

# DILLER-ODELL GRIFFINS

STRIVING FOR SUCCESSFUL 21ST CENTURY LEARNERS

## Week in a Glance:

November 30, 2020

- Monday:** District Play Production @ Pawnee City, bus departs @ 7:15; JH MAP Growth Assessment; HS Basketball Parent Pre-season meeting in new gym-6:30 pm
- Tuesday:** FBLA Christmas Party-7:30am in Library; JH MAP Growth Assessments; JH BBB vs Pawnee City-2:00
- Wednesday:** Elementary MAP Reading Growth Assessments
- Thursday:** Elementary MAP Math Growth Assessments; JV/V G/B BB @ Pawnee City-4:00/5:00/6:00/7:30, bus departs @ 2:15/5:00
- Friday:** Elementary MAP Reading Fluency Assessment; JV/V G/B BB vs. HTRS-4:15/4:45/6:00/7:30; Freshman Raffle

Mr. Meyerle recommended amending the school calendar for 2020-21. The Board, Mr. Mezger and Mr. Meyerle recognize the extra effort by staff and students this year. Times have been modified, instruction modified, the staff is taking extra precautions with sanitizing, disinfecting, and wearing masks to keep everyone as safe as possible.

**The school calendar will be amended to break for Thanksgiving at the end of a full day of school on Tuesday, November 24. The calendar will also be amended to break for winter break at the end of a full day of school on Friday, December 18.**

Again, the Board, Matt and I recognize the effort by so many people, and hope the extra time off helps with motivation and serves as a well-deserved break.

Despite the PHS risk dial being in red, Diller-Odell Public has adjusted our plan to continue in person learning.

Although we have a number of students in quarantine, we currently have three student cases and one staff case.

**The situation is fluid and could change from week to week.**



## Elementary Info

~~ Caught Being Good: Kadin Colgrove, Jack Duis, Hannah Schnuelle, Monroe Thomsen

~~ MAP testing is Wednesday, Thursday, Friday first thing in the morning. Kids should be well rested and have a healthy breakfast to be well prepared for their tests.

## Breakfast

**Monday:** Pancakes, fruit choice, juice

**Tuesday:** Biscuits & gravy, fruit cup, juice

**Wednesday:** French toast sticks, fresh fruit, juice

**Thursday:** Breakfast pizza, fruit choice, juice

**Friday:** Donut day, fresh fruit, juice

*Milk is served with each meal.  
(subject to change)*

## 2nd Grade Community Birthday Calendar

The Diller-Odell 2nd Grade 2021 Community Birthday Calendars will soon be for sale! We are finishing up our illustrations and will soon be putting the calendars together. (We are hoping to have them done by mid-December.) The calendars will be \$2 and available to purchase from any second grade student. The State Bank of Odell graciously has our calendars for sale, at both the Diller and Odell locations. You can also contact Mrs. Hynek at [jhynek@dillerodell.org](mailto:jhynek@dillerodell.org) for assistance in purchasing a calendar. Thank you for your continued support of this community project!

## High School Info

~~ JH MAP testing Monday and Tuesday. Be well rested and have a healthy breakfast.

~~ HS basketball parent pre-season meeting on Monday, November 30 at 6:30 in the new gym.

~~ HTRS BB at home: 2 JV girls quarters, 2 JV boys quarters. Beginning at 4:15. All games in the new gym.

## Lunch

**Monday:** Breaded pork, ranch potatoes, veggie blend, fruit choice, dinner roll

**Tuesday:** Pizza, green beans, fruit choice, gelatin cup

**Wednesday:** General TSO's chicken wrap, corn, fruit choice, sherbet cup

**Thursday:** Beef nachos, refried beans, fresh fruit

**Friday:** Hamburger on bun, french fries, fruit, chocolate chip cookie

*Milk is served with each meal  
(subject to change)*

**Fed from the Farm is highlighted**

All dates/times are subject to change.

Order your basketball apparel NOW! Online ordering from Stateline Promotions or return the order form to the school by Tuesday, December 1. Order forms are being sent home with elementary students and are available in the high school office and on the website.

Stateline Promotions  
DOHS GRIFFINS BASKETBALL 2020-2021

Name: \_\_\_\_\_



ORANGE GARMENTS

ITEM	2X	3X	4X	6X
Orange Jersey (Short)	\$15			
Orange Jersey (Long)	\$18			
Orange Hoodie	\$18			
Orange Hoodie (Long)				
Orange Crew (Short)	\$22			
Orange Hoodie	\$25			
Orange & Blue T-shirt	\$10			
Orange & Blue Hoodie	\$21			
Orange & Blue T-shirt	\$10			

Total Due: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return order form and payment back to the high school before  
Checks should be made out to Diller-Odell High School

Online ordering:  
[www.statelinepromotions.com](http://www.statelinepromotions.com)

As of November 11, the below is the new DHM that Diller-Odell Schools will be following:

Extracurricular youth activities are permitted, so long as ALL other Gathering requirements are followed, subject to the following specific requirements where applicable: Fan attendance for all indoor youth extra-curricular activities is limited to household members of participants only. Household units must maintain six (6) feet of distance from any other household unit. Household units may not exceed eight (8) individuals.

**We apologize, but this will mean no grandparents or people living outside the participant's household may attend. These requirements will be in effect at Diller-Odell Public Schools until further notice.**

The Hennerberg family would like to send out a special "Thank You" to all that bought the Hennerberg Herd t-shirts. Your support means a lot to each of us during this time. Thank you!



Jamie, Kristen, Keira and Josie



## AVOID THE THREE Cs

### Crowded Places

Avoid gathering in groups where you can't maintain 6-foot distance from others.

### Close Contact

Wear a mask or maintain 6-feet distance when you're with people you don't live with.

### Confined Spaces

Avoid enclosed spaces with poor ventilation.

### Updated events:

#### December

10 Elementary Winter Concert  
17 JH/HS Winter Concert  
18 End of semester

21 thru

#### January

4 Winter break  
5 No school; Teacher in-service  
6 1<sup>st</sup> day of 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter  
18 No school; Teacher in-service  
20 FBLA Officer meeting; FFA LDE's @ York  
23 Speech @ Thayer Central  
29 BB Parent's Night  
30 MUDECAS Speech

#### February

6 Speech @ Beatrice  
10 Pioneer Conference Speech @ Johnson-Brock  
11 PTC-4:00-7:00  
12 No school; Teacher In-service  
13 Speech  
17 ELPA Assessment  
18 ELPA Assessment  
24 ESU #5 JH QB @ Thayer Central  
27 Speech @ HTRS

## Congratulations...

to the Diller-Odell Livestock Evaluation teams that competed at the District 5 Livestock CDE in York on November 4th.

~ The Senior team placed 7th among 16 teams with Dalton Bures leading the team with a 19th place finish.

~ The Junior team was led by Preston Engelman's 12th place finish to place 4th and qualify for the State Livestock Judging event in April.

~ The Junior High team placed 3rd with Morgan Kapke placing 8th individually.



The Diller Community Foundation Fund is once again sponsoring the Youth Philanthropy Contest for our young citizens to help Diller-Odell Schools and our community change and grow!

Applications are due January 6, 2021 Applications can be requested at [broelfs73@gmail.com](mailto:broelfs73@gmail.com) or are available at Diller-Odell Public Schools. For additional information about this exciting opportunity, contact Beth Roelfs at 402-793-5556.

The 2020 grants provided funding for the elementary after school LEARN program, Mainstreet plantings in Diller and a mural in the H.S. counselor's office.