

The Hawk's News

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Back in the Swing

The 2016-2017 Hebron High School year is well underway! We would like to welcome back all the staff and students for another great year. There have been some changes. We now have Advisory that meets every red Thursday. We would like to give a warm welcome to everyone who joined the staff this year.

We have New English teachers: Mrs. Kurzinski who comes from Valparaiso University, Mrs. Charpentier who taught at Colonel Wheeler Middle School in Crown Point, Mr. Vallani who is officially beginning his teaching career with Hebron. We also have a new Family and Consumer Science Teacher who just got



married this past weekend, Mrs. Proper, formerly known as Miss Merchon. And last, but not least, joining us as our high school choir teacher is Mrs. Beahn, who also teaches music in the elementary and middle school.

We are all very excited to be back and have high expectations for a fun and successful year.

Hawk's Nest School Store

The Hawk's Nest is the official school store that is operated by students in the Principles of Business class, along with the Business Professional's of America Club. We sell school supplies such as notebooks, folders, index cards, poster board, sketch books, pens, pencils and much more for reasonable prices. We buy in bulk while things are on sale, and pass the savings on to our customers! In addition to school necessities, we supply nutritious snacks along with hot and cold drinks to kick start your morning.



Every year the class plans it's own grand re-opening celebration, and this year marks the seventh such event. Held on Friday, September 9, the main attraction was the free samples and a free cookie for every purchase. The Hawk's Nest is looking forward to another successful year with many more surprises and promotions. Need a last minute goody or school supply? Just stop by the Hawk's Nest, where you can just grab it and go!



Girls Soccer

The girls soccer team is being led by eight seniors including captains, Mariah Wilson, Sarah Paskis, and Brittany Botts. Following the seniors are two juniors, six sophomores, and four freshmen. The team is very strong with currently being 8-3-1 overall and undefeated in the Porter County Conference. The lady hawks are having a fantastic season and are setting the goal to win conference and become the sectional champion for the first time in school history. The lady hawks are excited to hopefully have the conference title back where it belongs, with Hebron. Come and support the seniors on September 23 against Washington Township. Sectionals follows on October 3. The girls would really appreciate the support from their community.



Boys Cross Country

The boys cross country team has a total of 20 running this year. Leading the group are seniors, Parker Nuest, Joe McNeil, Jeremy Wall, and Shawn Graf. Following the seniors are seven juniors, four sophomores, and five freshmen. P. Nuest finished 7th at the Hammond Gavit meet followed by three others in the top 50, McNeil, Ty Maldonado, and Connor Nuest. The team will run at New Prairie as they try to conquer Agony Hill. The boys will also be racing at the Culver Invite. Come and support the boys as they run the conference race on Wednesday September 28, at Boone Grove at 5. They will appreciate it!



Girls Cross Country

Just like last year, the girls cross country team is young, but very strong. The team is currently 2nd in conference. The three freshmen and five sophomores are lead by senior Natalie Egolf and Star Rodriguez. Hebron girls finished 4th overall at the Hammond Gavit Invite, running against 23 other schools. Six of the ten girls finished in the top 50. The girls will race tomorrow at New Prairie and are expected to do very well in their division. The ten girls will be racing at Culver Invite on September 24. The conference race is on Wednesday September 28, at Boone Grove, at 4:30. Come out and support your Hebron Girls Cross Country team.



Boys Volleyball

The Hebron boys volleyball team has had a great start to this season with a record of 4-0-0 for the Varsity and a record of 3-0-1 for the JV. The boys are very excited this year coming back with most of their starting team from last year after only losing four seniors. The two seniors, Caleb Oral and Andrew Briggs, will be celebrating senior night Friday, September 23, 2016. Come support your Hebron Hawks against Westville!



Girls Volleyball

The girls' volleyball team has had a rough first half of their season with a record of 2 wins and 9 losses. This year, the girls are focusing on building their relationships with one another and adapting to a new coaching staff. The Lady Hawks will celebrate their senior night on Friday, September 23, 2016. This year's seniors include: Sasha Pass, Bailee Torres, and Taylor Wheeler. Come out to support the girls against Westville!

Boys Soccer

The boys are enjoying a successful season with their new coach, Hank Pimental earning a record of 10-2, even being short on players! They picked Kouts for the first game of sectionals for the fourth year in a row.

Hammond Gavit is on September 30. We want to wish the following seniors well on their special night: Dawson Walsh, Nick Surber, Justin Delauris, Logan Zimny, Bobby Lazzaroni, Zach Porter, and Raul Fierro.

BPA News

Business Professionals of America (BPA) is the leading national career and technical student organization for students pursuing careers in business management; finance, marketing, communication; digital communication and design; and information systems. We prepare for and compete in business related events and contests at leadership conferences, we practice team building exercises, and we care for

our community through our Torch Awards Program. The first callout meeting for BPA was held on August 29, 2016. We had a record 42 students that came out to our first meeting, so we are looking forward to an exciting year! The BPA officers voted in for 2016-2017 are: Andrew Briggs, President Allison Hano, Vice President Riley McCullough, Secretary



Conner Nuest, Treasurer
Mia Reise, Parliamentarian
Clara Reed and Isabel Reynolds, Historians.
Meetings will be held each red Wednesday during second half of SRT in room A103. Interested? See any officer for details!

Drama Department

Drama Club is back at it again.

Mr. Stalbaum is the new head of the Drama Club, with Mrs. Summerville acting as his assistant. This year Drama is doing two musicals instead of one. Come and see Troy and Gabriella in the iconic High School Musical, taking place November 11, 12, and 13. Auditions were September 12 and 13, with callbacks on the 14th. Remember we're all in this together.



Please save the date and be sure to come support our students in Drama! *Cast of characters are:*

The Jocks:

Troy Bolton.....Mark Martin
 Chad Danford...Anthony Summerville
 Zeke Baylor.....Zach Scharer
 Jayson.....Mia Riece
 Cross.....Taylor Wheeler

Brainiacs:

Gabriella.....Mariah Wilson
 Taylor McKessie.....Lexi Sroka
 Martha Cox.....Zoe Parsons
 Kratnoff.....Lauren Yates
 (Student) Jack Scott.....Johnny Fry

Cell Phone Girls:

Cheyenne Trawick...Ange'le Robinson
 Abigail Smith.....Allison Betts
 Cristel Pferschy.....Sarah Johnson
 Kelly Koren.....Ashley Purevich

Skater Dudes:

Ripper.....Brandon Robinson
 Mongo.....Kaleb Valenzuel

Adults:

Ms. Darbus.....Shannon Schultz
 Coach Bolton.....TBA
 Ms. Tenny.....Charlotte Hunt

Thespians:

Sharpay Evans.....Madison Hall
 Ryan Evans.....Andrew Briggs
 Kelsi Neilsen.....Jess Mangual
 James Parker.....Dylin Mayhan
 Cyndra.....Bailee Torres
 Susan.....Brittany Botts
 Cathy.....Jackie Ronkowski
 Alan.....Logan Wilson

Cheerleaders:

Jessica Popp	Kaitlin Krajacic
Linea Raehl	Heather Lowser
Jackie Ronkowsji	Olivia Bernal
Jenn McCarthy	

National Honor Society

Our newly elected National Honor Society officers for this year are:

President: Andrew Briggs

Vice President: Eric Ream

Secretary: Tori Nelson

Treasurer: Brittany Botts

This year the National Honor Society will be participating in many activities old and new. We will continue to help the middle school with their annual Haunted House to aid in the funding for Angel Tree Shopping. We will also be helping the community with bell ringing at Christmas time and helping the less fortunate at the soup kitchen during the holidays. We are excited to get the ball rolling on these activities and continue to be leaders in our community. Inductions are on October 19 at 7:30 p.m.



Kiner's Corner

We have been hard at work in the media center this year. Once we got all of the new books and Rosie books processed, it was off to work on the current collection. The non-fiction collection has had a major overhaul the past couple of weeks. Many titles were weeded that were old and outdated. If you have any suggestions for new titles or subject areas, please see Mrs. Kiner.

For those of you interested in Reading Counts, there have been many new titles added to the non-fiction collection that have a quiz. Since new quizzes are added every month, we took the time to recheck the collection. We found that many non-fiction books that were added last year that didn't have a quiz at the time, now have one. "So, if you have read a book in the past that didn't have a quiz, recheck or we'd be happy to check for you."

This is true for fiction as well. Once all new books were processed, we pulled all fiction books that weren't marked and rechecked them for Reading Counts. Again, we found many that now have a

quiz. Once you take a look at the shelves, you'll see that most of fiction now has a quiz attached to it. If you are ever reading a book from the public library or one that you bought and are unsure, we will always check for you. Please stop in and see either Mrs. Kiner or one of her aides. We are always happy to assist you!



Guidance/ Scholarships

The following scholarships are among those available through the guidance office:

- The Wendy's Heisman Scholarship is now available to any high school senior who has participated in a sport during high school. Application must be completed online and is due Oct. 3rd.
- The Comcast Leaders and Achievers Scholarship is now available for seniors with a GPA of 2.8 or higher. Application is due Oct 14th.
- The Horatio Alger Scholarship is now available to any high school senior pursuing a Bachelor's degree and demonstrates critical financial need. Application must be completed online and is due Oct. 25th.

Check the high school guidance website and office regularly for new opportunities.

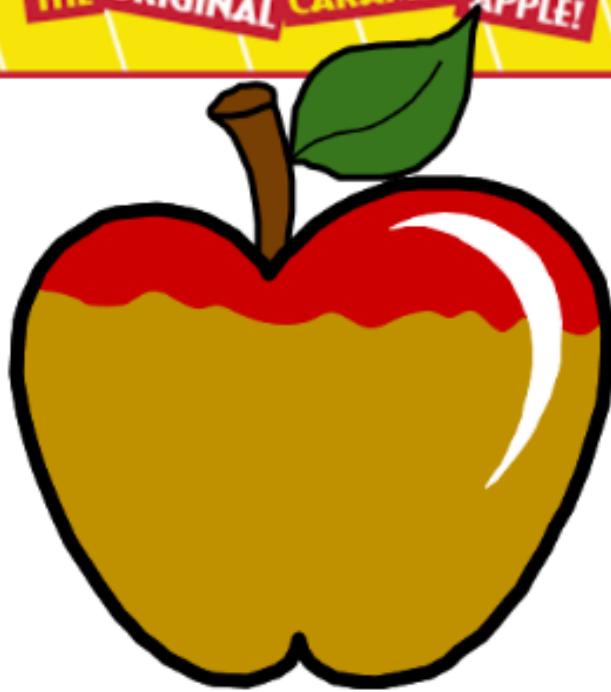


**Picture retakes will be Tuesday.
September 27, 2016**

Art Club Annual Affy Tapple Sale!

Hebron High School Art Club is selling Affy Tapples! Order your taffy apples now through September 25th by seeing an Art Club Member or calling Mrs. Jania at 996-4771 extension 126 for your last minute order if you didn't place it yet. We'll be happy to accommodate you!





Sale Dates: 9/12 - 9/23

Delivery Date: Oct. 13 & 14

See an Art Club member for details.

Check out our Facebook page:
Hebron High School Art Club

Anything else?

- All seniors must schedule a meeting with Mrs. Bush. In the meeting, you will discuss diploma type, credits, graduation, college/career plans, and financial aid. Parents are welcome, but not required to attend the meeting. All meetings must be completed by October 7. Stop by the guidance office or email Mrs. Bush today to schedule a meeting.
- The high school fall athletic awards program is on Wednesday, October 26 at 6 pm. All athletes that are participating in a high school fall sport are expected to attend.



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Hebron High School Mission Statement

Hebron High School, in partnership with parents and the community, is committed to anticipate, recognize, and meet the individual needs of all students as they prepare for their futures.

Hebron High School Vision Statement

It is our vision that all graduates of Hebron High School:

Shall enter their post-high school life prepared to meet the challenges set before them;

Shall have the resources to make themselves competitive in their chosen vocation;

Will strive to be life-long learners.

To ensure our vision we shall:

Encourage and challenge each student to recognize learning as a lifelong experience;

Furnish the tools and provide the opportunities to obtain the skills necessary for each student to work to his/her full potential;

Assist each student to become actively involved in his/her learning experience so he/she may learn to reason intelligently, evaluate choices wisely, communicate effectively, work cooperatively and solve problems creatively;

Maintain a safe and positive learning environment where each student will develop the academic and social skills necessary to become a productive citizen.