



THE TERRIERS' GROW

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NEWSLINE

•Semester Exam schedule is as follows: Early release days are Dec. 20, 21, 22. Exams are Wed. Dec. 20 Blocks 1 & 3, Thurs. Dec. 21 Blocks 2 & 4. Exams will NOT be given earlier than the scheduled day and time. Exam make-up day is Fri. Dec. 22 and the student's responsibility. A grade of "F" will be issued until the exam is taken. •Yearbooks can be purchased online for \$75 until Dec. 31, all ONLINE sales will end Jan. 28, website is www.yearbookforever.com. Price will increase to \$85 second semester Jan. - March. On campus sales occur in room 10-103. •SAVE THE DATE: Graduation for Class of 2024 will be held Tues. May 21 at 7pm admission by ticket only.

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Top Left: Homecoming royalty King Grayson James, Queen Violet Dobbs, Prince Quinton Speed, and Princess Brianna Edmonds and court attendants that are daughters of teach Alaina Bradley. Court members were introduced with their family members escorting them across the field at half time. Senior representatives: Shivani Modha, Dakari Pickens, Fiona Shaw, Santiago Fernandez, Antonio Lopez, Xzhariya Henderson. Junior Representatives: Amari Albert, Madelyn Spencer. Sophomore Representatives: Eric Echols, Emma Adair. Prince & Princess Representatives: Chloe Snead, William Staley, Freshmen Representatives: Grace Barraza, and Jackson Hanson.

What in the World?

Orlando International Airport (MCO) could run out of fuel by Sunday night
FAA warning about low fuel, could mean tough days ahead for travelers

Brevard Public Schools working on developing a new discipline policy
Change needed to address disruptive, dangerous behaviors causing fac/staff exodus

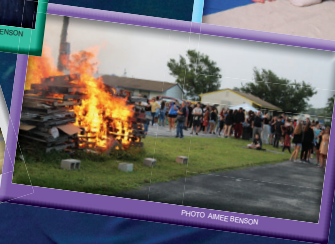
SpaceX launches private mission to moon on Sunday Dec. 11
Robotic moon lander and NASA's Lunar Flashlight will search out signs of ice

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CURRENT EVENTS

Terriers experience a week of....

A Night in Pandora



The Homecoming dance was held in the gymnasium on Oct. 7. Student Government participants decorated the gym and HOPE room under the supervision of new sponsor Katie Rios. The lights, colors and unusual looking trees added to special ambience of the evening. Spirit week activities led up to the special night with dress-up days, pep rally, bonfire, a pie-in-the-face event at lunch time, and finally the football game with Homecoming Court.

SPORTS

Six teams advance to Post-Season play

Trieters were happy this fall watching 3 teams and 7 individuals advance to post-season play during the fall sports season. This many teams earning advancement in the same season hasn't happened in a long time for Titusville H.S. Boys' Swim, girls' bowling both advanced the entire teams to the State play offs and the football team advanced to Regional play offs. Girls' swim advanced 400 free relay team of Kaylee Thornton, Abigail Houle, Samantha Fisher and Abigail Hightower, and boys' bowling advanced one individual James McGill to the State tournament. Boys' cross-country advanced one individual Joshua Marrero to the State meet. Additionally, the boys' swim team set three new school records at the State meet.



PHOTO COURTESY OF TASHA KREMER
The Boys' Swim team poses with their Cape Coast Conference Championship trophy after the meet. Coach Natasha Kremer holds the trophy with her team and assistant coach David Benson.



PHOTO COURTESY OF DSP
Freshman James McGill slings the ball down the lane. McGill was the only male bowler to qualify for the State tourney.

Swim Team Results:

Cape Coast Conference - boys 1st place, girls 4th place
District Meet - boys 1st place (Champs), girls 3rd place
Regional Meet - boys 1st place, girls 5th place
State Meet - boys 6th place, girls 4th place
Individually 1 school record in 50 free by Brayden Hunt
Relays 2 school records, 200 Medley Relay by Hayden Lester, Gavin Gumieny, Killian Coy, Brayden Hunt, and 200 Free Relay with Brayden Hunt, Killian Coy, Jaxson Brookshier, and Matthew Mahony.

Coaches- Natasha Kremer (CCC Coach of the Year), Crissy Caswell, Kelly Frederick, David Benson

Toughest Opponent- Satellite

Stats most proud of- High percentage of scholar athletes on the team.



PHOTO BY JOHANNA BUNGE
The girls' bowling team advanced all the way to State tournament this year and brought home a 9th place finish. This was the best results the team has earned in several years.

Bowling Results:

Cape Coast Conference - boys and girls entered tourney as second seeds. Brooke Meadows finished in 10th place in the whole conference by shooting a 572. Alayna Edwards shot 543, Alexis Meadows shot 520 and Maya McKay 512. Boys placed 7th, Girls placed 4th

District Meet- Girls 2nd place/runner up, Boys 4th
State Meet- Girls' entire team advanced to State. Boys' had an individual advance to State: freshman James McGill. Girls team placed 9th at State Tournament.

Coaches- Heather Heineman, Assistants Glynn Parrish and Randy Sultzbaugh

Toughest Opponent- Space Coast (Girls), Edgewood (Boys)

Stats most proud of- Girls made it the deepest they have in three years. Boys, Joey Gardner finished in 6th place in the Conference after throwing a near perfect game of 278. Kegan Hamilton bowled a perfect 300 during the season. Stand out players for both teams were: Corah Whitney, Alayna Edwards, Justin Osheim, Edrick Colon.



PHOTO COURTESY OF DSP
The varsity football team poses for their official team photo with the coaching staff in August. The team advanced all the way to the Regional level, with their season ending with a 3rd place finish, improving their results over last season.

Football Results:

Cape Coast Conference - only conference loss to Cocoa High School

District Results- 2nd place

Regional Results- 3rd place

State Results- 108th in State

Coaches- John Holmes (Head Coach), Assistant coaches: Nick Roberts, Maurice Harvey, Ivan Mitchell, Scott Vite, Brandon Wiggins, AG Gardner

Toughest Opponent- Cocoa loss 28-3

Stats most proud of- Fumble recovery by freshman DJ Jenkins.

Acolades- Team won the Hudson Trophy and U.S. #1 Trophy two years in a row. Kicker Dean Roberts was voted Central Florida Kicker of the Year in the Orlando Sentinel newspaper.

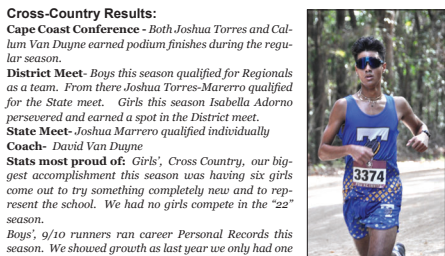


PHOTO COURTESY OF DSP
Senior Joshua Marrero rounds the curve at the FSU invite in Tallahassee. Marrero was a returner to the team. Marrero also runs track, performing in the events: 800, mile, and 4 x 400 relay.

Cross-Country Results:

Cape Coast Conference - Both Joshua Torres and Calum Van Dwyne earned podium finishes during the regular season.

District Meet- Boys this season qualified for Regionals as a team. From there Joshua Torres-Marrero qualified for the State meet. Girls this season Isabella Adorno persevered and earned a spot in the District meet.

State Meet- Joshua Marrero qualified individually

Coach- David Van Dwyne
Stats most proud of: Girls', Cross Country, our biggest accomplishment this season was having six girls come out to try something completely new and to represent the school. We had no girls compete in the '22' season.

Boys', 9/10 runners ran career Personal Records this season. We showed growth as last year we only had one runner qualify for Regionals.

Outlook for next year: We had several first year runners this season and would hope more will come out to compete next season. It would be great to continue to build both programs and have the boys qualify for states as a team.

SPORTS

Catch some Winter Sports in action



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Winter sports are underway, catch a game soon

BOYS' BASKETBALL	BOYS' SOCCER	WRESTLING	GIRLS' BASKETBALL	GIRLS' SOCCER
12/22 Fri Astronaut THS J/V/V 5:30/7pm	12/15 Fri Tohopekaliga Home J/V/V 6:00/7:30	12/16 Sat LongHorn Rotary Tournament Harmony V TBA	12/15 F Space Coast Space Coast V 6	12/18 Mon West Shore Home J/V/V 5:30/7:00
1/9 Tue Space Coast SCHS J/V/V 5:30/7pm	1/9 Tue West Shore Away J/V/V 5:30/7:00	12/16 Sat Let Freedom Ring Tournament Freedom V Girls TBA	12/19 T Flagler Palm Coast THS V 6	1/10 Wed Rockledge (C) Home J/V/V 5:30/7:00
1/12 Fri CCC Game TBD V TBD	1/11 Thu Rockledge C Away J/V/V 5:30/7:00	12/29 Fri-Sat Melbourne Quad Melbourne V/Girls TBA	1/9 T East River THS V 6	1/12 Fri McKeel Home Varsity 7:30
1/17 Wed CCC Game TBD V TBD	1/15 Mon Satellite D Home J/V/V 5:30/7:00	1/12 Fri Cocoa Dual Cocoa V/Girls 12pm	1/11 TH CCC Game TBD V TBD	1/15 Mon Eau Gallie (C) Away J/V/V 5:30/7:00
1/19 Fri CCC Game TBD V TBD	1/18 Thu NIS Placement Games Home V 6:00	1/20 Sat War Eagle Tournament Poinciana V/Girls TBA	1/19 F Merritt Island Christian THS V 6	1/17 Wed CCC Qualifier Varsity 6:00
1/22 Mon Lake Buena Vista THS V 7pm	1/25 Thu D Quarter-Finals TBD V TBD	1/27/28 Sat Viera Duals Viera V/Girls 8am	1/23 T Space Coast D THS V 5:30	1/24 Wed District Tourney TBD Varsity TBD
1/23 Tue Space Coast (Sr. NL) THS V 7pm	1/30 Tue D Semi-Finals TBD V TBD	1/31/24 Wed Astronaut Dual - SRN THS V/Girls 6pm	1/26 F Astronaut (SRN) THS V 6	
1/25 Thurs East River THS J/V/V 5:30/7pm	2/1 Thu D Final TBD V TBD	Cape Coast Conference TBA V/Girls TBA	2/1 TH Bayside THS V 6	
1/29 Mon Cocoa THS J/V/V 5:30/7pm			2/2 F Satellite THS J/V/V 5:30/7	
1/31 Wed Merritt Island MHHS J/V/V 5:30/7pm				
2/2 Fri Astronaut AHS J/V/V 5:30/7pm				

Starting Dec. 15, remaining home games will be played at Chain of Lakes park in North Titusville

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POSITIVE POINTS

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Dec. 14, 2023

THS groups participate in local Christmas parade

A stellar turnout of Titusville High School student groups helped make the local town Christmas parade feel like it was just ours.

The parade was held on Saturday evening of Dec. 9, and the route started in the THS parking lot and ended near Broad Street in downtown. The theme this year was Cowboy Christmas.

"It went faster this year, even though there were more floats," said Xzhariya Henderson, senior cheer captain.

Student groups that participated included KAROTC, Terrier Sound Marching band with their TSA group, cheerleaders, Interact Club, Anchor Club and the Best Buddies Club.

"I really liked seeing everyone and the little kids having a great time being happy, giving out candy. It was just a new and good experience for me," said Destiny Watson, ninth grade, Anchor Club and Best Buddies member.

Interact teamed up with several local Rotary Clubs, and the Best Buddies had their own float. Parade rules stated that candy cannot be thrown or tossed to viewers, so walking participants had to hand out all the candy.

"I liked seeing everybody on the sides of the road cheering and having a good time. The only bad part was carrying my drum the whole way," said Charlotte Knott, junior drum line band member.



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Chorus, band and orchestra groups put on Prism Concert, a show that never disappoints



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Friendsgiving with Best Buddies brings out the Thanksgiving in everyone participating

Best Buddies club sponsored by Kim Coachman and Jennifer Burnette held their annual Friendsgiving on November 17.

Club members, some student parents, faculty and staff members were invited to participate during their lunches. Best Buddies members, faculty and staff donated food and drinks for the event, some of the dishes included turkey, ham, stuffing, sweet potatoes, macaroni and cheese, rolls, corn bread, green bean casserole, cheesecake, pumpkin and pecan pie to name just a few.

Best Buddies members posed for a group photo that included the Jackson Middle School chapter of Best Buddies for the first time this year. Best Buddies is one of the most active and largest clubs on our campus. They often sponsor activities on Friday spirit days during all the lunches outside the cafeterias. The club president this year is Kayla Walsh.



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