

# Nemo Vista Middle & High School Weekly Newsletter

**Mrs. McLaughlin's Yearbook...** Your casual senior pictures are due by January 15. Every senior should submit one to Mrs. McLaughlin. If you haven't paid for your senior page you need to do so at this time or see Mrs. McLaughlin.

All yearbook order forms have been mailed, and parents should expect bills from Jostens to arrive in the mail throughout the year.

**Coaches' Corner...** Upcoming basketball games:

12/10	@Clinton	7 <sup>th</sup> grade Jamboree	
12/13	Shirley	JR.Girls & Seniors	5:30
12/15	Southside	JR.Girls & Seniors	5:30
12/16	@Quitman	JR.Boys & Seniors	5:00

Softball: Practice starts back in January. The 1<sup>st</sup> game is March 8<sup>th</sup>.

Volleyball players need to turn in uniforms before Christmas break.

**Counselor's Corner...** ACT – December 10 will be given here at Nemo Vista. The deadline for the February 11<sup>th</sup> ACT is January 13<sup>th</sup>.

Deadline January 1<sup>st</sup>, scholarship for Agri majors or wildlife management.

Farm Bureau Scholarship for families who are majoring in agri.

Seniors will need to start doing financial aid at the first of the year. They will also need to turn in copies of scholarship offers.

Literacy exam will be in March.

Schedule changes will be made after Christmas break.

**Mrs. McVey's GT...** Please remember to bring your two Christmas decorations by next week. Special thanks to Gail Eller for her generous effort and the cute cards.

**Mr. Collard's FFA...** Big Buck Classic is January 27<sup>th</sup>. Ice Cream freeze and dessert bakeoff will be January 19<sup>th</sup>.

**Mrs. Roberts Upward Bound...** Upward Bound Christmas Party December 10<sup>th</sup>; any students attending please bring drinks.

**FBLA...** If you are interested in participating in any events in the Spring Conference, contact Mrs. Boren.

**FCA...** Meet Wednesday mornings at 7:45; everyone is welcome.

**C** hrist, the Son of God, who lived and died to show us God's love.

**H** ope, which we have in Christ, to face each day's trials.

**R** essurrection, which assures us the Christ lives today.

**I** mmanuel, "God with us," who will never leave or forsake us.

**S** tar, which shone bright to remind us that Christ is the light of the world.

**T** he symbol of the cross, which is an undeniable part of the Christmas story.

**Beta...** Needs to turn in sucker money, and bring any leftover suckers to Mrs. Mahan if you need help selling them.

**Student Council...** Homecoming has been changed to Thursday, January 5<sup>th</sup>. Homecoming t-shirts and hoodies are one sale. Order forms are available in the office. These forms are due by December 9.

**Library Club...** Please help encourage your child to increase his/her vocabulary. The best way to do this is READ! READ! READ! There is a contest going on at NVHS and NVHS. Ms. Pierce is obtaining all kinds of reading materials for our students including Kindles and uploads for them. We need all the help we can get to impress the importance of reading to our students. Thanks for all your supports.

**Carr...** Choir will be performing a Christmas program at the Conway & Morrilton nursing homes December 14<sup>th</sup>.

**Tutoring will be offered during the 2nd & 3rd nine weeks in the library. Mrs. McLaughlin will provide literacy tutoring, Mrs. Sinsley will provide math tutoring, and the science tutor will be announced at a later date. Tutoring will be held from 3:23 to 4:23 on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Anyone interested should**

**contact the office.**

**To be exempt students must meet the following criteria:**

- 1. Maintain an “A” and have no more than 5 absences per term.**
- 2. Maintain a “B” and have no more than 4 absences per term.**

**Semester Test schedule**

**Thursday, December 15<sup>th</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> period**

**Friday, December 16<sup>th</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> period**

**Monday, December 19<sup>th</sup> – 2<sup>nd</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> period**

**Tuesday, December 20<sup>th</sup> - 1<sup>st</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> period**