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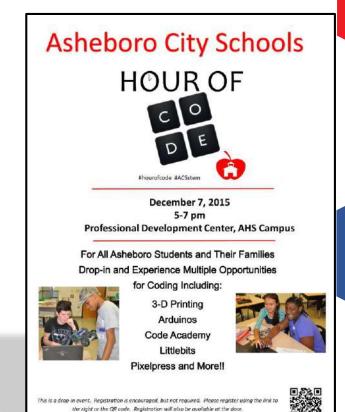
### Superintendent's Reading Challenge November Totals

November totals have been calculated for the Superintendent's Reading Challenge! We have reached **16 percent of our goal** of 100,000 books! Stellar remarks go to **CWM and GBT**, both of which read more than 5,000 books during the month of November! \*Totals as of Dec. 4, 2015.

School	# of Student Books	# of Staff Books	
AHS	1,361	70	
BAL	0	0	
CO	0	26*	
LP	224*	3*	
DLL	990	47	
CWM	7,325*	161*	
NAMS	784	7	
SAMS	420	48	
GBT	5,181	76	
Parents	0	80	

### We'll See You at HOUR OF CODE Tonight!

You're invited to Asheboro City Schools Hour of Code event! Hour of Code will take place tonight from 5-7 p.m. at the Professional Development Center at Asheboro High School. Hour of Code is a global campaign focusing on a one-hour introduction to computer science. The event is designed to demystify code and show that anybody can learn the basics. This will be an exciting and educational learning opportunity for students as young as third grade, all the way up to seniors in high school. We look forward to seeing you there!



# Nic Coe Chooses Auburn University

Last weekend, AHS football and wrestling star, Nic Coe visited Auburn University. He and Coaches George, Masterson, Dowdy, and Brewer attended an Auburn football game and after seeing the team and coaches in action, Nic verbally committed to playing football at Auburn University next year.



# NAMS Cheerleaders Give Back on Thanksgiving

On Thanksgiving day, cheerleaders from North Asheboro Middle School did more than eat with their families and friends. They visited with individuals at Randolph Rehabilitation Center in Asheboro. Individuals at the RRC were excited to have the bubbly cheerleaders visit with them.

# ACS Nurse Team Participates in Strategic National Stockpile Exercise

The Asheboro City Schools school nurse team participated in the Strategic National Stockpile Exercise held at Randolph Community College on Thursday, December 3rd. The program was a multiagency exercise designed by the Randolph County Health Department to help agencies and individuals prepare in case of a health crisis or emergency in Randolph County.



# DECA Students Volunteer for Teachey Tiger Time



### **AHS Athletics for This Week**

#### Tuesday, December 8

5:00 PM Girls Junior Varsity Basketball Southeast Guilford High School **Home** 6:00PM Girls Varsity Basketball Southeast Guilford High School **Away** 6:30 PM Boys Junior Varsity Basketball Southeast Guilford High School **Home** 7:30PM Boys Varsity Basketball Southeast Guilford High School **Away** 

#### Wednesday, December 9

5:00 PM Girls Junior Varsity Basketball High Point Central High School Away 6:00PM Girls Varsity Basketball High Point Central High School Home 6:30 PM Boys Junior Varsity Basketball High Point Central High School Away 7:30PM Boys Varsity Basketball High Point Central High School Home

#### Thursday, December 10

4:00 PM Coed Varsity Swimming North Forsyth High School Home

#### Friday, December 11

5:00 PM Girls Junior Varsity Basketball Randleman High School Away 6:00PM Girls Varsity Basketball Randleman High School Home 6:00PM Boys Varsity Wrestling Southwestern Randolph High Home 6:30 PM Boys Junior Varsity Basketball Randleman High School Away 7:30PM Boys Varsity Basketball Randleman High School Home

#### Saturday, December 12

9:00AM Boys Varsity Wrestling OPEN DATE *My Randolph Sports Classic@SWR* Away



## **Congrats Alexa Sandoval**

Congratulations Alexa Sandoval from Balfour Elementary School. Miss Sandoval, under the direction of first-year art teacher Meredith Smith, won the Superintendent's Holiday Card Competition. We appreciate her sharing her artistic abilities with us! Way to go Alexa!

### **SAT/ACT Words:**

Imprimatur: sanction or approval Etymology: study of words & phrases

Paragon: a model of excellence or perfection

#### **READING COMPREHENSION:**

Critique: a written assessment or review of someone's work.

#### Word of the Week:

Colligate: to bind, unite, or group together; to become a member of a group

### Other Events this Week

**Monday, December 7** – Hour of Code, PDC from 5-7 p.m. and SAMS Band Concert at 7:30 p.m. in the AHS Performing Arts Center.

**Tuesday, December 8** – NAMS Band Concert at 7:30 p.m. in the AHS Performing Arts Center.

**Wednesday, December 9 –** Senior Holiday Lunch at Donna Lee Loflin from 12-2 p.m. Lunch will be served in the multipurpose room.

**Friday, December 11 – PTEC** Annual Meeting and Christmas on Sunset in downtown Asheboro.

# Laura Holland Earns National Board Certification

After many days and nights of dedication, hard work, and a little frustration – Laura Holland's efforts have finally paid off!
Laura has officially earned National Board Certification. She is now part of the elite top three percent of teachers in the United States who are National Board Certified. Laura will be recognized at the January Asheboro City Schools Board of Education Meeting! Way to Laura!



### And in Other News...

Caroline Rush, IF from Lindley Park, welcomed to the world Elizabeth Jean on Monday, November 30th. Both mommy and baby are happy and healthy! Congrats to the Rush family!