



## Anti-bullying Awareness on the Hill



January 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> the Battalion presented an Anti-bullying assembly for the student body, feeder pattern 8<sup>th</sup> graders and the community. The program has all cadets contribute to the assembly by writing and performing skills, decorating the auditorium with self make posters, and performing original poetry. The student body signed the banners as a banners after the assembly as their commitment to anti-bullying.

The keynote speaker, Nadia Gaynor, of Marion Counseling talked to student about the dangers of bullying and reinforcing the cadets depiction of the many types of bullying: cyber, physical, emotional, and verbal to name a few. She also talked to the children about support services available to the students inside the school and the community.

Dr. Gaynor is assigned to Forest Hill high, the mother of three children and a graduate of JPS, an undergraduate degree from Belhaven University then a graduate degree from Jackson State university.

Bullying is not tolerated on the Hill. It is against the school motto and not inline with the JROTC motto's of Exhibing Nothing Less Than Their Best or Motivating Other to Become Better Citizens. The over 1,400 students at Forest Hill High are spreading the word of Bullying is not cool, it hurts all involved and will not be a part of their academic environment.

## 2016 Summer Experiences

Complete your application to participate in one of several JROTC summer experiences. If you are adventures; join us at camp Shelby outside of Hattiesburg, MS from 3 to 7 June. Do you want to be in the medical field; if yes we will see you on the campus of William Carey University. All engineering or STEM related careers will get a quick look at some careers at Mississippi State University. The last two camps in Hattiesburg and Starkville, MS respectively are 6 through 10 June. The fourth experience will be held at the Jackson Police academy from 6-9 June.

The eligibility for all camps are a 2.5 grade point average, be at least a rising Sophomore, Junior or Senior, a valid physical, workout clothing, \$40.00 registration fee for JCLC . All camps require the Sr Army Instructor's recommendation. All participates' parents will attend the respective camp orientation.

**Oratorical Contest**

**Cadet of the Year  
Competition**

**Pass & Review**

**Cadet Rides**

**State Drill Meet**

**JROTC 100<sup>th</sup> Year Birthday Celebration**



## Cadet's Truth

- Lead by setting the example
- A closed fist cannot give or receive anything
- What comes easy, won't last; what last, won't come easy
- A good education is the ultimate key to a promising future
- Your Tomorrow is determined by your dedication to it Today

## Community Service: Awareness

The 2015/2016 Patriot community service project is Cancer Awareness. The cadets partnering with Central Magnolia chapter of Susan G. Komen, Inc. will learn and share information about cancer, it's effects on family members, the benefit of healthy eating and physical fitness.



## This Quarter's Highlights

### January

Parent Support meeting resume  
Drill Meet in Oxford, MS  
Anti-bullying Assembly

### February

Cadet Command – JPS assessment  
ASVAB test (ALL Jr & Soph including general school population)  
Cadet of the Year (Board & Banquet)  
Rankin County Drill Meet  
WPLEC - West Point Leadership Ethical Diversity Conference  
Robotics Workshop  
JLAB competition

### March

Spring Break  
Army – State Drill Meet  
Summer Experience Application Due: 3 March  
JCLC, STEM @ MSU & WC, VA Shadow  
JXN Police Academy, HOBY  
LET II / III Academic Ride  
ATU outing

## Parent Support Group 2016

### Yearly Schedule

The Patriot PSG will meet every third Thursday of the month from 6:00 PM until 7:00 PM.

### Fund Raiser

Chicken boxes every other month

### Remind 101

Stay informed of Battalion events by texting 81010 your name & child name [@jrotcpatr]



**Thank You Patriot!**