



# Falcon Dugout Club Newsletter

## September 2024

### FDC News

If your company or one that you know would like to provide some level of sponsorship, please visit [www.coxfalconbaseball.com](http://www.coxfalconbaseball.com) for details, or reach out to me directly and I will point you in the right direction.



### Save the date:

- First weekend in November is Alumni Weekend!
- Friday November 1 is the FDC Golf Tournament at Cypress Point.
- Saturday November 2 is Fan Fest at Tilley Field.
- Fall Facility Day is Sunday October 27 1:00 - 4:00pm

### Support the FDC Poinsettia Sale



### From the president of FDC

#### President's Message September 2024

Good afternoon, Falcon Baseball Family! As I shared at the Fall kick off meeting, I am so excited and honored to write this message as the new Falcon Dugout Club President! Now that the boys are back in school and our fall workouts are under way, I am reminded of the words of the Great American Poet, JC Fogerty who wrote, "We're born again, there's new grass on the field".

To our freshman families, I want to welcome you. This is a tremendous time in their lives to be able to put on the Green and Gold and represent the next era of Falcon Baseball. While the expectation is to get to work, let's make sure they are doing it with a smile on their faces. After all, it's about them.

Saturday the 2<sup>nd</sup> is Fan Fest. This will be held at Tilley Field. This is open to EVERYONE! Riptide from the Norfolk Tides will make an appearance, The Kona Ice Truck will be there, will have a Bounce House, and GOOD Cornhole Boards. The anchor event of the day will be a Home Run Derby. We will have various distances set up for all ages, so our "Future Falcons" can get involved. If you have a little guy or girl, it may be a good idea to bring some lumber they can handle. The main event for the Alumni will start about 1:30 and run until 3:00. A social time will be held just up the road at Fisher's. No tickets are required. Just come on up and cap the weekend with the beverage of your choice.

I am pleased to report that the Spectators' Deck, affectionately named the "Falcon Perch" has officially been approved by the city and we will begin construction in the next few weeks. This 48' Long Deck will be built behind home plate and provide a unique experience for Falcon Baseball Fans when cheering our guys on. A Special Thanks to Kempsville Building Materials for donating the Trex Decking Materials needed for the build.

We also had our final logistical meeting and the Entire Falcon's Nest (Locker Room, Press Box, and Concession Stand) will have heat and air conditioning installed. Special Thanks goes to Trane Corporate for donating the units themselves, Atlantic Coast Heating and Cooling for their time to install it, and the long-time support of JC Driskill owner, Chris Bay (Falcon Pitcher from class of 1981) who will handle the power needs.

Please reach out anytime if there is anything I or the rest of the board can do. Go Falcons!

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