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Empty Bowls

That's a wrap on this year's eighth annual Empty Bowls Fundraiser at Hebron High School. Please see page six of this issue for a list of individuals and businesses who helped make this year's event yet another success, even with it being our first Tuesday night event. We want to thank the whole community for your support and involvement. A very special thank you to Mrs. Karen Jania, who spearheaded this event from the beginning bringing the total amount donated thus far to the Hebron Country Pantry since 2010 to a grand total of \$25,980.27! Think of all the people this funding helped to feed. Thank you to all those who chipped in to made this possible!



Girls Softball

Girls softball is fast approaching! Seniors this year are Bailee Torres, Megan Pardee, Taylor Wheeler, Mia Riese, Cayla Rokosz, and Danielle Roeske. The girls practice six days a week for two hours each day. They are constantly improving and fixing their kinks. We are excited to see where this year takes us!



Dance

Last month we inadvertently left out a senior name from the dance team, so we are hoping to make it up here. Senior dance team members graduating this year are: Jenny McCarthy, Jessica Sobczak, and Natalie Egolf. We sincerely regret this error.



Baseball

Practices have started recently for boys baseball from 3-5 pm everyday. The weather outside hasn't been cooperating for baseball outdoors yet but we look forward to practicing outside very soon. Our home opener will take place on April 1 against Andean. We are projected to have a great season this year with most of our team returning as seniors. We hope to see you at some games this season.



National Honor Society was in charge of running the blood drive that took place on March 21. The American Red Cross came to Hebron High School and the blood drive took place in the balcony of the gym. A total of 42 people were registered donors, there were 10 deferrals, and 11 first-time donors. There was a total of 35 pints collected, which means that 105 lives can be saved with the collected blood. National Honor Society members who worked the blood drive are given the opportunity to apply for a scholarship from the American Red Cross their senior year in return for raising the awareness of how donating a pint of blood can save a life. Hebron has done blood drives in the past and will continue to do so in the future. Save a life, donate a pint!



Boys Track

The boys' track team is back on the track. The team has a strong base and some capable freshman. With returning seniors Jeremy Wall, Nick Surber, Rory Herma, Joe MacNeill, Parker Nuest, and Shawn Graf, the team has high hopes for placing in PCC. Although the track team has been working hard conditioning since Winter break ended, February 21 was the official first practice. The boys have been working hard to improve their abilities. April 11 is the first meet against LaCrosse and Covenant Christian. Good Luck Hawks!



Girls Track

The girls' track season officially began February 21. They have conditioned since the beginning of the year and are excited to finally start the season. There are two new coaches this year: Hebron graduate, Kelley Gajda, and English teacher, Erin Charpentier. Returning coaches are Rhonda Walker, Mike Defries, and Adam Spurr. The team is excited for a strong freshmen group coming up once again! The girls first meet is on April 11th. The girls are looking forward to a successful season, wish them very good luck!



BPA State Conference

Twelve members of Business Professionals of America, along with advisor Mrs. King Licht and chaperone Kelly Gajda, attended the BPA State Leadership Conference in Indianapolis Sunday through Tuesday, March 10-12. Those attending were: Andrew Briggs, Mia Riese, Danielle Roeske, Steven Miskus, Trey Wolverton, Brandon Nilsen Allison Hano, Kayli Iorio, Josh Clemens, Jason Licht, Olivia Wallace, and Isabel Reynolds. Andrew Briggs was awarded Chapter All-Star for 2017, and the Hebron BPA Chapter was awarded Quality Chapter for the year. Andrew Briggs also placed in three open tests, earning third place in Administrative Support Concepts, eighth in Financial Analyst Concepts, and ninth in Accounting Math Concepts. Amelia Riese placed impressively among the top nine in Advanced Interview Skills. The biggest winner of the conference was Steve Miskus who placed **FIRST IN THE STATE** in Payroll Accounting, and will compete at Nationals in Orlando in May! Big congratulations to him and to all other members who attended, competed, and represented Hebron so well!



Academic Super Bowl

The Hebron High School Social Studies Academic Super Bowl Team received third place at the Porter County Competition held at Purdue University Northwest on Wednesday, March 1 in Westville. Under the direction of Coach Scott Eriks, team members Ashley Herndobler (captain), Scott Crawley, Josh Clemens, Steven Miskus, and Charlotte Hunt competed with other high schools in the area. The Social Studies Team brought home the third place win after answering questions based on this year's topic, The French Revolution.



Good work, Social Studies Team!



Congratulations also to Mrs. Charpentier and the English Academic Super Bowl Team for coming in Second Place at the PCC Competition held at Kouts High School on Thursday, March 23. Team Captain, Sara Keys, along with team members Grant Giacomini, Alyssa Rokosz, Lauren Yates, and Dana Wilber brought home the second place ribbons - great job, English Team!

Guidance and Scholarships

The Guidance office has a number of scholarships available and coming due soon. The following scholarships are due in March:

- Porter-Starke Impact Scholarship – March 24.
- Porter County Farm Bureau, Inc. Scholarship – March 31.
- Valparaiso Woman's Association Scholarship – March 31.
- Construction Advancement Foundation Scholarship – March 31.
- Indiana Sheriffs' Association Scholarship – March 31.



The following scholarships are due in April and May:

- Porter County Red Ribbon Scholarship - Due April 7.
- Franciscan Health Crown Point Medical Staff Health Care Scholarship – Due April 14.
- The Hebron Lions Club John Blank Memorial Scholarship – April 28.
- Polish Heritage Association of Michigan City is offering a scholarship to any senior attending a local college or university. Due by May 3.
- Tim Hecht Scholarship - Due May 26.

In addition, Braces for All Ages is offering a scholarship to any current or former patient. The senior must be college bound and planning to study in the medical/dental field. Due by June 1.

Stop by the guidance office for more information.

Prom 2017

Prom 2017, which has the theme “A Sky Full of Diamonds”, will be held at a new location this year: *Protection of the Virgin Mary Orthodox Church* located at 8600 Grand Blvd, Merrillville, IN 46410. Ticket sales have already started and are \$40 dollars for single and \$80 dollars per couple. You can buy tickets during any lunch, or before and after school in Ms. Brown’s Room through April 7. Class dues must be paid and any out of school dance forms have to be turned in prior to ticket purchase. More details can be found on page 8 of this publication. General rules for dances are found on page 31 of the handbook found online. See Ms. Brown or Mrs. Slusser if you have any further questions.



Thank You To Our Community!!

We would like to thank the following individuals and businesses who donated to our silent auction and otherwise helped us raise the funds that go right back into our community. Due to your generosity and kindness, we were able to donate a check to the **Hebron**

Country Food Pantry for **\$3,176.10 !**

- Albanese
- Nitco
- Dr. Danah Thorndyke
- BPA
- Jim Willison
- Buffalo Wild Wings
- Maddie Ream
- C & A Auto
- Dr. Kleefisch
- Jenny Wallace
- Dairy Queen
- Danielle Roeske
- De Motte State Bank
- DKH Photography, Dallas Hall
- Goodbyes Second Hand Shop
- Griffith/Merrillville Airport
- Hebron Athletics
- His and Hers Salon
- MoRustics, Lexie Moneta
- A Pink Boutique
- Russ' Print Shop
- Salon 618
- Varsity Sports
- Loretta Kosloske
- Carol Wallace
- Suzan Cassady

Music :

Rick Cheek, Applied Music

Lisa Beehn, HHS Choir

Hoosier Recruits

Justin King

Joe Villani

Cafeteria:

Mrs. Farler

Mr. Gordon

All the rest...

Mrs. Sheets, HHS Athletic Boosters

Mrs. Spurr

Steven Olejewski, Pepsi

Mrs. Propper, FACS classes

Mrs. King-Licht, BPA & Business Mgmt. class

Mrs. Jania, Art Dept. and Art classes

Mrs. Slusser, German Club

Mrs. Summerville, Spanish Club

Mrs. Kurzinski, Newspaper class.

Mrs. Kiner , NHS

Mr. and Mrs. Klenk

Joyce Steinhilber, Hebron United Methodist Church

The entire Hebron and surrounding community for their help in making bowls, participating in our event, and anything else you did for the cause! It is much appreciated!

Perfect for your
Easter dinners!



The Hebron High School Business Professionals of America has teamed up with Texas Roadhouse to raise a little “dough.” BPA members and Business Management students will take *pre-orders from March 15 – April 3, 2017*, for frozen Texas Roadhouse dinner rolls. Rolls will be available for pick up from the Hebron High School cafeteria on Tues., April 11 and Wed., April 12 from 3 – 6 p.m. Please have your roll vouchers with you. Proceeds help students attend the annual State and National Leadership Conferences in Indianapolis and Orlando. Thank you!

Name	Phone	# of Dozen x \$5	Total Due	✓ Paid
1.				
2.				
3.				
4.				
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Checks made payable to “Hebron High School BPA.”

Payment due with order forms. Each dozen pack of rolls comes with one, 3 oz. ramekin of cinnamon butter.

Diamonds in the Sky

Prom: Saturday, April 22, 2017

Welcome prom attendees to the 2017 Jr. /Sr. Prom. We have several details we would like to share with you before the big night.

Grand March will begin at 4:30 pm in the high school auditorium. Please be near the cafeteria by 4 pm as we will line up at 4:15. Doors will open at 3:30 for the general public. The public will enter the doors by the gymnasium. Mrs. Slusser and Ms. Brown will help you line up for the Grand March and will answer any questions you may have. There is no admission charge for Grand March this year. During the Grand March, the audience will remain seated because the prom couples will be using both aisles. Please inform your family and friends that they need to be seated by 4:30 and that pictures can be taken after the Grand March is over.

After the couples have walked across the stage and exited the auditorium, they will use the hallway between the gym and auditorium and proceed to the choir room where pictures will be taken. If you arrive early, prom participants may take pictures beginning at 3:30 in the choir room.

Prom: The dinner/dance prom will be held at the *Orthodox Center (Protection of the Virgin Mary Orthodox Church)*, 8600 Grand Blvd, Merrillville. **Doors will open at 6:00 pm. You are expected to check in by 7:00 when dinner begins.** Your dinner consists of parmesan crusted chicken breast, baked mostaccioli, mashed potatoes, California blend vegetables, and ice cream. Music provided by *Chicagoland DJ Services*. Prom is over at **11:30 pm.**

When you arrive at prom present your ticket, you will have the opportunity to vote for the junior prince/princess and senior king/queen. Crowning ceremonies will be held at 10:00 p.m. Parents of the court may come at that time to watch the coronation.

Some things to remember: Random breathalyzer tests will be conducted by police officers when you arrive at the banquet hall. You may NOT bring your own beverages to Prom. Bottles/cans will be collected at the door and will not be returned and you will automatically receive a breathalyzer test. Once you leave the prom, you cannot return. If you need something from your car, one of the sponsors must escort you to your car and back.

This year's centerpieces are not to be removed or tampered with as they are elements we have invested in for use at future events.

PHETA will sell DVDs that will include the entire Grand March, highlights from prom, and the coronation ceremony. The cost will be \$10. Sales will begin the week after prom.

Kiner's Corner

The high school book club has partnered with Piper Fundraising to offer an array of gift items perfect for Mother's Day and Father's Day. Think about mom and dad and place your order with a book club member now until April 7, 2017. There are plenty of items to choose from. Whether it's a candle for mom or a travel cup for dad; there are so many items to choose from. There is an array of chocolates or cookies that will satisfy that sweet tooth. Maybe a plant for the garden would make the perfect gift? See a book club member during lunch and they can help you pick the perfect gift.



Items will be delivered early May, so just in time for Mother's Day! Payment is due at time of delivery, so start saving up for your gift now! If you would rather order online for a larger selection you may do so at www.piperfundraising.com and make sure you select Hebron Library for your school, Kiner for name, and HS Library for group. If you have any questions about online ordering, please see Mrs. Kiner. Proceeds will benefit the high school library book selections for next school year.



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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.