The Holmes A-Squad Wrestlers did some outstanding wrestling this in the School District #11 City Championships, held downtown at the Palmer High Gymnasium, November 5th. Wrestlers worked several of their different moves they learned over the season, tied some of their opponents in knots, and created overall havoc on the matt. It was an electrifying TEAM effort! It came down to a matter of just a few points in taking the overall Team championship and bringing the title back here to the Hawksnest! However, the Hawks placed 2nd to our eastside rival, the Jaguars of Jenkins. You are probably curious about how the Hawks finished in their individual weight classes. Let’s examine this next! Our Hawks made the podium in every single weight class!

**Championship Matches:**
- 75 lb 1st Place Karl Leisher
- 85 lb 2nd Place Samuel Wilshusen
- 100 lb 1st Place Bella Arellano-Gandy
- 105 lb 2nd Place Angel Salgado
- 110 lb 1st Place Samuel Kelley
- 120 lb 2nd Place Griffin Lloyd
- 125 lb 1st Place Keen Walter
- 135 lb 2nd Place Hank Kelley
- 165 lb 1st Place Alex Pargas

**Consolation Matches:**
- 80 lb 3rd Place Cooper Oursler
- 90 lb 4th Place Steven Neilson
- 95 lb 4th Place Xavier Rodriguez
- 115 lb 4th Place Eastyn Gutowski
- 145 lb 3rd Place Ethan McCully
- 155 lb 3rd Place Alex Makin
- 180 lb 4th Place Harley Coulter
- 200 lb 3rd Place Braddock Hunt
- Heavyweight 3rd Place Nicandro Vazquez

Thanks Wrestlers, Families, Holmes Staff and Student Body, and the Holmes Community for a great Wrestling Season!
PE HAWK OF THE WEEK

8th grader
Derek Henderson

Week of 11/18/22

6th grader
Liam Farraher

Week of 12/9/22

7th grader
Leilani Fusco-Kelly

6th grader
Bailey Green
Student Shadowing at HOLMES MIDDLE SCHOOL

Home of the Hawks!

ATTENTION 5TH GRADE STUDENTS AND FAMILIES!

HOLMES WILL HOLD STUDENT SHADOW DAYS EVERY TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY THROUGH APRIL 30, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF APRIL 11 TO APRIL 19, DUE TO CMAS TESTING.

Shadowing slots are limited each day. To reserve a spot, call the front office at 719.328.3811.

WHAT TO EXPECT: ON YOUR CHILD’S SCHEDULED SHADOW DAY, YOU WILL SIGN THE STUDENT IN AT THE MAIN OFFICE BETWEEN 8:15 & 8:35. YOUR STUDENT WILL RECEIVE A TEMPORARY I.D. THEY MUST WEAR VISIBLY ALL DAY. YOUR STUDENT WILL BE ASSIGNED ONE OR MORE STUDENT AMBASSADORS TO EXPERIENCE A DAY AT HOLMES MIDDLE SCHOOL. LUNCH WILL BE PROVIDED, OR YOUR STUDENT MAY PACK A LUNCH. ALL SHADOWING STUDENTS MUST BE PICKED UP BY 4:00 P.M.
Landry Frost nominated by Mrs. Abernethy
Abigail Joiner nominated by Ms. Ashley
Ayden Norris nominated by Ms. Bigley
Marlayna Williams nominated by Ms. Bigley
Ariadne Ortega nominated by Ms. Bigley
Isolda Ingram nominated by Ms. Brown
Ethan Hulett nominated by Mr. Combs
Riley Ingram nominated by Ms. Coszalter
Katelyn Jones nominated by Mr. Elies
Makhi Bunyon nominated by Mrs. Farraher
Brenna Zook nominated by Mrs. Gauck
Daniel Brush nominated by Mrs. Gauck
Perrin Stanley nominated by Mrs. Gauck
Logan Belfor nominated by Ms. Gilbert/Ms. Rochelle
Lydia Schauer nominated by Ms. Gilbert/Ms. Rochelle
Gemma Herrera nominated by Mrs. Jurekovic
Jaden Mockerman-Manohar nominated by Mrs. Jurekovic
Nikolaus Martinez nominated by Mrs. Jurekovic
Karina Jarboe nominated by Mr. Keilman
Opal Selvig nominated by Ms. Kronser-Cole
Kinley Hudson nominated by Mrs. Makin
Cayden Kroto-Boone nominated by Ms. Phillips
Lacie Rasnake nominated by Mr. Rienks
Skylar Corbett nominated by Mr. Rienks
Ethan McCully nominated by Mr. Romine
Zadie Quon nominated by Mr. Tucker
Evelyn Tilton nominated by Mr. Urbanski
Samuel Kelley nominated by Mr. Wilshusen
Eliana Moore nominated by Mr. Wilshusen
Alexi Arnell nominated by Mr. Wilshusen
2022 Holmes PTA

Holiday Giving

W = Walmart (30) (20)
A = Amazon (16) (2)

In the spirit of the season, could you donate a $25 Walmart GC to help families purchase gifts for their Holmes students?

If you can help, please bring gift cards to Laura Kelley at Holmes by Monday, December 12th.

Your generosity is very much appreciated!

Thank you to those who have already donated!

As you can see from our Giving Tree, we are still in need of many Walmart GCs in order to fulfill the holiday wishes of the 45 kids on our list.

If you are able, please donate a $25 Walmart GC this season!

Wishing you Joyful Holidays!
Dear Athlete and Parents:

Basketball tryouts begin Thursday, January 5th. We will do two cuts and strive to have the team picked by Monday, January 9th. Before trying out each player must have on file an up-to-date physical form with parent permission and a blue emergency card. Any student without a physical by January 5th will not be allowed to try out. This is a district policy.

Tryout Schedule (Attendance is REQUIRED on all days)

Any exceptions must be made through the coaches prior to Wednesday, January 5th

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The first area in which all students and parents should be aware, is the time commitment involved in competitive teams. Practices are every day and daily attendance is required.

We ask that all players come no earlier than 10 minutes before their practice time and all rides are waiting at the end of practice.

Please bring your own water bottle.

There is an athletic fee of $50.00, $33.00 or $17.00 for those boys making the basketball team. Holmes will have two teams made up of 10-12 athletes each.

All tryouts will be for the coaches and players only. We ask that there be no parents or friends in the gym. This will eliminate distractions for everyone.

More information will be coming for those students who make the team.