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Natrona County High School Newsletter for Parents
February/March 2010

From the Principal.....

Natrona County High School is pleased to announce our Spring Parent/Teacher Conferences to be held on Monday, February 15th, from 12:30 - 7:00 p.m. in the East & West Cafeterias. All parents of 9th graders please start in the library.

School Climate Surveys will be distributed to parents when entering the cafeterias or library, and we would appreciate your filling them out and putting them in the box by the door before you leave the conferences. Quarter 3 progress reports will also be distributed. No appointments are necessary; come at your convenience.

We believe your attendance at these conferences will strengthen our ability to provide the best possible educational experience for your child. Our teachers are looking forward to this opportunity to meet with you and discuss the progress of your students. Some things the teachers will be discussing with you are how your child is doing; what is happening in class; and how you can work with them as partners to provide the best possible education for your child.

As we continue to improve our abilities to contact parents and keep parents informed with student grades and attendance, we are asking parents to contact our office to confirm and update contact information so that we may be more successful. Infinite Campus (NCSD attendance and grade program) allows us to set up daily and weekly email notifications concerning student attendance and grades. Please contact Traci Kennedy @ 253-1503 to update phone numbers and email addresses. Thank you for your assistance in upgrading our parent contact information to help better serve our parents and community.

NCHS will administer the state PAWS tests on March 22 - 26. We will be on

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2nd Semester
Parent/Teacher Conferences
Monday, February 15
12:30- 7:00 PM
East & West Cafeterias
or Library for 9th grade
parents

NCHS
Attendance
253-1705



a special schedule this week, and more information on the schedule will be forthcoming. The PAWS test is for sophomores and juniors.

On April 29th, the ACT test will be administered to all juniors. This is a free test paid for by the state of Wyoming and student's score on this test is one of the qualifiers for the Hathaway Scholarship. This test works just the same as the A.C.T. test students can access through the counseling office.

The Workkeys test will be given on the same day as the A.C.T. This is a test of applied math, locating information, and reading for information. The Workkeys test can also qualify students for the Hathaway Scholarship as long as the student attends a community college, like Casper College, for two years. If you feel your student will be more successful on the WORKKEYS test, please contact Mrs. Bolender or your students' counselor.

Parents, when you are visiting NC, please feel free to park in the faculty parking lots which are located north of the main building between the vocational building and the cafeteria entrance, and just east of that parking lot across Elm street. We do ticket cars with no faculty tags in those lots, but just bring your ticket in or call us if you receive one, and we will take it off.

Sincerely,

Dean Kelly, Principal

Important Dates - Mark your Calendar!!

The following is a remaining important dates - please mark your calendar for the rest of the 2009 - 2010 school year.

- February 15- second semester Parent/Teacher Conferences
12:30 - 7:00 pm in the East & West Cafeterias
- March 5 - Third Quarter Ends
- March 8-14 - Spring Break/no school
- March 16 - Third quarter report cards distributed in homeroom
- March 27 - Prom - NCHS Gym 9-12
- April 2 - Good Friday - no school
- April 17 - Military Ball
- April 19 - no school/or snow day if needed
- April 30 - Senior meeting & picture 9:30 - main gym
- May 10 - Senior Dinner 5:00 - NCHS West Cafeteria
- May 10 - Senior Awards - 7:00 p.m. NCHS Auditorium
- May 18 - Last day for seniors
- May 24 - Graduation - Events Center 7:30 pm
- May 26 & 27 - Finals for Juniors & sophomores
- May 28 - Fourth Quarter ends - 1/2 day of school

*Seniors/Parents
Last Blast 2010!!!*

*Date: May 24th
Time: 10:30 pm - 4:30 am
Come for an all-night party!!
There will be Games, Prizes,
Cash Prizes, Fun,
Food.....*



Prizes

Food

Fun



Prizes

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Food

*Parents of the Natrona County High School
Graduating Class of 2010 are once again
planning a substance-free all-night
"LAST BLAST"
celebration for our graduating seniors and are
looking for contributions of either cash or
prizes.
Cash donations will be used to fund activities
and to purchase prizes to be won by the
graduates in drawings held throughout the
night. We are also looking for
parent volunteers to help work the night of
the Last Blast. If you would like to donate
your time or make a donation, please contact
Jerry or Cheryl Quinlan @ 235-6561.*

Juniors: Tessa Angelo, Kathleen Backman, Kathryn Benardis, Christopher Brehm, Kaitlin Bressler, Samantha Brown, Kristine Carmen, Cayl Carpenter, Jordan Colman, David Finch, Alexandra Golke, Rory Graubeger, Michelle Hill, Theodore Huss, Ricardo Lind-Gonzalez, Kacie McCleary, Mikala McCool, Kyle Murphy, Kim Nuesch, Benjamin Nussbaum, Jacob Powell, Brandon Rosty, Mark Schenfisch, Trevor Scherlin, James Shellenberger, Liset Vargas, Trace White.

Seniors: Paige Anderson, Bradlie Ballard, Kelsey Barton, Joseph Bearnson, Laykin Boyes, Kyree Corbett, Ashley Creager, Felicia Cummings, Bailey Currah, Jessica Dusseljee, Brandon Fuhr-Storms, Kimberly Haug, Jessica Heck, Leland Hepworth, Adam Jensen, Courtney Jones, Shelby Jorgensen, Steven Kellick, Brystal Keser, Shaye Lanouette, Amanda Lee, Lauren McDaniel, Cole Milliken, Michael Osterholt, Carrie Pardee, Elizabeth Pieper, Kirsten Roberts, Anna Rothenhoefer, Alyssa Sanchez, Ciera Sivertson, Claire Smith, Katherine Sowers, Breanna Svenson, Caitlyn Urhammer.

NCHS hosts ninth-grade open house, dedication

You are cordially invited to attend the dedication and open house of our newly remodeled ninth grade facility, located on the second floor of the Career and Vocational Building at Natrona County High School. Please join us from 11:15 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Feb. 17, for coffee, cookies and the celebration of our newly remodeled facility. We currently have moved in more than 200 ninth-grade students from Westwood Campus. Students and staff will be in session and available for questions.

Principal Dean Kelly and his staff also would like to show their appreciation to Natrona County School District trustees, cabinet members and the Facilities & Technology Division by inviting them to attend the open house.

Attendance Honor rolls

Starting with quarter two this year, NCHS is recognizing students with good attendance. The highest honor will be the Perfect Attendance Honor Roll, which recognizes students with no absences during the quarter. The second attendance honor roll will be the Exemplary Honor Roll, which recognizes students with less than 3 excused absences. Activities and office excused do not count against them.

Perfect Attendance Honor Roll: Johnathan Bennett, Rusty Brite, Staylee Brown, Cameron Budack, Kristine Carmen, Spencer Clifford, Bethany Crowe, Tezzra Davis, Carly Demple, Emily Ellbogen, Sarah Elliott, Amber Frankland, Tawnie Goforth, Samantha Good, Matthew Green, Brittney Helm, Jesus Jimenez, Friedrich Koehler, Mitchell Krmopotich, Mikala McCool, Hunter McCurdy, Gregory McDonald, Gabriel Miller, Charles Patterson, Ajay Peddada, Marley Realing, Trevor Rieck, Kharesse Stauffacher, Nicholas Svensen.

Exemplary Attendance Honor Roll: Lucas Baker, Donald Bellamy, Matthew Brown, Anthony Colaizzi, Kyla Cole, Kimberly Coleman, Braden Crowe, Sarah Dannewitz, Katelyn Elston, Brandon Fuhr-Storms, Alexandra Golke, Kylie Graney, Zane Gray, Ebony Harris, Brigit Kelly, Cody Laird, Greg Lensert, Alex Lukowiak, Morgan Mack, Andrew Martin, Camilo Martinez, Chance McLean, Krista McVay, Andrew Miller, Madison Orcutt, Carrie Pardee, Cristina Sanchez, Charlene Scranton, Levi Shade, Dillon Shellenberger, Adam Spaulding, Courtney Stratton, Caitlyn Urhammer.

Celebrating Excellence

Second Quarter Honor Roll Breakfasts were held on Wednesday, January 27th & Thursday, January 28th, and approximately 40% of our student body were honored for their grades! The following students were winners of gift cards from area businesses just for attending the honor breakfasts: **Pheaby Amick, Jordan Kraft, Blake Hegglund, Meagan Robertson, Trevor Rieck, Cody Vollmar, Michelle Jennings, Corey Ellison, KristieAnna Donohue, T yamiekea Kaul, Cody Parke, Steven Kellick, Caleb Rhoades, Alina Sanchez, Cole Montgomery, Morgan Miller, Kyle Wirth, Lindsay O'Hearn, Kristin Trohkimoinen, Elizabeth Pieper, Matthew Brown, Caitlyn Urhammer, Morgan Sechrist, Ramon Zubia.** Congratulations to all who made the honor roll, and all who won door prizes...and remember, you can't win if you don't attend!

Pat Kukes, Natrona County High School orchestra teacher, has been named one of School Band and Orchestra magazine's "50 directors who make a difference". The magazine selected one instrumental teacher from every state to be honored. Great Job, Mr. Kukes!

Kelley Humphrey, first year math teacher at NC, has been named the recipient of the Lola B. Newcomb Grant, which funds mentoring programs for College of Education graduates who are employed as first-year teachers in Wyoming school districts.

Congratulations to Natrona County High School senior trumpet player **Sara Mayer** who was recently awarded the Most Outstanding Band Musician Award for the State of Wyoming at the All-State Music Conference Jan. 17-19 in Cheyenne.

Congratulations to the following Natrona County High School students who were selected for All-State Music. They will travel to Cheyenne Jan. 17-19, will rehearse for two days and then perform a gala concert on the night of the 19th.

Band students: **Lexi Amick, Pheaby Amick, KC Baker, Mario Feraud, Bailie Marble, David Mayer, Sara Mayer, Erin Mellendorf, Jamie Mothersbaugh, Keller Paulson and Kristen Trohkimoinen.**

Choir students: **John Shreve and Lindsay O'Hearn.**

Orchestra students: **James Meyer, Christina Hill, Andrew Hill, Christopher Unruh and Timothy Winckler.**

NCHS student **Rae Ensor** has been selected as a candidate for the United States Presidential Scholars Program. This program honors some of our nation's most distinguished graduating seniors who demonstrate exceptional scholarship and talent in the visual, creative, and performing arts. Up to 141 students are selected annually for this honor.

Congratulations to our Mustang Wrestling team who defeated the crosstown rival Kelly Walsh 58 to 24 this year capturing the Miller Cup for the 12th consecutive year!

During the month of Feb. the NCHS Advanced Photography students will be show casing their art at Metro Coffee Company. Stop on in, have a cup of coffee and enjoy the student's great photography!

NCHS senior Bailley Gibson has signed to attend University of Arizona on a track scholarship.

**Good things are happening
at NCHS!**

Every Day is a GREAT day
to be a

MUSTANG!!

COUNSELORS

O Counselor Assignments

R The students are assigned to counselors alphabetically by last name. The following is the breakdown so you will know which counselor to contact:

| | | |
|----------|--------------------|-----------------|
| N | A - E | Mr. Schenfisch |
| | F - L | Mrs. Reddy |
| | M - R | Mrs. Underwood |
| E | S - Z | Mr. Vandeventer |
| | Pre IB/IB Students | Mrs. Nokes |

R Senior Interviews

The school counselors are available to work with seniors on their plans for their future. If your student has not had a “Senior Interview” you might ask them to sign up for one in the Counseling Office. Counselors are available to discuss information on the college application process, scholarships, the military, and applying for a job.

Career and College Information Night

February 9, 2010
7:00 p.m. Kelly Walsh High School Cafeteria
Featuring: Hathaway Scholarship Information

With the passage of the Hathaway Scholarship Legislation our students are provided a unique opportunity to help pay for their college education. There are many questions regarding the Hathaway Scholarship Program. This is the time to have those questions answered and to see what possibilities are available at Wyoming’s seven community colleges and the University of Wyoming. This district wide meeting will begin at 7:00 pm in the Kelly Walsh High School Cafeteria. We will start with a presentation about the Hathaway Scholarship, followed by a question and answer session. The University of Wyoming and the community colleges will have an opportunity to speak about new programs from certificates to graduate level degrees. To close out the evening there will be a college fair, affording participants the opportunity to gather information and talk with admission representatives from the respective Wyoming institutions.

Richardson Scholarship

The Richardson Family Education Trust Fund Scholarship is available to NCHS graduates who attend the University of Wyoming or Casper College. There is no special application to be completed. The recipients must have a cumulative 2.00 (C) high school grade point average. It is necessary to file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and apply for admissions to the University of Wyoming or Casper College to be considered for the Richardson scholarship.

Boys and Girls State

Every summer during one week in June, student leaders in the junior class from around the state of Wyoming gather to participate in the Boys and Girls State week long program paid for by the American Legion and Auxiliary. This program includes an experiential learning opportunity to explore the three branches of government through the election of government officials, writing, debating and passing of bills as well as mock trial/court room experiences. Juniors participating will work with current adult leaders in Wyoming such as state legislators, judges, lawyers and even the governor!

Erin Menardi, Kelcey Moore, Justin Moreno, Kelsey Morrow, Christopher Munoz, Jessie Myers, Stephanie Olson, John Orr, Sommer Pardee, Rachael Rangel, Caleb Rhoades, Peighton Rizzotto, Coveney Roberts, Alexander Ross, Rolando Ruiz, Cristina Sanchez, Michael Scherlin, Brittqany Schoenwolf, Nicole Schroeder, Jariek Schuler, Katelyn Schwieger, Morgan Sechrist, Katy Sedmak, Shayna Shaffer, Brock Shreve, Hanna Slominski, Jeramiah Smith, Chantale Sternberg, Elizabeth Stewart, Samuel Struck, Leticia Trevizo, Nathan VanDamme, Gene VanDeest, Destinee Vaughn, Jazmine Villa, Kyle Vinich, William Wall, Julie Wamsley, Joshua Warner, Neil Williams, Nicholas Williamson, Timothy Winckler, Blake Wirth, Kelsey Woodson, Ashlee Wright.

Seniors: Brian Abelseth, Shelby Alcorn, Ashley Alverson, Amy Andreen, KayCee Archibeque, Steven Asire, William Bailey, Joseph Baker, Jonathan Barella, Jonathan Becker, Hannah Becker, Bradley Berg, Lindsey Bjorklund, Monique Bowler, Rowen Brennecke, Rachel Carey, Brittany Clemetson, Chelsea Combe, Devin Conaway, Amanda Conaway, Aaron Cooper, Clayton Dexter, Kelsey Ducello, Chasity Eklund, Hayden Esau, Austin Evans, Jodie Ford, Hannah Frieze, Mitchell Gaukel, Derek Gibbins, Baillie Gibson, Marina Gilbert, Jacob Goad, Sara Hager, Kadi Harnish, Tyler Harnsberger, William Hasely, Meaghan Henry, Sean Hensley, Kurt Hill, Caleb Holscher, Wesley Hood, Christopher Hudson, Austin Huff, Dale Huff, Lucas Hurt, Marshall Huseh, Jesus Jimenez, Rachel Judy, Mitchell Kiestler, Jordan Lance, Kiana Leisz, Aja Lewis, Kelly Logan, Lauren Long, Chawney Luper, Brett Maciech, Jacelyn Madsen, Marcella Maher, Austin Martinez, Jenna Marton, Michael Masterson, Joseph McCorry, Ari McDonald, Katrina McVay, Hunter Meyer, Paul Miller, Ryan Moffat, Ashley Moore, Christopher Moore, Shannan Morris, Kerstin Mundy, Timothy Murphy, Andrew Nobles, Lindsay O’Hearn, Clinton Onstott, Charles Patterson, Keller Paulson, Suneal Peddada, Jaime Prieto, Demi Rasmussen, Philip Reimann, Kevin Rodriguez, Alexis Rohrer, Calin Rude, Amy Ruiz, Anna Ruiz, Myriah Santistevan, Travis Scharosch, Michelle Schebler, David Scholtz, Taylor Schwahn, John Shreve, Thomas Shriver, Joel Simonson, Meghan Snell, Maryah Sosa, Sterling Steensland, Echo Stoneking, Stefanie Strang, Connie Strauss, Alexia Strother, Konor Suba, Gary Tilton, Leilani Townsend, Robert Tweedy, Cassandra Vencill, Emily Walsh, Teresa Washut, Eric Wester, Jake Whitaker, Blake Whitworth, Jarrod Yelton, Ashley True.

Scholastic Honor Roll (3.7-3.99 GPA/5 classes)

Freshmen: Pheaby Amick, Colter Bentley, Margaret Born, Dionna Doherty, Cassidy Eckhardt, Paige Hanewald, Nate Hanley, Lauren Hedges, Joanna LaPerriere, Heather Loraas, Sjannicq Naegle, Ryan Ogden, D’ana Osterman, Morgan Reimann, Kailey Richner, Dakota Wayne, Mickala Zlomke.

Sophomores: James Baker, Kaysey Baker, Theresa Brenner, Michelle Brown, K’LeeAnn Cook, Nicole Cunningham, Abby Einer, Christopher Flanigan, Casey Fox, Lindsay Hepworth, Taylor Hope, Manford Hurley, Kevin Jacobs, Mitchell Krmptovich, Zachary Kronland, Amanda Luper, Morgan Mack, Camilo Martinez, Raymon Martinez, Hunter McCurdy, Gregory McDonald, Abigail Miller, Quaid Neff, Madeline Onstott, Nicholas Palomo, Nile Plummer, Randi Schuler, Megan Sechrist, Ethan Sheffield, Shaelynn Sondag, Laura Strohecker, Adrienne Sulser, Jacob Thomas, Roy Uptain, Graham Wallace, Shaylei Willadsen, Chloe Zimmer.

Juniors: Avery Allen, Paige Bailey, Brock Beddes, Christine Bessert, Chase Cimburek, Tori Cole, Seth Coursen, Corey Cronin, Kip DeCastro, Tayler DeWitt, Jordan Dick, Christopher Ellbogen, Shelby Garska, Luke Gilbert, Victoria Grimmer, Eric Hansen, Steven Hippe, Kelly Horkan, Andrew Hudson, Ian Jacobson, Casey Karch, Emily Keating, Friedrich Koehler, Andrew Legerski, Bud Lower, Brenda Lubbers, Sidney Luers, Tonetta Martinez, Danielle Mason, Taylor Mason, Conor McCoy, Krista McVay, Morgan Miller, Cole Montgomery, Brittany Myler, Brandon Nguyen, Rachel Pryor, Brandon Roggow, Lucas Rowley, Tianna See, Brianna Shreve, Austin Swingholm, Jacob Tuft, Kyle Wirth.

Seniors: Danielle Alexander, Alexandria Amick, Jennifer Berg, Jens Boril, Chelsea Carrick, JoHanna Clifton, Kevin Crank, Sarah Dannewitz, Nickolas DeFrank, Alex Demple, Rae Ensor, Ciara Foldenauer, Travis Hayden, Tyler Johnson, Garrett Knutson, Sarah Kornkven, Dylan Kriescher, Sara Mayer, James Meyer, Fallon Miller, Alina Sanchez, Sarah Saulsbury, Haylee Saylor, Kacey Stauffer, Ashley Straughan, Stacie Suther, Giulia Tamburini, Kristen Trohkimoinen, Elizabeth Waterbury, Brady Webster, Jordin Weinrich, Olivia Wickman, James Wiggins, Meaghan Wragge, Ramon Zuzia.

Principal’s Honor Roll (4.0 GPA/5 classes)

Freshmen: Tate Chamberlain, Tayler Dukart, Brieawna Ewing, Ruth Levine, Mackenzie McCoy, Michael Orcutt, McKenna Paulley.

Sophomores: Michaela Anderson, Seth Bassham, Kyle Brandon, Daniel Dahlby, Sarah D’Amico, Jessica Dietz, Joshua Frazier, Kayzanne Graney, Laurel Green, Matthew Hansen, Michelle Jennings, Brigit Kelly, Bruce Lanouette, Alex Long, Bridger Martin, Elizabeth Meyer, James Mothersbaugh, Madison Orcutt, Bryce Parmely, Micah Scalling, Charlene Scranton, Caleb Seghetti, Michelle Sherwin, Alaina Shumate, Bethany Simonson, Martha Smith, Laura Stamp, Khahresse Stauffacher, Kristen Trumbull, Cody Vollmar, Nathan Waples, Stefani Yarger, Taylor Yates.

Students will be free to stop filling out the survey at any time. No action will be taken against them if they do not complete the survey. If you don't want your child to participate, they can read or do some other activity while their classmates complete the survey.

Like many opinion polls, all results from the study will be presented only about groups. No individual data will be reported. Only the researchers will have access to the data. The surveys will be stored in a locked storage room and electronic data will be kept on secure computers.

If you would like to see a copy of the survey, one is available in our main office, or at <http://www.uwyo.edu/wysac/HealthEducation/PNA/PNAInfoMaterials.aspx>. If you have any questions please call:

Eric Canen, MS

Phone (307) 760-0307 or Email: ecanen@uwyo.edu.

Please call NCHS **ONLY if you do not** wish your child to participate in the survey. The deadline for opting out is February 19, 2010

Natrona County High School 2nd Quarter Academic Honor Rolls

Achievement Honor Roll (3.0-3.69 GPA/5 classes)

Freshmen: Diana Aguilar, Samantha Bedsaul, Stephen Belden, Andrew Bower, Kara Buller, Lane Chaput, Anthony Co-laizzi, Cody Cook, Ian Costello, Zachary Crees, Brady Dalen, Emily DiVita, Joshua Draper, Joshua Edwards, Hailey Erbert, Eli Farmer, Cameron Fuller, Ian Gilbert, Jordynn Giubbini, Joseph Goodman, Chelsea Grable, Brodi Hart, Brittany Hayes, Justice Hayes, Kelsey Hebert, Blake Hegglund, Chandler Hiser, Hannah Hocker, James Howe, Tela Kinghorn, Jordan Kraft, Tyler Kuykendall, Greg Lensert, Daniel Lewallen, Shelby Lijewski, Christopher Love, Kody Luckow, Anthony MacMillan, Faith Marcelli, Sierra Marshall, David Mayer, Todd McCoy, Wesley McLean, Taylor Meyer, Shania Mumford, Jayde Parmely, Dara Pickett, James Pike, Selena Quintero, Maegan Robertson, Sarah Rodabaugh, Robert Schlautmann, Alisha Sipp, David Souders, Kasey Stewart, Courtney Stratton, Jacob Townsend, Sara Vigneri, Juanita Villegas, Devin Williams, Kaylee Williams, Jorden Wirth.

Sophomores: Andrea Aispuro, Jesse Alcorn, Holly Alsgaard, Cortni Alvarado, Lisa Andreen, Dylan Ashburn, Adrienne Ashley, Brett Bader, Alexander Bailey, Lucas Baker, Charla Barnish, Braden Becker, Khaymon Bell, Danyel Blair, Jacob Bratton, Rusty Brite, Madison Browning, Shyloh Buchholz, Joseph Carey, Kathryn Claney, Oakley Crippen, Braden Crowe, Haley Currah, Devin Daniels, Kyle Dawson, Alexia Devore, Leland Dexter, Jayson Doerr, KristieAnna Donohue, Garrett Dorn, April Edwards, Cory Ellison, Abbey Engen, Mario Feraud, Elysha Fowler, Jonathan Free, Justin Garriott, Garrett Geis, Zane Gray, Abigail Gray, Savanah Green, Teren Hanson, Kimberlee Harmon, Emily Harris, Heather Higgins, Vincent Hindman, Christa Hollister, Lacey Huntington, Kayla Hyde, Rahnee Jackson, Kendra Jacobson, Alexis Johnson, Tyamiekea Kaul, Taylor King, Joshua Kirkman, McKenzie Laufer, Ashley Lee, Laramie Legerski, Job Lopez, Alex Lutz, Christopher Manville, Adriana Marquez, Alexandra Marquez, Dylan McCurdy, Amberly McFall, Richard McKenzie, Taylor Millay, Arlon Miller, Tawni Moore, Tuesday Moser, Taylor Munsell, Arianne Nelson, Tyler Nicolds, Tanya Nussbaum, Tondra O'Herra, Jesse Page, Cory Peck, Kyle Plummer, Jacob Powell, Sairie Price, Aspin Rhoades, Trevor Rieck, James Rosenbaum, Paul Salveson, Bryan Sanders, Michael Schebler, Kaleanna Scoville, Dalton Shipman, Brandi Smith, Brianna Staten, John Stolte, Jenielle Stout, Austin Street, Zoey Taucher, Ashley Terry, Shae Thomas, Lauren Trohkimoinen, James Tuschling, Christopher Unruh, Zachary Uran, Araya Wallin, Alysha Watson, Sabrina Weisz, Katelyn Wheeler, Lindsay Whitman, Brice Wilkerson.

Juniors: Nicholas Alexander, Katherine Allen, Ashley Allred, Faith Banks, Braden Barnes, Rebecca Barrett, Shea Bartsch, Kaylen Bennett, Lindsey Bertagnole, Kristian Bisiar, Bradley Black, Antonia Bouzis, Adam Bowen, Jessica Brenton, Matthew Brown, Ab Brown, Staylee Brown, Clay Brownell, Whitney Bunce, Colton Burkett, Joshua Campbell, Kimberly Coleman, Tori Conaway, Erika Condelario, Taylor Cool, Jordan Cooper, Alanna Crandall, Sawyer Daniels, Kayla Davis, Lane Dennison, Colleen DeVault, Sarah Dovala, Stefan England, Richard Fielder, Kathryn Finch, James Fringer, Zachary Galloway, Emma Gallup, Ashlee Gifford, Zachary Granger, Christopher Haley, Ian Haydel, Kelsey Haymond, Jon Heald, Jordan Hendricks, Noelle Holscher, Jaycob Homer, Franklin Israel, Brian Jackson, Kalyn Jacobson, Morgan Jones, Chandler Kaiser, Valerie Kolb, Nathaniel Laible, Jeremiah Larson, Stephanie Lee, Monika Leininger, Lacey Maddox, Danielle Madsen, Andrew Martin, Frank Martinez, Devon Martinez, Kathleen Masterson, Taylor McCollum, Avery McPherson,

Boys State will be held in Douglas, Wyoming from June 5th-June 11th. Applications are due by Feb. 18th. Interviews will take place on Feb 22nd and 24th. More information concerning the Boys State applications and interviews will be released, as they become available, in the school announcements.

Girls State will be held in Powell, Wyoming from June 5th-June 12th. More information concerning the Girls State applications and interviews will be released, as they become available, in the school announcements.

Registration

High School registration for next year will take place in the current freshman, sophomore and junior Social Studies classes during February. Students will receive enrollment guides and information about how to register at least a week before the actual registration. Students will need to talk with teachers and get recommendations about which classes they should take. Parents are strongly encouraged to collaborate with their children concerning course selections, and are asked to sign the registration form, which is located in the back of the enrollment guide, before it is returned to NCHS.

From John O'Connor, The College Coach.....

Rocky Mountain Association of College Admission Counseling will present their Spring College Fair in Denver on Sunday, April 18th, from 1pm until 4pm at the University of Denver-Ritchie Center. There will be over 150 colleges from around the country, a great opportunity for juniors to gather some information and ask questions of colleges. Contact Mr. O'Connor if you have any questions. (262-6153)

ACT Testing

The ACT Test or Work Keys will be administered to all Juniors on April 28th at NCHS, free of charge. The State Legislature is providing the funding for these tests as a way to help students qualify for the Hathaway Scholarship.

PAWS Testing

The PAWS assessment will be administered during the weeks of March 15 - April 14. All sophomore and junior students will take six different tests in math, reading, and language arts at some time during these days. This will be the only time students will be able to take these tests, and, in some cases, the tests will count toward their final grade in the class. The students will be testing with their regular math and language arts teachers. **Please encourage your student to attend during these days and to do their very best. Our scores will impact future programs that we offer to our students. Thanks for your support!**

Prevention Needs Assessment Permission


NCHS will be taking part in the Prevention Needs Assessment Survey. This survey is sponsored by the Wyoming Department of Health. Students who participate will be asked about their attitudes, beliefs and behaviors. The survey gathers information used to plan programs that prevent alcohol and other drug use in our schools and communities.

The survey will take about 45 minutes during the regular school day. The risk to your child will be no greater than what he or she might experience finishing school work. The data gathered from this survey will be anonymous. Your child will not put his or her name or other identifying information on the survey. Everyone involved will follow federal and state privacy laws.

| MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
|---|--|---|----------|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | |
| 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| | | | | Forensics @ Jackson XC Ski @ Pinedale - 1:00 Conference swim @ Gillette 3:00 G Basketball @ Star Valley 3:30, 5:45, 7:30 B Basketball vs Evanston 3:30, 5:45, 7:30 Wrestling @ Green River 6:00, 7:00 Artcore 7:30 - Jalan Crossland Band | Forensics @ Jackson XC Ski @ Pinedale - 9:00 Conference swim @ Gillette 11:00 G Basketball @ Evanston 12:00, 1:45, 3:30 B Basketball vs Star Valley 12, 1:45, 3:30 Wrestling @ Rock Springs 10:00, 11:00 |
| 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| Parent/Teacher Conferences 12:30-7 pm East & West Cafeterias Progress reports distributed NO SCHOOL! | Booster Club meeting 5:30 room 102 Track Rules Clinic 7:00 room 40 | Soccer Rules Clinic 7:00 room 40 9th Grade facility tour 11:15 -12:30 | | Regional Wrestling @ NC Alpine Ski @ Laramie 10:00 Boys Basketball @ Rock Springs 3:00, 4:30, 7:45 Girls Basketball @ Rock Springs 3:00, 4:30, 6:00 | Forensics @ Greybull Wrestling Regionals @ NC Alpine Ski @ Laramie 10:00 Boys Basketball @ Green River 10:30, 12:00, 3:15 Girls Basketball @ Green River 10:30, 12:00, 1:30 |
| 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| Soccer Rules Clinic 7:00 room 40 | B BBall vs KW 5:00, 6:30 G BBall @ KW 5:00, 6:30 | | | Forensics @ Buffalo State Wrestling @ Events Center XC Ski - State @ Hogadon 1:00 State Swim @ Gillette 1:00 | Forensics @ Buffalo State Wrestling @ Events Center State Swim @ Gillette 8:00 State XC Ski @ Hogadon 9:00 B BBall @ Riverton 1:00, 2:30, 4:00 G BBall @ Riverton 1:00, 2:30, 4:00 |



FEBRUARY 2009

| MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
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| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| | | | Regional BBall @ Star Valley NC Drama "Fiddler on the Roof" 7:00 | End of 3rd Quarter NC Drama "Fiddler on the Roof" 7:00 Regional BBall @ Star Valley Forensics @ Douglas State Alpine Ski @ Jackson | NC Drama "Fiddler on the Roof" 7:00 Regional BBall @ Star Valley Forensics @ Douglas State Alpine Ski @ Jackson |
| 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| 1st Practice Spring Sports |  | | State Speech @ Riverton State Basketball @ Events Center | State Speech @ Riverton State Basketball @ Events Center | State Speech @ Riverton State Basketball @ Events Center |
| SPRING BREAK.....NO SCHOOL!! | | | | | |
| 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| Artcore 10:30, 1:00 Enchantment Theatre Nordic Ski Awards 6:00 | Booster Club meeting 5:30 room 102 Swim Awards 6:00 Wrestling Awards 6:00 3rd Quarter report cards distributed 2nd period | | Girls Soccer vs Central 4:00, 6:00 Boys soccer @ Central 4:00, 6:00 Alpine ski awards 6:00 Honor Roll breakfast 9th & 10th 9:40 - 10:00 | Boys soccer @ Gillette 3:00, 5:00 Girls soccer vs Gillette 4:00, 6:00 Honor Roll breakfast 11th & 12th 9:40 - 10:00 | Track @ NC 10:00 |
| 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| | Boys soccer @ Laramie 3, 5:00 Girls soccer vs Laramie 4, 6:00 Boys BBall awards 6:00 Choir Concert 7:00 - Aud | | | Boys soccer @ Evanston 10, 12:00 Girls soccer vs Evanston 10, 12:00 | Girls soccer vs Star Valley 3, 5:00 Boys soccer @ Star valley 3, 5:00 PROM - 9 - 12 Gymnasium |
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