Hawk Talk – Wednesday, February 12, 2020

Students: This is a reminder that we do not allow balloons, flowers, candy, stuffed animals, etc. at school. This rule applies even on Valentine's Day and birthdays. Please do not bring them to school or they will be confiscated. We do not accept deliveries for students and if something is delivered to the school, it will be declined and returned.

Students: In order to attend activities, students must be in attendance at school on the day of the activity. For example, if a student is absent on the day of the dance, the student will not be allowed at the dance. This also includes participating in sports or attending sporting events. This can be found on the bottom of page 7 in the student planner.

Students: Please remember that lotions, perfume or cologne sprays, glass bottles, etc. are not allowed on campus and will be confiscated. Also, please be mindful of using scented sprays, deodorants, or lotions. They are not to have any strong scent, as this may be distracting or affect others' allergies.

Basketball: Congratulations to our 6th/7th grade girls' basketball team on winning their quarterfinal showdown with Joe Walker yesterday at the championship tournament. Our girls won 28-19 behind 16 points from Taylor Ballew and 7 from Janae Gastelum. The 8th grade boys fought hard but came up just short in an overtime loss to Anaverde Hills 52-56 with Kris Horton scoring 22 points, Eddie Cisneros 11 and Luke Manzano 10. Our 8th grade girls lost to Endeavour 19-48 with Joy Carr scoring 9 points. The 6th/7th grade boys went down to David G. Millen 24-42 with Alex Asmar and Tobi Akinsete each scoring 5 points. Good job teams! The tournament continues after school today with our 6th/7th grade girls going up against # 1 seed David G. Millen at 2:30 over at Piute MS. Good luck girls! GO HAWKS!!!!

Mathletes: Did you know that Hillview has the top Mathlete TEAMS in the Antelope Valley? See if you have what it takes to be called a HILLVIEW Mathlete!! Tryouts will be held AT LUNCH (or advisory if you get a pass from the coach) Wednesday, Thursday and Friday next week (Feb 19, 20, 21) in the following classes: <u>6th grade</u>: Mrs. Jones' room 118. <u>7th grade</u>: Mrs. Faulk's room 105 and <u>8th grade</u> tryouts in Mr. Oman's room 109!! If you have questions- ask your advisory teacher for a pass to go talk to the Coach. Get out your planner and write a reminder to tryout so you DON'T forget!! The coaches hope to see a lot of potential and returning MATHLETES next week!! GO HAWKS!!

Washington DC: Any 8th grader that is going on the Washington DC trip, there will be a meeting in room 106 on Friday during Advisory. If you have not gotten your grades turned in, bring them to the meeting.

Calling all girls: Are you interested in Science, Technology, Engineering and Math? Then, YOU are invited to STEM Day at Northrop Grumman Thursday, February 20th. There is no cost to you and lunch will be provided. We will be leaving Hillview around 9:30 and returning around 12:00. You will have an opportunity to listen to female engineers, participate in hands on activities and tour their facility. This is a very special opportunity and you are encouraged to participate. Spots are limited so if interested, don't delay and pick up a permission slip from the front office as soon as possible. Don't be left out on this great opportunity!

Inclusion Basketball: Inclusion Sports League for Basketball will be starting on February 25th for peer coaches and 27th for athletes. Mrs. Breschi and Mrs. Conklin will be visiting advisory classrooms to hand out fliers. Fliers will also be in the office. Signed fliers and medical authorizations need to be turned in to either Mrs. Breschi in room 104, Mrs. Conklin in room 101, or the office.

Hawks: ASB Spirit day is Friday in honor of Valentine's Day, wear your red or pink!

As we continue with Black History Month, how many of you know about the remarkable contributions of Benjamin Bradley? Mr. Bradley was born around 1830 as a slave in Maryland. He was able to read and write, although at the time it was illegal for a slave to do so. He was put to work in a printing office and at the age of 16 began working with scrap he found, modeling it into a small ship. Eventually, with an intuitiveness that seemed far beyond him, he improved on his creation until he had built a working steam engine, made from a piece of a gun-barrel, pewter, pieces of round steel and some nearby junk. Those around him were so astounded by his high level of intelligence that he was placed in a new job, this time at the United States Naval Academy in Annapolis, Maryland.

Detention 1st lunch – Room 509 2nd lunch – Room 512

