junior Varsity boys traveled to Memphis on Wednesday, December 5th to take on the Wooddale JV Cardinals. First half was an up tempo battle that went back and forth but Wildcats had a 5 point lead at the half 26-21. Second half was just as fast pace and very exciting! The Cardinals kept fighting and would not let the Wildcats pull away any further however, the Wildcats would not relinquish the lead. JV Wildcat boys defeated Wooddale Cardinals 62-54.

