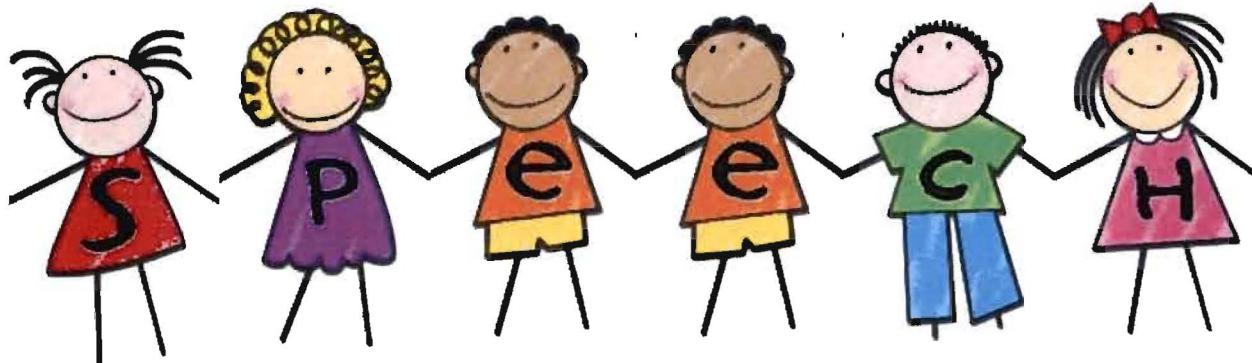


Blue's News

The Cat's out of the Bag!!

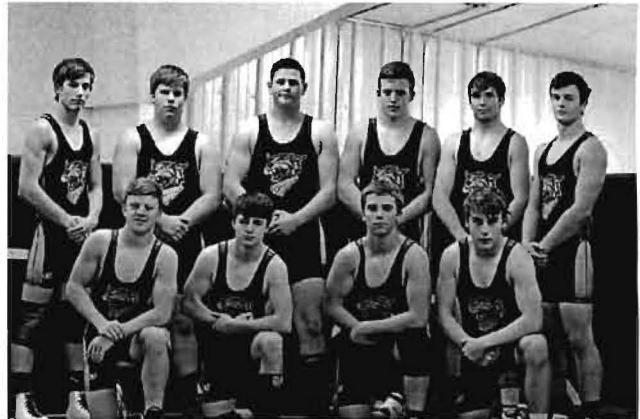
Drama, Voice, Comedy: this isn't a scene out of Les Miserables; it's Speech. Our very own speech team has been doing great so far this year, especially with the coaches helping the students excel: Miss Ord, a returning coach, and Mrs. Campbell, a new coach to speech. Mrs. Campbell is really enjoying her first experience with speech, and she told me that she is looking forward for the upcoming speech meets. She is quoted on saying, "For the past 3 years, I have had the opportunity to volunteer for One Acts. When I was offered the speech coach position, I was excited to get to work with the students in another creative outlet." Mrs. Campbell and Miss Ord hope for the team to compete at a high level and for the students to be competitive at conference and districts. The coaches devote many hours a day to the students in speech, making their performances perfect. Their practice was put to the test last Saturday, January 21, when they traveled to the Broken Bow meet. Lots of them got into the excellent range which is a score of 80 to 88 points and two medaled: Olivia and Seth with their Duet got 6th place in Varsity level and Laykin with her Poetry got 5th place in Novice level. Callaway Speech team is going above and beyond this season.



Wrestling

By Suzy Heusman

A Band of Brothers, Be Ready! Wrestling is here. I have talked to one of the two wrestling coaches, Jim Johnson. He gave me some details about how the season has been going so far. He has nine wrestlers out this season. He said that everything has been going good. The students have been progressing since the beginning of the season. They have gotten 3rd place as a team in the last three meets. "It takes a whole team to take home a trophy," says Mr. Johnson. His hopes for this season is to get at least three or four people to state in February. There are four wrestlers with winning records and they look promising. The team goal is to go to state and place in the top five in every meet. They were unable to place like they wanted to at the Shelton meet due to an illness going around, but they will continue to set their goals high for each meet. One major strength he has seen is there is a diverse age of students wrestlers; however, there are no freshmen out this year. We wish the wrestlers luck in their upcoming matches!



Cheerleading

By: Matti Stout

The cheerleaders are half way through their year. The cheer team consists of the two seniors, Jorgey Dauel and Jennifer Barraza; two juniors, Lucy Kimball and Amanda Harrison; two sophomores, Lydia Connell and Hannah Pearson; and one freshman, Angelina Harter. Their coaches name is Carissa Batenhorst, who works at Arnold Public Schools as a kindergarten teacher. When I asked Jorgey Dauel what her favorite part about cheerleading she said, "The relationships that she has with the other cheerleaders not only from Callaway, but from Arnold." As of right now, the cheerleaders do not have anything planned for a half time event. They have been to only one cheer camp which was with the Broken Bows cheer coach and was over the summer. Some of the cheerleaders favorite cheers are 'Hey All You Bobcat Fans' and 'Boogie On Down'. The cheerleaders really know how to pump up the crowd and are deeply appreciated by many.



Bobcat Of The Month by: Sandra Oliver

Caleb McFate

Caleb is a great student. He is so kind to his classmates and he is such a good worker! Anything I ask him to do, he does. He is also willing to go the extra mile. Good job Caleb

~ Mrs. Rush



Patrick Eggleston

He always comes to class excited to create and to learn new techniques. He is a great example and role model to the kids in his class.

~Mrs. Campbell

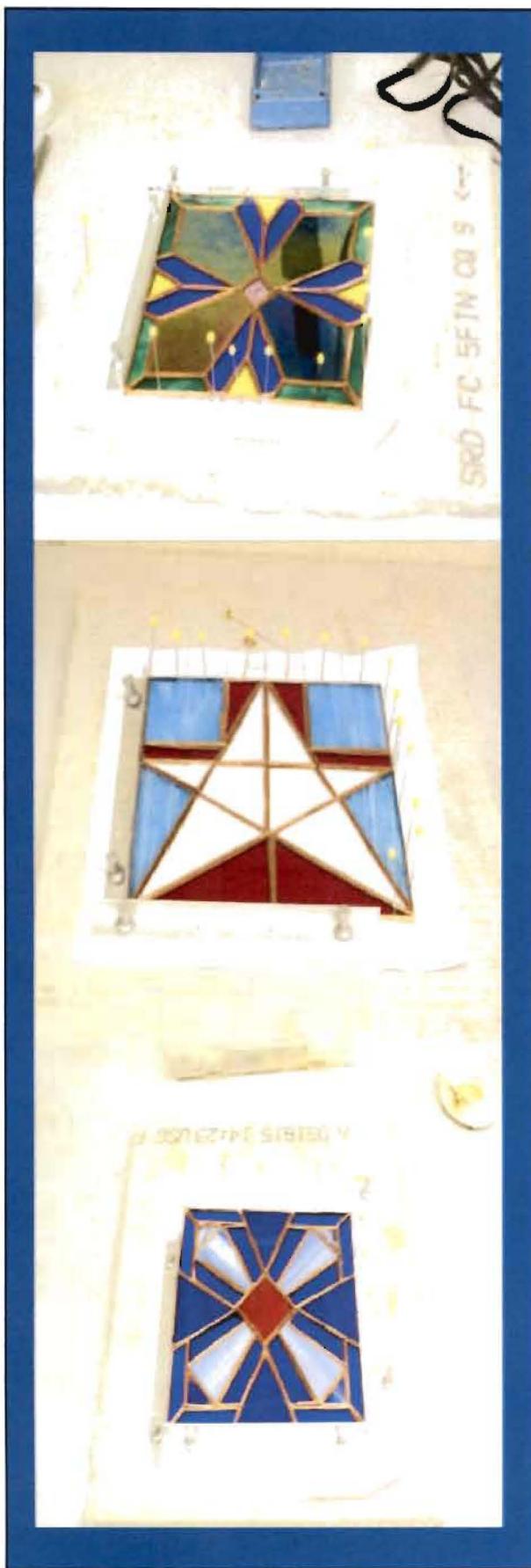
Isaac Stallbaumer

Isaac has shown positive energy in and outside of class. His dedication to his school work and FFA has been outstanding. He works hard and is willing to help in any way. Isaac has also been very open minded and willing to try new opportunities within FFA. From land judging to FFA conventions, he has shown a great attitude through it all.

~Miss Brader



Stain Glass



Each year, Darin Ellis's Geometry class does a stain glass to combine art and math so that his students can learn to apply math to different aspects of life, this is what he and a few of his students had to say about it.

Mr. Ellis

What is the purpose of this assignment?- To show a practical application of the ideas of ratio and proportion, show how geometric shapes fit together, develop an appreciation for the relationships between math and art, use scale factor, development of cooperative learning and interaction, and development of critical assessment of self and others.

What is the criteria for this assignment?- Their projects must contain all polygons, no circles, have at least 15 pieces, have no more than 35 pieces, must contain at least 1 triangle of any classification, must contain at least 1 quadrilateral, and have symmetry.

What is your favorite part of this assignment?- "I like watching the students go from having to have me doing everything, to actually having independence in doing it on their own. I also like that they can relate art to math, because I have very many talent art students in my class that may not be as good at math, so it adds that understanding."

What does this teach your students?- "The objective and to be creative in math, and that math can also be creative, and interesting."

How did you get this project started?- "It started many years ago, we did a stained glass in sunday school, and I saw how interested the students were in it, so I decided to use it in my class so that the students could apply symmetry and design of shapes to their math."

Cody Erstrom

Are you enjoying this project?- "No, just kidding, yes."

What is the hardest part of this project?- "Getting all of the pieces to fit together properly."

Who are your partners?- "Jessie Sallach and Kallie Glendy."

Have you harmed yourself in this process?- "Yes, it's glass what do you expect."

Eddie Berger

Are you enjoying this project?- "Yes"

What is the hardest part of this project?- "The hardest part is cutting."

Who are your partners?- "Trevor Ross and Delanie Pinkerton."

Have you harmed yourself in this process?- "Yeah, I cut my finger."



Senior Bio



Wyatt Kunkee

Birthday: December 7, 1998

Extracurricular Activities: Rodeo, FFA

Favorite Food: Steak with baked potato and Lane Frost favorite Chocolate cake

Favorite music: country

Favorite TV shows/movie: My Heroes Have Always Been Cowboys, Pure Country, 8 Seconds

Favorite author/book: Louis Lamour

In my spare time, I: Practice on my spurboard

Best memory so far: When I won the high school rodeo in McCook with a 71 point ride and won the buckle and made Nebraska High school rodeo finals.

Best thing about being raised in a small community: meeting people

Best advice my parents gave me: "Work hard and believe in yourself"

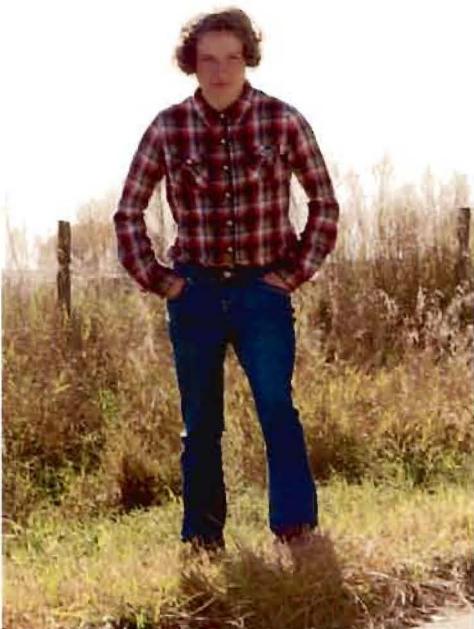
My greatest talent (or trait): ride horses

Motto, inspiration or favorite quote: "It ain't age that makes me look this way, it ain't the years boy it's the miles" -Chris LeDoux

I think the most important issue in America today is: the war with Isis

What did you want to be when you were little: Champion Cowboy

Future plans: Attend a two year college to study Agriculture and compete in collegiate and pro rodeos.



Sandy Oliver

Birthday: October 21, 1997

Extracurricular Activities: Track, FCCLA

Favorite Food: Pizza

Favorite music: Country

TV shows/movie: Cars

Favorite author/book: Mike Lupica

My spare time, I: read, run, and walk my dog

Best memory so far: having a boyfriend

Best thing about being raised in a small community: You get to know everyone

Best advice my parents gave me: "Never give up"

My greatest talent (or trait): running

Motto, inspiration or favorite quote: "Never give up"

I think the most important issue in America today is: All of it

What did you want to be when you were little: be in the Olympics

Future plans: Move out of Callaway

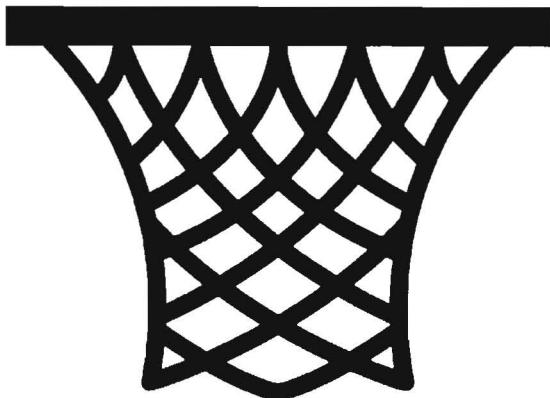
By: Laney Willis



Hoop Shoot

Sponsored by:
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February 17, 2017
Right after school in the Gym



Contact Michael Reiff: 402-203-4381

2016 FCCLA Cookie Sales

This month I thought it would be a good idea to cookie sales in the newspaper and show how hard the kids and Mrs. Walz works every year. As a holiday fundraiser, the Callaway Chapter of Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) sold cookies to friends, family, and community members. Members were overwhelmed by the support of the community when they found out that 566 dozen cookies were sold; which totals over 6,700 individual cookies. There were 10 different kinds of cookies

available with Oreo Truffles being the most popular.

The cookies were prepared the last week of school before the holiday break. The funds raised will go to help offset the cost of attending District Leadership Conference, District STAR, Peer Education Retreat, and other events in the future. As a chapter, we look forward to doing this fundraiser again next winter.

Mrs. Walz would like to thank all of the staff, students, and parents for helping complete this huge project!



Order Your Valentine's Day Cupid Crunch Today!

The local FCCLA Chapter is selling Cupid Crunch for Valentine's Day. Parents and family members can send them to their children at school and kids can send them to friends and teachers! Cupid Crunch can be sent to Arnold and Callaway Schools. You can order as many as you would like! Contact an FCCLA member or stop by the Callaway office to order yours today! Orders due by Monday, February 13th.

Cupid Crunch Cost \$2

Includes a mixture of popcorn, M&Ms, and pretzels covered in almond bark and a message from you!

Delivery: Tuesday, February 14th.



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A monthly college planning guide for Nebraska high school students

February 2017

All about scholarships!

Most scholarships are based on academics, but others are based on community service, school involvement, or talent in art, dance, music, or athletics. Some are based on financial need as determined by the [FAFSA](#) (Free Application for Federal Student Aid).

It's time to start applying for scholarships. Here's where you can find them:

- [ScholarshipQuest](#) at [EducationQuest.org](#) features over 2,000 Nebraska-based scholarships. After you create a profile, you'll be matched with scholarships that fit your criteria.
- **Your school counselor's office.** Visit regularly to check on local and national awards.
- **The college you plan to attend.** Contact the school for a list of scholarships they provide and application procedures.
- **National search sites** such as [College Board](#), [Peterson's](#) and [Chegg](#).
- **Other resources** could include your coach, clubs and organizations, and your parents' employers and civic organizations.

[Click here](#) for more details about scholarships and tips to help you complete a successful application.

Here's a scholarship you can apply for now!

Apply **by March 31** for EducationQuest's Scavenger Hunt Scholarship. You might win \$500 toward your college education. Here's how it works:

1. If you haven't already, complete a profile in [ScholarshipQuest](#) at [EducationQuest.org](#).
2. If you're a Nebraska resident in grades 9-12, you'll see the *EducationQuest Scavenger Hunt Scholarship* as one of the scholarships that will appear on your results page.
3. "Scavenge" around the EducationQuest website to find answers to questions in a survey.
4. EducationQuest will draw a winner from those who answer all questions correctly. The winner will receive \$500 to invest in a NEST 529 College Savings Plan.

Juniors: it's time to find the right fit for college!

Here's how to get started:

1. **Attend a college fair** to meet with representatives from colleges that interest you. Upcoming fairs include:

[Lincoln Area College Fair](#) – Sunday, March 19, 1-3 p.m., Southeast Community College

[Grand Island Area College Fair](#) – Sunday, March 26, 1-3 p.m., Pinnacle Bank Expo Center

[Scottsbluff Area College Fair](#) – Sunday, April 2, 1-3 p.m., Western Nebraska Community College

[Omaha Area College Fair](#) – Sunday, April 9, 1-3 p.m., University of Nebraska Omaha Sapp Fieldhouse

Tri-State Area College Fair (South Sioux City) – Sunday, April 23, 1-3 p.m., Marina Center

Before you attend, register for a barcode at NebraskaCollegeFairs.org. Print the barcode (or download it to your smartphone) and take it to the fair. College reps will scan it to retrieve your demographic information – and you won't have to complete their information cards.

2. **Schedule a campus visit.** Your upcoming spring break is a good time to visit schools that interest you. [Follow these tips](#) for a successful visit.

February “To Do” List

Seniors:

- ____ If you haven't already, complete the [FAFSA](#).
- ____ Expect financial aid award notifications from the colleges you listed on your FAFSA.
- ____ Apply for scholarships.

Juniors:

- ____ Prepare for the ACT. Here are [test-prep resources](#) to consider.
- ____ [Register](#) by February 10 for the March 11 SAT.
- ____ [Register](#) by March 3 for the April 8 ACT.

For free help with college planning, contact EducationQuest Foundation:

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Callaway HS (South Loup) - February 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
			1	2 7:00 PM Callaway FFA Appreciation Supper & Silent Auction @ Callaway Community Center	3 Mid Quarter - 3rd Quarter TBA B V WR @ Conference Wrestling at Arnold 4:00 PM G JV BKB @ Mullen High School 5:00 PM B JV BKB @ Mullen High School 6:00PM G V BKB @ Mullen High School 7:30PM B V BKB @ Mullen High School	4 little Cheer leaders in Arnold Parents Night for Basketball. Before girls varsity. TBA Gothenburg Speech Meet 5:30 PM G V BKB Mc Pherson County High School 7:00PM B V BKB Mc Pherson County High School
5	6 1:00 PM B JH BKB @ CO-OP Twin Loup 1:00 PM G JH BKB @ CO-OP Twin Loup 7:30 PM Night of Speech for the Public	7 YLCC - leave @ 10:30am 3:30 PM G JV BKB Anselmo-Merna High School 4:30 PM B JV BKB Anselmo-Merna High School 6:00 PM G V BKB Anselmo-Merna High School 7:30PM B V BKB Anselmo-Merna High School	8 TBA FFA- District Career Development Events #1 1:00 PM B JH BKB Maxwell High School 1:00 PM G JH BKB Maxwell High School	9 12:00 Dismiss for Students, Parent Teacher Conferences 1:00-8:00	10 No School TBA B V WR @ Wrestling Districts 3:00 PM G JV BKB @ Eustis-Farnam High School 4:30 PM B JV BKB @ Eustis-Farnam High School 5:30PM G V BKB @ Eustis-Farnam High School 7:00PM B V BKB @ Eustis-Farnam High School	11 TBA North Platte Speech Meet TBA B V WR @ Wrestling Districts
12	13 Girls Sub Districts 7:00 PM Board Meeting	14 Girls Basketball Subdistricts	15 Teacher In-Service 1:30 dismissal	16 Girls Basketball Subdistricts State Wrestling	17 State Wrestling little Cheer leaders in Callaway 3:00 PM Booster Club Hoop Shoot 6:00 PM B JV BKB Sumner-Eddyville-Miller High School 7:30PM B V BKB Sumner-Eddyville-Miller High School	18 State Wrestling TBA Loup City Speech Meet
19	20 FFA All Member Meeting during lunch	21 Boys Basketball Subdistricts	22 TBA Jr. High and Sr. High Quiz Bowl at Broken Bow	23 Boys Basketball Subdistricts	24 Girls Basketball District Finals	25
26	27 A-Merna Jr. High Quiz Bowl.	28				

Callaway HS (South Loup) - March 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
			1 FFA-District Career Development Events #2 TBA Jr. High ESU Quiz Bowl in Kearney	2 Girls State Basketball	3 Girls State Basketball	4 Girls State Basketball
5	6 MNAC QUIZ Bowl @ Halsey	7 MNAC Instrumental Music @ Anselmo Merna	8 End of 3rd Quarter –	9 Boys State Basketball Spring Break - No School	10 Boys State Basketball Spring Break - No School	11 Boys State Basketball District Speech
12 Daylight Savings Time	13 8:00 PM Board Meeting	14	15	16 1:00 PM C V TR UNK INDOOR TRACK at Kearney	17 TBA FFA-Activate and Leverage Conference TBA Sr. High Quiz Bowl at ESU in Kearney	18 FFA-Activate and Leverage Conference
19	20 District Music Entries Due	21 FFA All Member Meeting during lunch	22 Teacher In-Service 1:30 dismissal	23 9:00 AM Callaway Quiz Bowl	24 State Speech	25 10:00 AM C V TR @ St. Pats Invite at Hershey
26	27	28 MNAC Music Contest @ Hyannis	29 MPCC InterHigh Day	30 Mullen Bronco Invitational at Arnold - S Loup does not participate EHA Wellness Check 10:00AM B V GLF @ Amherst High School	31 10:00 AM C V TR @ Elwood Invite	

February 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Egg TacGo Beef & noodles	2 Pancakes Turkey	3 Breakfast Pizza BBQ pork sandwich	4
5	6 Tornado Spaghetti	7 Donut Tatortot casserole	8 Turnover Chicken nuggets	9 Breakfast bar Mini corndogs	10	11
12	13 Mini cinnis Pizza	14 Long john BBQ beef sandwich	15 French toast Chicken & noodles	16 Omelet Enchiladas	17 Breakfast burrito Hot ham & cheese	18
19	20 Tornado Chicken fillet	21 Donut Hamburgers	22 Egg TacGo Pigs in a blanket	23 Waffles Super nachos	24 Breakfast pizza Sausage bisc. & gravy	25
26	27 Mini cinnis Burrito	31 Long john Lasagna				
		Notes: Lunch K-6 \$2.40, 7-12 \$2.55, Adults \$3.75, Breakfast \$2.05, Extra Juice \$0.25, Milk \$0.40, Seconds \$0.40 USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer.				

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