

**"I rhyme to see myself,
to set the darkness echoing"**
Heaney from *Personal Helicon*

On October 1, the AP Literature and Composition class visited Emory's Manuscript, Archives and Rare Book Library, which highlights the works of Ted Hughes, W. B. Yeats, and Seamus Heaney. The books in the Ted Hughes Library number more than 6,000 and offer students a "detailed map of his creative and intellectual..." [continue](#)



Photo & Story by English Dept. Chair Jo Taylor

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GWA Receives Telescope

Dale Harrison recently accepted a telescope donated to GWA by Stephen Ramsden from the Charlie Bates Solar Astronomy Project, the largest private solar astronomy project in the country.

The telescope has computerized controls and alignment. It will be a wonderful teaching tool both inside and outside the classroom. This year we have 40 juniors and seniors taking a one semester Astronomy class at GWA.

**Spring Soccer Meeting on
Monday, October 19th at 6:30pm**
in the cafeteria for parents/players interested in Girls Middle School & Varsity Soccer and Boys Middle School Soccer.

Cheerleading Try Outs

There will be varsity basketball cheerleading tryouts on Oct. 26th and 27th. Coach Cass has tryout information in the Nicholson Center.

There will be a brief meeting for **ALL GWA SWIMMERS** on **Friday Oct. 16*** in the lower gym at 7:45 a.m. Swim practice begins Monday 10/19 6:00 - 7:30 a.m. and 3:15 - 4:45 p.m. Monday thru Friday until Jan 30th, 2010.

**Dawgs Unleashed
October 17th and 19th**

Make plans to attend the 5K and Fun Run and Festival on **Saturday, October 17th.**

Contact [Dessa Morris](#) or view [flyer](#) for festival details. [Click here for a complete listing of our sponsors.](#)

The Tennis & Golf Tournament is **Monday, October 19th.**

Please contact [Jeanie Beach](#) for details.

The Anchor Club will be selling slightly used uniforms at the Dawgs Unleashed Festival. Please help by sending in your child's outgrown clothes. Collection boxes are located in the high school and lower school buildings. Clothes may also be brought to Mrs. Smith on the 7th grade hall through October 16. WE APPRECIATE ALL OF YOUR SUPPORT. PLEASE VISIT THE DRESSY DAWG BOUTIQUE ON SATURDAY

Thanks Middle School!

A special thank you to the Middle School for providing the new flowers and mulch in the courtyard for Homecoming and 40th anniversary celebrations.

Fall Picture Proof Envelopes must be returned by **Thursday, October 15***, unless you request a re-take. **Re-Take Day is Wednesday, October 21***. Re-Take Day instructions are detailed on the proof envelope.