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HOW DID HOLMAN GET ITS NAME?

Parker Gliedt

Did you know that Holman was named after a former superintendent, M. A. Holman and his wife, who was a teacher, Mary Alice Holman. Mrs. Holman taught math until she died in 1959. They named the school after him and his late wife and the ceremony took place August 28, 1960, and was named Holman Jr. High School. In 1982 Holman was renamed to Holman Middle School. Mr. Holman started his career at the age of 21 and a year later he became superintendent in Williamstown, MO. In 1938 he became superintendent for Pattonville.

FIND THE OBJECT



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SCHOOL STORE

Daphne Ozbenli

Did you know we had a school store here in Holman? It's open on Wednesdays and Fridays during lunch! You can get a free treat depending on your renaissance card status (Green gets one treat, Gold gets two, and Platinum gets 3!). If you want, you can even buy stuff with cash. We are only allowed to spend \$3 each time. (You can only use each punch once.) So save your money if you want to buy stuff from our store!

How much do items cost?

Selection may vary

\$1 or 1 punch items:

chips
soda
donuts



\$2 or 2 punch items:

large candy
cotton candy



The Day After Halloween

By Evie Yakel

With Halloween coming up soon, we are reminded that we should be grateful that the day after Halloween is on a Saturday, so we do not have to go to school. Now, instead of waking up early and doing schoolwork for 7 hours straight, we can stay out later and sleep in. Happy Halloween Holman!!

HOMECOMING PARADE

AyDon Malcolm

Did you go to the parade? If you didn't here's a few pictures from the homecoming parade on Saturday, October 11th.



Pattonville's History

By Parker Gliedt

In 1845, Olive Street Road and north towards Anglun and west to the Missouri River, was all one township district. But in May 1845 they realized that this one district was too crowded and they divided this area into three parts. The eastern part was Mount Pleasant, the northern part was District No. 2, and the western part which was Creve Coeur. Fee Fee's first school was Pattonville grade school which was built in 1850. In the 1880s they made a few changes to the building, but in 1907 they renovated to a two brick structure, since of all the damages caused by age.

In 1909, a religious home was moved to Fee Fee, bringing a lot of new people, which caused Pattonville to make plans to expand in 1925. Until 1925 there had been no senior high school in the district but they decided to build one due to the amount of inconveniences this caused.

In 1943 they added 7th and 8th graders to Sr. High, and in 1953 the high school was expanded again. Later in 1957 the 7th, 8th, and 9th graders were moved to junior high (middle school) when it was completed.

FUN FACT: THIS
SCHOOL YEAR IS
PATTONVILLES
90TH
ANNIVERSARY!!!!



Faces of Holman



By Ms. Wilfong

Holman students truly stand apart — past, present, and future. Today, we'd like to share the inspiring story of one of our former students, Selena Reide.

During her time at Holman, Selena was active in band and a proud member of the National Junior Honor Society. At Pattonville High School, she continued her involvement in band and lacrosse while also serving as Cheer Captain. Her passion for medicine led her to take biomedical and CNA courses, preparing her for a future in healthcare.

Now a student at Southeast Missouri State University (SEMO) pursuing a degree in nursing, Selena has already put her skills to use in a real-life emergency. After being involved in a car accident, she noticed that the driver behind her needed help. Acting quickly, Selena instructed her passengers on what to do, kicked out the window of the other car, and provided aid—then moved on to assist another driver in need.

Selena didn't hesitate; she simply acted with courage, compassion, and leadership—traits that define Holman students. We couldn't be prouder of her bravery and her commitment to helping others.

Because at Holman, we don't just learn—we lead. Holman students aren't like the rest.



My name is Parker Gliedt. I am a part of the editorial staff for Holman newspaper. I play the violin and I also do theatre. I like to do stories about what's happening at Holman and history.

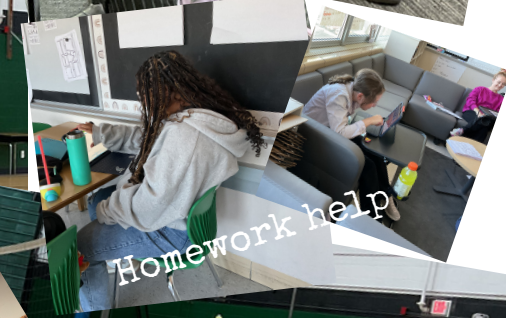
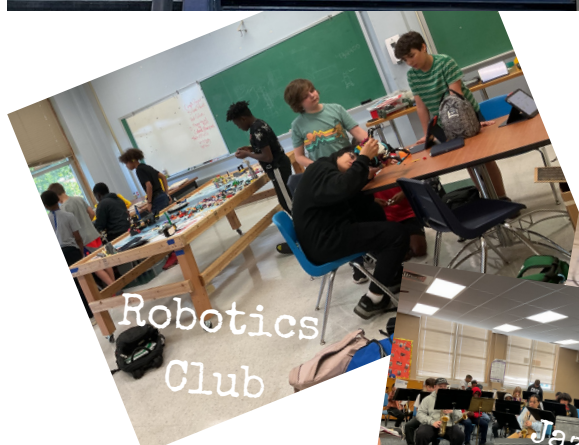
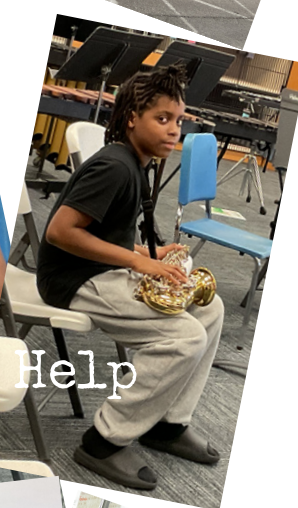
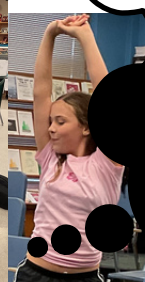
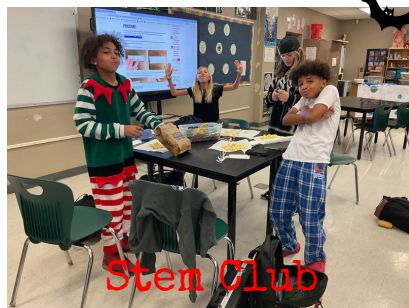
This is my first year on the newspaper staff at Holman. I really like it and enjoy my time here. I am excited to continue my time at Holman now as a seventh grader.

My name is Evelyn Yakel. I am a seventh grader and I play the violin and do theater here at Holman. I am a writer on the Holman newspaper. I like to write stories about what the people care about. I enjoy it very much and look forward to doing this when I am in eighth grade as well.

After-School Clubs

HOW DO I
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CLUB(S)

GO TO MR ROBERT'S
OFFICE FOR THE
CLUB SIGNUP
SHEETS IN THE 7TH
GRADE HALLWAY



WORD SEARCH

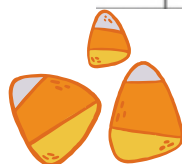
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