

Diller-Odell Griffins

Striving for Successful 21st Century Learners

January 7, 2013

This Week in a Glance

Monday: First day of 3rd quarter; MUDECAS Girls BB vs. Sacred Heart-8:45 @ auditorium

Tuesday: MUDECAS Boys BB vs. NC Lourdes-8:45 @ SCC

Wednesday:

Thursday: MUDECAS Boys BB

Friday: MUDECAS Girls BB

Saturday: MUDECAS BB Tourney

Note: Bulletin is for the first week back at school starting the 7th.

Welcome back - Let's have the best 2nd semester we can!!

High School Info

~~ JV and V BB at Falls City Sacred Heart-starting at 4:30, bus will depart at 2:15 and 4:30.

Elementary Info

~~ The new birthday calendars have a big mistake. April and May are off one day. My sincere apologies to anyone who bought a calendar.

- The gyms in both buildings will be closed
- Saturday, December 22, through Wednesday, December 26 for the 5-day moratorium.

Gate workers:
Dec. 28 Mrs. Coufal and Mrs. Hroch

- Oakley Company, together with ECS presented sunglasses to deserving breast cancer survivors. Christie Morgan, representing EyeCare Specialties, was in school last week to present a pair of Oakley sunglasses to Mrs. Klecan.

Breakfast

Monday: Cereal, toast, fruit or juice
Tuesday: Breakfast pizza, pineapple
Wednesday: Pancake & sausage on a stick, tri-tator, orange slices
Thursday: Oatmeal breakfast round, banana
Friday: Cereal, poptart, fruit or juice
*Milk is served with each meal.
(subject to change)*

Lunch

Monday: Spicy garlic chicken wrap, potato rounds, lettuce salad, fruit choice
Tuesday: Breaded beef patties, mashed potatoes & gravy, steamed broccoli, sliced peaches, dinner roll
Wednesday: Turkey & cheese sub, romaine lettuce & tomatoes, oven fries, grapes
Thursday: BBQ Pork on bun, sweet potato puffs, baked beans, orange slices, oatmeal cookie
Friday: Stromboli, garden spinach salad, fresh carrots, apple wedges
*Milk is served with each meal.
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Please remember to save your Land O Lakes milk lids, Campbell's labels, and Box Tops for Education. With some of last year's money, we purchased some new items for the students to play with on the playground. You can drop your lids, labels, and box tops off at either school. The Odell Market has a drop off too. Thanks for your continued support of these programs.

- ACT Information:

Test Date	Registration Deadline	(Late Fee Required)
February 9, 2013	January 11, 2013	January 12 – 18, 2013
April 13, 2013	March 8, 2013	March 9 – 22, 2013
June 8, 2013	May 3, 2013	May 4 – 17, 2013

Students: We are having problems with students leaving an abundance of popcorn on the hallway floors during basketball games. Please take more pride in your school and do not create an unnecessary mess. You can eat popcorn in the concessions area and in the gym. There is no need to be eating it in the hallways.

Attention 8th Graders, Sophomores & Juniors, and their Parents New this year!

College Access Day @UNL
 8th Graders - April 23rd, 2013
 10th & 11th Graders - February 21st, 2013
 More information to come later, please mark your calendars.

The class of 2017 will be selling the Griffin Window Stickers again.
 The order will be due no later than January 11, 2013.
 The cost are \$8 and \$10 if you want the sticker personalized.

Need a Griffin Christmas Present or Stocking Stuffer!
 Sophomore class has a variety of shirts in a variety of sizes/colors. Please contact Mrs. Becker or check out the school website.

Updated events:

January

- 14 Pioneer Instrumental Music
- 15 Student Council Make-A-Wish supper @ BB games
- 22 FBLA Officer meeting
- 25 Post Prom Supper @ BB games
- 26 MUDECAS Speech

February

- 2 Beatrice Speech Meet
- 4 FBLA Week
- 6 FFA State Degree selection
- 7 PTC Conference
- 14 DOSADA Sweetheart Dance
- 15 No School; Teacher in service
- 18 No School; National FFA Week
- 20 Pioneer Speech
- 22 8th Grade Dance
- 26 FBLA Officer meeting

March

- 5 Pk-6 Lifetouch portrait pictures, HS Music Concert; District Ag Skills Contest
- 6 DOSADA Kick-ball and pizza party
- 7-8 No school

Reminder to Seniors & Parents:

You will find current scholarship listings on the school website under the Counselor/High School Tab.

Character Counts

The elementary school will be celebrating character traits each month in the School Counseling Guidance Lessons. Each month, a new theme will be introduced to the students. Along with the color that corresponds with the monthly character trait. To celebrate each character trait, one Wednesday a month students can choose to wear that color.

Listed below you will find the Month, character trait and day in which students can wear character trait color.

- February – Fairness (orange) – February 6th
- March – Trustworthiness (blue) – March 13th
- April – Citizenship (purple) – April 10th
- May – Perseverance & Hope (rainbow) – May 8th