



North Boone

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Cheerleaders Compete in State Finals

The North Boone Varsity Cheerleading Team had another incredible year. They placed seventh in the State Competition this year. This is the second year in a row that the team has qualified for the State Competition.

The members are: Kylie Nelson, Hannah Underwood, Jenna Shattuck, Emma Blasinski, Miranda Wagner, Jonah Brunschon, Olivia Topping, Alexis Seabaugh, and they were coached by Krystal Jole and Kim Crull.



Congratulations On Another Outstanding Year!

Manchester Shoe Drive



Manchester has been learning and practicing character traits this year through the Manchester Manners Matter program. During the month of February, the school focused on showing kindness. The Rockford IceHogs along with Easter Seals came to visit early in the month to work with the students on bullying. They helped our students understand more about bullying, how it is unkind, and how we can show kindness everyone.

Also during the month, Manchester School hosted a Cinderella Shoe drive to provide new and gently used shoes for those in need. We were hoping to collect 100 pairs. That goal was not only met but exceeded with a collection of 189 total pairs. The shoes were donated to the Rockford area charity, Rock House Kids. We are so proud of all the kindness that is being shown at Manchester!

Capron Celebrates Dr. Seuss Day

On Friday, March 2nd, students at Capron Elementary celebrated Dr. Seuss Day. Students and staff participated in several activities during the morning, each related to Dr. Seuss, his life, and his many wonderful stories. Students in Kindergarten through 4th grade were divided into multi-grade groups that encouraged collaboration and cooperation between the older and younger students. This also gave students the opportunity to work with children from different classes and age groups that they may not see during a typical school day. Three stories were read to students and each were followed by an interactive activity. The first story was Imagine That. With this story, students participated in a STEM challenge to build the tallest hat. The next story was The Lorax. The activity with this story was to create their own mustaches with yarn and popsicle sticks. The Last story was, What pet should I get? Students created their own new animal pets in puppet form. Lots of fun and learning was experienced by all!





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Spread The Word To End The Word

The North Boone Middle School students participated in the Spread the Word to End the Word activities during the week of March 5-9, 2018. The Spread the Word to End the Word movement was created to end the demeaning use of the “R-word”. Throughout this week, students participated in a variety of activities including Special Olympics trivia, a kindness selfie station and students and staff signed a banner pledging to end the word. Friday, March 9th was the culminating activity for the week. We had an assembly with multiple guest speakers, including Steve Freeman, Global Ambassador for the Special Olympics, and Scott Freeman, his older brother. Our final speaker was Amy Dalke who read Welcome to Holland, an inspirational story. Thank you to Mrs. Cari Weiffenbach, Mrs. Ashley Boyer, Miss Kassie Bowman and all of the students and staff at the Middle School for making this week memorable and successful. We are hopeful that moving forward we can lose that word and all other insensitive and derogatory words from our vocabularies.



Pictured beneath the banner (from left to right): Mr. Jamie Pearce (NBMS Principal), Mrs. Cari Weiffenbach (Teacher), Steve Freeman (Global Ambassador for the Special Olympics), Mrs. Ashley Boyer (Teacher), Miss Kassie Bowman (Teacher)

KDG Registration

Below is the info for registering your kindergartner

To attend kindergarten, students must be five years of age or older on or before September 1.

This early registration process gives parents information to ease the transition into kindergarten and assists the District in planning for enrollment growth and staffing needs. Please take advantage of this opportunity to register your child!

To participate in Kindergarten registration, parents should first fill out a registration form with basic information regarding their child. This document should be completed, printed from the district website at (www.nbcusd.org) and brought to the school. Completing these forms in advance will expedite the process at the school. There will also be copies at the school.

Parents will be asked to present the following original documents, as well as copies of the following documents, to finalize the registration process. Please bring these documents with you to the school:

Certified Copy of Birth Certificate • Social Security Card • Immunization Records • Proof of Residency • Registration Fees

Parents should allow approximately 45 minutes to an hour to complete the registration process, though the amount of time could vary depending upon the number of students being registered. Information about Kindergarten Parent Orientation, Meet the Teacher Night, school supply lists and additional pertinent information about your child’s school will be shared. Please refer to the district website for additional school registration information.

North Boone Abates Taxes & Reduced Student Fees




The North Boone School Board is continuing the planned abatements with grant money that was paid back to the district but has also made efforts for an additional abatement to further reduce the bond levy in an attempt to stabilize taxes for the community. At the March meeting, the School Board reduced student fees for the 2018-2019 school year. Each school year, registration fees are charged for items that are directly consumed or used by students. This can include but is not limited to consumable materials, supplies, or rental of textbooks. For students in grades PreK-8th grade registration fees for 2018-2019 will be \$75 per student & students in grades 9-12 the fees will be \$125 per student. Any family that registers during the July 26th or August 1st registration & pays in full will receive a \$25 discount per child. Please refer to the website for additional information in regards to student fees.

Dates to Remember

- April 24th – SAT Test for Eleventh Graders
- May 17th – Middle School Promotion
- May 21st – High School Graduation
- May 21st – Last Day of Student Attendance
- July 26th – Early Registration
- August 1st – Last Early Registration Date

Want to see what went on at North Boone this week? Check out our news section for weekly district updates! <http://www.nbcusd.org/news>

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