

# Ready... Set... Snow!

REID A. WILSON – HUNTSVILLE, AL

On Tuesday, Chamberlain-Hunt students woke up to a beautiful scene of sleet. During breakfast, the sleet turned to snow, which fell steadily from breakfast until about eleven o' clock. Much to the jubilation of the students, fourth hour classes were released thirty minutes early for a pre-lunch romp



in the snow. A few guys made snow angels [*pictured*: Anthony Bourgeois's FIRST snow angel ever!], many guys sledged down the hill (some even rolled!), but EVERYONE threw snowballs as fast as they could make them. [*pictured*: Cameron Creasman nails Ryan Goodwin with a well aimed snowball.]

However, as the day went on and the snow froze into ice, students started slipping and sliding down the stairs and down the breezeway.



The "Great Blizzard of 2014" brought a break from the routine, which, during the winter when outdoor activities are limited, is always welcome. For the most part, everyone, students and teachers alike had a great time in the snow. 🐾

## One Kick

ARRI WILLIAMS – MADISON, MS

On January 15, the Chamberlain-Hunt Soccer team battled against, and beat, Indianola Academy. At the end of the second half the score was tied 1-1, Grant Merrill scoring our only goal in regulation. After this, we went into a 20-minute overtime. At the end of that period, we were tied 2-2, with Grant scoring our only goal in overtime. We then started the first penalty kick round. Landon Ward and Ryan Goodwin made their shots, and at the end of the first PK round, the score was tied yet again. It took two more rounds to finally settle the score. Ryan, Landon, and William Wooten all made their second shots, and Jacob Leith made the game winning save. The final score was 3-2. With this win, we are 2-2 in division play and we secured a spot in the playoffs. *GO WILDCATS!* 🐾

## Can I "Braid" Your Chair?

MARCO GUERRA – SANTIAGO, CHILE

CHA offers many different clubs, one them being Furniture Repair Club (a.k.a. Upholstery Club). Scheduled every Tuesday and Thursday, the club is directed by our dear Mrs. Strawn, who is also our math teacher. Right now, we are working on three different projects: Reid Wilson and Alex Chesser are recovering matching recliners, Matthew Cormaci is changing the fabric on the Anderson's chair, and I, Marco Guerra, am braiding a chair. At this point in the second semester, The Furniture Repair Club had successfully completed one project. For my project, I needed to replace a braid (cane) on an antique chair, and with the help of a chisel, I first removed the seat cover and cleaned the frame. Then, after wetting the reeds, I let them rest for five minutes, then put a special glue around the edge of the hole and put in the new braid with new wood to help the braids stay in place. This chair is very interesting because it is a really old chair. After the work I put into it, the chair will last many more years and continue to look just as beautiful. 🐾



# Mississippi Sports Hall of Fame

JOHN HOZ – NEW ORLEANS, LA

The Sports Hall of Fame was a great place for students to learn about professional sports players from Mississippi and to have a good time. The Mississippi Sports Hall of Fame had a variety of activities such as a dodge ball simulator, a virtual sports simulator, and a big screen television to watch all of the current sporting events taking place around the U.S. Richard Gunnells had us all entertained by showing off some of his different voices in a simulator that recorded your voice and played it back as a sports reporter. We ate a good lunch from McAlister's Deli. The students really seemed to enjoy this field trip! We, the student body, would like to thank SGM Patterson for organizing this fun experience for us. (Maybe we can do something else like this soon?) 🐾

# Basketball Update

KEITH PUTNAM – MEMPHIS, TN

Here is a basketball update for all of those Chamberlain-Hunt Basketball fans. The basketball team is in the home stretch of our season with just two games left and senior night approaching. We just won our first game against Rebul Academy on the 16<sup>th</sup>, and if we can play how we played that night, we can win a few more. We were supposed to play Clinton Christian for a second time on Tuesday, but that game was postponed to Friday due to snow. Snow! Another make-up game is coming up tomorrow, on Thursday, against The Royal Ambassadors of Jackson. Coach Tolbert is organizing the first senior night that this school has seen in a while. He will hold it on the last home game of the regular season, which will probably be our make-up game against Clinton Christian School. We have to really get going if we want to make a run in the District and South State tournaments, but I know that we can if we just concentrate and focus on winning. *GO WILDCATS!* 🐾

# South Bound

CHA was in the news! In December, Ken South of WJTV Channel 12 in Jackson came and filmed a segment about the school. It aired on January 23, but if you missed it, you can still see on WJTV's website <http://bit.ly/kensouthatcha>

# Letter from the Editor

SHREVE GUTHRIE, IV – PORT GIBSON, MS

This fortnight has seen TWO snows (only one that was real), CHA's first basketball win, and a News Channel 12 piece on Chamberlain-Hunt. On Tuesday morning, my car wouldn't even start because of the snow and ice. Then, that afternoon, the students took a break from class to go find out just what Mississippi snow was like. (Note: not that great) Later in day, the snow turned into ice, and I nearly slipped and fell on every trip between buildings. In sporting news, CHA got a long overdue win in basketball against Rebul, and we have a few more games upcoming. We would very much appreciate if everyone who can would come out and support us during basketball games. Lastly, Chamberlain-Hunt got some media exposure in a News Channel 12 Southbound episode on January 23. Ken South did a piece that features our own Reid Wilson and Mr. Keith Fraley and posted the video on WJTV's website. The seniors have finished all their applications, but now we are starting on our senior research papers, which we will present at the end of the year. 🐾

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# Heavyweights

KELIN MASSULLO – LECANTO, FL

"One more" is the phrase that runs through the weight room of CHA. The weight room is opened every day Monday through Friday after school from 3:30-6 PM, and we have to get permission to be in there after dinner. On Saturday, the room is open only after dinner, if we get permission. In the weight room we have three bench press benches, squat bars, dead lifts, and much more. We have a limited amount of dumbbells, but they are heavy enough to get the job done. We also have cable machines, which add many more possibilities to our workout list. We are required to clean the room and put away our weights every time we are done. If we fail to do so, the room will be closed. Danny Nitz, another CHA student, does a great job of leading clean up. Because our motto is "No Days Off," we cannot afford to have it closed for a long period of time. The weight room at CHA is a great plus in my life and in the lives of many others at CHA. 🐾



# Staff Interview: Ms. Janice Carter

*Name:* Janice Patricia Stampley Hudson Carter

*Title:* Administrative Assistant (but she is so much more than that)

*Hometown:* Port Gibson, Mississippi

*How long have you been at CHA?* Since CHA year 134 (2 years)

*What other jobs have you had before CHA?* Owner and operator of Hudson Printing Company in Natchez, and spent 16 years as the secretary to the Plant Manager of Operations at Grand Gulf Nuclear Power Station

*Do you have any children?* Yes. 3 children, 9 grandchildren, and 14 great-grandchildren

*If you could eat dinner with any two people from history, who would they be (besides Jesus Christ)?*

William C.C. Claiborne (governor of the Mississippi Territory and author of *Mississippi History*) and Ruth (from the Bible)

