



Superintendent Monthly Update

Construction Manager at Risk & Bond Update

What's Happening & What Will Happen Next

by **Jon Rother**. September 2021

Johnson County Central's Construction Manager at Risk (CMAR) Selection Committee was comprised of JCC School Board Building and Grounds Committee Members Arlin Beethe and Gail Hutt, school board member Bob Hutt, JCC Head of Maintenance Russ Waring, JCC Technology Coordinator Marcus Scheer, Rick Smith, Russ Koch, Tim Ripp of Clark and Enersen, and myself. The selection committee received a total of seven proposals from the following companies: AHRS Construction, Boyd Jones, Cheever Construction, Hausmann Construction, Kingery Construction, McCarthy and Sampson Construction. The proposals were anywhere from 40 pages to 80 pages in length, proposing the elements required ensuring the company's capability to successfully contract as the Construction Manager at Risk. This included financial backing, capabilities of team members, examples of previous projects, safety and CMAR practices to include a few.

The Selection Committee had a difficult task in narrowing the field to three, and the board had an even more difficult task in rank ordering the final three. All of these companies provided quality proposals with much care given to details. However, a few did stand out with their previous work and their abilities to perform "pre-bond" work. Pre-bond work consists of the gathering and organizing of information with our board and administration for you. Pre-bond also includes working with the architect to make building plans more cost efficient when preparing ideas for the district.

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The Selection Committee referred the following firms to the board:

- Boyd Jones
- Hausmann
- Sampson

It was then the board's responsibility to rank order these firms. In making this decision, the board felt the selection committee had picked three, very capable CMAR candidates. Each firm was beyond qualified and had strong reputations & resumes. After a full day of interviewing the final candidates, the board ranked them in the following order:

1. Boyd Jones
2. Hausmann
3. Sampson

From here, and with the help of our legal counsel (KSB School Law), we entered into negotiations with Boyd Jones to determine the final terms of a CMAR contract. Should the terms of negotiation not be agreed upon with Boyd Jones, we would move into negotiations with candidate #2 and so on. Once an agreement is made, we begin moving forward with the Construction Manager at Risk to determine what a bond should include so our constituents have a concrete proposal to evaluate.

Conversations

Discussing the Future

by **Jon Rother**. September 2021

As the board and I do our parts to prepare a bond for our district to vote on, the constituents of our district need to start (if they haven't already) having conversations about the future of the district. The board can prepare for a bond; the board can get the bond on a ballot. I can prepare information for our public. But, it will be you, the taxpayers and voters, who will make the final decision.

Part of what the board, myself, the Construction Manager at Risk, the bond agent (DA Davidson) and the architect (Tim Ripp of Clark and Enerson) will do is to provide venues for these discussions. We will provide answers for your questions (as best we can). We will provide information on the district in regards to budget, finance, personnel, bussing, enrollment, etc. We will provide a few scenarios regarding bonds, bond amounts, and terms of a bond. We will also provide a couple building scenarios for you to think about and discuss.

We are asking for your feedback, and we want your input. Please know, nothing has been decided as far as a proposed building project and at what cost. We have a few ideas to present, but again we need your input. We need to know what our stakeholders want and what you would support financially. To be certain, what we choose to do or not do will impact this area for generations and years to come.

LEGISLATIVE NEWS

One final piece of information I would like to pass on is regarding the passage of Legislative Bill 2 by the Nebraska Unicameral this past session as it has a direct impact on how school bonds are funded. In short, this bill says that when repaying school bonds, agricultural and horticultural land will be valued at 50% of its actual value. Previously, this land was valued at 75% of its actual value. The full bill can be found here:

<https://nebraskalegislature.gov/FloorDocs/107/PDF/Final/LB2.pdf>

I understand (and hope others do as well) that this bill by no means solves the property tax dilemma. I just wanted to make sure our public was aware of this recent law change as it goes into effect January 1, 2022.

Is there something you'd like to know more about? Send your questions to:

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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 \$65 each, and Seniors 60 years of age or older may receive a free lifetime pass.

NEWS FROM PRINCIPAL RICK LESTER

School has started off to a great start, students have their final schedule and extracurricular activities are already in full gear.

I met with each grade on Tuesday, August 17th and I discussed with the students the Student/Parent handbook and the Activities handbook. We went over some new policies and even discussed some of the previous policies as well. I would strongly encourage parent to view these handbooks on their students iPad. Students also received information on the John Baylor Test Prep Program. 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 Prep at school or home 24-7 free of charge. All JCC students will have full access to all the ACT Prep sessions and bonus materials. 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 students complete the form they received at school.

JCC 2021 Homecoming game is Friday, September 17, 2021 vs. Thayer Central at 7:00 p.m. The Homecoming coronation will take place after the football game on the track with the dance to follow in the high school gym which will conclude at 11:30 p.m. We will have the Homecoming parade on Friday, September 17th starting approximately at 2:15 p.m. The parade will start at the high school and proceed to downtown Tecumseh and go around the square and return to the high school where we will have a pep rally at the football field which is open to the public.

I would like to invite you to our Parent/Teacher Conferences on Wednesday, September 22 from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. and Friday, September 24 from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. I encourage you to attend one of these conferences in the high school gym. This would give you an opportunity to visit with your student's teachers to discuss any issues the teacher may not be aware of and for you to get to acquainted with your student's teachers. We would love to see you...stop on by.

Go Thunderbirds!

MIDDLE SCHOOL & ATHLETIC NEWS

BY RICH BACON

The 2021-2022 school year officially began with the Middle School walk-through and the Preschool and 4th and 5th grade Open House on Wednesday, August 11th. Once again, all of these events were very well attended and we appreciated the large number of students and parents that were able to attend. The start of a new school year is always refreshing as it provides everyone involved with the opportunity to get the year started on the right foot. Hopefully, that excitement will continue and will help our students to reach their goals and accomplish great things here at Johnson County Central Schools.

Middle School students and staff are, once again, fortunate as we enter the 6th year of the 1:1 iPad initiative. As with most things school-related, there are certain expectations and responsibilities for all students to meet and our iPads are no different. Some examples of our expectations include: 1. Students and parents need to read and understand all JCC iPad Policies and Procedures handbook. This document can be found on the school website; 2. Students need to use the device in a responsible and ethical manner; 3. As with all technology, parents should supervise their child's use of the iPad at home. Any inappropriate use of the iPad may result in loss of iPad privileges; 4. Students who take their iPad home need to make sure they bring the iPad to school every day, fully charged. Please see the iPad handbook for a more complete list of iPad expectations for our students. As always, if you have any questions or concerns throughout the year, please don't hesitate to contact your child's teacher or myself.

Parent-Teacher Conferences are scheduled for September 22nd from 4:00-8:00 p.m. and Friday, September 24th from 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. We are conducting mid-quarter conferences this year, as this provides parents an excellent opportunity to meet with their child's teachers before the end of the first quarter of school. Active parent involvement in their child's education can only prove beneficial to each student. Simple things such as asking how their day was, taking an interest in their academic progress or simply making sure their homework is finished can pay huge dividends toward your child's academic success. If you have questions or concerns about your child's performance before conferences, please do not wait until PT Conferences to discuss it with their teachers. Contact them right away. We hope to see everyone at conferences.

Junior High football, volleyball and cross country practices are underway with their first contests in the books or 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 one of our goals, it cannot be the purpose of our sports program at this level. Middle School activities should encourage participation and the development of fundamentals that will help them succeed at the varsity level. Instead of placing the emphasis on winning and losing, we should celebrate hard work, effort and teamwork. If students can learn to work hard, give maximum effort, and put team success ahead of individual glory at a young age they are learning skills that will help them succeed in areas beyond sports. Please support our young athletes this year by attending games and cheering their efforts, win or lose.

Thunderbird Family,

The 2021 fall season officially got underway on Monday, August 9th with the beginning of practice. Our athletes have been working hard and are ready to get out and compete. We are excited to have people back in the stands at full capacity cheering on our Thunderbirds. JCC and other ECNC schools are starting the school year off with no restrictions. So we hope to see you at our home events! Here is a list of the number of participants we have in each activity along with our upcoming **home events**.

HS Volleyball - 18
HS Football - 30
HS Cross Country - 5
HS Girls Golf - 5
JH Football - 24
JH Volleyball - 27
JH Cross Country - 11

Volleyball

8/30 - vs. Conestoga
9/16 vs. Wilber-Clatonia (JH)
9/23 vs. Syracuse (JH)
9/27 vs. Tri County (JH)
9/28 vs. HTRS (JH)
9/30 - vs. Pawnee City
10/2 - JCC Invite

Football

8/27 - vs. Tri County
9/7 - vs. Lourdes Central Catholic (JV)
9/7 - vs. Freeman (JH)
9/14 - vs. HTRS (JH)
9/17 - vs. Thayer Central (HOMECOMING)
9/21 - vs. Pawnee City (JH)

Cross Country

9/3 - JCC Invite

Girls Golf

9/16 - JCC Invite



Go Thunderbirds!

Garrett Collin
Activities Director

Notes from the High School Counselor Mrs. Olivia Reuter

START SEARCHING AND APPLYING FOR SCHOLARSHIPS NOW

There are many scholarships available to apply for. Start your search at EducationQuest's ScholarshipQuest page. This page matches you with over 2,000 Nebraska scholarships that meet your own personal criteria. There are also links to nationwide scholarship searches including Chegg, College Board, Fastweb, Scholar Snap, and Scholarship America. The web address for ScholarshipQuest is <https://www.educationquest.org/resources/scholarshipquest/>

ACCUPLACER TESTING OPPORTUNITY

Students who are planning on attending a community college need to take the Accuplacer test for placement into classes and entrance into programs. We will be taking interested junior and seniors to SCC Beatrice sometime this fall to test, tour campus, and eat lunch on campus. Students who are interested should see Mrs. Reuter to sign up. This test is good for all SCC campuses and all community colleges in Nebraska, so any student planning on attending community college really should sign up for this opportunity.

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, SIGN UP FOR THE ACT TEST

This fall, students can sign up to take the ACT on Saturday, October 23rd or Saturday, December 11th at Auburn High School, Beatrice High School, Nebraska City Lourdes High School, and at many high schools in Lincoln and Omaha. Many colleges and universities use ACT scores for admissions or scholarship decisions. There is a \$60 fee to test. If you qualify for free and reduced lunch here at school, you can ask for a free test voucher from Mrs. Reuter to use when you register. You choose your date and test center and pay your fee when you sign up at <https://my.act.org/>



HOMECOMING 2021 - SPIRIT WEEK

September 13, 2021 - September 17, 2021

MONDAY, September 13, 2021

- ❖ Famous Pairs Day (example: Salt & Pepper, Batman & Robin, etc)

TUESDAY, September 14, 2021

- ❖ Generations Day -
 - Freshmen: Tiny Tots (pigtails, pacifiers, onesies)
 - Sophomores: Awkward Tween (Throwback middle school years)
 - Juniors: Middle Age (Dress like an adult, ages 30-50's)
 - Seniors: Senior Citizen Day (Gray hair, ugly sweaters, canes)
 - Staff: Teenagers (Dress as your students)

WEDNESDAY, September 15, 2021

SENIORS	Black	5TH GRADE	Camo
JUNIORS	White	4TH GRADE	Plaid
SOPHOMORES	Blue	3RD GRADE	Rainbow
FRESHMEN	Pink	2ND GRADE	Stripes
8TH GRADE	Neon Yellow	1ST GRADE	Polka Dots
7TH GRADE	Neon Orange	PRE-K & KINDERGARTEN	Red
6TH GRADE	Neon Green	ALL STAFF	Tie Dye

THURSDAY, September 16, 2021

- ❖ Homecoming Theme Day! - Dress Hawaiian -
- ❖ NO BIKINIS - NO GOING SHIRTLESS!!

FRIDAY, September 17, 2021 (Parade Day)

- ❖ JCC Pride Day - Dress all out in Red, Black, and Gold!!



GO THUNDERBIRDS!!!

**** ALL STUDENTS ARE ASKED TO WEAR APPROPRIATE ATTIRE!!!****
We want Spirit Week to be fun and enjoyable and the privilege not taken away! Thank you and have a fun Spirit Week!!

*School Pictures will be taken
At both sites on
Friday,
September 3rd.*



Open a Book, Open the Universe!

Reading for pleasure inside and outside of school has real and long-lasting effects. It opens the power of information and imagination and helps children discover where they fit into this universe.

Johnson County Central Public Schools will be hosting a Scholastic Book Fair on September 20-24, 2021 at the Elementary and Middle School libraries after school until 4:00 p.m. and during P/T Conferences, Wednesday, September 22 4:00-8:00 p.m. and again on Friday, September 24 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Our Scholastic Book Fair is a reading event that brings to school the books that kids want to read. It's a wonderful selection of engaging and affordable books for every reading level. Please make plans to visit our book fair and be involved in shaping your child's reading experience

Before you visit the fair, be sure to download the Scholastic Book Fair app to help you find just the right book for your child. For more information, visit [scholastic.com/apps/bookfairs](https://www.scholastic.com/apps/bookfairs). And if you are unable to attend the book fair in person, we invite you to visit the website: [scholastic.com/fair](https://www.scholastic.com/fair) or find it on the school website. Our online book fair is available from Monday, Sept. 20 - Saturday, Oct. 2.

We look forward to seeing you and your whole family at our Scholastic Book Fair where we open the universe of possibilities! All purchases benefit our school libraries.





Calendar Change Update

No Preschool classes

(teachers in training)

For both the Tecumseh and Cook site on the following dates:

Sept. 10, 2021
Nov. 5, 2021
March 25, 2022

Taking the School to the Cleaners

Hello Johnson County Central patrons! This is Casey Fricke and I am your new Head of Custodial Maintenance. I just wanted a chance to say a few words about this new position and what we as a school are trying to do. I would like to give a big thank you to Mr. Rother for giving me the opportunity to move into a new role at a place that I have begun to consider a second home. On the same note, I think a big thank you needs to be given to all of the people who work during the summer to make a smooth transition to the next school year. Without those dedicated to these halls, the school would figuratively, and literally, fall apart.

I have been asked by several people why I would want to go from being a paraeducator to a custodian. While I have seen the extreme value of our paras and enjoyed being one, I felt as though there was a place in this school system where I was needed more. Our schools have amazing staff that go to great lengths to educate the students of our district. The effort from the teachers and administrators is always there. They work really hard for all of our kids. The one place that we as parents, staff, and patrons can agree needing some work has been the condition and cleanliness of our buildings. The maintenance team works very hard to keep up with these aging buildings but they lacked a full custodial staff to help in keeping the buildings clean and tidy.

This is where I hope to be more useful. I have always been a person who could never sit still. Even as I write this, I feel like I could be up moving around and getting things done. There is not a day that goes by where I am not covered in sweat and I prefer it that way. The move to hire our own people at the school for the purpose of cleaning was a smart one because we care about this place and want to see it succeed in all facets. I want my own children to come to school and not be ashamed of how dirty it is or how dingy things look.

I hope seeing adults take pride in the appearance of our school encourages our children to do the same. I will give you a small anecdote about this hope for them. The other day the milk delivery guy was bringing out empty milk crates and hit a bump in the sidewalk. Unfortunately, many of the crates tumbled off of his cart. It was amazing to see how many of your children jumped right in to help him gather all of his crates back onto his cart. It was fantastic to watch the kindness you have instilled upon your children. Since it is you who teaches them first, you should be commended on the respect they give other people. I also had a little kindergartner come up to me and thank me for keeping the school clean. This is the reason I am here. I want our team to give the children a clean, friendly environment that they can be proud to call their school.

Cook Site Excited about House Meetings starting in August!

Two years ago, in the 19-20 school year, the Cook site implemented "Houses" to help students in grades 4-8 increase student connections and encourage student engagement. There are 8 houses with students in grades 4-8 and staff members. Scheduled "House Meetings" give students time to acquaint themselves with students in other grades who are part of the House.

Houses have friendly competitions throughout the year. Last school year, on the last day of school, we had a passport activity where students in Houses completed a task and competed to be the first ones done. Then they all sang the school song and enjoyed a snow cone to end the activity! It was fun to see all of the students work together, support one another and build school spirit.

This school year we plan to resume regular House meetings. The first meeting of the year is always exciting as Mr. Bacon creates a wheel with the names of all of the 4th graders and new students. Students then are selected into a House and greeted by the other students and staff in the House. The activity brings a lot of excitement to the day!

Students earn points throughout the school year in classroom activities as well. For example, when they earn a Thunderbird Ticket, they earn their House a Point. They can earn points for AR Reading, Honor Roll, MAP Growth, Door Decorations, Dressing Up at Homecoming and many other classroom activities. The goal for the Houses is to create a positive learning environment for students and also to increase student engagement and expand connections between students.

When the Houses were created, students and staff selected names, colors, a banner emblem and mascot. Houses include; Sonador, Nekoti, Optimista, Sabiduria, Eternals, Fast & Curious, Valor and Valentia. Visit with your student and ask them about their House. Throughout the year they will engage in fun activities and create positive connections with their Housemates and staff.



September is Suicide Prevention Awareness Month

September is Suicide Prevention Awareness Month. National Suicide Prevention week is September 5-11, 2021, 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 2nd leading cause of death for young people ages 10-24.

*Information provided by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)

Warning signs that we look for in school.

- changes in school performance (e.g. grades, attendance, participation)
- 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
- 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
- dealing with existing mental health concerns

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

Boys Town National Hotline: 1-800-448-3000

Boys Town National Hotline is a free resource and counseling service that assists youth and parents 24/7, year round, nationwide.

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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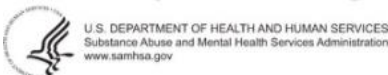
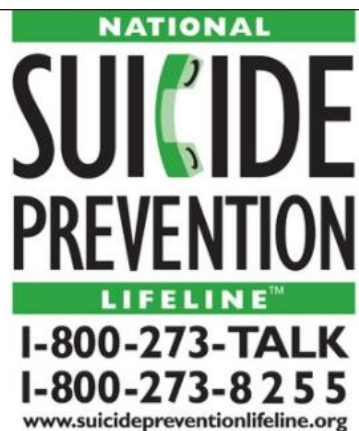


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Save the Date!


**Saturday,
October 16th, 2021
Tecumseh, NE**

**3rd Annual
Miles For Music 5K**

**Come Run-Walk-Skip or whatever
your heart desires to raise money
for the band department.**



September 2021 Johnson County Central Lunch Menu

	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	Menu Is Subject to Change Without Notice “This Institution Is An Equal Opportunity Provider”						
5		6 NO SCHOOL 	7 Chicken Party/ w/g Bun Fruit & Veggie Bar Tater Tots Milk	8 Turkey Wrap L & T Sun Chips Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk	9 Spaghetti/Meat Sauce Fruit & Veggie Bar Garlic Bread Milk	10 Cheese Stick / Marinara Sauce Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk	11
12		13 Salisbury Steak Fruit & Veggie Bar Bread Stick WG Milk	14 Chefs Choice Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk	15 Br Beef Patty/ w/g Bun Potatoes Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk	16 Chicken Tenders Fruit & Veggie Bar Bread & Butter Milk	17 Pizza Fruit & Veggie Bar Cookie Milk	18
19		20 Mini Corn Dogs Potato Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk	21 Sloppy Nacho's Fruit & Veggie Bar Garlic Bread Milk	22 Cheesburger/ w/g Bun Tater Tots Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk	23 <i>No Breakfast</i> 2 HOUR LATE START Crispito/ Cheese Sauce Fruit & Veggie Bar Cookie Milk	24 NO SCHOOL P/T CONFERENCES 8 am-12 pm	25
26		27 Crispy Chicken Wrap Corn Chips Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk	28 Chicken Alfredo Fruit & Veggie Bar Bread Stick Milk	29 Br Pork Patty Potato Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk	30 Chefs Choice Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk		

September 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Congressman Adrian Smith to visit @ JCC-1:45 pm	2 V Volleyball Tri @ Falls City-5 pm 5th Grade Band Meeting/Dietz Instrument Night @ MS Cook Site-6:30 pm	3 SCHOOL PICTURE DAY Both sites Girls Golf Invitational @ Hidden Acres Golf Club-9 am Cross Country Invitational @ JCC HS-9 am V Football vs Southern @ Southern-7 pm	4 JV Volleyball Tournament @ Syracuse-8:30 am
5	6 NO SCHOOL Labor Day	7 Girls Golf ECNC Invitational @ Crooked Creek, Lincoln-9:30 am JH Football vs Freeman @ JCC HS 4 pm Cross Country Invitational @ Auburn Country Club-4:30 pm V Volleyball Tri vs Freeman @ Wilber-Clatonia @ Freeman-5 pm JV Football vs Lourdes CC @ JCC HS 6:15 pm	8 JCC School Board Meeting @ JCC HS Cafeteria-6 pm	9 Cross Country Invitational @ Camp Catin Crest-4 pm JV Volleyball vs Palmyra @ Palmyra-6 pm V Volleyball vs Palmyra @ Palmyra-7 pm	10 NO PRESCHOOL- BOTH SITES Teacher Training V Football vs Weeping Water @ Weeping Water-7 pm	11 JV Volleyball Tournament @ Syracuse-8:30 am
12	13 College/Career Fair & Apply to College Day @ JCC HS-8:30 am V Volleyball Mudecas Tournament @ SECC, Beatrice-TBD Cross Country Invitational @ Walnut Grove Park-4:30 pm JV Football vs Freeman @ Freeman HS - 6 pm	14 NHS Red Cross Blood Drive @ JCC HS Gym-7:30 a.m. V Volleyball Mudecas Tournament @ SECC, Beatrice-TBD Girls Golf Invitational @ River Woods Golf Club, Blair -9 am JH Volleyball vs Palmyra @ Palmyra-4 pm JH Football vs HTRS @ JCC HS-4:30 pm	15 FFA to Husker Harvest Days- Grand Island	16 V Volleyball Mudecas Tournament @ SECC, Beatrice-TBD Girls Golf Invitational @ Tecumseh Country Club-9 am JH Band to perform @ Richardson County Fair Parade, Humboldt-11 am JH Volleyball vs Wilber-Clatonia @ JCC MS-Cook Site-4:30 pm	17 V Football vs Thayer Central @ JCC HS-7 pm Homecoming Parade & Pep Rally @ JCC HS-2:15 JCC Homecoming coronation following the game Homecoming Dance to follow in the HS Gym	18 JH Volleyball Invitational @ Louisville HS-9 am HS Band @ Applejack Parade, Nebraska City-1 pm
19	20 Girls Golf Invitational @ Kirkman's Cove Golf Course-9 am C Team Volleyball Tournament @ Johnson Brock-4 pm	21 Cross Country Invitational @ Branched Oak State Park-4 pm JH Football vs Pawnee City @ JCC HS-4:30 pm	22 JCC HOMECOMING WEEK	23 2 HOUR LATE START NO 3 year old Preschool Girls Golf Dual @ Kirkman's Cove Golf Course-4 pm Cross Country Invitational @ Falls City Country Club-4:30 pm JH Volleyball vs Syracuse @ JCC MS-Cook Site-4:30 pm	24 NO SCHOOL Parent/Teacher Conferences @ both sites-8 am to 12 pm V Football vs HTRS @ HTRS-7 pm	25 V Volleyball Invitational @ Louisville HS-9 am HS Band @ Penn Homecoming Parade-11 am
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It shall be the policy of Johnson County Central Public Schools to not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, handicap, or age in its educational programs, activities, or employment practices. There is a grievance procedure for discrimination concerns. Inquiries concerning any of the above, or Title IX and Rehabilitation Act Regulations (504) should be directed to the Superintendent of Schools, 358 N 6th Street, Tecumseh, NE 68329; (402)335-3320.

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 Jon Rother, Superintendent at 402-335-3320.

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