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**Hello Parents and Guardians of Herndon Magnet School Students, this is Tom Thomas, Principal of Herndon Magnet School, with Herndon Highlights for the week of January 7<sup>th</sup>:**

I hope everyone had a wonderful Christmas and New Year holiday. Students return on Tuesday, January 8<sup>th</sup>. Tomorrow, January 7<sup>th</sup> is a professional development day for teachers and administrators.

The middle school boys' basketball games scheduled for tomorrow will be rescheduled for a later date.

The middle school spelling bee is Wednesday, January 9<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 PM in the auditorium.

The elementary science fair is Friday, January 11<sup>th</sup> at 8:15 AM in the auditorium.

Yearbooks are \$55.00 through Jan 30<sup>th</sup>. After January 30<sup>th</sup>, we will place the order and only a few additional will be available for purchase when we have yearbook signings in May 2019.

Magnet applications for the 2019-2020 school year are now available on the CPSB website. All applications must be submitted on-line by Friday, January 11, 2019 by 11:59 PM. If you need assistance with submitting applications, please stop by the office and Mrs. Sparaco will assist you. Please help spread the word about Herndon!

With the second semester and the third nine weeks beginning Tuesday, January 8<sup>th</sup>, I want to encourage you to have your student at school every day and on time unless they are really ill. Students must be fever free 24 hours in order to return to school. Remember, the Magnet Contract says that students will "maintain 94% or better attendance with minimal tardies and check-in/check-out."

On behalf of the PTSA, I would like to encourage you to sign up on the PTSA website at [herndonptsa.com](http://herndonptsa.com). You will receive email reminders from the PTSA about such things as activities, deadlines, and events in and out of school. You do not have to have a PTSA membership to join the website or the PTSA's Facebook page. If you haven't already, please join Herndon's PTSA website and Facebook page.

**A transcript of this call can be found at [www.herndonmagnetschool.com](http://www.herndonmagnetschool.com). Thank you and have a wonderful evening! ID #: 233836**