



# The Sloan-Hendrix Greyhound

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## Homecoming Maids

On Thursday, November 20, students at Sloan-Hendrix voted for homecoming maids. These girls will represent their respective classes at the homecoming ceremony on December 15, 2017.

Representing the seventh grade is Fallon Matthews. Fallon is the daughter of Cory Matthews and Kristin Cole. She enjoys riding horses, playing basketball and softball, and being with friends and family.

Shynelle Young, daughter of Tim and Lisa Young, is the eighth grade maid. She has two sisters, Kassidy and Desiree. Shynelle enjoys drawing, fishing and hanging out with her friends.

Cloie Marshall was chosen by her classmates to serve as this year's freshman homecoming maid. She is the daughter of Brandi Pattin and Jordan Marshall and the granddaughter of Shirley and Peanut Pattin. Cloie has a sister, Allie, and a brother, Jacob. She enjoys playing basketball, riding horses, and visiting with her friends.

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## State Champs!

### All-State Honors to Miller, Stallings, Decker, and Dail

On Friday, November 3, at Hot Springs, Arkansas, the Sloan-Hendrix senior boys Cross Country team went to the state meet, held at Oaklawn Park, determined to bring back a state title. Although they fell a little short of first, they did however turn in a stunning performance in earning 1A/2A State Runner Up honors. Fischer Miller led from beginning to end en route to the individual state title with a time of 16:49.50. Not far behind was Hunter Stallings, 7<sup>th</sup>, 18:11.10; Dylan Decker, 11<sup>th</sup>, 18:23.70; and Jordan Dail, 15<sup>th</sup>, 18:39.10. Other times include Gage Passmore, 61<sup>st</sup>, 20:37.20; Garrett Morris, 99<sup>th</sup>, 22:29.00; Jacob Smith, 123<sup>rd</sup>, 23:37.70; and Dylan Bookout, 162<sup>nd</sup>, 27:32.40.

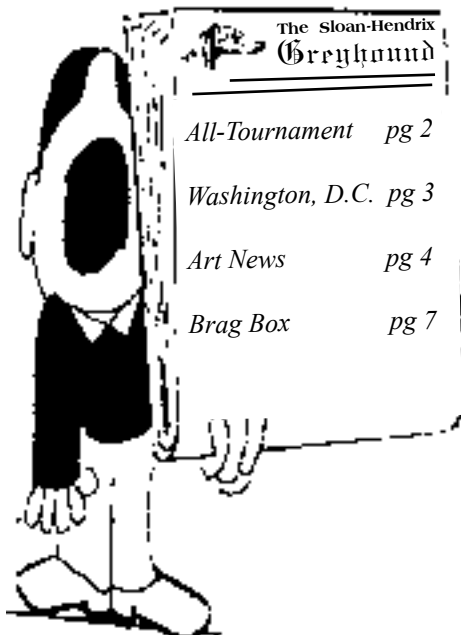
"I knew before the race started that they would give everything they had. They had put in too many early morning miles, spent the summer running hills, and were just determined to leave it all on the course. I could not be more proud of a group of kids than I am of this group." said Coach Grisham.

Fischer obtained his goal of a State Championship. Hunter, Dylan, and Jordan all wanted to run their best race for the team and earned All State Honors.

This group set an excellent example that you only reach your goal through hard work and determination. A state runner up season for Sloan-Hendrix is proof of that hard work.

In winning the 2A State Individual Title, Fischer Miller will represent Sloan-Hendrix in the Arkansas-Oklahoma All Star Race on Saturday November 11 in Rogers, Arkansas.

In the senior girls race, Taylor Ivy led the Lady Greyhound charge with a 28:08.00 for 74<sup>th</sup>. Not far behind were Samantha Webb, 76<sup>th</sup>, 28:19.40; and Jessica Ferguson, 80<sup>th</sup>, 28:36.90. The girls didn't have the five team members to score as a team. According to Coach Grisham, "These three have worked hard all year and are looking forward to the day the junior high runners move up so they can chase their title hopes next year. Three outstanding individuals."



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Front: Dylan Bookout, Garrett Morris, Gage Passmore  
Back: Jordan Dail, Jacob Smith, Hunter Stallings, Fischer Miller, Dylan Decker,  
Coach Grisham

### S-H Music News

Congratulations to Annie Doney and Bethany DeShazo! Annie auditioned and received a music scholarship to Lyon College for the 2018/19 school year. Bethany DeShazo auditioned and made the Spintronix Winter-guard Team in Mountain View, Missouri. She will be competing with the team in events in Missouri beginning in January.

### Contest Winners

The music department sponsored a Writing and Art contest with a Veteran's Day theme. Entries from the 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grade were turned in and the top three were chosen. Each of these entries was included in the Veteran's Day Program.

#### Writing Contest

- 4<sup>th</sup> - Hayden Matheny - 1<sup>st</sup> Place
- Zoie Bonner - 2<sup>nd</sup> Place
- Hanna Dail - 3<sup>rd</sup> Place
- 5<sup>th</sup> - Addisen Echeverria - 1<sup>st</sup> Place
- Ellie Tidwell - 2<sup>nd</sup> Place
- Jessie Young - 3<sup>rd</sup> Place
- 6<sup>th</sup> - Serenity Clements - 1<sup>st</sup> Place
- Serenity Dail - 2<sup>nd</sup> Place
- Jessie Cotton - 3<sup>rd</sup> Place

#### Art contest:

- Sky Wess - 1<sup>st</sup> place
- Erin Smith - 2<sup>nd</sup> place

### Fall Art Show

#### Tableau Vivant - The Last Supper



Photo by Hannah Pipkin

Left to right: Angie Deatherage, Kaylee Hoffman, Susan Watson, Jenna Smith (portraying Judas - notice the bag of coins in right hand and reaching for same bowl as Jesus with left hand), Audra Scales (standing), Blayzey Rose, Jacob Pipkin (ASU Student Intern), Chloe Kirks (standing), Alex Deatherage, Sarah Scales, Lacy Davis, Billy Duncan, and Heather Simington.

On Friday, November 10, 2017, Sloan-Hendrix students presented a tableau vivant (French for living art) of the *Last Supper* painted by Leonardo da Vinci in 1498. The *Last Supper* is a depiction of Christ's final meal with his apostles and according to art historians illustrates their reactions to this scripture: *When Jesus had thus said, he was troubled in spirit, and testified, and said, Verily, verily, I say unto you, that one of you shall betray me. Then the disciples looked one on another, doubting of whom he spake.* John 13:21-22 KJV. Students were studying one point perspective when constructing the backdrop. Costumes, backdrop, and props were all produced by students.

### Children's Honor Chorus

Four students that are members of the Sloan-Hendrix middle school choir attended the Children's Honor Chorus in Hot Springs on November 4, 2017. They memorized six songs that were conducted by nationally known composer/conductor Emily Crocker. Their day began at 8:30 with rehearsal and lunch and concluded with the concert at 4:30. One hundred fourth, fifth, and sixth grade students from around the state participated in the concert.



Jaylee Jones, Linh Hunt, River Lee, Ryan Williams

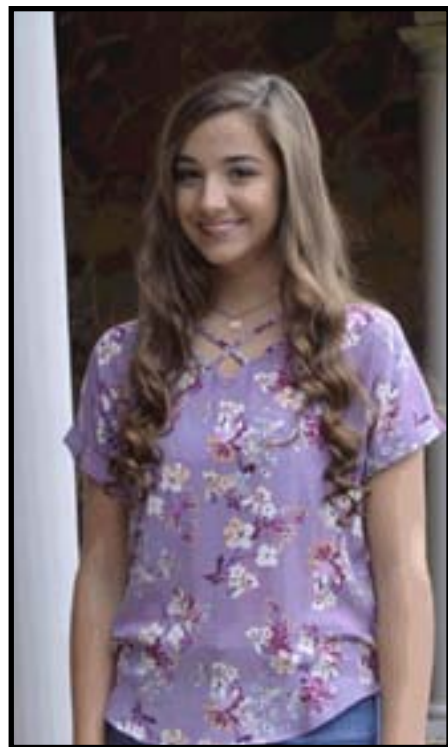


Senior Music Students  
Bethany DeShazo and Annie Doney



### All-Tournament!

On Friday, December 1, 2017, the finals of the Williams Baptist College high school basketball tournament were held in the Southerland-Mabee Center. At this time, the all-tournament teams members were also announced. Ava Murphy, a sophomore at Sloan-Hendrix, was selected All-Tournament at the WBC tournament. Congratulations, Ava!



Ava Murphy  
All-Tournament WBC

You are not alone  
in the storm.

### Azacia Williams Competes in Washington DC

From November 27 - December 2, Sloan-Hendrix student Azacia Williams toured and competed in Washington DC at the JAG National Student Leadership Academy. Azacia earned the all expense paid trip by placing 2nd at the State Competition and competed against students from all across the US. Along with competition and leadership sessions, Azacia was able to enjoy a packed tour of the history of Washington DC. Some of the amazing experiences was a tour of the Pentagon, riding the Metro, personalized tour of the Capitol, Union Station, personalized access from Major Mitch Graham of meeting a former guard of the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier and hearing the great history of the Tomb, Arlington National Cem-

etry, JFK burial site, Arlington House, US Marine Corps Memorial, Netherlands Carillon Tower, Holocaust Memorial Museum, Theodore Roosevelt Bridge, Kennedy Center, Lincoln Memorial, Vietnam Veterans Memorial, Korean War Veterans Memorial, Thomas Jefferson Memorial, White House Christmas Tree, Martin Luther King Memorial, Ford Theater, Peterson House, Smithsonian Museums, Washington Monument, World War II Memorial, Lantern tour at George Washington's Plantation, Supreme Court, Library of Congress, and a tour of the White House.

JAG (Jobs for American Graduates) is a new program at Sloan-Hendrix that teaches students employability and financial skills while earning credit working outside of school. Azacia was accompanied by JAG Specialist Ricky Grisham and they traveled with the Heber Springs JAG group.



Azacia preparing to tour the Capitol.

### Learning to Soar!

Using the theme, *Let Science and Math Teach You to Soar*, students in Mr. Hicks classes constructed their own radio-controlled air planes that when finished would actually fly. Their designs and colors were beautiful.

Students were given the opportunity to participate in a Swap Meet to trade their airplane for a "store bought" airplane which is much easier to fly. Gavin Grass and Isaac Bradley won the swap meet. Gavin won a radio-controlled airplane and tanks; while Isaac won a drone.

Congratulations, Gavin and Isaac!



Swap Meet winners, Gavin and Isaac

Democracy cannot succeed unless those who express their choice are prepared to choose wisely. The real safeguard of democracy, therefore, is education.

Franklin Delano Roosevelt,  
32<sup>nd</sup> President of the United States

### Homecoming Maids Continued

Natalie King, daughter of Melanie Ennis and Timothy King, has been chosen by the sophomore class as homecoming maid. She has one brother, Nathan. Her hobbies include basketball, softball, spending time with family and friends, and going to church.

Junior maid, Samantha Webb, enjoys hanging out with friends and making fun memories. She lives with her parents, James and Denise Webb, and her brothers and sisters, Dylan, Adam, Sara, and Jordan. She is involved in basketball, softball, track, and cross country.

Skylia Lester was chosen as the senior maid. She is the daughter of Kathy and Dennis Lester and has a brother, Kody. Skylia enjoys band, softball, and color guard.



Front row: Kaden Meeks, page; Fallon Matthews, 7th grade maid; Serenity Rainwater, page; Cloie Marshall, freshman maid; Alannah Treadway, page; Shynelle Young, 8th grade maid; Karson Wildrick, page  
Back row: Samantha Webb, junior maid; Natalie King, sophomore maid; and Skylia Lester, senior maid

### Students Decorate Courthouse Windows

The Lawrence County Courthouse invited the four area schools to choose a window, design and decorate it for Christmas. Jacob Pipkin (ASU Student Intern), Jenna Smith, Bailey Clairday, Jessica Murphy and Susan Watson stand in front of the SHHS Christmas window.



### Newspaper Fashion

Sloan-Hendrix art students had 30 minutes to design and wear items made of newspaper. Thanks to Mrs. Edna Bailey for donating all the newspapers.

Top right: *Trey Lee or the Tin Man?!*

Left: *Three Blind Mice*  
Otherwise known as: *Blayzey, Jessica and Abbey*



Below: *Brian shows design flair!*



Below: *Wearin' it well!*



### Fair Days

Several Sloan-Hendrix students participated in the 2017 Arkansas State Fair in October.

Eli Gosha and Carley Morgan placed in the Junior Showmanship division; Eli received first place and Carley was second.

In their breed divisions, Carley won Grand Champion Santa Gertrudis Bull which qualified her for the Purple Circle Award. In addition, she had Grand Champion Bred and Owned Heifer, Grand Champion Bred and Owned Bull, and five class winners in the junior division. In the open show, she had a division win with her bull, two class winners, and two second in class.

Eli exhibited the Grand Champion Brangus heifer in the junior show, qualifying him for the Purple Circle Award. In the open show, he had the Grand Champion Brangus heifer, Grand Champion Bred and Owned Brangus bull and heifer, Overall American Supreme heifer, and the Overall Herdsman Award.

Both students received premium checks from a variety of sponsors, including Farm Bureau and Beef Brigade.

Kennley Hardin also qualified for the Purple Circle Award with her Limousin bull. Laynee Prater-Gann placed second in junior showmanship during the commercial heifer show.



*Top showmen!*



*Carley displays her awards.*



*Above: Eli with his Champion Brangus heifer.*



*Left: Carley sets up her Santa Gertrudis bull.*

### FBLA Attends BRTC Technology Day

On Friday, December 1, Sloan-Hendrix FBLA members attended the Business/Technology Day at Black River Technical College in Pocahontas. The meeting gave students an opportunity to take a practice test to prepare for the District II Conference in January. Members also had the opportunity to listen to keynote speaker Yalanda Merrell who works for the University of Arkansas Medical Sciences in healthcare career recruitment. She used an activity to show students the importance of attitude in their life. After their testing session students were given tours of the campus. BRTC now offers many 2 + 2 degree programs, the most recent of which is an engineering program in association with the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville. Students begin their studies at BRTC and finish at U of A. The monetary savings that this package offers are tremendous. Starting at BRTC allows students to begin their college career in a smaller environment. Between sessions, students enjoyed refreshments provided by the BRTC Business Department. Haley Young received one of the door prizes.



*FBLA members look sharp!*

## Members Attend National Convention

Several members of the Sloan-Hendrix FFA attended the 90th Annual National FFA Convention and Expo held in Indianapolis, Indiana during October 24-27. This year, more than 67,000 FFA members, supporters and guests attended the convention. It is one of the largest annual student conventions in the world. Convention and expo events took place at several venues in downtown Indianapolis and surrounding areas. FFA members and guests from across the country participated in general sessions, competitive events, educational tours, leadership workshops, an expo and shopping mall, and volunteer activities and more.

Highlights of this year's convention included a keynote speech by Laila Ali, undefeated boxing champion and a concert by Rascal Flatts. Sloan-Hendrix members were entertained by a hypnotist and also toured the famed Indianapolis Speedway.

Sloan-Hendrix FFA members attending were Hunter Stallings, Amber Johnson, John Jones, Taylor Ivy, Dakota Jones, Briar Miller, Alexis Easley, Mathew Wicker, Creeden Lee, and Emily Woodard. They were accompanied by Mrs. Amanda Stallings, Mrs. Mary Jones, and FFA Advisor Mr. Isaac Blankenship. Sloan-Hendrix was privileged to also be accompanied by seven representatives of the Tuckerman FFA.

According to Hunter Stallings the highlight of the convention was "Meeting people from over the country." Amber Johnson said, "I really enjoyed the Indianapolis Motor Speedway and getting to kiss the bricks. But the coolest thing was getting to spend a week with other delegates from Arkansas."

The National FFA Convention and Expo is a once in a lifetime chance for high school

students to be surrounded by a sea of blue jackets worn by FFA members from all corners of the nation converging in one place to celebrate their accomplishments and find inspiration for their next.



Briar prepares for the big race!



FFA members looking sharp for a group photo.

## Operation Shoebox

On Thursday, November 16, several members of the Sloan-Hendrix FBLA met to pack gifts for a project known as Operation Shoebox. This project is sponsored by Samaritan's Purse, an international relief agency. The prior week, members had broken into five groups and determined what kind of items to bring for their box. Boxes were wrapped and packed and pictures of each group were included with the gifts. The completed boxes were taken to Williams Baptist College which serves as a collection point. The members will be able to track their boxes to the country of delivery. Those involved were Perry Hutton, Haley Young, Samantha Webb, Natalie Blankenship, Hailey McIntare, Erin Smith, Riley Hubbard, Hunter Stallings, Amber Johnson, and Jenna Smith. Photographs by Amber Johnson.



FBLA members, Haley, Riley, and Perry pack items in their shoebox.

## Brag Box

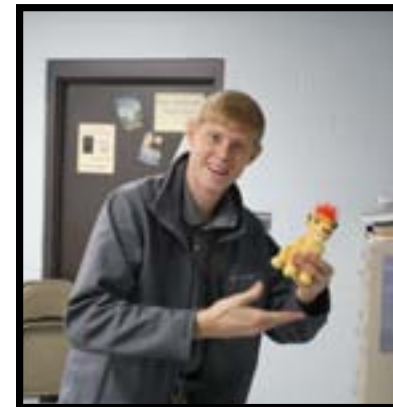
- Thanks to **Dakota Boyd, Jamie Lavergne, Alexia Simmons, and Erin Smith** for folding Issue 125 of the *Greyhound*.
- Thanks to **Hunter Clark and Hailey McIntare** for folding Issue 124 of the *Greyhound*.
- Thanks to **Carson Griffin** for being so helpful in class.
- A big shout out to **Devin Smith and Anthony Campbell** for their help in the office. You are so appreciated!
- **Naomi Patterson** has a sweet smile.
- A big thank you to **Ms. Stephanie Mitchell**. She is such an awesome teacher and has been a great help.
- Thanks to **Eli Gosha** for being such a helpful and polite young man.
- **Tyler Harris** is a good guy.
- Thanks to **Megan Lawson** for being such a good helper.
- Thanks to **Kenny Chavez** for being so polite and helpful to Mrs. Edna.
- **Quinn Eakes and Sky Wess** are sweet girls.
- **Blazey Rose** is a great Napoleon Dynamite.

- Woohoo, **McKenzie Smith!** Junior Lady Greyhounds were down 2 points at Flippin with 4.6 seconds left on the clock. McKenzie dribbled down, stopped across the center line, shot and made it! Greyhounds win by 1 point!
- **Natalie Blankenship** is a good helper and a sweet young lady.
- **DCIII** students did a terrific job on maids' videos.
- Thanks to **Mr. Hicks** and his **wife** for their kindness and generosity.
- **Buzz Gholson** is a thoughtful young man with a good heart.
- The **junior and senior high archery teams** took a trip to Razorback Archery on December 9, with a lunch stop at McDonalds. Twenty-two students made the trip and were some of the best behaved that Coach Foreman has had. Thanks so much!
- **Alex Hemphill** is a sweet young lady with a beautiful smile.
- **Devin Smith**, you are a pleasure to have in Study Hall. Thank you for all the errands you run come rain, sleet, or shine.
- **Allyson Gott, Kelsey Lee, and Connor Eakes** are always willing to help!!
- **Makyna Campbell** is very kind, very sweet and very artistic. Thank you **Makyna**, for helping Mrs. Walton out this year.



Members of the archery team take time to pose for a group photo.

- **Tabitha Palmer** is a very helpful student. She is willing to help in any way she can, I have been using her artistic abilities this year in study hall. Thank you **Tabitha**.
- **Anthony Campbell**, thank you for being you. It's very kind of you to run errands everyday, as you do with a smile come rain, sleet, or shine.
- Thanks to **Mr. Hicks' classes** for some great video of worm dissection.
- Thanks to **Chaney Johnson, Carley Morgan, Lily Morris, Braden Cox, Cade Grisham, Harper Rorex, and Dalton Cooper** for their kindness.



Hunter poses with a shoebox gift.



Hailey and Erin look through the FBLA website.

## Freshmen Class Officers

by Samantha Clay

On November 30, 2017, the freshmen class of Sloan-Hendrix (class of 2021) chose their class officers at a school gathering. Serving the position of president, Garrett Morris; vice president, Olivia Kildow; secretary, Macy McCormick; treasurer, Cayden Tribble; reporter, Samantha Clay; and student council representatives, Erin Smith and Dylan Bookout. These officers will work to make the 2017-2018 school year a great one for our Sloan-Hendrix freshmen!

## Class Officers 2017-2018

### 8th grade

President- Kade Hawkins  
 Vice President- Ethan Lingenfelter  
 Secretary- Zach Smith  
 Treasurer- Mackenzie Boshears  
 Reporter- Lakyn Phares  
 Student Council Representatives- Cailyn Brown, Walker Sexton

### Freshmen

President- Garrett Morris  
 Vice President- Olivia Kildow  
 Secretary- Macy McCormick  
 Treasurer- Cayden Tribble  
 Reporter- Samantha Clay  
 Student Council Representatives- Erin Smith, Dylan Bookout

### Sophomore

President- Serenity McCreight  
 Vice President- Lilly Foley  
 Secretary- Remington Hulse  
 Treasurer- Dominick Folk  
 Reporter- Hannah Rohrer  
 Student Council Representatives- Ava Murphy, Brayden Brewer

### Junior

President- Riley Hubbard  
 Vice President- Kelsey Carter  
 Secretary- Creeden Lee  
 Treasurer- Ethan Burselson  
 Reporter- Jenna Smith  
 Student Council Representatives- Logan Dail, John Jones

### Senior

President- Caylea Johnson  
 Vice President- Annie Doney  
 Secretary- Abbey Vance  
 Treasurer- Brittney Murphy  
 Reporter- Perry Hutton  
 Student Council Representative- Haley Young, Briar Miller



*The homecoming maids are rockin' tacky tourist day!*

## Homecoming Week at Sloan-Hendrix

By Lilly Foley

In the fall, student council met and decided the 2017 homecoming theme and dress up days. This year it was decided to use the theme "Road Trippin'." Monday students were trippin' to Florida as tacky tourists. Tuesday they were trippin' to Washington D.C. in red, white, and blue. Trippin' to Texas in western attire was the theme for Wednesday. On Thursday, Greyhound fans were trippin' to Oregon as hippies. The week of road trippin' wound up back home at Sloan-Hendrix showing school spirit on Friday.

Students will be voting between Cloie Marshall, Shynelle Young, and Fallen Matthews for Junior High Homecoming Queen on Friday. There will also be voting between Skyliia Lester, Samantha Webb, and Natalie King for Senior High Homecoming Queen.

Homecoming week will end on Friday with a pep rally at the end of the school day. The homecoming games and ceremony will be held Friday evening, and last, but definitely not least, the week will end with the traditional homecoming dance.

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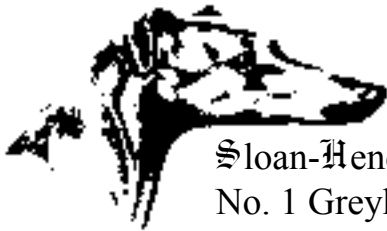
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**Merry Christmas! Happy New Year! See you January 3<sup>rd</sup>!**

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