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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 29th:

I would like to offer a special thanks to all parents and guardians that volunteered and/or provided financial assistance in helping make Herndon's Mardi Gras Bal Masque XXIX a great success this past Friday.

Mrs. Sharon Allen has asked that 8th grade parents/guardians share Mardi Gras pictures with her that were taken on Friday, January 26th. You may email the pictures to her at sdallen@caddoschools.org.

If you were not able to purchase a Court or Krewe picture on Friday, January 26th, you may go to www.cowenstudios.com and place an order.

The School Mall fundraiser begins on Monday, January 29th. The School Mall helps to raise money for our elementary computer lab. Every year we have been able to purchase at least 10 new computers with your help. Booklets will be given to students on their PE day starting on Monday. Students and parents will fill out the post card booklet with addresses of family and friends and return the booklet to school. Thank you for your participation in this fundraiser.

Class pictures for K-5 will be taken on Thursday, February 1st. Students will wear their school uniforms for these pictures.

The Herndon Beauty Pageant is Saturday, February 3rd at the following times: K-2 10:00 AM; Grades 3-5 12:00 PM; and Grades 6-8 1:30 PM.

After school practice for the beauty pageant is Thursday, February 1st from 3:15 – 4:30 PM for grades 3-8, and Friday, February 2nd for grades K-2. Parents will need to come to the auditorium to pick up your child and stay for a quick parent meeting at 4:30 PM.

The boys' basketball teams will play at Calvary on Thursday, February 1st. The 8th grade will play at 6:00 PM and the 5th grade at 7:00 PM. They will play at home Friday, February 2nd. The 5th grade will play at 5:00 PM vs. Fairfield and the 8th grade vs. Force at 6:00 PM.

Hoops for Heart for grades 6-8 will be Friday, February 2nd at 8:15 AM.

The 8th grade Mardi Gras Parade will be Friday, Feb. 2nd and begin at 1:30 PM in the back parking lot of Herndon. This is a schoolwide event. We are asking that parents send a plastic bag with your student on Friday so they will have something to collect Mardi Gras beads and other thrown items.

Various groups will participate in the Belcher Mardi Gras Parade on Sunday, February 4th at 2:00 PM.

The Honors' Assemblies have been rescheduled for Tuesday, February 6th at the following times: 8:15 AM for 3rd-5th Grades, 9:15 AM for 1st & 2nd Grades, and 10:05 AM for middle school. We adjusted the times for the assemblies because we will also be recognizing Black History Month with some poetry and music.

You may purchase your Herndon Yearbook at school or online at Jostens.com for \$55.00.

A transcript of this call can be found at www.herndonmagnetschool.com. Thank you and have a wonderful evening! ID #: 206416