



Stark County Fair

By Christian Pernel

Did you attend the Stark County Fair? It ran from August 29th through September 4th. Fairless High School had 29 students who participated in fair activities, plus the entire high school band.

The first ever Stark County Fair was in 1850 in Canton Ohio. It was only in Canton for two years before moving to Nimisilla Park in Canton. It was held there until 1856 before temporarily moving to Massillon, Ohio. Soon after, in 1859, it moved back to Nimisilla Park. This was thought to be the permanent home for the fair until the fair bought Wertz Farm and Mumaw Farm in 1893. They bought this 65 acre property in hopes that it would be the perma-

nent fair home. In 1900, the grandstand that you still see there today (with the exception of some minor improvements) was built. This is the same grandstand that our own Fairless High School band played in front of on August 29, 2017.

Some students went to the fair just to enjoy the rides, games, food and animals. Jared Ady commented, "I love the food there, especially the funnel cakes." Thorne Silvius stated, "The fair has gone down hill over the years. It needs to be cleaned up a little bit."

There were shows in front of the grandstand and under the pavilion every night and day.

Musical acts, magicians, rodeos, demolition derby, truck pulls and tractor pulls filled the grandstand every night.



Miranda Ruegg comforting her pig Yzrna, in its pen.



Clare Soehnen wins Grand Champion born and raised steer!

Inside This Issue:

Stark County Fair	1
Fairless High School Updates	1
United States vs North Korea	2
Cleveland Indians	2
Volleyball	3
University of Akron High School Band Day	3
Fall Word Search	4
The Teens of the Month	4
Fall Sports	5-8
Ads	6-8

Teens of the Month



September

Miss Makenna Gundlach and Mr. Eric Koch

Fairless High School Updates

By Meeya Parker

Fairless High School was built in 1965. At the time, the Fairless district was not as it is today. The elementary schools were located in Beach City, Wilmot, Navarre and Brewster, where children attended kindergarten through sixth grade. Justice Middle School was also torn down. All of the elementary schools were demolished in 2007. During this time, Fairless Middle School was built across the street from Fairless High School and the Fairless Elementary School was built just down the road completing the new school district.

In 2016, the high school began renovating due to its age. Upgrading the school's security with a new, secure entrance. A small attendance office was built inside

the entrance on the very right, as well as a new intercom system placed on the inside and outside of the building. When anyone wishes to enter, they must be buzzed in twice. After the first buzz, students must sign in on one of two laptops. Also, there is a monitor, Mrs. King, to give access to who comes in and out of the building. The second buzz lets you into the building.

Last year, a new weight room with brand new equipment had also been put where the wrestlers and football players would lift and practice on the first level located in the same place as the original room.

This year in the basement, Mrs. Janice Courtney's old classroom and Mr. Don Wilson's old class-

room is in the process of being remodeled into a new practice area for the wrestlers. Mrs. Courtney is now teaching in room 120 where she continues to teach newspaper, psychology, and year-book; Mr. Wilson is in room 207 on the second floor teaching web design, business communication, personal finance and weight training and nutrition. Room 120 had been Spanish teacher Señor Roberts, whom was relocated to room 102 on the first floor of the school. Room 207 had previously held study hall with Mrs. Meredith but is now in room 121. Now, let's see what they plan to do next. Perhaps they'll renovate the auditorium stage or get more air conditioning.



Community members from the Fairless School District gather in the new weight room for the opening ceremony on June 20, 2017.

The Falcon Review

- 2004 NOSPA Award Winner
Honorable Mention
- 2005 NOSPA Award Winner
First Place
- 2006 NOSPA Award Winner
Second Place
- 2008 OSMA Award Winner
Second Place

Staff

- Editor-in-Chief.....Jessica Thomas
- Managing Editor.....Thorne Silvius
- Asst Managing Editor.....Jared Ady
- Sports Editor.....Andrew Zimmer
- Asst. Sports Editor.....BJ Warehime
- Business Manager.....Noah Gill
- Entertainment Editor.....Alex Hummel

Journalists

- Morgen Durant
- Sarah Hartong
- Katie Johnson
- Caleb Kelly
- Bronson Lee
- Hunter McCoy
- Cora Owen
- Meeya Parker
- Christian Pernel

Advisor..... Mrs. Courtney

Editorial Policy

The Falcon Review is a paper by, for and about the students of Fairless High School.

Our purpose is to inform the public of issues, events and policies which are relevant. We strive to report objectively and accurately.

The Writing for Publication class publishes at least four times per school year. We are a forum for diverse opinions and student expression. We encourage free expression of ideas from students, faculty, parents and members of the community.

Letters to the editor are limited to 250 words, must be tasteful and cannot contain personal attacks and must be signed (signature can be held upon request). Staff members may edit these letters in regard to grammar, length, or content. Nothing libelous, obscene or disruptive of the daily school process will be permitted. Subject to approval by the adviser and editor-in-chief, these letters must be delivered to room 120 or the mailbox marked Falcon Review in the high school office.

*This issue and subsequent issues can be viewed on the Fairless Local Schools,

Fairless Media Academy homepage.
<https://sites.google.com/a/fairless.sparcc.org/fairless-media-academy/home/falcon-review>

United States vs North Korea

By Jared Ady

Have you heard of the man named Kim Jong Un? He is the supreme leader of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, commonly referred to as North Korea. You may have heard that there has been some tension between the United States and Korea for awhile now. Recently, there has been somewhat of a disagreement between President Trump and Kim Jong Un. On Sunday, September 16th, Trump said in a tweet on social media, "Rocket man is on a suicide mission for himself and for his regime." Yet mocking Un, as Trump did on Sunday in a tweet, cannot disguise a sobering reality that the North Korean dictator is winning his race to create a nuclear bomb and a long-range missile that could hit US soil.

Meanwhile, White House aides, who have said that diplomacy is the preferred option for the United States, are talking tough. Trump debuted at the United Nations General Assembly and said, "If North Korea keeps on with this reckless behavior, if the United States has to defend itself



or defend its allies in any way, North Korea will be destroyed."

To which Un claimed, "the right to shoot down United States strategic bombers even when they are not in the airspace border of our country (North Korea)." "This is how war by miscalculation starts," Vipin Narang, a professor at MIT who studies nuclear weapons, tweeted.

Here are some questions you may want to consider while talking to your friends at lunch. Why is the United States not encourag-

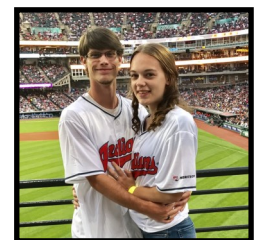
ing a peaceful world? Will there be a war between the two countries? What made North Korea so mad at America? Should leaders of countries be allowed to tweet? What is a nuclear bomb and it effects on the world. Stay tuned. There will be future news relating to the tensions between North Korea and the United States.

Cleveland Indians

By BJ Warehime

The Cleveland Indians are looking for redemption after the 2016 MLB season. They had a heart-breaking World Series loss to the Chicago Cubs. Last year, the Indians had a postseason run that shook the nation; They only lost one game; leading the Indians to go to the World Series for the first time since 1997. Their last World Series title was in 1948, where they beat the Boston Braves. The Cleveland Indians are having one of their best seasons in franchise history this year. They are number one in the American League Central Division and are a whopping 16 games ahead of the Minnesota Twins. The Indians went on a 22 game win streak, which is the longest winning streak not only in franchise history, but American League history. If the Indians would have reached 26 wins in a row, they would've tied the record for most wins in a row in MLB

history. The Cleveland Indians are managed by Terry Francona and he has really shown us why he is one of the best managers in major league baseball. Francona has taken a plethora of not very well known players from all around, and put them together to form a championship team. The Indians had five players earn enough votes to make it to the all star game which took place on July 11, 2017. Those players include Michael Brantley, Francisco Lindor, Andrew Miller, Corey Kluber, and José Ramirez. The Indians will also be holding the 2019 All Star Game at their home field, Progressive Field. The Indians have a great chance to find redemption from the devastating World Series loss in 2016. They are looking to make up for that loss and they are sure on the right track to do that.



Volleyball

By Morgen Durant

Have you been to a Fairless volleyball game? If not, come out and support your Lady Falcons?! They recently hired a new varsity head coach, Courtney Seese, and also a new junior varsity head coach, Maggie Rush.

Seese was asked what her first thought was when she heard the news of Fairless having an opening for head varsity volleyball and junior varsity coach. She commented, "When I was offered the job of varsity head coach, at first I was shocked. I'm very young for a head coach and only have three years of coaching under my belt. One year coaching JV for East Canton and two years coaching eighth grade for Perry. "I was so excited to get started and change the program around."

There are three seniors on the varsity volleyball team this year. They are Haylee Thorpe, Alexa Goldenbogen and Abby Quinn. The three of them were asked how it felt being a senior and knowing it was their last year playing volleyball in high school. Thorpe responded with "Being a senior is so bittersweet. Tearing my ACL six days before the first game definitely wasn't how I planned the season to go but

that's life. It has been so fun and this season has definitely been the most fun because my team and new coach has made it the best but I'm definitely not ready for it to end." Goldenbogen answered with "I'm sad that it's my last year but I'm overjoyed that I get to spend it with great people. Our main goal this season is to work together as a team and have fun while doing it. I'm excited to see how the rest of my senior year goes." Quinn said, "Well, it's kinda weird being a senior because I know I'm not going to have another season after this and it's strange knowing that after this, high school volleyball career will be over."

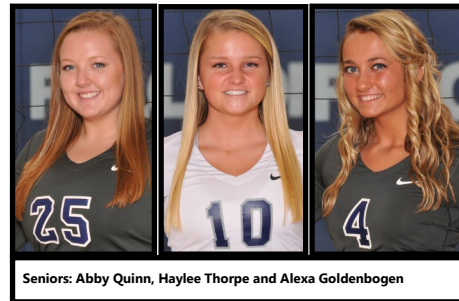
The Fairless volleyball girls look forward to how the rest of their season is going to go. If you haven't been to a game yet this year the next home game is, Tuesday, October 3, versus Tuslaw at 6 P.M. That is also senior night! The last home game is Thursday, October 12, versus CVCA at 6 P.M.



Head Coach Coach Seese



Assistant Coach Coach Rush



Seniors: Abby Quinn, Haylee Thorpe and Alexa Goldenbogen

University of Akron High School Band Day

By Katie Johnson

On September 9, 2017, the University of Akron hosted their annual High School Band Day. This event is always held on the Zips' first home game of the season. The Fairless High School Marching Band attended this show. They received their music two weeks in advance from the University of Akron. The morning of the show, they started their day at 10 A.M. with a short rehearsal at Fairless High School. By 11 o'clock, they were on their way to Infocision Stadium in Akron. Arriving around 12:15, the band unloaded their instruments and made their way into the stands. Soon, the University of Akron Marching Band, also known as Ohio's Pride, took the field for their pregame rehearsal. The Falcons had a front row seat for this as they were led by their student guide down to the field. After the Zips had finished running through both their pregame routine and their halftime show, the high school bands in attendance took the field. High school bands in attendance were Brookside High School, Newton Falls High School, Northwest High School, and Struthers High School. Fairless was the biggest high school band on the field! Now you may be wondering what part the high school students had in the Band Day.

The bands practiced coming on and off the field and playing through the music together for the first time. Then they split up into groups by instrument to have sectional time with the college section leaders. After they had come back together and ran through the music again, the high school bands circled around University Band director Dr. Andrew Feyes. The University of Akron Marching Band (UAMB) surrounded them, and treated the students to a singing of

the University of Akron Alma Mater. The students were then taken to lunch in the JAR Arena. There was a speech by the University President, Matthew J. Wilson, followed by a pep rally of sorts by the UAMB. After this, the bands were taken back to Infocision Stadium, where they got to watch pregame and the first quarter of the game.

The high school bands were featured during halftime along the Akron Marching Band. After the Zips had marched their first movement, the high schools bands took the field in blocks. The Falcons got to be right next to the Akron band! After they had marched on, all 6 bands proceeded to play "American Woman", "We're an American Band", "America the Beautiful", and then Akron's Fight Song, "Akron Gold and Blue", to close the show. There is a recording of the show on YouTube.

The band made their way home around 9 P.M. after a long day out. When asked about the experience, Junior horn, Jackie Link said, "I think it was a tremendous help for our confidence and lots of fun. We learned a lot of tricks from the university band that we can bring into our ensemble." Head Director, Mrs. Elizabeth Barkan, also had similar sentiments. "It was a fantastic experience for both the students and the chaperones. I thought it was well run and eye opening. My favorite part was seeing the students' faces on the jumbo tron and hearing them talk about their interactions with the college kids during sectionals." Overall, the University of Akron High School Band Day was a great experience for the Fairless High School Marching Band, and they hope to be in attendance again in the future.



Fairless High School Band poses with a giant, inflatable University of Akron mascot, Zippy!



All five high school bands play alongside the University of Akron Marching Band!

Fall Word Search

Cheerleading	R	L	R	M	U	F	T	M	T	A	G	A	C	X	G
Falcon Media	V	E	L	C	C	W	A	Q	T	L	E	R	U	N	X
Gloves	I	M	C	A	Y	L	B	L	O	R	O	N	O	O	M
Ping Pong	C	K	O	C	B	X	E	V	L	S	H	P	I	N	R
Cold Days	H	Z	X	A	O	Y	E	S	S	P	G	P	A	C	F
Fall Play	E	R	K	Z	K	S	E	C	G	N	L	N	H	N	O
Halloween	E	L	K	K	Z	X	O	L	I	Q	V	A	N	E	O
School	R	F	K	V	W	U	E	P	L	T	N	X	Y	E	T
Cross Country	L	B	J	D	N	W	X	T	N	O	I	Y	Q	W	B
Football	E	U	B	T	O	T	B	P	Z	R	V	V	Q	O	A
Volleyball	A	V	R	C	O	L	D	D	A	Y	S	F	F	L	L
Soccer	D	Y	B	O	Q	M	S	C	N	H	B	C	T	L	L
	I	A	I	D	E	M	N	O	C	L	A	F	L	A	N
	N	L	O	O	H	C	S	Y	M	O	M	M	W	H	O
	G	F	Q	R	O	G	O	C	D	C	R	F	P	U	N

Teens of the Month



By Meeya Parker

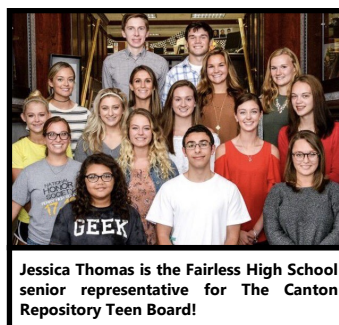
This year's September's Teens of the Month are Makenna R. Gundlach, nominated by Señora Marguerite Remenaric, Fairless teacher for Spanish level two and college Spanish and Ms. Jennifer Holland, the Art teacher. And nominated by Ms. Kimberly Noftsinger, R.G. Drages AP English teacher and Ms. Janice Courtney is Eric A. Koch whom is attending R.G. Drage for welding.

Makenna Gundlach was born to Tamara Shilling and Jay Gundlach on November 5, 1999 and resides in Massillon. Earning a 4.0 GPA, she has participated in many local clubs and activities. She has been a member of Key Club all through high school and was elected Junior Representative in eleventh grade. She took Art one, two and three, as well as Advanced Painting and College Spanish classes. She was on the highest honor roll. Gundlach is number one of her class. She has volunteered for the annual Senior Citizen Luncheon all

throughout her years of high school. She has had her artwork in the Canton Museum High School Art Show and Massillon Art Community Show. Gundlach plans to attend college and major in Early Childhood Education with a Major in Spanish. She also plans to work in day care to gain more experience to become an elementary school teacher. She has been attending Kent State University classes since her junior and senior year and is in National Honor Society.

Eric Koch was born on August 17, 1999 to Amy and Ernest Koch; living in Wilmot. His GPA is at 4.0. He has participated in baseball his freshman and junior year. He was in Art one and two, Spanish one and two as freshman and sophomore and Yearbook his sophomore year. Koch is also involved in the community by recruiting for R.G. Drage and participating in village clean-up all through high school. He has volunteered for The Cinderella Ball and Senior

Citizen Luncheon his sophomore year, as well as the local Food Cupboard. He is also part of National Honor Society and National Honor Technical Society his junior and senior year. He was in student pep club and is President of the class of 2018 at R.G. Drage. He has received highest honor roll and perfect attendance. Koch plans to work in welding in order to save money for college and work to obtain an Engineering Degree and is currently taking college courses.



Falcon Feather Movie Reviews



"It" -

Released on September 8, 2017, "It" the movie is in theaters everywhere. Seven young outcasts in Derry, Maine, are about to face their worst nightmare with an ancient, shape-shifting evil that emerges from the sewer every 27 years to prey on the town's children. Banding together over the course of one horrifying summer, the friends must overcome their own personal fears to battle the murderous, bloodthirsty clown known as Pennywise.

2017 Varsity Football



Front: Bronson Lee, Bo Snyder, Garrett Piper, Nick Shephard, Jordon Postlewaite, Zack Morrison, Caleb Kelly; **Row 2:** Coach Valentino, Coach Murphy, Coach Schultz, Jordan Garvin, Stephen Baxter, Dillon Fulton, Tyler Vogt, Coach Sarbaugh, Coach Hurst, Head Coach Don Wilson; **Row 3:** Cameron Majors, Adam Tucker, Zach Chambliss, Jack Laney, Preston Hershberger, Noah Gill, Wyhatt Creter, Trainer Lindsay Moyer; **Row 4:** Kameron Milbrodt, Kaycee Jewell, Logan Napier, Marcus Cain, Logan Shafer, Lance Wickham, Kyle Miller, Brett Hogue; **Row 5:** Brannon Hughes, Devon Berresford, Justin Yoder, Kagen Eubanks, Logan Slutz, Ben Everhart, Rocco Scholey, Zack Fowler; **Row 6:** Zach Taylor, Josh Webb, Bennie Tacket, Justin Kornish, Carson Majors, Tyler Stubbs, Ethan Brindley, Conner Durant, Reise Lanier; **Back:** Lucas Cline, Andon Jewel, Dylan Hershberger, Seth Short, Hayden Stutz, Brady Wickham, Ethan Godwin, Preston Peterson, Evan Carter.

2017 Cross Country



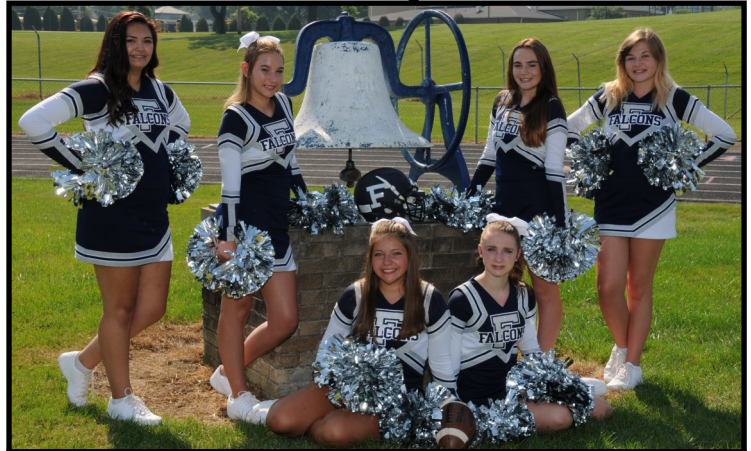
Front: Kendra Feucht, Mattias Soehnlén, Logan Thomas, Lucas Ruegg, Alex Kirby; **Row 2:** Todd Tusing, Ella Pumneo, Sophie Wentling, Lyndsay Cole, Kinsley Anstine, Jack Fortner, Nyana Pumneo, Erycka Byer; **Row 3:** Matt Cincinat, David Moore, Payton Diamond; **Back:** Peyton Hemphill, Justin Marchand, Coach Russell, Emma Kirby; **Not Pictured:** Matt Gilker-son.

2017 Varsity Cheerleaders



Front: Kimberly McDonald; **Row 2:** Sierra Cox, Chloe Palfy; **Back:** Madi Page, Jazmin Labus, Megan McDonald, Courtney Peterson, Sierra Carson.

2017 Junior Varsity Cheerleaders



Front: Brandi Carter, Paige Lowder; **Back:** Leyla Dowdy, Gianna Schafer, Sarah Hartong, Jessica Piercy.

2017 Freshman Cheerleaders



Front: Briana Duke; **Back:** Emma Klick, Ila Klick, Vanessa Valentine, Alyssa Bissell.



2017 Varsity Girls Golf



Front: Evelyn Morrison, Summer McMerrell; **Back:** Jenna Ma-her, Brooke Boughman, Emma Fisher, Katie Burt, Erika Lear, Grace Dickey, Coach Glasgow.

The Manor
RESTAURANT

753 S Wooster Ave, Strasburg, OH 44680

330-878-9809



Pictured: Devin McVicker, Cade Swonger, Derek Schumacher, Jordan Delillo, Andrew Zimmer; **Not Pictured:** Jerry Warehime, Coach Jennings.

2017 Varsity Boys Golf



Front: Paul Payne, Austin Weller; **Back:** Tyler McGonagle, Jared Six, Peyton Rhodes; **Not Pictured:** Garrett Adams, Coach Jennings.

2017 Junior Varsity Boys Golf

2017 Varsity Boys Soccer



Front: Jack Fortner, Zachary Dawson, Kyle Hunter, Preston Arebedul, Jordan Gregory; **Row 2:** Dylan Davis, Justin Warstler, Gavin Alexander, Jacob Renner, Dylan Thomas; **Back:** Coach O'Flaherty, Owen Anstine, Dylan Pohovey, Ethan Witting, Kyle Fox, Jared Ady.

2017 Varsity Volleyball



Pictured: Coach Seese, Carley Thomas, Morgen Durant, Maddy Schoeppner, Abby Quinn, Haylee Thorpe, Alexa Goldenbogen, Madi Page, Maddy Hill, Becca Garren, Coach Rush; **Not Pictured:** Coach Slagle

2017 Girls Varsity Soccer



Front: Maddy Reese, Emily Durant, Bri Childers, Taylor Wolfe; **Row 2:** Mackenzie Pavlik, Alyssa Owens, Haley Burt, Alyssa Burcaw, Zepporah Miller, Annie Childers, Annabelle Ehmer; **Back:** Coach Brown, Haley Hathaway, Katelyn Ashton, Maddie Wilson, Kaylee Pavlik, Courtney Brown, Grace Snavelly, Lauren Engle; **Not Pictured:** Brianna Pulley.

2017 Junior Varsity Volleyball



Front: Katie Maybaugh, Hailey Gross, Hallie Seese; **Row 2:** Hannah Bernier, Olivia Regula; **Back:** Coach Seese, Kiley Seal, Amy Pendleton, Manager Kiera Ramey, Kiley McPherson, Natalie Richards, Coach Rush.

2017 Marching Band



Front: Emma Matie, Katie Johnson; **Row 2:** Katie Feucht, Miranda Ruegg, Jazmin Warehime, Samantha Adams, Cheyanne Baus, Emily Ford, Alexis Sexton, Brandy Truman, Angie Hall; **Row 3:** Amber Warstler, Katie Burt, Olivia Smith, Lukas Nelson, Chris Johnson, Shelby Greene, Jennings Weber, Geoffrey Hillard, Tori Stewart, Mariah Wyant; **Row 4:** Jessica Thomas, Sami Stokes, Logan Dostal, Trent Yoder, Jordan Cassius, Micah Gregory, Greg Reed, Kevin Bair, Kylie Tustin, Mikala Farmer; **Row 5:** Bethany Lutt, Shanaka Sexton, Jessica Piercy, Dylan Davis, Jacob Justice, Kane Stotzer, Mitch Glasgow, Bryson Krier, Colin Long, Sarah Hess, Grace Dickey; **Row 6:** Mary Hammel, Alex Cline, Donald Hall, Josh Wengerd, Benjamin Bravis, Trinity Tackett, Josh Boggs II, Katelyn Smitley, Jacquelyn Link, Cora Owen; **Row 7:** Landynn Gundlach, Emma Fisher, Emily Luxemburg, Skye Petz, Jacob Burkett, Madison Miller, Cole Baylor, Riley Kline, Kiera Baker, Marissa Yoder; **Row 8:** Kiera Ramey, Kaylynn Douglas, Alyssa Neff, Josh Rozlog, Thomas Yarger, Dominick Mencer, Jesse Johnson, Abigail Lyon, Samantha Yoder, Olivia Waugh; **Row 9:** Jordan Gregory, Lucas Sexton, Preston Peterson, Ethan Witting, Sarah Brunckhart, Austin Medure, Ethan Godwin, Harold Burden, Logan Thomas; **Row 10:** George Warehime, Jude Montague, Matthew Wentling, Heidi Wright, Peyton Hemphill, Luke Gill, Bailey Poths, Allison Schumacher; **Row 11:** Asst. Nathan Wenger, Asst. Jarrett Mohler; **Back:** Asst. Matthew Fowler, Band Director Elizabeth Barkan and Asst. Band Director Melissa Sheets.



GENE'S PUMPS & PLUMBING SERVICE INC.

*Subs & Jet Pumps • Cold & Hot Water Tanks
Water Conditioning*

10404 State Route 21 - Strasburg, Ohio 44680

GENE 330-878-5283

TIM 330-340-6848



232 W Center St,
Navarre, OH 44662
330-879-5699