October 2023 National Honor Society Agenda

Date - Thursday, October 5, 2023 --- 1:30pm

<u>NHS Website - http://laneynhs.weebly.com</u> (this site will be updated soon)

Remind Code -Text @laney2023 to 81010

<u>Meetings</u> - will be held the first **THURSDAY**) of each month. Meetings will be held in the media center during flex (1:25-2:05). Attendance is always taken, and if you miss more than 3 meetings (regardless of the reasons - there are no "excused" absences), you will have to make up one hour of assignment service time for every missed meeting.

****CFCC Meeting Conflicts:** If you have a Cape Fear class that prevents you from attending our meetings during Flex, please send Ms. Woodbury a picture of your schedule and plan to meet in room 140 at the beginning of Flex on the Friday following our meeting.

<u>Points System</u>- You need to have 20 points in total!

Members will be awarded 1 point for every 1 hour of **pre-approved** service. You can earn points through individual service, community or group based projects, or through tutoring other students (as long as the student is not related to you). Each member will also be awarded ½ a **point for each attended meeting** (you must be on time!). **Five points** must be completed by December 15th or you will be put on Probation and potentially dismissed from NHS.

Tutoring (at least 5 points): If you are tutoring a high school student, you must get a teacher or counselor's approval/request along with Ms. Woodbury's prior approval (unless assigned by Grantt). This tutoring must be done at school in a teacher's room or the library. *Tutoring an elementary or middle school student does not require pre-approval; a parent or teacher verification will suffice.* Tutoring elementary and middle school students is great, but you may NOT tutor a sibling! Options for tutoring high school students will be available most Thursdays during Flex. Please contact Grantt with any tutoring questions. This is the form: <u>NHS Tutoring Form</u>

Blair elementary needs tutoring assistance, or rather "reading to first graders." Please use this link to sign up. This will count as tutoring hours! At this point, we only need to know if you have first block free and are available to go at 8:00am.

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1dda9-M98OoPPnMgEjMifLQ0viynZoaxfm7zkpWoL6yA/edit?ts=6514 7645

Group Service Projects (at least 1 is required) - Information & signups will be sent out via Remind and



announced at monthly meetings about these group service opportunities. These are always fun to do as a group!! You do not need to fill out forms to do these but you do need to sign up on the Google sign up forms which will be sent out for these each month.

October Group Project: Poplar Grove Fall Festival - Sunday, October 29th, 10-4

We will be assisting in the Poplar Grove Fall Festival by splitting up into groups and working different stations such as carnival games, helping with decorations, assisting in tours, and any other areas that need our help. Should be super fun and entertaining. The shifts will be from 10-1 and 1-4. A Google sign up form will be sent out shortly via Remind.

Individual Service Projects (must be pre-approved) - Every individual project that is not already listed on the form MUST be PRE-APPROVED and signed by Ms. Woodbury or Jack **before** you volunteer. Examples of pre-approved projects listed on the form are Nourish NC, Feeding the Homeless at First Baptist, Triathlons/Marathons, Habitat/Restore, and Teen Court.

This is the form: Corignal_23-24_NHS Service Form.docx (make sure you are in your NHCS email to access the form!) Completed forms should be turned into Ms Woodbury in room 140, turned in at the meetings or emailed to Bailey: <u>Bailey.willard@student.nhcs.net</u>

Due Bills: All NHS Dues are now available in your School Cash Online accounts - The same system you used to pay for your parking passes - Dues must be paid by **December 15th** School Cash Online: https://www.schoolcashonline.com/

Next meeting will be Thursday, November 2nd at 1:25pm (during FLEX) in the Media Center.

--- Future meeting dates: December 7th (1:30 - during Flex) January 4th (1:30 - during Flex) February 1st (1:30 - during Flex) March 7th (1:30 - during Flex) April 11th (1:30 - during Flex) May 2nd (1:30 - during Flex)