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SUPERINTENDENT NOTES

by Dr. Galen Boldt



From The Superintendent

Wow!!!! What a start!! Our staff was prepared and the kids were excited and we have our first few days under our belt with a great sense of optimism for a fantastic year!! Lots of hard work goes into being prepared for the beginning of the school year, and we can all be proud of the job that our staff has done to make JCC a welcoming, caring and nurturing place. That started with our summer staff who worked diligently to make our school clean, safe, and well-maintained. Our teachers and administrators used the days prior to student arrival to make plans necessary to give our kids a great opportunity for success. I have to say that our start was very smooth and now we are ready to dig in for the hard daily work of doing our best to be the best we can be.

The Board of Education and I have been looking at a budget that will primarily levy the same tax rate that was levied this past year. We will publish our budget hearing notices the 1st week of September at which time you will see the actual numbers relating to the budget, but you can plan on a total levy that will be right at \$0.94. Our valuation has stabilized with a slight increase realized after the certified values were determined to give us a total district-wide valuation of \$727,324,667 for 2018-19. This compares to last year's valuation of \$726,354,904. The 2018-19 Budget will be on the September Board Agenda for approval.

Our school continues to look at the projects needed to maintain our facilities at both the Cook and the Tecumseh sites. The Board and staff have done a great job identifying the priorities of work so we can continue operating a quality school that we are proud of. The issues our aging buildings present makes our work a little challenging at times, however the district has taken the appropriate steps as needed over the years. The coming years will continue to present issues that we need to discuss so that we can have the type of environment that our students need to pursue their hopes and dreams.

NEWS FROM PRINCIPAL RICK LESTER

School has started off great, students have their final schedule and extra-curricular activities are already in full gear.

Bringing the John Baylor Test Prep program on-line to JCC district is an investment by the district in our students ACT score: an important measure used for college admission and financial aid. Most test prep courses cost hundreds of dollars, JCC student's will complete the John Baylor ACT Test Prep at school and have access at home as well - Free of charge. All JCC students will have full access at home to all the ACT prep sessions, bonus materials, and college counseling content using their iPad. JCC students can use the John Baylor ACT Test Prep as much as they want at school or home.

We truly believe the best and most efficient way for a student to maximize his/her potential on the ACT test is to take challenging core classes throughout their high school career. The John Baylor Test Prep program is another tool to help students reach their potential on the ACT test.

If you are interested in your student taking the John Baylor Test Prep program, please make sure your student fills out the form they received at school.



MIDDLE SCHOOL & ATHLETIC NEWS BY RICH BACON

The 2018-2019 school year officially began with the Middle School walk-through and the Preschool and 4th and 5th grade Open House on Wednesday, August 15th. All of these events were very well attended with over 80% of our students represented. The students and their parents who attended need to be commended for taking the time to ensure their first day of school goes as smoothly as possible.

This year we welcome three new teachers to the Middle School. After finishing out last year, Mr. Justin Damme is back teaching middle school social studies. Ms. Maddie Kohrs is teaching special education and Mrs. Mary Robison is teaching 7th & 8th grade math. I know the rest of our staff and student body welcome these educators with open arms and look forward to working with them throughout the year.

Middle School students and staff are all excited as we enter the 3rd year of the 1:1 iPad initiative. We believe the iPad can be a tremendous resource which can be used to enhance learning for all of our students. However, with the iPads comes a great deal of responsibility for the students and their parents. Students and parents need to read and understand all JCC iPad policies and procedures and use the device in a responsible and ethical manner. Parents are encouraged to keep informed of how the iPad is being used in the classroom. Students need to bring their iPad to school every day with a full charge. And, as with all technology, parents should supervise their child's use of the iPad at home. As always, if you have any questions or concerns throughout the year, please don't hesitate to contact your child's teacher or myself.

Junior High football, volleyball and cross country practices are underway with their first contests rapidly approaching. At the start of any season we should take time to think about the purpose of athletics in a Middle School setting. While everyone wants to win and winning is our goal, it cannot be the purpose of our sports program at this level. Middle School activities need to encourage participation and the development of fundamentals that will help them succeed at the varsity level. Instead of emphasizing winning and losing, we need focus on hard work and effort. If students can learn to work hard and give maximum effort at a young age they are learning two skills that will help them succeed for the rest of their lives. Please support our young athletes this year by attending games and cheering their efforts. GO THUNDERBIRDS!!

ImPACT Concussion Testing Program

Johnson County Central is, once again, utilizing the ImPACT Concussion Testing Program for all athletes grades 7-12 to help improve the school's and coaches' care for athletes with sports-related concussions. This program is being provided by Nebraska Orthopaedic & Sports Medicine, and Saint Elizabeth Regional Medical Center of Lincoln, through the Nebraska Sports Concussion Network. The ImPACT Test is an online computerized test that is specifically designed for managing sports-related concussions. The test measures brain reaction time, processing speed, memory, attention, and allows medical professionals to obtain a "snap-shot" of how one's brain functions in normal conditions. Athletes are baseline tested in the pre-season, and if an athlete sustains a head injury, they are re-tested. Post-injury scores are then compared to pre-injury, baseline scores. If differences exist between the baseline and post-injury tests, athletes will be restricted from activity until further test results return to normal. As post-injury scores return to baseline, or normal, this indicates an athlete is recovered sufficiently to resume a step-wise progression back into activity and full participation. This form of testing and return-to-play helps avoid prolonging the recovery from a concussion, and prevents athletes returning to play too soon before the brain has had time to fully heal, risking serious or catastrophic injury.

This year Thunderbird athletes in 7th, 9th and 11th grades and any new athletes participating in contact sports (football, volleyball, wrestling, boys & girls basketball, and track-jumpers) will be tested. The cost of the baseline testing is being funded and implemented by the Nebraska Sports Concussion Network. Post-Injury testing, if necessary, will be conducted by a health care professional trained in ImPACT and usual office visit charges will likely apply. School personnel have been trained to conduct baseline tests at school, and all coaches will have taken an online Concussion Training for Coaches course in an effort to improve the recognition of potential head injuries. Additional information in recognizing head injuries is available for parents and athletes at www.NebSportsConcussion.org. Johnson County Central would like to thank Nebraska Orthopaedic & Sports Medicine, Saint Elizabeth Regional Medical Center, Johnson County Hospital, Tecumseh Family Health and our area doctors for making the ImPACT Testing Program available to our athletic programs, and helping us ensure we are doing our absolute best in caring for your sons and daughters.

ACTIVITY PASSES

All students, grades 7-12 who are involved in extra-curricular activities need to purchase a student activity fee. Fee waivers may apply. Upon payment of the activity fee, students will receive an activity pass which will allow entry to all home activities sponsored specifically by the school. Excluded from the activity fee are – conference. and NSAA activities; activities run by a specific group/activity (prom, booster club tournament, etc.).

Cost for the activity fee is - \$25 for High School students, \$25 for 7th & 8th students. K-6 students may also purchase an activity pass for \$15. No family would be required to pay for more than the two oldest students. These may be purchased through the middle school and high school office.

Adult Season Passes are available for \$50 each, and Seniors 60 years of age or older may receive a free lifetime pass.

NOTES FROM THE HIGH SCHOOL COUNSELOR Ms. Olivia Reuter

2018/2019 ACT Test Dates

The remaining ACT testing dates and registration deadlines for the 2017-2018 school year are listed below. The registration deadline for the September test has already passed, so the next test to register for is the one in October.

<u>ACT Test Date</u>	<u>Registration Deadline</u>
Saturday, October 27, 2018	Friday, September 28, 2018
Saturday, December 8, 2018	Friday, November 2, 2018
Saturday, February 9, 2019	Friday, January 11, 2019
Saturday, April 13, 2019	Friday, March 8, 2019
Saturday, June 8, 2019	Friday, May 3, 2019
Saturday, July 13, 2019	Friday, June 14, 2019

Students must electronically submit a photo with the application and the admission ticket will have the student's picture printed on it. When students go to take the test, they must have a state or school issued picture ID (driver's license, school ID card, etc. and their ACT admission ticket. They will not be allowed to test without those two items.

All students must also indicate the school they attend when registering. Johnson County Central High School's **school code number** is **282-319**. Students choose their testing location as a part of the registration process. Many JCC students test in Auburn, but there are other test center options in locations such as locations in Beatrice, Palmyra, Lincoln, etc.

Students may register online at www.actstudent.org. Online registration is possible 24/7 on any computer connected to the internet. A MasterCard or VISA must be used to pay fees online. (Fee Waivers are available for juniors and seniors who qualify-see Mrs. Reuter for waiver eligibility).

Start Applying to College Now

Seniors should start applying to colleges and universities now. Students should apply to at least their top two or three colleges and universities. Most all colleges and universities have options for students to apply online and many also have application fee waivers for students who qualify for the free and reduced lunch programs at their schools. If students have questions or need help applying to college, they can come see me anytime at school and I'd be glad to help them.

NHS September Blood Drive

JCC National Honor Society members will host a Red Cross Blood Drive on Tuesday, September 11th from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Students, staff, parents and community members who wish to give to help save a life should contact National Honor Society members to schedule a donation time. You may also email Mrs. Reuter at olivia.reuter@jccentral.org to schedule a donation time or register online at www.redcrossblood.com. One unit of blood given can help save up to three lives! The entire donation process takes about an hour from registration through refreshments. The actual donation takes about eight minutes. Drinking plenty of fluids the day of and the day before the donation and eating a good breakfast helps to ensure a positive experience.

Please bring Red Cross Donor Card and/or Picture Identification. Students who are 16 will also need a signed parent consent form to be able to give. Walk-ins are welcomed but appointments are preferred. Contact Mrs. Reuter or register online to be a lifesaver!

Applications Open: Horatio Alger Scholarships/ Aksarben Scholarships

Seniors who are US citizens, who have a cumulative GPA of at least a 2.0, who are involved in extra-curricular and community service activities, who display integrity and perseverance in overcoming adversity, and who demonstrate critical financial need (\$55,000 or lower adjusted gross family income) are encouraged to apply for Horatio Alger scholarships including Nebraska Aksarben scholarships. The application deadline is October 25th, however seniors should start applying now as the application is quite long and requires supporting materials. To learn more and apply, visit scholars.horatioalger.org

Wendy's High School Heisman Program for High School Seniors

Seniors may now apply for a Wendy's High School Heisman award. There is one male and one female winner from each school, state winners, regional winners, and national winners in this program. The top awards are \$5000 scholarships. All seniors who excel in high school sports, in the classroom, and who are involved in their communities should apply for this award. As a part of this application, students will need a reviewer, they should use their high school counselor as their reviewer since the reviewer needs to provide the student's official GPA and class rank. To apply, students must have participated in at least one varsity sports all four years of high school and have a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0. Applications must be submitted before or on October 17th to be accepted. The application is rather lengthy though so students should start applying now rather than closer to the deadline. Apply online by clicking the red Apply Now button at the following website <https://www.wendyshighschoolheisman.com/>

NACAC College Fair in Omaha on September 16th

All students who are interested in learning about many different colleges and universities from all over the United States at one event may sign up to attend the free NACAC (National Association for College Admissions Counseling) College Fair. This fair is held in Omaha on Sunday, September 16th. Transportation is on your own and it is encouraged for students to attend with their parents. Students may register for this event free of charge by visiting gotomyncf.com.



Elementary News

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SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:



- Mon. Sept. 3—NO SCHOOL!
- Fri. Sept. 7—School Pictures.
- Fri. Sept 21—1:00 DISMISSAL
- Fri. Sept. 21—Fight Community Hunger Tailgate Party, 6:15 PM @ Football Field.

What the Future Will Hold

Who knows. We can try to predict? We can speculate. But, the truth is, no one truly knows what our children's futures will be like. It is because of the unknown that we must do our best to prepare our students.

What will society be like? What careers will be available to them? What will their *future* interests be?

Thinking of their futures can be a bit overwhelming and can send us well-intentioned parents into a panicked frenzy. How do we truly *prepare* them? I believe we can't get them ready for absolutely every scenario. But, we can help learn how to cope with, and overcome, unpredictable and adverse situations.

To be sure, their academics will be important. As will their experiences outside of school.

The things they learn to do. Their skills. Where do sports fit in? Will they use those skills in their future? Maybe. Maybe not. At least, maybe not the skill of punting a football or spiking a volleyball. But the other skills (teamwork, perseverance, reliability, dependability, poise, just to name a few) most certainly will help them.

Some of the most important skills our children will need are not explicitly taught in schools, in activities or at home. They are usually hidden within something else they are doing, like building a fort. How do students *learn* creativity? By practicing being creative. How do they learn perseverance? By having a struggle and getting the opportunity to struggle through it. How do they learn to be part of a team? By having a responsibility, or a job to do, that takes a collective group towards a common goal.

It is in many of these situations that our children will have trouble. It is imperative that we do **not** take the struggle away, but support them through the struggle. When they are having trouble being creative (thinking of something) that we don't *give* our thoughts, but help them clarify their own.

We also want our children to learn to work at those things they don't necessarily like. There is an old saying "practice makes perfect". However, I like the newer saying "practice makes permanent", meaning that *how* we do things becomes our norm. I do believe that if hard work and a positive attitude are their norm, our children can't go wrong in the future.

JCC Booster Club & Music Boosters

The Booster Club and Music Boosters are not just for parents of students involved in activities. Any parent, patron or community member can be involved. Both organizations are always looking for more volunteers and fresh ideas to support our students.

What do the boosters do?

- Purchase uniforms for activities.
- Purchase necessary equipment.
- Provide support for the students, teachers and coaches involved.

How can you help?

- Volunteer to work in the concession stand.
- Come to the meetings.

If you would like to be involved, share ideas and help make decisions that will effect all our students, contact any of the school offices to find out more!



September Newsletter First Grade Mrs. Faris

I am writing this newsletter article on the first day of First Grade 2018. We had a wonderful day! Our theme this year is Mr. and Mrs. Potato Head. Each year is a different theme as each class is special to me, and I want them to have a unique first grade year. It's amazing as high schoolers walk past my room, many can stop and tell me the theme from their year.

There are 16 students in my class this year, and they will be very busy learning and having fun. Our "Big" academic goals for the year are:

1. I CAN read fluently and understand what I read.
2. I CAN write complete sentences to share information (using my English, spelling, and vocabulary skills).
3. I CAN write neatly so others can read it.
4. I CAN use math skills to solve problems in my everyday life.
5. I CAN learn about the world around me through social science lessons.

All of our daily lessons have objectives that work towards these big goals.

Lessons are taught with different learning styles in mind. Through our Marzano Instructional Design Elements we are focusing on ways to include visual, auditory, and kinesthetic strategies into our day. The 10 Design Elements that we are focusing on are: Establishing classroom routines, Chunking content, Acknowledging adherence to rules and procedures, Understanding students' interests and backgrounds, Providing clear learning goals and scales to measure those goals, Providing resources and guidance, Identifying critical information, Using academic games, Using physical movement, and Reviewing content. We have many visuals posted in our room, and we use the Mimeo board as a means to view content information. Cooperative learning groups or working in pairs is a great way for students to use their auditory skills and listen to each other as they solve problems. To check for student understanding, I can ask for thumbs up, thumbs down, a 4, 3, 2, 1 signal, discuss with a neighbor, or "Tell me ___" sentences. Students circulate around the classroom frequently for different activities to get them up and moving. I have many academic games that are included during reading times and math times as well as some great iPad apps. I can go on and on with more strategies, but I'll stop here.

As the year goes on I will share more information about the many activities that take place in first grade. Please know that you are always welcome to walk our hallways to see the work posted on bulletin boards, but please check in at the office first. Family members are welcome to have lunch with students, but please let us know ahead of time so we can inform the lunch ladies.

Happy Fall Days!

The Thunderbird Way

By Marsha Bacon, K-8 School Counselor

When at school or at school events, encourage your student to follow the Thunderbird Way. The Thunderbird Way part of the Johnson County Central curriculum in the elementary and middle school. It is a pro-social behavior program that promotes positive behaviors, social skills, and problem solving strategies and is utilized by all JCC staff in grades PK-8.

Below is the Thunderbird Way poster that explains what the school expectations are in different areas in school. These posters can be found throughout the school; in classrooms, hallways and offices. Students are excited to be Learners as well as Safe, Respectful and Responsible Thunderbirds. We want our students to enjoy coming to school and to learn something new every day.



Johnson County Central Behavior Expectations
"It's the Thunderbird Way!"

The Thunderbird Way: Will create a successful learning environment!

Area	Be Safe	Be Respectful	Be Responsible
Classrooms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Keep hands, feet and objects to self 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Follow adult directions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Follow school rules • Bring all necessary items to class every day
PE/ Free Time	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use equipment appropriately 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Play fairly with everyone 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Follow playground rules
Hallways	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Walk on the right 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Keep hands to yourself 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Quiet voices
Restrooms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wash hands & put paper towel in the trash container 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Give people privacy 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Flush toilet & return to class
Lunchroom	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Keep hands, feet and objects to self 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use good manners 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clean up

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The Thunderbird Way also encourages students to be positive leaders. All students are leaders and can help those around them make appropriate behavior choices through their example. The purpose of a positive behavior program is to support and promote appropriate and exceptional behaviors. To encourage positive behaviors, staff members may compliment students with their choice or provide students with ticket which can be used for rewards in both the elementary and middle school. There are many ways students demonstrate positive behavior choices. It may be when a student picks up trash in the hall, is kind to another student who needs a friend, or when a student brings their homework every day. A component of the Johnson County Central mission statement is to create lifelong learners. The Thunderbird Way provides students the tools they need to be successful at school and life by promoting safety, responsibility, education, respect and leadership.



The Thunderbird Way is part of student life at Johnson County Central. Encourage your student to be the best Thunderbird they can be every day at home and at school by discussing the importance of the components of the Thunderbird Way.

Cook Site Assembly

During the month of September, there will be an assembly for students addressing stresses of student life and resources available to them to help cope with personal difficulties. I will utilize some of the Social-Emotional resources from our Second Step Curriculum for this assembly, along with other resources. Our students are balancing many items including academics, extracurricular activities, friendships, social media, gaming and much more. For some students, the pressures can seem overwhelming. Students are always welcome to visit with school counselors and teachers if they need help. The assembly will be for students' grades 4-8. If you have questions or concerns about the assembly, please contact me at: marsha.bacon@jccentral.org or (402)864-4171 or (402)335-3320.

#ThunderbirdPride



September is Suicide Prevention Awareness Month

September is Suicide Prevention Awareness Month. National Suicide Prevention week is September 9-15, 2018, World Suicide Prevention day on September 10th. Suicide is a very serious and very real problem with our youth. Spreading awareness is the first step to helping this problem.

In Nebraska....

- ◇ In Nebraska, suicide is the 1st leading cause of death for ages:
10 - 14 years & 2nd leading cause of death for ages 15 - 24 years*
- ◇ 270 male and 61 female youth, ages 10-24, died by suicide in Nebraska between 2005 - 2014. *

*2015 Reports from Center for Disease Control



Warning signs that we look for in school.

- changes in school performance (e.g. grades, attendance)
- changes in mood
- complaints of illness
- increased disciplinary problems at school
- problems experienced at home or family situations (stress, trauma, divorce, substance abuse, poverty, domestic violence)
- communication from teachers about problems at school
- dealing with existing mental health concerns

Some warning signs may help you determine if a loved one is at risk for suicide, especially if the behavior is new, has increased, or seems related to a painful event, loss, or change.

- Eating or sleeping too much or too little
- Pulling away from people and things
- Having low or no energy
- Feeling numb or like nothing matters
- Having unexplained aches and pains
- Feeling helpless or hopeless
- Smoking, drinking, or using drugs
- Dealing with existing mental health concerns
- Feeling unusually confused or forgetful; on edge, angry, or upset; or worried and scared
- Fighting with family and friends
- Unable to get rid of troubling thoughts and memories
- Thinking of hurting or killing yourself or someone else
- Unable to perform daily tasks like taking care of your kids or getting to school or work

Resources

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline 1-800-273- TALK (8255)

Everyone should have this number on hand in case there is ever an emergency with yourself or someone you love.

National Suicide Prevention Chatline

<http://suicidepreventionlifeline.org>

Safe Place: 1-888-290-7233

Project Safe Place provides access to immediate help and supportive resources for young people in crisis

911

You would not hesitate to call this number if someone else's life was in danger... don't hesitate to call for your own life.

Suicide is a topic that is very difficult for everyone but if we can be aware of the warning signs for others, for ourselves, we might be able to save a life. If you ever have questions or concerns about a student, please contact us. Our most important job at school is to help students/families with emotional concerns.

Respectfully,

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- Children's behavioral issues
- Parent/child conflict resolution
- Youth mental health referrals

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Bryan Counseling Center
Use Bryan West Campus,
2300 S. 16th St.
main medical center entrance

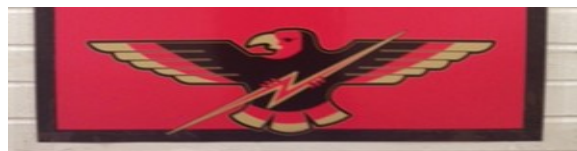
Phone: 402-481-5991



JCC School song

Thunderbirds Fly

Here's to the new, here's to the old.
Here's to the red, the black, and the gold.
Flying beneath the red, white, and blue.
Proudly display our colors bright and true.
United as one T-Birds will fly.
Sing our affection to ol' central high.
Loyal to her year after year.
Crying the Thunderbird vic'try cheer.
J--C--C-H-S, Thunderbirds, Thunderbirds,
GO GO GO!



Dear friends of Johnson County School students,

The Johnson County Backpack Program has hopes of being as successful as last year, with your help!

Thank you to all churches, businesses, organizations, and individuals of the Johnson County area and beyond, for the generous contributions given in the name of the Backpack Program.

Last year 72 backpacks were picked up by students each Friday during the school year. When school wasn't in session on Fridays, they were distributed on Thursday.

Letters are being sent out now throughout the Johnson County area again asking for your continued support. If you haven't been able to donate to this worthy cause before, maybe this year will be a year you may consider!

Six different meal menus, which are rotated on a weekly basis, are set up by the Lincoln Food Bank. A sample menu might include: bread, peanut butter, jelly, canned fruit and vegetables, and cereal. According to the most recent data available from "Feeding America, Map the Meal Gap 2018", Johnson County is at 11.6% or 600 people are food insecure. (*Food insecure lacking reliable access to a sufficient quantity of affordable, nutritious food.*) Children make up 17.5% or 170 of all people who are food insecure in Johnson County. These statistics reflect a slight improvement over the last report. Hungry children don't perform as well at school as they could. Proper nutrition insures that their brains, bones, teeth and muscles develop properly. Hungry children might not be focused or happy. Regardless of why these children don't have enough to eat, **it isn't their fault or something they should have to worry about.**

A backpack for the whole school year for one student will cost approximately \$250. The good news is that the cost didn't increase for this school year! Please consider helping the students with this important part of their educational program. *Let's fight childhood hunger together! Please consider a tax-free donation to the Johnson County Backpack Program.*

Please make your check, **this year**, for the students in Johnson County to **Johnson County Central** and please write **Johnson County Hunger** on the memo line.

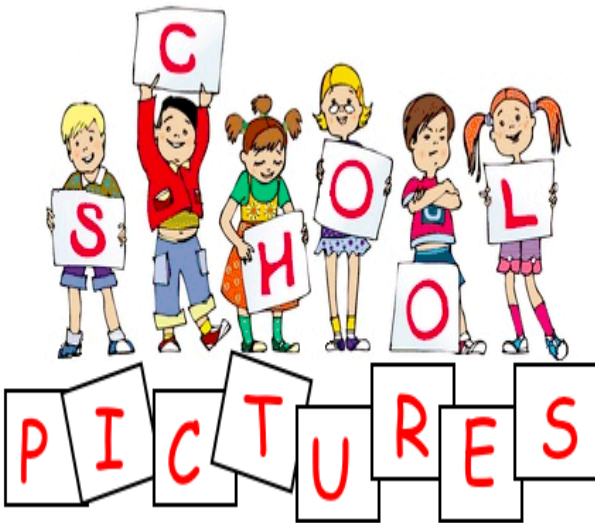


Please send all checks to:

*Sally Hutt
P.O. Box 274
Tecumseh, NE 68450*

School Picture Day Friday, September 7th

Both sites. Everyone's picture will be taken. Purchasing pictures is optional with order form/envelope given to students. Payment and order envelope need to be presented to the photographer the day of pictures—September 7th.



September 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2	3 NO SCHOOL! Labor Day	4 Jr High FB @ <u>Freeman</u> 4 pm JV/V VB Tri vs <u>Syracuse/Wilber</u> @ <u>Syracuse</u> 5:30 pm G Golf vs HTRS @ <u>Tec CC</u> 3 pm JV FB @ <u>Auburn</u> 6pm	5	6 GGB XC <u>Fremont</u> Invite @ <u>Calvin Crest</u> 4pm C Team/V VB vs <u>Palmyra</u> @ <u>JCC Tec</u> 5:30/6:30 pm 5th Grade Instrument Mtg. with Dietz Music @ <u>MS Cook</u> 6:30 pm	7 SCHOOL PICTURES! Both sites V FB vs <u>Shelby-Rising City</u> @ <u>Shelby</u> 7 pm	8 JV VB Tourney @ <u>Syracuse</u> 8:30 am
9	10 V VB <u>Mudecas</u> @ <u>Beatrice</u> TBA	11 Red Cross Blood Drive @ <u>JCC Tec High School</u> 8:30 am Jr High VB vs <u>Palmyra</u> @ <u>Cook</u> 4 pm V VB <u>Mudecas</u> @ <u>Beatrice</u> TBA G Golf <u>Bennington Inv.</u> @ <u>Stone Creek, Omaha</u> 9:30 am	12 FFA <u>Husker</u> Harvest Days @ <u>Grand Island</u>	13 G Golf <u>JCC</u> Invite @ <u>Tec CC</u> 9:00 am V VB <u>Mudecas</u> @ <u>Beatrice</u> TBA Jr High VB @ <u>Wilber-Clatonia</u> 4:30 pm GGB XC <u>Fillmore Central Inv.</u> @ <u>Geneva CC</u> 4:30 pm	14 V FB @ <u>Yutan</u> 7pm MS Band @ <u>Richardson</u> County Parade 11:00 am	15 Jr High VB @ <u>Louisville</u> 8am
16	17 C Team VB JB Invite @ <u>Johnson Brock</u> 4 pm G Golf vs HTRS @ <u>Kirkmans Cove</u> 9am JV FB vs <u>Louisville</u> @ <u>JCC Tec</u> 6 pm	18 GGB XC <u>Malcolm Inv.</u> @ <u>Branched Oak</u> 4 pm Jr High FB vs <u>Auburn</u> @ <u>JCC Tec</u> 4:30 pm C Team/JV/V VB vs <u>Elmwood</u> @ <u>JCC Tec</u> 5/6/7 pm	19	20 Jr High VB vs <u>Syracuse</u> @ <u>Syracuse</u> 4:30 pm GGB XC <u>Randall Smith Inv.</u> @ <u>Hebron CC</u> 5 pm JV/V VB vs <u>Southern</u> @ <u>JCC Tec</u> 6/7 pm	21 1:00 Dismissal TEACHER WORKDAY Fight Community Hunger Tailgate 6-15 p, @ <u>JCC Tec</u> . V FB vs <u>Conestoga</u> @ <u>JCC Tec</u> 7 pm	22 V VB Tourney @ <u>Louisville</u> 9am HS Band @ <u>Applejack Parade</u> <u>Nebraska City</u> 1 pm
23	24 G Golf vs <u>Auburn</u> @ <u>Auburn CC</u> 9 am Jr High FB vs <u>Conestoga</u> @ <u>Conestoga</u> 4:30 pm Jr High VB vs <u>Tri County</u> @ <u>Tri County</u> 4 pm JV FB vs <u>Wilber Clatonia</u> @ <u>JCC Tec</u> 6 pm JV VB @ <u>Sterling</u> 5:30 pm	25 Jr High VB vs HTRS @ <u>Cook</u> 4 pm JV/V VB Tri w/ <u>Louisville & WW</u> @ <u>Weeping Water</u> 5 pm	26 FBLA Fall Leadership Conf. @ <u>Omaha</u> Explore It Career Day @ <u>Auburn</u>	27 JV/V VB vs <u>Pawnee City</u> @ <u>Pawnee City</u> 6/7 pm G Golf-Lincoln <u>Christian Inv.</u> @ <u>Hidden Valley CC</u> 9 am	28 GGB XC @ <u>Syracuse CC</u> 3:45 pm V FB @ <u>Wilber Clatonia</u> 7 pm	29 V VB <u>JCC Varsity</u> Invite Tourney @ <u>Cook & Tec</u> . 9 am (JCC @ Tec)
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Johnson County Central Schools Menu

SEPTEMBER 2018

Sun	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat
26	27	28	29	30	31	1
Menu is subject to change without notice. "This Institution Is An Equal Opportunity Provider"						
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Labor Day						
NO SCHOOL!						
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Chicken Tender Elem Wrap MS & HS L & T Fruit & Veggie Bar Pudding Milk	Ham & Cheese w/g Bun Corn Chips Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk	Br. Cheese Stix Marinara Sauce Fruit & Veggie Bar Cookie Milk	Beef Fingers Mash. Potatoes/Gravy Fruit & Veggie Bar Dinner Roll Milk	Ch. Burger w/g Bun Cowboy Beans Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk	Pizza Corn Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Chefs Choice Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk	Sloppy Joe w/g Bun Potato Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk	Walking Taco Bread Strick w/g Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk	Sh. BBQ Pork w/g Bun Green Beans Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk	Cheese Steak Crescent Brownie Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk		
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Sloppy Nacho Black Bean Corn Salsa Fruit & Veggie Bar Bread Stick Milk	Br Beef Patty w/g Bun Potatoes Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk	Spaghetti/Meat Sauce Garlic Bread w/g Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk				
30	1	2	3	4	5	6

2018-2019

Middle School/High School Lunch Prices

- \$3.05 per lunch**
- \$61.00 (20 days)
- \$30.50 (10 days)
- \$15.25 (5 days)

Elementary Pre-K Lunch Prices

- \$2.70 per lunch**
- \$54.00 (20 days)
- \$27.00 (10 days)
- \$13.50 (5 days)

Breakfast Prices

- \$1.65 per breakfast**
- \$33.00 (20 days)
- \$16.50 (10 days)
- \$8.25 (5 days)

Reduced Prices

- Red. Lunch \$0.40
- Red. Breakfast \$0.30

Ala Carte

- \$1.25 each**

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Student lunches need to be paid in advance. You may send payment to school with your student, or pay online with credit card.
Thank you!

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Child find

Children that are birth to 5 years old who are experiencing problems with speech language, cognitive, emotional and/or physical development or have a disability can receive services through Early Childhood Education Services.

If interested or in need of more information please contact Rebecca Kling, Special Education Coordinator or Dr. Galen Boldt, Superintendent at 402-335-3320.

