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600 Boxes!

The Students of Arnold Public Schools Spread Some Christmas
Cheer



Christmas Child Packing Party

By: Toni Oberg, Sophomore
Arnold Public Schools hosted the Operation Christmas Child box packing again this year in the high school gymnasium. All of the students got the chance to pack a box. Their goal was to pack 600 boxes... so each student could pack more than one.

Everyone at our school had a blast and is excited to help out next year," said one student.

If you are not quite sure what this program is, here are the main concepts: Samaritan's Purse supports Operation Christmas Child, and we basically play Santa Clause. We pack toys, candy, combs and other items, toothpaste, and coloring items in a shoebox and



ship them to places where children don't have what we do.

Most of the time, this will be the only Christmas gift these people ever get. These boxes have the power to change lives and install hope to those without. If you did not pack a box with us, I hope you will jump at the opportunity next year.

Melody Jennings, as the coordinator this year, is one of the many people who made this all happen. She put her effort and time into coordinating this project year.

The 600 packed boxes were then taken to North Platte to a collection center to be shipped overseas.



Go Bobcats!
Good Luck in your first games this weekend.

Seniors Take On County Government Day

By Jasmine Nelson, Senior

On November 14th, Mr. Peterson took five of the six Arnold High seniors to the annual Custer County Government Day. This is where students from schools from all across Custer County go to Broken Bow and learn about the different positions in government. The event is sponsored by the sponsored by the American Legion and the Custer County Board of Supervisors.

Out of the twelve different positions to choose from, each student had a different experience. Positions included county judge, county sheriff, and county assessor. The students picked which seat they would want to go to, and follow with someone in the position.

The day started off with a speech introducing the program. The students were asked questions about their knowing of county government, and to the officers surprise, they knew more than they expected.

After the introduction, the students were taken to their respective offices. They went everywhere from the county jail to the courthouse on the edge of Broken Bow. They were taught about the individual positions, given tours of the buildings, and had the opportunity to ask questions concerning.

Once arriving all together again, the students and faculty were treated to a lunch provided by the American Legion Auxillary. The students were then given time to converse with other students from across the county, mingling amongst each other.

Once lunch was over and everyone was settled, the crowd was greeted by a wonderful speaker. He talked about the importance of standing for the flag, respecting your veterans, etc. He then asked whoever was making the journey to serve our country to stand up, and an ovation was in order for these brave students.

After the wonderful concluding speech, the students were sent home with an open mind.

"I learned a lot about county government, and I had a blast!" said Jennifer Barraza, who went with County Sheriff Dan Osmond to the county jail.

Going to this event has been a tradition for Mr. Peterson for as long as it's been around, and he doesn't plan on stopping.

"I think the kids get a lot out of going, and it's a good thing to experience," he says.

Our 2018 seniors should be getting even more excited to go next year, as our currently seniors clearly had a great day.

A Dedication to Mr. Reed

By Jasmine Nelson, Senior

Within the Veterans Program on Friday, November 11th, a part of the ceremony included honoring Mr. Robert

was decided that a flag would be placed on the west side of the school,” explained Mrs. Crow. The funding for the project

county superintendant, making a daily trip to Broken Bow to help celebrate students’ education.



would be provided by Susie and her brother’s families, making this all possible.

Susie stated, “Dad was in the United States Navy and was in the Korean War, 1951-1955.” A perfect day to honor him was of course Veteran’s Day. Former principal Mike Harvey added that Bob served in the “Good-will” tour, traveling to many other countries to promote Americanism and to support the United States.

He was the Arnold

“Bob” Reed and his wife Shirley. Shortly after Mr. Reed’s passing in 2015, Mrs.

school principal from 1978-1995 when he retired.

Berni Crow had the honor of working with Mr. Reed’s daughter Susie to coordinate the family donation of a flag pole. Susia wanted to provide funding for a memorial to the school, since her parents did so much over the years and touched the lives of so many.

“Finally, after many texts, emails, and calls, with the help of Dr. Lewis, Mr. Morgan, and the Arnold School Board, it

Like many other beneficiaries at our school, he never really left the school. He continued on to be the

His death caused a stir of sadness across the school, as many teachers and staff remembered him for the kind, caring man that he was.

After this, Mrs. Crow gave a nice speech about Mr. Reed, his history and connections to the Arnold School system and to the community. Then the crowd progressed to the west end of the building for the first raising of the flag dedicated in Mr. Reed’s name. Men and women from all ages piled out to the west end of the school and put their hand over their hearts, remembering Mr. Reed. Whether the students knew him or not, the respect that was shown was unforgettable.

To see the videos of these moments, click the links below.



The speech during the Vets Program: <https://youtu.be/9nKJBpx-VNM>

The raising of the flag pole at the west end of the building: <https://youtu.be/SDRiLoVaYNk>

To see a time lapsed raising, click here to download the file

Elementary Christmas Lists



Kindergarten Christmas Lists: (typed as written on their submissions)

Der Santu,
Mi nam is Emmanuel Williams.
I am 5 yerz old.
I liv in Rnld, Nubrasku.
This yer I hav ben vre nis. I tokd to TT rele nis.
If yoo r not tw bize, I wood lik a Batman kr, a Batman sord and a Spidrman kr.
Thanc yoo, Santu!
With luv frum,
Emmanuel

Der Santu,
Mi nam is Jacob Myers.
I am 6 yerz old.
I liv in Rnld, Nubrasku.
This yer I hav ben vre nis. I lisen tw mi bruvr.
If yoo r not tw bize, I wood lik a pawr rangr sord, a rascr and a rastrac.
I luv yoo, Santu!
With luv frum,
Jacob Myers

Der Santu,
Mi nam is Jett Morgan.
I am 5 yerz old.
I liv in Rnld, Nubrasku.

This yer I have ben vre nis and note. I did mi homwrk and didn’t lisen too mi mom.
If yoo r not tw bize, I wood lik a Mike on a scatbord, a cop gatr and a bawnse haws.
Thank yw for breneng us prezents.
With luv frum,
Jett Morgan

Der Santu,
Mi nam is Claire Kulp.
I am 5 yerz old.
I liv in Rnld, Nubrasku.
This yer I hav ben vre nis. I don’t hit mi kat Dugles.
If yoo r not tw bize, I wood lik a toy bobkat, a bobkat babe and a toy awl.
Mare Crastmas!
With luv frum,
Claire Kulp

Der Santu,
Mi nam is Jade Hunt.
I am 5 yerz old.
I liv in Rnld, Nubrasku.
This yer I hav ben vre nis. I char mi toes.
If yoo r not tw bize, I wood lik a rascr, a rel cr and a boldozr.
Hape Santu yr!
With luv frum,
Jade Hunt

Der Santu,
Mi nam is Ryker Atkins.
I am 6 yerz old.
I liv in Rnld, Nubrasku.
This yer I hav ben vre nis. I helpt Hodsun.
If yoo r not two bize, I wood lik a bownse hows, toy elvs and a Santu Christmes ornament.
Wut is yor workshop lik?
With luv frum,

Ryker Atkins

Der Santu,
Mi nam is Kora Dailey.
I am 5 yerz old.
I liv in Rnld, Nubrasku.
This yer I hav ben vre nis. I hav helpt frends pic up toys.
If yoo r not tw bize, I wood lik a pensl shrpnr, kande and an Arel dol.
Hape Cristmus!
With luv frum,
Kora Dailey

Der Santu,
Mi nam is Hudson Vickers.
I am 5 yerz old.
I liv in Rnld, Nubrasku.
This yer I hav ben vre nis. I helpt mi mom.
If yoo r not tw bize, I wood lik a robot, a Batman remot kontrol kor and a flach toy.
Hi Santu!
With luv frum,
Hudson Vickers

Mi nam is Kale Kulhanek.
I am 5 yerz old.
I liv in Rnld, Nubrasku.
This yer I hav ben vre nis. I helpt mi frends.
If yoo r not tw bize, I wood lik a flash toy, a remot kontrol Bat-man kor and a big robot.
Thanc yoo, Santu!
With luv frum,
Kale

Der Santu,
Mi nam is Donavon Larsen.
I am 6 yerz old.
I liv in Rnld, Nubrasku.
This yer I hav ben vre nis. I didn’t mac pad choesas.
If yoo r not tw bize, I wood lik a

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rily big kar, a rily big toi box and
a huj bic for grandpa.
Thanc, yoo, Santu!
With luv frum,
Donavon Larson

Der Santu,
Mi nam is Jose Melendez.
I am 5 yerz old.
I liv in Rnld, Nubrasku.
This yer I hav ben vre nis. I did
mi homwrk.
If yoo r not tw bize, I wood lik
a chransfrmrs cr, a rascr and a
lunchbag.
Kan u plez bren me prezents?
With luv frum,
Jose Melendez

Der Santu,
Mi nam is Ethan Jarmin.
I am 5 yerz old.
I liv in Rnld, Nubrasku.
This yer I hav ben vre nis. I did
not hit and hug mi bruthr.
If yoo r not tw bize, I wood lik a
remot kunchrol cr, dina chrgrs
and a nw bascetbol.
I onle wunt thre thens.
With luv frum,
Ethan Jarmin

Dwayne
Der Santu,
Mi nam is Dwayne Barraza.
I am 6 yerz old.
I liv in Rnld, Nubrasku.
This yer I hav ben vre nis. I
plad wif mi frends.
If yoo r not two bize, I wood
lik a kombin, a chrالر, and a
chruk.
Fank yu.
With luv frum,
Dwayne Barraza



First Grade Santa List (unedited for your enjoyment)

Adalei Tullis
birbe drem house
hamstr house
robot houres

Austin Davenport
cpter
modrsikl
disnee infinite game

Shane Gibson
jets
woce toces
lego pordl

Delanie Weinman
real babby hors
real fone
hrmic crab

Brody Green
hapstr
robot
drone

Maryah Gabir-Oeltjen
dres up stuf
dasroom
doll

TyLee Smith

bath and body loshin
marin gril doll
ipad

Tre Fortune
pee s four
game for my dee s
ex-box one
Rae Hagler
John deer bike
purple elf
purple phone

Corrie Luera
hamster
barbe car
dok mk stafens car

Callan Witthuhn
dinasor
robot
underwar

Tysen Schacher
remot car
remot robot
pupy

Brayden Kendall
lime green football
roe bot
nerf gun

JuanPablo Zuniga
Lego star wars
a wee
a xbox



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2nd Grade Christmas

Lists: (typed as written on
their submissions)

Malachi Neth:
Nrt gun, gum, legos,
deerhorn, history book, soler-
sisstom (solar station), nite lit,
dart target, stuffed amils, bild-
ing bacs, go cart, otment sac
(ultimate sack), tv, amagan-x
giys, rivrad, hed fons (head
phones), bomrang, dogs, and
a fitness smat watsh.

Miranda Tucker:
Bow, boots, desk,
basketball, eregs, clothing,
voledall, theacher things,
rodeo set, stuffed animals,
horses, girl doll, shorts, ten
a shoes, dress, beany baby,
clock, and a V teck watch.

Piper Strasburg:
Boats, hanging ear-
rings, barbies, high heels,
senseys, sticers, makeup,
computer, teacher suplis, and
snow boats.

Josie Lehmkuhler:
Ball, mace up,
hieheales, fish, lekteronek car,
stuffed horse, stuffed zeabru,
ipod, ipad, and a play baby.

Walter Bierman:
Teacher supplies, white
board, expo markers, mag-
nits, football, pet fish, folders,
stuffed horse, real robot, real
elf, and desks.

Sofie Lewis:
Bitty Baby, American
girl doll, Big stuffed unicorn,
Zippy sack, Beanie Baby, toy
pingwin, ipod, ipad, No More
War, No More gases in the
air.

Elijah Cool:
Plastic Viking sword,
City police Legos, I-pod Nano,
Ear buds, speaker, a pickup,
Trump be a good President.

Evalynn Wonch:
A graet big stuffed
animal turtle, a toy sheep,
Animal Lego, majic carreds,
toy horse, kindness, mersee,
Dr. Sues books, roacks, Bible,
a song, and a stuffed horse.

Josie Christensen:
Ear cuffs, candy, a
desk, a globe, a Barbie doll
house, dresses, love, care,
kindness, hope, joy, cake,
snow, a good time, peace,
cristuls, nail polish, thankful-
ness, and justice.

Gracee Downing:
My Life Doll, gift cards,
volleyboll, comeputer, teacher
things, clothes, markers,
whitebords, gray boots, drone,
PS4, CD player, and a fitbit
watch.

Jade Bierman:
Fish, soccerball, hola-
hoop, jumprope, stuffed lion,
robot, a Santa hat, ipod, back-
etball, foot ball, calander, and
a map.

Wacey Schultz:
Football, guys, toy,
sniper, toy, nerf, gun, football,
a tact drown toy, Chicago
city army toys, pwer ranger,
sowrd, xbox one, tree hose,
ipod, toy gun, pant ball gun,
wach, and an I fon.



Third Grade Lists:

Eli R

- 1) good books
- 2) toy horses
- 3)more dogs

Gabe
vertril reatitle gogles
phone
legos
videogames

Luke
What i want for Christmas
1. Lego studios app
2. mip
3. Lego angry birds set

Brook Beirman
1.dream catcher
2.watch
3.american girl doll

Paxton
1. a football helmet
2. football pades
3. a Savage rifle

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Crew
basketball sox
blue under armour shirt and shorts
Hot wheels AI set.

Eli H
1. legos
2. remout car set that you can panit
3. A pet Camplea
4. go cart
5. A big Art Set
6. A miney tree

Jami

1 Fit Bit
2 Roller Blades
3 American Girl doll camper

Hayden
1. Lego Minilleum falcon set
2. Lego Kylo Ren ship set
3. Lego Resistense X wing fighter set



Fourth Grade Lists:

Riata’s Marvelous Christmas List

My Christmas list is so Marvelous you wouldn’t imagine.

First i would like a yellow lab puppy. I would like it because it is so cute and cuddly. And I would take good care of it.

Also i would like a set of neon pink street rollers. If i got them i would be so happy because i love to roller skate. But if i didn’t get them It would be ok because I already have roller skates.

Last I would like a new volleylite volleyball. If I got that I would be so happy because my brothers dog tore mine up.

Ivy’s Christmas list
For Christmas i want three toys, one I want big wooden building blocks. With those building blocks I would build a hole castle. Two I want a family of little people. I would rule the kingdom with the little people. Last I want a wooden chest with a locket on it. I would use it to hold my shiny coins. This is what I want for Christmas.

Jamie’s Christmas List
The thing I want for Christmas is not usually cheap. My friend AJ has a couple of them. They’re like guns vet

they shoot paint. There called paintball guns. They leave bruises. I want one so I can have a paintball war. If I don’t get a paintball gun I’ll just ask for it for my birthday. One of the other things I want is a dirt bike helmet. I want a dirt bike helmet so I don’t get hit in face by the paintball. The other thing I would use the helmet for is if I get a dirt bike. If I didn’t get a helmet I would buy one myself. The last thing I want is an I pod touch. I want an I pod touch so I can babysit my cousins. If I don’t get one I will ask again next year.

Alex’s Christmas List

These 3 things on my list would be great to have. First of all, I would love to have a four wheeler for Christmas. If i don’t get a four wheeler i will change it to a motorcycle. Next, I would like to have a racer. I want a racer so i can race around the house. If i don’t get a racer i will buy one myself.

Last, I would like a monster truck for christmas . I would like to have a monster trucks i can race uncle George. Clearly, i would love to have these three things for christmas.

Anna’s Christmas

I am so excited for Christmas. This is what I hope my Christmas will be like. It was Christmas morning and I had

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just woken up. I sprang out of bed a looked under the tree. I saw 3 presents just for me. 2 were from my mom and 1 from Santa. I was the last person up. My mom said we had to look threw our stocking first. We each took our stockings down and opened them up. When I opened my stocking I found that I got a new pair of socks, a santa shaped snickers, and a toothbrush.

I asked my mom if it was time for presents. She said it was. I opened the first present from my mom. I ripped the paper off and yelled,” Oh I love it.” Inside were 2 rackets and a ball.

The nest present I got was a doll with an experiment. The doll had a blond hare and for the experiment was to see how a small garden would grow.

The third present I got was a BIG, purple, blow up ball.

That is what I hope I can tell as this years Christmas.

By, Anna Tullis

Stokely’s Christmas List

There are three things I really want for Christmas. The first thing is an I phone 5S. The first reason is so I can call my parents if I have to. Once I got lost in a store called Crazy Horse in South Dakota. I got really scared because there were so many people and I couldn’t find my parents. The person at the front desk told me to tell her my name. The second reason is to

text my friends. I would like to talk to them when we are not in school. That is about the only time I get to talk to them.

The second thing I want is a drone that can hold the Go Pros on them. During S.O.R.C., I would like to get pictures of the cars from above. One time in the summer, there were these people outside our house with a drone. They were flying it in our front yard. My sisters room window is in the front yard. They went and tapped it on my sisters window. It scared her half to death.

The third thing I want is a new pair of cowboy boots. My last pair got painted white. I was painting out at the golf course and paint dripped all over them. I also want something to wear other than tennis shoes out at my grandmas farm. Also, my paint covered boots are a little to small for me.

If i don’t get these things, I will save up for them and try to buy them myself.

By Stokely Lewis



WHAT A.J. WANTS FOR CHRISTMAS

Ooooo you’ll never guess what i want for Christmas I want at least three thing , here I go I’ll tell you . First I want a bigger and faster dirt bike here I’ll describe it, it is almost like a motorcycle but is meant for off road kind of things like through mud and drifting the only reason I want it is because my old one started to have problems like breaking down and things Here’s another one I decided on and this one should be easy on to guess probably for most of you oat there listening to me to me tell you all about my Christmas list.

Well since I got a dirt bike for Christmas we’re going to need one gear so we can be really safe so we are going to need helme,pants and shoulder pads oh and really hard and protective riding boots.

Another thing that would be really nice would be a really really big race trace . Because then my friends could come over and get are bikes ready to race . But when race comes I want to start a line and a finish line oh and I just remembered I want it to be a Kawasaki brand One other thing that is totally off subject is a I Phone 5s can and I want it to be a Carolina Panthers kind of Case (Carolina Panther : the NFL football team) and some olive head speakers is a brand of head

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speakers . Some other stuff for my phone would be a charger.

Taylor's Christmas List

1. I really want a razzzer. So that I can race my sister with her own razzzer. Also, that I can take my dogs for a ride. It is really, really funny. I can also drift on it. If I don't get it this year, I will just hope to get it the next year.
2. I want a swimming pool. So that I can swim without paying for it. I want it to be huge. If I don't get it, they should just let me know before.
3. I want a teacher clicker. So that I can play teacher at home. I always wanted one of them. If I don't get a teacher clicker I would bayg.

Daniels Christmas list

I would like a dog because my dog would have someone to play with. Dogs are also good guard dogs. A dog would brighten your day. My too dogs will make good friends. My dog can make friends fast. If I don't get the dog I will play with my dog. I would like a snowboard so in the winter I could snow board. When you snow board you can do tricks like back flips and front flips you can also do a three sixty. The hard part about snowboarding is to control the snowboarding. But stopping the snowboard is easy. If I don't get a snowboard I will slide with my feet.

I would like a I phone because it can have good music. Also because of someone gets hurt I

can call there parents. If I don't get a I phone I will sing to myself and I will have to run to get there parents.

By. Daniel Zuniga



When I mean absolutely need what I mean absolutely need. In the morning I want to jump out of bed looking down at all the gifts and I need to see three gifts.

First of all, most importantly, I would love to see in my gift pile, an iPod Touch. This would be wonderful to have to listen to music, Snapchat on, and to play games. The last iPod I had just magically stopped working. I don't know but that made me really grumpy. Anyways, if I don't see my iPod under the tree I will be just happy as buying it myself.

Next, I would like to see a cupcake cookbook under the tree. I love baking cupcakes. But of course everyone's favorite part

is to eat the cupcake afterward. If I don't look down at a cupcake cookbook I will just look up a recipe on the internet. If I do get a cupcake cookbook I will make a batch of cupcakes every Sunday.

Ella Cool.

My Ultimate Christmas List

Tis year for Christmas I would like three things the first thing is a snow mobile I have that they are really fun. Also you can go almost anywhere. I would have to where protective gear so I don't get hurt. You can also drive over water. I want this because that way in the winter I can drive around town. If I don't get a snowmobile I won't be sad because I know I won't get one but I will be a little sad.

The next present I would like for Christmas is hunting kit. It would have snow came, regular came and desert camo. Also would have a gun. But something else it would have is buck calls, pheasant calls just a ton of calls. The reason I want this is so that I would have my own hunting. I almost forgot something if your going to have a gun you need to have a kit to clean a gun with. If I don't get this kit i will be sad because I have been asking for hunting gear for a long time. I would just like to get something that has to do with hunting.

The third item is a computer I want one so that if I have to do a report I can just type it at home and also I can watch

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movies on my computer. I have been asking for one for one ever since 2nd grade. If I don't get a computer then I will probably just save my money up and by my own.

By
Ethan furne

This Would Be The Best Christmas ever

I would like three things for Christmas. First, I would like an Iphone 6. If I didn't get an Iphone 6 I could get lost or an emergency could pop up I would be able to call somebody to warn them. Plus I could play games on it. Also I could take pictures of important things. For example, at a grocery store if I need something but can't remember what it was I could take a picture of it and send it to somebody at my house.

Next I would like a puppy. I have a dog, but he is ten years old and about to die. Although if I did get a dog it has to train that way it can come inside. And a dog can guard my house. A dog could as well keep me company. If I don't a dog I will be disappointed because I won't have anybody next year except my parents and my fish, unless my dog lives long enough to be eleven. The last thing i want a dog for is because they are joyful and make almost all people happy.

Last, I would like a hot tub. If i don't get a hut tub, which I know I won't, I will probably

never get one. I want a hot tub because I would be able to relax after a hard day. Clearly, I want three things for Christmas.

Sincerely,

William Moniger



Fifth Grade Lists:

Charlie Vickers:
Basketball shoes
Fuzzy blanket
Kinetic sand

Gracie Neth:
A Christmas song Mandisa CD
Kinetic sand
A new adult coloring book and colored pencils

Grace Bierman:
Basketball socks
Puzzles
Soft blanket

Delaney Rogers:
Kinetic Sand
Camera
A new book

Bryn Schwarz:
Basketball shoes
3D magic pens
Speaker

Macy Atkins:
Basketball shorts
BOSE speaker
Mermaid blanket

Tahnna Nokes:
Pair of firry boots
Sparkly purple kinetic sand
the series of Whatever After books

Logan Recoy:
The Geronimo Stilton the Fourth Adventure in the Kingdom of Fantasy book
Xbox 1 Need for Speed video game
Xbox 1 WWE 2K17 game

Isaac Tickle:
Toy tractor
50 dollars
Phone

Samantha Wonch:
New cute shirts
Scooter
New ear rings

Dawson Doggett:
Xbox 1 Call of Duty Black Ops III
50 dollars
Elite Sniper III

Trey Connell:
Shoes
.22 Bullets
basketball

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Cache Gracey:
Trip to Sky Zone
New phone charger
Mini fridge in my room

Brendan Streit:
Wii U Gamepad
Phone
\$30 Nintendo Shop Gift Card

Rio Remund:
the Risk board game
tickets to a Husker game
to get to go to Sky Zone

Marianne Zuniga:
Roller skates
High tops
Pink hover board

Noah Hunt:
Skateboard
Call of Duty Black Ops II
Football

Alivia Robbins:
Hover board
Roller skates
phone

Madison Smith:
Legos
A Series of Unfortunate
Events books
Baking supplies

Kindergarten Thanksgiving Writing

- If a turkey could talk, it would say...
"I wunt tut el wu u secret. I wunt tu pla u gam." –Dwayne Barraza
- If a turkey could talk, it would say...
"I'm a trke. Yoo mit ask me wi I'm tolken humn. But I am a trke." –Ryker Atkins
- If a turkey could talk, it would say...
"Et a ber!" –Hudson Vickers
- If a turkey could talk, it would say...
"Helo!" –Kora Dailey
- If a turkey could talk, it would say...
"Et me." –Jett Morgan
- If a turkey could talk, it would say...
"Can I hav sum food?" –Jade Hunt
- If a turkey could talk, it would say...
"Plez don't get me! Don't pla with me toda bekuz I am a trke." –Claire Kulp
- If a turkey could



- talk, it would say...
"Plez don't kook me!"-Kale Kulhanek
- If a turkey could talk, it would say...
"I don't wunt to git eten!" –Jacob Myers
 - If a turkey could talk, it would say...
"Don't et me!" –Emmanuel Williams
 - If a turkey could talk, it would say...
"Thanc yu for fud." –Jose Melendez
 - If a turkey could talk, it would say...
"-Ethan Jarmin
 - If a turkey could talk, it would say...
-Donavon Larsen

Who is going to be the next President?

Lexi Starr: Sophomore

Mr Peterson had all the students in 6th through 12th grade participate in the school vote for whom they want to be president.

Trump: 52
Clinton: 7
Johnson: 1
Stein: 1

Mr Peterson had all the students in 6th through 12th grade participate in the school vote for who they want to be president.

Mr. Peterson also went to each classroom and had them vote on the **Death Penalty**.

Repeal: 40
(Repeal means that the Death Penalty will be reinstated and used in the future.)

Keep: 22

Although the future President has been decided, the Kindergarten class still has something to say about how Donald Trump should run our country!

If I were President I wd run thi wrld. –Emmanuel Williams
If I were President I ood pla on mi ipad. –Kora Dailey
If I were President I woob rool tha wrld. –Claire Kulp

If I were President I wood let pepl dw wut va wunt. –Ryker Atkins

If I were President I wob giv bebl shots. –Ehtan Jarmin
If I were President I wd let pepl dw wut va wunt. –Kale Kulhanek

If I were President I wud brene a cid wif me intw mi ofis. –Jade Hunt

If I were President I wud run thu hol cunchre. –Jett Morgan
If I were President I wd talc ids wut to do. –Donavon Larsen

If I were President I wd mac bems. –Jose Melendez

If I were President I wud wrc wif pefl. –Jacob Myers

If I were President I wud do evrethene. –Hudson Vickers

If I were President I wud pla in thu prk. –Dwayne Barraza



From the Principal's Desk



The winter season has arrived. As the temperatures turn cold, students in grades K-5 will continue to go outside for recess as the weather permits. Please make sure your child has gloves, stocking caps, and coats to be prepared for colder conditions.

School closings and late start announcements will be communicated via phone call, text message, and email from our Blackboard Connect system once again this year. Please be sure Mrs. Smith has your most current contact information. Some messages have already been sent through Blackboard Connect this year, so if you have not received any messages, please let us know. School closing information will also be posted through local stations as well.

If your child is going to absent for any reason, please make sure you notify the office as soon as possible. If your child

needs to leave during the school day for any reason, the school needs to be notified and students need to check with the office before they leave school grounds. Also, if your child is late or absent because of an illness, they are not allowed to participate in any extra-curricular activities that day.

It is hard to believe that we are nearing the end of the 1st Semester. As we head into December, I look back on how great of a semester it has been. I have enjoyed seeing our students participate in

many activities. Between the success of our extra-curricular activities, students having the ability to attend educational events like career days, being a part of Arnold's Veteran's Day Program, volunteering, and most importantly, growing each and every day as a person. I am especially proud of our student's efforts this 1st quarter to meet their AR goal. It was exciting to see all students K-12 work toward a common goal. It was certainly very rewarding for me to witness this and be a part of their efforts.



Superintendent.. Dawn Lewis
Principal.....Joel Morgan
Editor-in-Chief.....
Nicole Badgley

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student created newsletter, mistakes become teachable moments.

No advertising, other than school sponsored activities, may appear. Opinion pieces, future news items, comments, and suggestions may be submitted to nbadgley@esu10.org.

The newsletter is sent to all families and boxholders of District 89. If you, or someone you know, would like to receive the newsletter, please contact the school office at 308-848-2226 to add your name to the mailing list. You may also download the newsletter from the school website: <http://arnoldpublicschools.org>

SENIOR SPOTLIGHT

Lexi Starr:Sophomore

Ashton Kay Weinman



Birthday: August 21, 1998

Favorite Food: Pie

Favorite song: I Can Only Imagine -Mercy Me

Hobbies: Hanging out with friends and family.

Dream Job: Counselor or Child Life Specialist

Where do you plan to go: CCC- Kearney

One Person you look up to: I can't choose one but my top two are Leron Bierman and Cynthia Ahrens.

Favorite High School memory: Way too many!

If you were stranded on an island, what three things would you bring with you:

Sunscreen, my phone, and food.

School Calendar Subscription - NEW!

If you are interested in subscribing to the school calendar on your phone or computer, there is a new address to use. (Last year's calendar run's out very soon.)

Type in the following address, or copy and paste the address from the announcement tab on the school web page. http://ical.schedul-estar.com/iCal_NOW.cfm?i=12435EDA-BE50-E29D-644F86352E7C93E3

As the calendar is updated, your calendar should too!

Daily Announcements

The daily announcements can be found on the school web page announcement's tab every morning. Mr. Morgan updates those announcements with corrections, additions to the calendar, and reminders of upcoming events. Please check the school web page often for new information.



Upcoming ACT Test Dates:

Test	Registration
December 10, 2016	November 4
February 11, 2017	January 13
April 8, 2017	March 3, 2017
June 10, 2017	May 5, 2017

Renaissance Home Connect

Watch Your Child's Progress in AR and see their testing scores for STAR, Sign Up Now

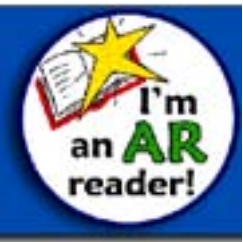
Dear Parents,

Your student uses Accelerated Reader, also known as Renaissance Place, at school. This program has a new feature called Renaissance Home connect, which the student and the parent can access outside of class with an Internet connection. Renaissance Home Connect is fun and easy to use. It allows the teacher, the parent and the student to share information about your student's progress in Accelerated Reader.

Be watching a letter to come home on the first day of school with instructions of how to login and how to use the program. You can also set up automatic emails when your student takes tests over books or takes the STAR test.

Please contact me if you have any questions,

Nicole Badgley



Attorney General Makes A Stop!

By Jasmine Nelson, Senior

On November 3rd, the students in grades 6-12 of Arnold High School were delighted to have a very special person come and speak to them. The person? Nebraska's own state attorney general, Doug Peterson.

After being elected in 2015, Mr. Peterson will ride out his four-year term until 2019, where he can choose to either resign from office or run again, attempting to gain the vote of our state's great people.

As soon as Mr. Peterson walked into the gym, you could feel a certain importance in the air. His words carried even more of this. One of his first topics was informing the junior high and high school students the importance of the Constitution. He explained that the country was built on the single foundation of the document and that it protects the liberties of the people and prevents others from having too much power.

After the briefing of the Constitution, there were handheld versions available to the students. He then went on to talk about his job. As attorney general, Mr. Peterson is the chief law officer of Nebraska. There are currently 65 lawyers in office that represent the state in court cases, including ones that Nebraska files against other states. In this instance, it will be taken up the Supreme Court for judgement.

One of the hot topics that have been hitting people of all ages includes the legalization of marijuana, a hot topic with our neighboring state, Colorado.

Our attorney general explained that while we may think mari-

juana isn't a bad drug, it's a lot more potent than we think. Back in the 1970s and 1980s, the amount of THC (the chemical that produces the high) was only at 5-10% in marijuana. Today, there's some with THC that was powerful as 80%!

With young people being especially susceptible to getting addicted to these drugs and some even more potent. The rise of prescription drugs



and heroin in the United States has the state worried for adolescents.

"What you need to do is recognize that you are a target to these, and do your best to fight it off. The industries are wanting to target you a much stronger product," warned Mr. Peterson.

In a 2012 study, non users, heavy users, and light users of marijuana were put through an MRI. The

scientists found out that heavy users had a difference in soft brain matter (the part that impacts creativity). If that doesn't scare you, who knows!

Another hot topic that he covered was the ever-growing risk of human trafficking. With a horrifying story that took place out of Waverly, he really got to the students. He warned that it could happen to anyone, anywhere, anytime. The students were to realize that things like this "don't just happen in Omaha and Lincoln."

One cause of the rise in human trafficking is the device we have in our hands and almost rely on: cell phones. With the advancement in technology and having the world at your fingertips, things such as child pornography are becoming very concerning for our Attorney General.

He warned the students that the best thing they could do to protect themselves was to limit their time on their phones and computers. Staying in a public area with them at almost all times would help decrease this rate.

"I hope it gets through to some of you that you need to make good choices," said Mr. Peterson, who has seen the affects of these issues.

When leaving, the students clapped and were very surprised with how interesting he really was.

"I thought he was just going to be really boring, but he kept my attention the entire time," says Lexi Starr, sophomore.

There were quite a few similar comments following the hour-long presentation, and the students are hoping for more speakers like him.

Box Tops

Arnold Schools will again be collecting box tops for education with a goal of earning \$500 to purchase items for classrooms. In the past, a Smartboard was purchased and some other equipment. The Box Tops campaign is a school fundraising program started by General Mills in 1996. To date, Box Tops has raised over \$200 million to help purchase school supplies, playground equipment, technology items, and so much more. You can support our school by saving box tops and sending them with your student to the school, take them to Finch Memorial Library, or to Reed's Food Center. Thank you for your support.



Capri Sun Bags

Mrs. Crow is collecting Capri Sun bags again this year to help fund classroom projects. Please save those bags and send them to school with your student.



PowerSchool Passwords

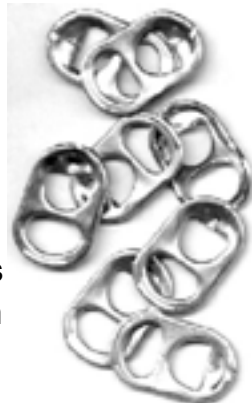
As in past years, the school will be using PowerSchool to share



student grades with their parents. If you already have the ability to login and check your child's grades, then nothing has changed. Simply login to <https://arnold.powerschool.com/public/>. If you don't have a log in, forgot your password, or would like some help, please contact Tami Smith in office, or by email at tami.smith@esu10.org, or call her at the school 308-848-2226.

Pop Tabs Collection

Mrs. Geiser and the second grade class will again be collecting aluminum pop tabs for classroom math assignments and projects. You can support our school by saving pop tabs and sending them with your student to the school. Thank you for your support.



Activity Passes

Activity Passes, which get you into all home games at Arnold and Callaway, all year, will cost \$20.00 for students, \$40.00 for parents, and \$80.00 for a family. These passes will be good for all events except NSAA sponsored activities, and conference events. Everyone can get them at the office.



From the Superintendent's Desk

Our School Board Association hosts a State Education Conference every year in November in Omaha. I attend this regularly with our board members. It is a wonderful time to get to know my board members better, and spend time visiting with other superintendents and boards from other communities. Our SHGP students were showcased in a "science-fair" style session on Friday morning. They spoke like seasoned professionals to leaders from across the state, and I am infinitely proud of how they conducted themselves during this time.

The prevailing theme at the conference this year was the tax structure which generates income for the state of Nebraska.

Unfortunately, schools are often blamed for high taxes, but the truth of the matter is that our public schools are not "over-spending" as has been a media message during this election season. School funding is broken. There are measures being proposed to fix this, and hopefully some good solutions come out of legislation this year. Arnold's general fund budget growth over the past few years has been limited to operating expenses, predominantly teacher salaries and benefits. And sadly, APS is still well behind the state curve on base pay. It pains me to think of the tax checks that some of you write to the county; however, I am thankful for the abundance we have

been given as a community, to support our own school without equalization aid from the state. Hopefully our elected officials can find a balance that we can all live with this session!

Dawn Lewis, Ed.D.
Superintendent



PowerSchool App Available



In the App Store if you search for the PowerSchool app, you will find a quick and easy way to access your student's grades with your mobile phone.

Simply download the free app. It will ask you for your District Code (a 4 digit code) immediately. The code for Arnold Public School is: **SNPX**. Then you can use your regular username and password from last year.

If you are unable to remember your password, then please contact Amy at the school office either by phone, 308-848-2226 or by email tami.smith@esu10.org

GYM MORATORIUM

As per the rules from the NSAA office, both of the gyms in Arnold and Callaway will be closed for 5 days. There will be no practice during that time. The Moratorium begins

December 23rd through December 27th
Then practices may resume.

YLCC In Full Swing!

By Jasmine Nelson, Senior

Over the past three years, the Arnold chapter of the National Honor Society has sent up to five students to the Youth Leadership Custer County seminar throughout the school year. Taking place in Broken Bow, students will learn how to be better leaders and how to make a lasting difference in their communities.

Having students from Ansley, Callaway, Arnold, Anselmo-Merna, Sargent, and Broken Bow participant in the program, the main focus is the small towns from which they hail. They look at the positives and negatives from each community, as well as opportunities and other factors that could make people want to stop and “stay a whole.”

The students from Arnold that are participating this year are juniors Avery Atkins, Madison Reed, and Shaylee Jones with seniors Ashton Weinman and Jasmine Nelson. Each student was to fill out the 2016-2017 school year application and give it to Mrs. Nansel or Mrs. Moninger.

The first meeting of the year took place at the Mid Plains Community College campus in Broken Bow, on November 1, 2016. This was a time for students to meet peers from other towns, as well as get to learn leadership skills in the most basic form.

To start off the day, the students were fed lunch and sat with people from different towns, with

one or two maximum from each school to a table. They were given ice breaker exercises and questions to get acquainted with one another. The questions included things such as, “Do you enjoy your small town? Why or why not?”

The second thing they did



was getting introduced to one of the programs founders, Jenny Fox. Jenny has been a Broken Bow resident for over a decade, and wants students to learn the importance of living in a small town.

The students were piled into a bus and taken around for a tour of Broken Bow. The students discussed what was a positive thing about the town, the negatives, opportunities, and threats. This has become known as a “SWOT” analysis. They noted each aspect of the town, coming into it from each side to see while view was more pleasing, etc.

To end the day, they were taken to Fox’s pumpkin patch on the outskirts of town, as well as

showing the students her husband, Barry Fox’s brewery, Kinkaidier, which sells to establishments all across the state of Nebraska.

To join in team exercises, they had a race to see who could figure out the corn maze the fastest. This added a bit of fun to the

day that the students were so desperately needing.

Over the course of five meetings across the school year, the students from each town will do their own “SWOT” analysis, figure out a major opportunity or threat to their town, and try to do something about it. Students in last year’s program fixed up the city park’s bathrooms for their project.

“I thought that it was a very fun experience, and I can’t

wait for the rest of the year,” says Avery Atkins, who is a first-time participant of the program.

The next meeting will take place on December 6th, where they will have to have completed their SWOT analysis, as well as an online exam that determines the strengths and weaknesses of the people themselves. The students are very excited to be part of this amazing program, and fix their communities so that people like them will want to come back.

NHS Raffles Goods To Spread Holiday Joy

By Jasmine Nelson, Senior

As we all know, the Arnold chapter of the National Honor Society is big in spreading joy. From volunteering at every event, to selling chocolates, etc., the citizens are proud to have the select students make the community bright.

To help with this cause, the National Honor Society (including new members) will be selling raffle tickets to auction off baked goods at the annual Christmas Program December 8, 2016. The raffling will begin before the program and the drawing will take place immediately after.

While the students have done this sort of thing before, it will be a special time. Instead of doing it during basketball games, as they did last year, the Christmas program will draw in people that usually don’t attend high school sporting events.

The proceeds will be going to the Food Pantry, a service that has greatly benefited the people of Arnold for many years.

To help with this outstanding feat, each class will be making their own baked goods. Mrs. Batenhorst’s kindergarteners will be making a “Christmas Mix.” Mrs. Geiser and her outstanding second

grade kiddos will be making apple cookies to sell, while fourth grade is creating a “Reindeer fodder.”

Fifth grade is making Gurgi’s Chrunchings and Munchings, which is similar to popcorn balls. Seventh grade and Mrs. Badgley will make Friendship cookie jars. Eighth grade and Mr. Swingle will make homemade ice cream with the science class.

Even the high school are getting in on the fun! The freshman and Mrs. Moninger will be preparing four different puppy chow recipes to include in demonstrative speech lessons. Sophomores and Mrs. Badgley will make Kolache’s to celebrate Willa Cather’s masterpiece *My Antonia*. With the juniors, Mr. Swingle will be making “Chemistry” chocolate chip cookies. Mrs. Nansel and the Senior careers class will be raffling off snickers cupcakes.

One each of these are raffled, it’ll bring a spring of joy to everyone involved. Every class has their own spin on the treats, putting all the heart and love that grandma used to. It’ll definitely bring wonderful smells to the school once again. With the Christmas season in the air, it’ll surely make this the most wonderful time of the year. Happy holidays, everyone!



Coke Cap Collection

You can help our the school by collecting your Coke product bottle caps and numbers on the inside of Coke product boxes. We accept caps and cardboard cutouts from the products you get from convenience stores, the grocery stores, vending machines, at ball games, and other places may all have the promotional codes on them. Coca-cola committed itself to supporting education by enabling schools to collect donated points and then redeem them for a variety of school rewards including playground equipment, supplies, classroom materials, cameras, sound equipment, and more. You can send your Coke caps (and other Coke products) to the school office and they will redeem them. For more information, you can go to the <http://www.mycokerewards.com/schools>. Thank you for your support.

One Act: Through The Eyes Of The Actor

By Jasmine Nelson, Senior

When people hear the words “one act” together, they imagine the actors on stage in crazy makeup, elaborate costumes, and dealing with the long nights associated.

What they don't see, however, is what happens behind the curtain. They may know that a student spends *hours* on the stage, but...how many hours?

On the average week, the one act team spends about three hours on the stage, preparing for performances across the state. They can recite the same scene multiple times until their coaches think that it's just right. Practice makes perfect, right?

Next, they don't see the amount of work that it takes to memorize lines. If you have a large role, this is particularly the struggle. This year, many of the roles have 30+ lines. For freshmen, this seems like an unbeatable feat. At this point in the season, if you don't know your lines, you are disliked by every single person in the cast.

Speaking of this point in the season, we have already began performing. With that being said, the time we have to perfect our performances is limited, and we have to

make the most of the time we are given with the other actors. In the



Above: When you don't have a line for a while, rehearsal can get a little boring sometimes. For Jennifer Barraza (Chef), this fact is known too well.

off season between fall and winter sports, every practice possible is put into the schedule. You only wanted one practice? Too bad! You have three now to worry about showing up for.

In this crunch time, every single minute is valuable. If you're caught messing around during practice, it's almost like being black-listed. You have to take every thing serious if

you want to do well and no embarrassment yourself in front of so many people.

During this time, it is a time in which the cast members can feel even closer to each other. By this point, you know how the people around you are going to react in certain scenes, and this helps you become a better actor yourself. You'll know the right times to gasp, run in fear, or even grab some booties (if needed).

The most beautiful part about one act season is definitely getting to be on stage. You're running around frantically beforehand, making sure everything is just right. As soon as you step onto the stage with the spotlight gleaming down on you,

though, you forget the rest of the world.

Acting takes you into another time dimension, where the only thing you're focused on is getting through the play without messing up or getting stage freight in the process. This gives you a HUGE adrenaline rush, and you perform like you never have before.

As you're running around the stage, trying to keep within the 30-minute time limit, you look around at the people around you. Eyes are all on you, and you have other people depending on you. It truly does bring you closer to the people at your school that you thought you never would.



From every long rehearsal, the constant repetition of lines, and swinging of arms in surprise, the performance makes it worth it. When your fellow actors get an award, you cheer in unison for them. When your play gets an award, you all feel a sense of

pride. That's what makes the season worth it.

Side: Jace Connell (one of our three mighty butlers) gets his groove on during practice, a common sight.

First Place Winner of the Patriot's Pen: The America I Believe In

By Landyn Cole

I believe in an America that is not burdened by war, racism, or religious intolerance. We live in an America where racism still exists, and I believe that we, as Americans, need to make a motion to change this serious issue. I believe in an America where no individual is treated unfairly, nobody is forced to face a challenge alone, and no person is defined by the color of his or her skin. Martin Luther King Jr. said, “We must come to see that no individual can live alone.” The America I believe in is one where anyone of any race or religion can achieve anything they like, and isn't held back because of their opinions. Many people don't think racism still exists because we no longer have slaves, signs telling the African Americans where they can and cannot sit, or “white” and “black” water fountains. However, a CNN poll taken in 2015 found that roughly half of Americans- 49%- say rac-

ism is still a big problem in society today. We must face this problem now, rather than wait for the next generations to fix our mistakes. I believe that America can become a country in which everyone is selfless. When I think of the perfect America, nobody is thought lesser of because they are a Jew, Muslim, Buddhist, etc., or white, black, Hispanic, and so on. The America today still discriminates different groups of people and that is something that we can strive to change.

I believe in a beautiful America where we have confidence that our soldiers will keep us safe. I have faith that one day all the nations will put their differences aside and all people will live in a peaceful society. I strongly believe in an America where no more brave soldiers will die, because war will be minimal. I will rejoice if I ever see the day where no more parents will have to be told the horrendous fate of their precious child who gave their life



to gain our freedom. The nonexistence of war may seem like an impossible task; however, we must remember that at one time, many things seemed highly impossible, and look at the tasks we have accomplished. I believe that our America will one day be a country where all will be peaceful- no more war, no more discrimination, and no more religious intolerance.

Second Place Winner of the Patriot's Pen

By Jadeyn Bubak

The America I Believe In

Growing up, we hear hundreds of opinions regarding America. These ideas come from different sources including our parents, the individuals on T.V., and even from our fellow classmates and friends. Each viewpoint differs greatly and each affects the way we see this great country. But what does America specifically mean to me?

I believe in an America where equality and respect for all, no matter race, religion, or gender, is constantly in effect. Broadcasted lately are protests concerning this issue, including the Black Lives Matter movement and Michael Rose-Ivey's actions and his speech that followed. As a Christian, I'm grateful that our government protects our unalienable rights. But despite our country's efforts, racism and discrimination can still be a problem. Nevertheless, I believe our country can join together

and solve this problem in an intuitive process that will benefit all parties involved. I hope someday nobody will feel as though they're being deprived their God-given rights and have the same freedoms and opportunities as everyone else.

Additionally, I believe in an America where we use genuine solutions and genuine actions to our problems and or conflicts. Terrorism is a problem that has countless people worried. I have zero doubt that our brave soldiers and leaders can and will do everything to protect us, but we must remain mindful and decisive in solving difficult situations. For the America I believe in always makes the right choice to keep our country and citizens safe from harm.

Lastly, the America I believe in is one of peace. A country where everyone supports one another, helps each other out, lives in harmony with other countries, and forms an undying brotherhood amongst ev-



ery American. To be more successful than we are now, we can't continue to tear ourselves down from within. As MLK Junior famously said, "In a real sense, we must all learn to live together as brother's, or we will all perish together as fools."

Ultimately, the America I believe in is a first-class nation without second-class citizens; a country of safety and security; and a country that is at peace with itself and other countries. Some complain about America, but I choose to dream of what I hope America can someday be. We can't simply leave these issues for the next generation to handle. We're a great country, but I believe with time we can make the best country even better.

Upcoming Scholarship Deadlines

December Deadline

AXA Achievement Scholarships

Eligibility: 1. United States citizens or legal residents living or claiming residency in one of the 50 United States, District of Columbia or Puerto Rico.
2. Be current high school seniors who plan to enroll full-time in an accredited two-year or four-year college or university in the United States.

Nebraska Elks Association Vocational Scholarship

Eligibility: 1. Attending a Community College, Trade School or Technical School

Deadline: December

*Scholarships will also be available on Schoology.

January Deadline

J.B. Ferguson Golf Scholarship

Eligibility: 1. Must be a participant in high school golf and plan to participate in a college golf program if possible
2. May attend either a two or a four-year college

Deadline: January

Value: \$500

National Wild Turkey Federation

Eligibility: 1. Students should be graduating seniors with a 3.0.

2. Pursuing a degree at an accredited institution of higher education (i.e. Junior College, Community College, Technical College, College or University)

3. Support the preservation of the hunting tradition and actively participate in hunting sports. A copy of current hunting license is required.

4. Hold a current NWTF membership (Xtreme JAKES, student or regular membership). A membership number or receipt may be submitted if student does not possess an actual membership card.

5. Be involved in school activities

6. Demonstrate ability as a leader among his or her peers

7. Demonstrate community leadership and/ or involvement (i.e. Scouting, 4-H, civic group or club, volunteer work)

8. Submit an essay exhibiting dedication to conservation (see application)

9. Three letters of recommendation must be attached to the application

10. High schools/students must submit complete applications to the local chapter by January 1. The local chapter president's name and address should appear on the application in the box provided.

11. Employees and board members of the NWTF and their family members are not eligible to participate in the program.

Deadline: January

Value: *Each Local scholarship winner will receive a minimum of \$250

*Each State/Provincial scholarship winner will receive a minimum of \$1000

*The National scholarship winner will receive \$10,000

Nebraska Educational Office Professionals Association Student Scholarship

Eligibility: 1. Graduation from a Nebraska

Upcoming Scholarship Deadlines

high school or its equivalent, (GED)
2. Completion of two or more business education courses (four semesters) from among the following: computer/information technology (includes digital media and web design), key-boarding, accounting, office procedures, business communication, and/or management courses.

Deadline: January
<http://neopa.unl.edu/sites/default/files/Student%20Scholarship%20Form%20Fillable%202014-15.pdf>

Norma Ross Walter Scholarship

Eligibility: 1. Female high school senior
2. Prospective first year college student
3. English majors in accredited colleges or universities
4. Selection is based on intellectual promise, creativity, and character of the applicant

Deadline: January

Value: 1st place-\$2,000
2nd place-\$1,000
3rd place-\$500
<https://www.willacather.org/learn/scholarships>

Past Exalted Ruler Scholarship

Eligibility: 1. High school senior
2. Basic emphasis will be on Need.
3. No restrictions on type of school you will attend

Deadline: January

Value: Two (one boy and one girl)
\$1,100 first place
Two (one boy and one girl)
\$800 second place
Two (one boy and one girl)
\$600 third place

Vocational Scholarship Grant

Eligibility: 1. High school Senior
2. Plan to attend a Trade School, Technical School or Community College for a associate degree, diploma or certificate
(You cannot submit applications to both the Vocational Scholarship and the Elks Most Valuable Student Scholarship)

Deadline: January

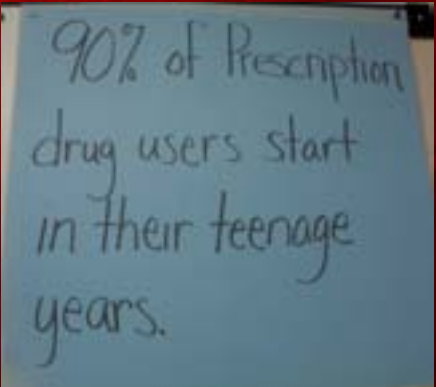
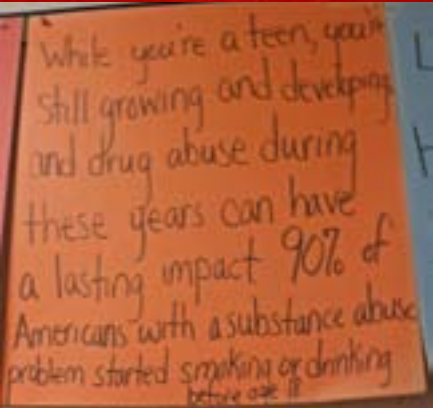
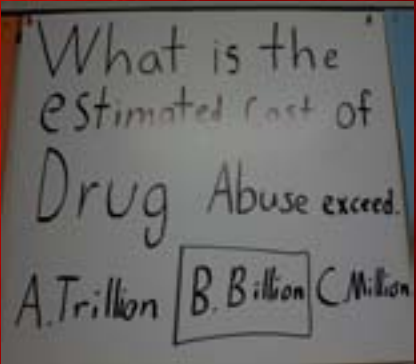
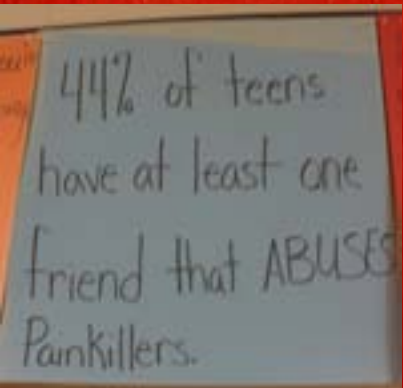
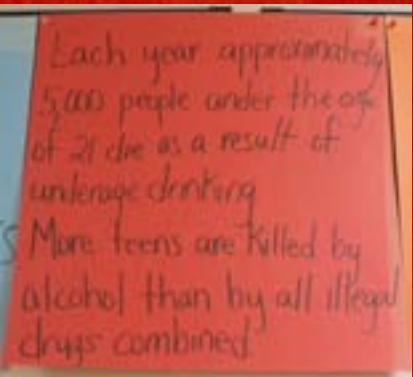
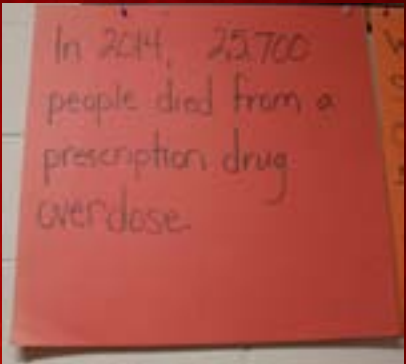
*Scholarships will also be available on Schoology.

Red Ribbon Week

By Toni Oberg, Sophomore

Red ribbon week this year was awesome. Monday was PJ day, Tuesday was superhero day, Wednesday was Hawaiian day, Thursday was tie-dye day. and we didn't have school Friday. Red ribbon week is all about saying no to drugs, directed to the elementary kids. They all love this week that they to wear PJs and dress up like superheroes. Who wouldn't want to wear PJs to school and then at the cool saying like follow your dreams and don't do drugs and it's educational as well. Red ribbon Week took Place on October 24th through 27th this year. There were also a

lot of posters lining the halls along with the superheroes and Hawaiian.



The Giving Tree

"The Giving Tree" is located at Mills Hardware.



and pick one, two, three, or more tags that you wish to grant. The tags will include teachers name and gift item wanted and will have instructions

on it. Then wrap your gift and bring it with the tag attached to the school or to Mills Hardware. And last day of school we will

sort all of the gifts and deliver them to the staff and teachers so they may open them with their students when they have their class party.

The tree will be set up at the school during the K-12 Music Program. Last year we had such a great outcome, every teacher and staff member received a wish on their list. This is a great opportunity to shop for that special teacher or staff member for something that can benefit them in or out of the classroom. The PTA also wants to thank all of you for being so supportive of our school, teachers, and staff members!

Where Did Santa Come From?

Where do you think Santa comes from? Many people think that Santa comes from the North Pole or many other places.

“Santa comes from Swedish trolls” Toni said.

There are all kinds of stories
an ideas as to where Santa came
from.

“Santa Clause merged with Father Christmas and Saint Nicolas and eventually became one” Mrs. Badgely said.

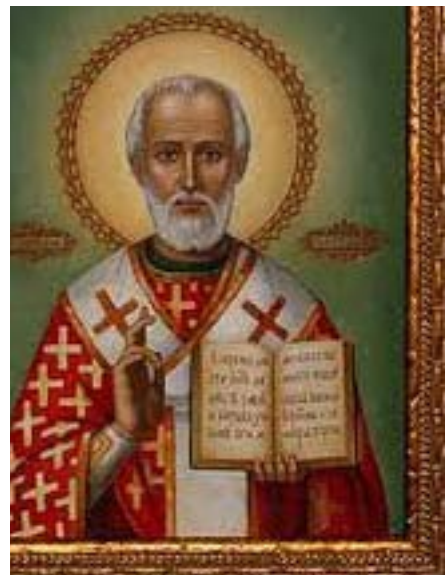
Here is where I think Santa came because of the story my grandma told me. When I was younger she told me that before Santa became Santa his name was St. Nicholas. St. Nicholas was a real man who would give

presents and gifts to child all over who did not get any on Christmas. The kids he gave presents to were mostly orphans and poor kids. From there on people began to talk about him and his name eventually became Santa.

The real story of Santa is almost the same as what my grandma told me. The legend of Santa Claus can be traced back hundreds of years to a monk named St. Nicholas. It is believed that Nicholas was born sometime around 280 A.D. in Patara, near Myra in modern-day Turkey. Much admired for his piety and kindness, St. Nicholas became the subject of many

legends.

Even though there are all kinds of stories and tales from St. Nicolas to Father Christmas, only one story is true about where he came from.



Arnold Public Schools/South Loup - December 2016						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
					3:00 PM B V WR @ Elwood Invite 4:00 PM G JV BB CO-OP Twin Loup 5:00 PM B JV BB CO-OP Twin Loup 6:00 PM G V BB CO-OP Twin Loup 7:30 PM B V BB CO-OP Twin Loup	10:30 AM B V WR @ Mullen Invite- 10:30 Central/9:30MTN 1:00 PM G JV BB Amherst High School 2:00 PM B JV BB Amherst High School 3:00 PM G V BB Amherst High School 4:30 PM B V BB Amherst High School
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	1:00 PM B JH WR @ A-M Invite		State One-Acts	7:00 PM K-12 Christmas Concert	4:00 PM G JV BB @ Stapleton Public High School 5:00 PM B JV BB @ Stapleton Public High School 6:00 PM G V BB @ Stapleton Public High School 7:30 PM B V BB @ Stapleton Public High School	10:00 AM B V WR @ A-M Invite 4:30 PM B JV BB @ Pleasanton High School 4:30 PM G JV/BB @ Pleasanton High School 6:00 PM G V BB @ Pleasanton High School 7:30 PM B V BB @ Pleasanton High School
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
		7:00 AM School Board Meeting 5:30 PM G JV BB Summer-Eddyville-Miller High School 7:00 PM G V BB Summer-Eddyville-Miller High School	7:45 AM Faculty Meeting		4:00 PM G JV BB @ Medicine Valley High School 5:00 PM B JV BB @ Medicine Valley High School 6:00 PM G V BB @ Medicine Valley High School 7:30 PM B V BB @ Medicine Valley High School	10:00 AM B V WR @ Sutherland Invite
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	TBA B V BB @ Maxwell Holiday Tournament TBA G V BB @ Maxwell Holiday Tournament	TBA B V BB @ Maxwell Holiday Tournament TBA G V BB @ Maxwell Holiday Tournament		12:00 Dismissal - Christmas Break End 2nd Quarter and 1st Semester	Gym Moratorium	Gym Moratorium

December 2016

Menu Is Subject To Change ** "USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer."

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			1 B: Egg-N-Cheese Omelet, Toast L: Goulash, T-Roll	2 B: Poptart, Yogurt L: Chicken Patty Sandwich, Tri-Tater
5 B: Cereal, Toast L: Ham and Cheese on a Bun, Baked Beans	6 B: Pancakes, Sausage, Fruit L: Salisbury Beef, Mashed Potatoes, T-Roll	7 B: Breakfast Boat L: Stromboli	8 B: Combo Bar, Toast L: Tacos	9 B: Donut, String Cheese L: Chicken Nuggets, Macaroni and Cheese
12 B: Cereal, Toast L: Hot Dog on a Bun, Baked Beans	13 B: Waffles, Sausage L: Chicken and Noodles, Mashed Potatoes, T-Roll	14 B: Breakfast Taco L: Meatloaf, Scalloped Potatoes, T-Roll	15 B: Breakfast Pizza L: Chicken Pot Pie, T-Roll	16 B: Bagel, Yogurt L: Sloppy Joe on a Bun, Tri Tater
19 B: Cereal, Toast L: Hamburger on a Bun	20 B:French Toast L: Super Nachos	21 B: Oatmeal, Toast L: Meatballs, Mashed Potatoes, T-Roll	22 B: Breakfast Cookie, String Cheese L: Pizza Bites	23 No School Christmas Break
26	27	28	29	30



Breakfast includes: Orange Juice, Milk, Water, Yogurt, Fruit and Cheese Stick everyday.

Breakfast: K-12 \$1.30
Adults: \$1.55
Grab and Go: \$0.35-0.55
Lunch: K-6 \$2.30, 7-12 \$2.55, Adults \$3.55
Ala Carte Choices by Students: \$0.50-\$2.00



Lunch includes: Vegetable, Fruit, Salad Bar, Water and Milk everyday.



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