



The Firelands Express



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FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT



Reminder: Coffee with the Superintendent

If you are interested in hosting a "Coffee with the Superintendent," please contact Linda Seman at 440.965.5821 to initiate an informal discussion with Dr. Hill

In a recent communication I received from Carole Richards, President of North Coast Education Services, I was reminded of the monumental task we face as parents. I am compelled to share the message with the Firelands Family today. The main portion of her message is as follows:

Dear Mom and Dad,

I know you love me and how much you want me to be the best in everything I do. But, we both know no one is perfect. I can't do everything right. Let me learn some things the hard way. You and Dad have told me stories about how you learned the hard way. That's why I've written some suggestions for you to remember the next time I say something wrong, or do something stupid. Yes, I am trying hard and will keep trying. Please remember that none of us are perfect and will never be perfect no matter how much you and I try.

Don't spoil me. I know quite well that I don't need everything I ask for.

Don't be afraid to be firm with me. I prefer it. It makes me feel more secure.

Don't let me form bad habits. I have to rely on you to detect them in the early stages.

Don't do for me what I can do for myself. It makes me feel smaller than I am.

Don't correct me in front of other people if you can help it. I'll take much more notice if you talk quietly with me in private.

Don't try to discuss my behavior in the heat of the situation. For some reason, my hearing is not very good at this time and my cooperation even worse. It's alright to take the action required, but let's not talk about it until later.

Don't make me feel that my mistakes are sins. It upsets my sense of values.

Don't be too upset when I say, "I hate you." I don't mean it, but I want you

to feel sorry for what you have done to me.

Don't protect me from consequences. I need to learn the hard way sometimes. Don't nag. If you do, I shall have to protect myself by acting deaf.

Don't make promises you can't keep. Remember that I feel badly when promises are broken.

Don't forget that I cannot explain myself as well as I would like. That is one reason why I am not accurate.

Don't test my honesty too much. I can be easily frightened into telling lies.

Don't be inconsistent. That completely confuses me and makes me lose faith in your guidance.

Don't put me off when I ask questions for information. If you do, you will find that I stop asking and seek information elsewhere. If I ask questions for attention, that is a different matter. Don't ever suggest that you are perfect or infallible. It gives me too great a shock when I discover that you are neither. Don't ever think that it is beneath your dignity to apologize to me. An honest apology makes me feel surprisingly warm toward you.

Don't forget how quickly I am growing up. It must be very difficult for you to keep pace with me, but please try. Don't use force with me. I will respond more readily to being led.

Don't worry about the amount of time we spend together. It is how we spend it that counts. Don't forget that I can't thrive without lots of love and understanding, but I don't need to tell you that, do I?

-Author unknown

As I reflect back on my daily interactions with my five and two year old sons, I find that this letter provides great guidance to me as a father. As adults, we accept the responsibility to guide and help form our future and our greatest asset, which are clearly our children. I encourage each parent of the Firelands Family to cherish our children and to help them grow on a daily basis.

Go Falcons!

Yours in education,

Dr. Robert F. Hill
Superintendent

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www.firelandsschools.org

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**FIRELANDS ACCEPTING
OPEN ENROLLMENT APPLICATIONS
FOR THE 2014 - 2015 SCHOOL YEAR!**

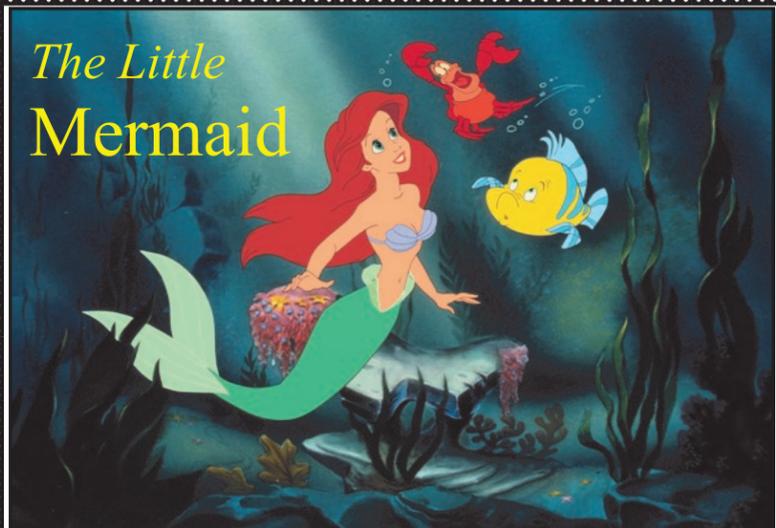
The Firelands Local School District **will be** accepting open enrollment applications for the 2014 - 2015 school year beginning on **Tuesday, April 15th** from **7:30 am - 3:00 pm** at the Board of Education Office, 112 North Lake St., South Amherst.

Students from **ANY DISTRICT** in Ohio are welcome to apply. Space is limited and will be awarded on a first come, first serve basis.

Deadline to apply is August 1, 2014.

**PLEASE REMEMBER TO BRING WITH YOU - YOUR CHILD'S
LAST REPORT CARD OR TRANSCRIPT AND
CURRENT IEP, IF APPLICABLE.**

QUESTIONS: PLEASE CALL 440-965-5821



South Amherst 7th and 8th Grade Musical
Little Mermaid by Eugene Jackson

Come one, Come all to the 21st annual South Amherst Musical. The 7th and 8th grade choir members will be presenting on the SAMS stage, The Little Mermaid. This is an adaptation based on the Hans Christian Andersen story. Come and see many familiar characters and even some new ones perform at **7:00 PM on Tuesday, March 25 and Wednesday, March 26.** Tickets are on sale now during school hours. Reserved floor seats are \$5.00 and General bleacher seats are \$3.00. You may also purchase tickets on the nights of the performances.

Come support the arts!!

Pennies for Patients

In just one week we have raised \$1750.02 for the fight against blood cancer. The winning class is Mr. Busch's class with \$27.37 per student. Second place was Ms. Sparks' with \$19.68 per student. Third place was Mr. Jones' class with \$17.77 per student. Fourth place was Mrs. Finnegan's class with \$16.63 per student. Fifth place goes to Ms. Gorrell's class with \$4.66 per student. Thank you to all who contributed to the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. The generosity of the FHS students and staff is amazing. The money raised goes to fund lifesaving research. Mr. Busch's class will receive a lunch donated by Olive Garden. On March 3rd, we held a Goodwill drive and collected clothing and housewares. Following this, The FHS Teen Leadership Corps went to the Second Harvest Food Bank to volunteer time and efforts. As a class, we are excited to serve the community around us.

2014 Fine Arts Festival Update

The 2014 Firelands Fine Arts Festival is just around the corner. The Festival will take place entirely on Saturday May 17 from noon until 4pm at South Amherst Middle School. This includes the art student recognition. There will be NO Friday evening gallery reception for artists this year. Art students, in elementary, middle and high school groupings, will be publicly recognized during the festival event between music performances! The schedule is yet to be determined.

Individual students, school groups, scouting groups are invited to apply for vending concessions and goods at the festival. Food, beverages and handmade goods are welcomed. Concessions will be sold in the cafeteria. There is no kitchen access for the festival. Applications for festival vendors are available at <https://sites.google.com/a/firelandsschools.org/fine-arts-festival/participation-forms> or via email <ltawil@firelandsschools.org>.

More details at <https://sites.google.com/a/firelandsschools.org/fine-arts-festival/home>

Follow FHS Art Room @ArtFHS on Twitter for updates.

Contact FAF Coordinator Laura Tawil at ltawil@firelandsschools.org

Firelands Football Reverse Raffle

Saturday, May 3, 2014

at Russia Township Hall. All proceeds will help pay for team dinners and equipment costs.

Tickets cost \$30 per person

Ticket includes: entrance into the grand prize drawing of \$1000.00, buffet dinner, beer and wash.

Doors open at 6:00 p.m. and dinner is served at 7:00 p.m. There will also be 50/50 raffle, side boards, and chinese raffle

For information or to purchase tickets please contact
Catie @ (440) 506-8758

Limited tickets available
ALL TICKETS SOLD IN ADVANCE

GUIDANCE CORNER

Important Dates

March 28th - PSEO Application Deadline
 March 28th - OCEANS Deadline
 March 27th - End of the 3rd Grading Period
 May 19th - Honors Banquet @ 6:30 P.M at German's Villa in Vermilion

Sophomore Class

JVS Acceptance letters will be sent out the first week of April.

Junior Class

College-bound Juniors need to sign up for the June 14th ACT test. Go to www.actstudent.org/start to register and the deadline is May 9th. The high school code is 363-915.



Senior Class

College-bound Seniors who still have questions about their financial aid planning can meet with Mr. Wortmann. Mr. Wortmann is available at FHS on Tuesdays. Please sign up in the guidance office to set up an appointment.

The following scholarships are available to Firelands Seniors with their due dates:

Turn completed applications into guidance office.

- Firelands Endowment Scholarships - March 2
- FEA Memorial--- March 21
- Joseph L. Knoble Lions Club --- March 21
- Amherst Rotary Club---- April 1
- Firelands Athletic Booster Club--- April 1

Solo and Ensemble Competition

The FHS Choral Department had 11 ensembles and 18 soloists participate in the Lorain County Solo and Ensemble Competition on Saturday, February 22 at Midview High School. The following students received the highest rating- **Superior:**

Soloists- Loren Myer, Ryan Alcorn, Daniel Kasper, Makiah Tillman, Jared Holowenko, Jacob Cole, Abby Petrey, Matthew Brightbill, Chelsea Otero, Bethany Anderson, Dakota Dembek, Grace Boucher, and Cheyanne Clark.

Ensembles- Hope and Hannah Caruso; Grace Boucher, Rachel Coggins, and Madison Sims; Lindsey New, Lauren Peterson, and Lexi Shick; Austin Beursken, Jared Holowenko, Daniel Kasper, and David Tomsco; Diana Beursken, Taylor Marcum, and Rachel Williams; FHS Select Choir- Ryan Alcorn, Bethany Anderson, Diana Beursken, Jacob Cole, Nikki Crawford, Jared Holowenko, Daniel Kasper, Taylor Marcum, Alyssa Melendez, Chelsea Otero, Abby Petrey, Stephen Phillips, Adrian Rios, Makiah Tillman, David Tomsco, Hannah Vitale, and Rachel Williams.

The following students received the second highest rating-**Excellent:**

Soloists- Molly Hales, Austin Beursken, Andrea DiAsio, and Kayla Bailey.

Ensembles- Stephanie Brady, Sylvia Krejci, Sara Nickels, and Gianna Suglia; Hope Caruso, Emylee Morariu, Carol Lynn Stevens, and Ashley Riggs; Taylor Aslaksen, Jasmine Beckett, Mikaela Geyer, Katie Iwanek, Shelly Shupe, and Rylee Wheaton; Hannah Caruso, Dakota Dembek, and Carrie Kubicki; Matthew Brightbill, Brandon Ramsey, Alex Sabine, and Ashlee Saylor.

The following students received a rating - **Good:**

Hollie Lindsey and Cassidy Johannsen.

SPORTS UPDATE

Bowling

The Boys bowling team finished in 6th Place for the North Shore Bowling Conference in DII. Justin Williams led the way with the 3rd highest DII series – 492. Just in was also a DII District Individual Qualifier and was named the Chronicle Telegram Bowler of the Week.

The girls bowling team finished in 4th Place for the North Shore Bowling Conference in DII. The team scored the 3rd highest DII Conference Game – 973. They placed 4th at the DII Sectional Tournament out of 13 teams which earned them a trip to the District Tournament. They finished in 7th place at the DII District Tournament. They were 84 pins out of qualifying for the State Tournament. As an individual, Emily Krieg placed 5th at the DII District Tournament. Emily was 1 pin out of qualifying for the State Tournament and was named the Chronicle Telegram Bowler of the Week.

Wrestling

There is a lot of excitement and promise in the Firelands Varsity Wrestling Team! This season the team defeated Black River from the Stars Division of the PAC for the first time in many years. We also defeated Brooklyn and Columbia from the Stripes Division. Although a young team, our number of participants is up and the kids worked hard this season to learn and further develop their skills and technique. The team was lead by seniors, Noah Pine and Austin Scott, who worked hard to set a good example for the younger wrestlers and to be good role models. The bulk of the team was made up of thirteen Freshmen who experienced varying levels of success throughout the year. Their enthusiasm was contagious and will be a benefit to the program as they continue to develop their skills. Some of those freshmen who have shown great promise include Max Hertensteiner, Ben Laughrey and Nick McCrary who are hard workers and strong leaders. The team wrestled a competitive schedule. Austin Scott placed 4th at the Medina Sectionals and was a District Qualifier. He was also nominated to participate in the Lorain County All-Star Match on March 6, 2014 at Elyria High School, along with Ben Laughrey and Nick Johnson. Again this season Firelands hosted the Jim Solomon Falcon Invitational. Our tournament was well received and offered some great competition and good sportsmanship. The support of our parents and the Firelands athletic community helped make this tournament another great success. Our youth wrestling program continues to be well-received and is growing. This season we had approximately 35 participants in grades 2 – 6. Wrestling began the first week of November and continued into the middle of February. The team wrestled on Sundays at Amherst, Buckeye and Wellington against other Lorain County teams, and finished the season with a tournament that was held at Lorain High School on February 16, 2014, where a number of our future Falcons won or placed in their weight classes.

MS Wrestling

The South Amherst Middle School wrestling team has enjoyed an impressive season. Currently the team is (15-5) in duals, and (10-1) in conference duals, the only PAC loss coming to Buckeye. At every tournament so far this year, the Falcons have placed in the top four as a team. The team started off the year with a first place finish at the Seneca East Invitational, a fourth place finish at the Clyde Invitational, a third place finish at the Vermilion Holiday Dual Team Tournament, a runner-up finish at the New London “Randy Harner” Invitational, and a third place finish at the Patriot Athletic Conference Individual Tournament. At the Conference Tournament we had three champions: Jacob Campbell, Tyler Bennett, and Sean Lipscomb. Other place winners on the day were Owen Cogar and Jordon Phillips earning third place, and Ryan Hoffman and Tyler Miller recording a runner-up finish. We had two wrestlers finish undefeated this year in the regular season, Jacob Campbell (35-0) and Sean Lipscomb (34-0), as well as four other wrestlers who have accumulated twenty or more wins this season: Dylan Decker, Joey Tipple, Ryan Hoffman, Owen Cogar, Jordon Phillips and Tyler Bennett. In the post season four wrestlers earned a bid to the OAC State Tournament: Campbell won a district championship, Bennett finished fifth place, Lipscomb seventh place, and Phillips eight each respectively in their weights.

The wrestling program is hosting a dodgeball tournament at the Skyzone, in Westlake, March 15th at 11 a.m., as well as an Open Tournament, ages 5-Masters, on April 12th. Go Falcons!

MS Girls Basketball

In their last regular season game last night, the 8th grade girls battled with Black River for 24 strenuous minutes. They were down one at half time, then took the lead in the 3rd quarter, only to find themselves down 1 again with a minute left of the game. Grabbing an offensive rebound and scoring a basket with 40 seconds remaining was Brittany Denney, who then had a steal and

a layup in the following possession to put the Falcons up 3. As the time ran out and the final horn buzzed, the Lady Falcons were victorious, beating Black River 21-18. Madison Palmer led the way with 6 points, 6 rebounds, 3 steals and exhilarating defense in the full court press. Also scoring for the Falcons were Hannah Reynolds, McKenna Turton, and Brittany Denney with 4 points each, while Olivia Peterson scored 3. A beast on the boards was Jordan Wilson with 13, a season record this year. The Falcons finished their season with an overall record of 7-8 and travel to Columbia on Saturday to take on Fairview in the tournament. Good Luck girls! The 7th grade girls basketball team ended the regular season in second place in the PAC with an 11-4 record and undefeated at home. All the girls were very respectful, hard working, fun & pleasant. They each scored, played hard and learned team defense. The team's hard work paid off by earning the #2 seed in the Patriot Athletic Conference 7th Grade Girls Basketball Tournament held at Langston Middle School in Oberlin. As of the day this was going to print the girls were victorious in their quarterfinal match-up and earned a spot in the semi-finals which will be played on Tuesday 3/11/14 at Langston Middle School with the tip-off at 6pm. Go Falcons!

HS Girls Basketball

The Lady Falcons Basketball program had a successful season again in 2013-2014. The Freshman team had an overall record of 8-7 and 7-4 in the PAC. Coach Petz was extremely proud of what they were able to accomplish. The Junior Varsity team finished strong again this year with a 15-6 overall record and 12-3 in the PAC. Coach Kneisel and Coach Palmer led the group to 2nd place in the PAC and the girls played really well all season long. The Varsity team led by Coach Kudela and Coach Nixon had a season to remember, going undefeated in PAC play (16-0) and finishing the season with a 21-3 mark. Players that received post season honors are: Heather Smyth- Honorable Mention PAC, Alyssa Melendez- 2nd team PAC, Honorable Mention Lorain County Div. II, Senior all-star participant, Keely Hall- 1st team PAC, 2nd team Lorain County Div. II, Brandi Holowecky- 1st team PAC, 1st team Lorain County Div. II and Casey Morrisette- 1st team PAC, 1st team Lorain County Div. II- Player Of The Year, North-South all-star game nominee, 1st team Northeast District, Senior all-star game participant, scored a career 1017 points. The Lady Falcons program would like to thank all the parents for their support and also the fans who supported us all season long.

HS Boys Basketball

The Firelands Freshmen Boys' Basketball team finished the 2013-14 campaign with a record of 10 wins and 6 losses overall and with 9 wins and 3 losses in conference play. The team continued to improve as the season was full of close finishes with the Falcons on the up side in most them, scrapping and playing hard from the opening tip to the final buzzer. In 5 games decided by 3 points or less, the scrappy Falcons were 4 wins and 1 loss with one game in overtime and another in double overtime. Hard work and team effort contributed to a winning season. Brad Soltis led the team in scoring with 8.1 ppg, followed closely by Nathan Kovach who scored 7.9 ppg.

The Firelands JV Boys Basketball team finished with a record of 11 wins and 11 losses. After a 3 game skid in the middle of the season the Falcons came back to 500 season with the help of Jeremy Simonovich, Kaleb Abfall and Nate Phillips. In the last 5 games Jeremy Simonovich has AVG 11.6 PPG along with Nate Phillips chipping in 9.6 PPG. Great inside play was provided by Vic Bauer and Robby Becker.

The Firelands Varsity Boys' Basketball team finished the 2013-14 season with a record of 9 wins and 14 losses. The Falcons continued to improve throughout the season after a slow start, winning over half of their final 15 games. The boys found themselves in a lot of close games throughout the year, falling short in 7 games that were decided by 6 points or less, including 3 overtime games. Seniors Logan Sittinger and Dakotah Klingshirm will be greatly missed, but the Falcons do return a strong core of players for the 2014-15 season. Statistical scoring, rebounding, and assist leaders for the season were Casey Smith (12.1 ppg), Colin Myers (7.1 rpg), and Cole Sklarek (5.8 apg). The boys hope to put in a lot of time in the gym and in the weight room this off season and have high expectations for next year. Go Falcons!

FIRELANDS ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB STEAK FRY

Saturday April 12th at German's Villa in Vermilion from 6pm-11pm. Tickets are \$20 and can be purchased from any booster board member, coaches, or athletic office at the high school.

SOCIAL MEDIA

Follow the Firelands Schools on **Twitter: @FirelandsFalcon**
With the spring season fast approaching this is the best way to get up to date information the fastest on the status of athletic contests. You can also access the schedules for all spring teams on the school website at

<http://www.firelandsschools.org/FalconAthletics.aspx>

Thirty-six 6th grade students now ready for 7th grade!! Hooray!

Thirty-six of the current 126 sixth grade students do not have to worry about being excluded from school next year because their immunizations aren't up-to-date. Thank you parents of these 36! However, there are still ninety (90) sixth grade students who need to catch up, and they received notices with their second quarter report cards. They will need to get a Tdap (tetanus-diphtheria-pertussis) booster. This is a requirement by Ohio state law because of outbreaks of whooping cough (pertussis) in middle school populations across the state. If your child is currently in 6th grade and received a Tdap or DTP in October 2009 or later, he/she does not need to get an additional shot, but the school needs to receive the updated record. If there has NOT been one since October 2009, your child will need to get it. You can go to your regular healthcare provider, a retail walk-in clinic, or to one of the health department walk-in child immunization clinics (see www.loraincountyhealth.com for dates, times, locations, or call 440-322-6367. No one is turned away from a health department clinic because of inability to pay). If students who are currently in 4th and 5th grades get a Tdap booster, it will count for 7th grade.

If your child has had a recent Tdap or DTP, please send a copy of the updated immunization record to the school nurse, Mrs. Matus, being sure your child's name is on it. Don't forget to keep a copy for yourself!

Firelands Band Boosters Annual Pancake Breakfast Florence Township Fire Hall

Sunday, April 27th, 2014

8:00 am - 1:00 pm

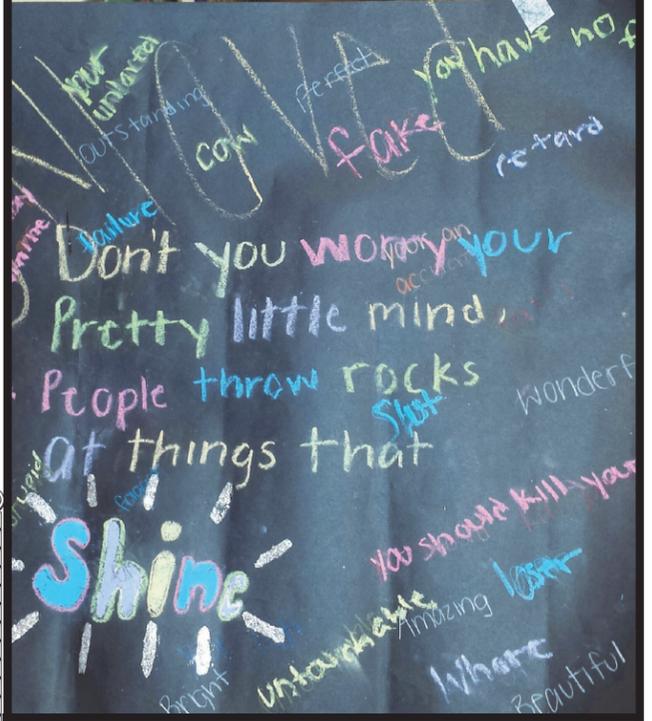
Donations appreciated

Pancakes, Sausage, Beverages



Raffles

Please come and help support our ever growing music program!



SAMS student Kaylee Kerby took it upon herself to express her concern to keep SAMS a Bully Free zone by designing and displaying her own anti-bullying slogan. Alyssa Yorke also helped.

Falcons Racing Team at SAMS



This spring, the Falcons Racing Team at SAMS will be competing in the All-American Soap Box Derby Gravity Racing Challenge in Akron, Ohio. The Gravity Racing Challenge (GRC) consists of the construction, testing, and racing of a super-stock soap box derby car. Construction involves meeting approximately once-a-week during the months of March, and April for about an hour after school. During these meetings, we will be building and tuning the super-stock car following the All-American Soap Box Derby (AASBD) guidelines. This project will teach students about working as a team, basic physics concepts, and various areas of STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math). During the Week of May 12th, our team will spend a day testing at the AASBD racing facility in Akron. The official Gravity Racing Challenge is scheduled for Saturday, May 17th. For information regarding the competition, visit the following websites:

Falcons Racing Team homepage (<http://www.firelandsschools.org/FalconsRacingTeam.aspx>)

All-American Soap Box Derby (<http://www.aasbd.org>)

Coaches **Chuck Latto** and **Chris Pelphey** would like to congratulate the new team members of the Falcons Racing Team including: Sawyer Bayus, Eric DeFranco, Sarah Drury, Arianna Reyna, Isabel Solowiej, Isaac Sultzer, Hannah Temple

Brownhelm Historical Association

The Brownhelm Historical Association will meet at 7:00 p.m. on April 2 at the Carriage Barn at Vermilion River Reservation, Mill Hollow. After the business meeting our speaker will be Annette Wells from the Maritime Museum in Sandusky. Her program will be about the Under Ground Railroad in the Sandusky area. The meeting is open to the public and refreshments will be served after the meeting. Any questions call Bonnie Cutcher 440-963-7540 or Marilyn Brill 440-988-4550.

Academic Challenge

This year Firelands has had the unique opportunity to participate in Erie County's Academic Challenge competition for 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th grade. We are the only school in Lorain County participating in this program this year and are pleased to represent our school and our county so well. Students compete against other schools from Erie County in the categories of math, science, social studies, geography, book study, and miscellaneous. **Congratulations to the 5th Grade Academic Challenge Team for finishing in first place over 5 other schools in their first competition.** The first Academic Challenge competition was held in late February and the scores from that competition will be combined with a second round challenge held in March for a grand total.

Team Members from the Elementary & Middle School include:

5th GRADERS

- Renee Clippinger
- Liam Lockhart
- Chayce Baldwin
- James Steindl
- Sam Solowej
- Delaney Overstreet
- Grace Edwards
- Keegan Bibb
- Spencer Deremer



6th GRADERS

- McKaylyn Bragg
- Holly Eberhardt
- Sam Formholz
- Becca Hopkins
- Steven Iwanek
- Robert Rose
- Samantha Walcott
- Justin Wossilek



7th GRADERS

- Zach Baldwin
- Alex Bauer
- Cora Born
- Michael Durdak
- Beau Grude
- Adam Lacey
- Isabel Solowej
- Alex Steindl



8th GRADERS

- Averi Cleary
- Serena Hoffman
- Emily Holcomb
- Samantha Ives
- Justin Ollis
- Tyler Popa
- Angelina Rivera
- Autumn Swiers



Attention: Parents of children entering Kindergarten in the Fall of 2014

Kindergarten registration is just around the corner. Make it easy on yourself by having everything you need for registration, including a complete shot record! If your child has turned 4 years old, he/she is now old enough to get all of his/her immunizations required for school entry. You can take your child to your regular healthcare provider, to one of the county health department child immunization clinics, or to a retail clinic, in order to get these shots. Just remember to take a copy with you to the healthcare provider, then bring a copy of your child's shot record with you when you register at school. Don't forget to keep a copy for yourself!

Check www.loraincountyhealth.com for dates, times, locations of health department child immunization clinics, or call 440-322-6367. There is a charge for each immunization, but no one is turned away from a health department clinic because of inability to pay. Be sure to have your child's immunization record with you when you go.

If possible, please have them completed before kindergarten registration in March, and...***remember your child must be 5 years old BY AUGUST 1ST to register for Kindergarten.***

Congratulations to the following 6th grade spelling bee contestants!

- Lexy Coggins
- Sam Formholtz
- Danny Hager
- Becca Hopkins
- Steven Iwanek
- Sierra Johnson
- Vincent Morales
- Maribeth Petrey
- Logan Ramsey
- Chloe Simko
- Ashley Strauss
- Nick Wells

These students will be traveling to the elementary school on March 28th for the Firelands 5th & 6th grade Spelling Bee. Finalists from that competition will be sent to the Lorain County Bee later in the spring.

PRINCESS BALL



Join the Princesses and Princes for an All-You-Can-Eat **Pancake Breakfast** Saturday March 22, 2014 9:00am - 12:00pm \$8.00 per person South Amherst Middle School Please come dressed up-For boys and girls Dancing and singing by the FHS Select Choir in costume Create an autograph book to have all the Princesses and Princes sign Please send child's name and age, with number of people attending and payment **BY MARCH 20th** to: Natalie Saylor 11484 Baumhart Rd. Amherst, OH 44001 Please make checks out to FHS Choir Boosters. Questions? Call Pam Morrow (440) 864-2309



FHS Art 3 Students Host Annual Exhibition

The Firelands High School third year art students will host the annual stained glass window mosaic exhibition and auction on Wednesday April 9 at 6:30pm in the high school library. The students have spent the past 9 weeks designing and producing mosaics in stained glass on salvaged windows. You can see all of the windows on Mrs. Tawil's Teacher Page at <http://www.firelandsschools.org/MrsTawil.aspx>. Several of the windows will be up for silent auction to benefit the individual artists and the art department field trip to Cleveland in May. There will be refreshments and a demonstration of the process. The public is welcome to attend.



Honors Band Performance is on April 10th at Keystone High School

- Jessica Buchdrucker
- Halli Kromer
- Kaylyn Eary
- Kassidy Stevens
- Olivia Novak
- Ariel Langer
- Serena Hoffman
- Justin Ollis
- Jordan Wilson
- Cora Born
- Isabel Solowiej
- Casey Koepp
- Owen Cogar
- Logan Willis
- Caleb Singleton

THE FIRELANDS ATHLETIC BOOSTERS SAY..... JOIN US FOR OUR SECOND ANNUAL STEAK FRY !!

If you didn't get a ticket last year, you weren't the only one! But there is time now to ensure you will be able to get a chance for a fun evening out with your family and friends from the great FIRELANDS DISTRICT. In 2013 there was not a seat to be had as we sold out 300 tickets for this event. Since it was such a success we will have another go around this year on April 12th, at Germans Villa. \$20 will get you a wonderful Steak dinner with all the trimmings, desserts, munchies, beverages, (of the draft variety too), live music, tons of raffles and other ways to win prizes. We invite all of you, as we have 500 tickets to sell this year. Please contact a booster member, or you may call Kathy at 225-9775 for your tickets. If you would like to get in on the fun of working or planning this event you may do that by contacting us as well. THANK YOU! A special thanks to Bob Danicki and Shari Wasem for taking the reigns and selling concessions (girls games) apparel, and 50/50's at our Girls and Boys Basketball games. These two show awesome dedication each week by helping with this Athletic Booster

Club project. Thanks to them and thanks to all of you who supported our booth each week. A SPECIAL NIGHT ! The Firelands community shared a special night together on Friday, February 21st at the boys home basketball game as we honored the memory of the biggest booster ever - Nory Latteman. Earlier this winter our district lost a very special man that many of us have known for years, and many who have recently had the pleasure of meeting him and his wife Phylis. These are the two that you would always see at the football or basketball gate selling programs. We were happy to have Nory's wife Phylis as well as their children come to our game so we all could honor them. After the game we enjoyed great fellowship and wonderful memories together. Nory will truly be missed, but his dedication and smile will never be forgotten. Here's hoping you all have a great April and "hopefully" spring. And of course - GO RED !! GO FALCONS !! Kathy Swanzer Sklarek - FABC

LUNCH MENUS

FIRELANDS ELEMENTARY

Regular Lunch \$2.40—Ice Cold Milk served with all meals

MARCH 17 - MARCH 21

Monday - Hamburger w/wg bun, Pickle slices, Bbq baked beans, Tator tots, Chilled mandarin oranges

Tuesday - Domino's smart slice Or school peppro pizza, Seasoned green beans, Baby carrots, Chilled fruit

Wednesday - Baked chicken nuggets, Sweet tots, Chilled applesauce, Whole grain roll, Dipping sauce

Thursday - Cheesy bread, Seasoned broccoli, Fresh fruit, Jello cup

Friday - Salisbury steak, Seasoned corn, Whipped potatoes, Diced peaches, Whole grain roll

MARCH 24 - MARCH 28

Monday - Hot dog w/bun, Baked beans, Match stick carrots, Chilled peaches

Tuesday - Domino's smart slice Or school peppro pizza, Seasoned peas, Celery sticks, Chilled fruit

Wednesday - General Tso's Chicken, Stir Fry Veggies, Seasoned Rice, Chilled pineapple tidbits, Fortune cookie

Thursday - Soft taco, Shredded lettuce & cheese, Seasoned corn, Fresh fruit

Friday - Cheese stuffed breadstick, Pizza sauce, Romaine salad, Grape tomatoes, Chilled mandarin oranges

MARCH 31 - APRIL 4

Monday - Sausage links, French toast sticks, Hashbrown potatoes, Celery sticks, Orange juice cup, Syrup cup

Tuesday - Dominoes smart slice, Or school peppro pizza, Seasoned broccoli, Baby carrots, Chilled fruit, Whole grain graham gripz

Wednesday - Baked chicken fries, Baked french fries, Green beans, Chilled pears, Dipping sauce

Thursday - Whole grain corn dog, Bbq baked beans, Sliced cucumbers, Fresh fruit

Friday - Toasted cheese, Tomato soup, Saltines, Seasoned peas, Chilled peaches

APRIL 7 - APRIL 11

Monday - Baked chicken nuggets, Bbq baked beans, Celery sticks, Chilled applesauce, Whole grain roll, Dipping sauce

Tuesday - Domino's smart slice, Or school peppro pizza, Seasoned Corn, Baby carrots, Chilled fruit, Tray treat

Wednesday - Hamburger w/ Whole grain bun, Pickle slices, Smiley fries, Chilled pears

Thursday - Pepperoni calzone, Romaine salad, Grape tomatoes, Fresh fruit

Friday - Fish Sticks, Steamed cauliflower w/cheese, Chilled mandarin oranges, Soft pretzel rod

APRIL 14 - APRIL 18

"NO SCHOOL" SPRING BREAK

APRIL 21 - APRIL 25

Monday - Hamburger w/wg bun, Pickle slices, Bbq baked beans, Tator tots, Chilled mandarin oranges

Tuesday - Domino's smart slice, Or school peppro pizza, Seasoned green beans, Baby carrots, Chilled fruit

Wednesday - Baked chicken nuggets, Sweet tots, Chilled applesauce, Whole grain roll, Dipping sauce

Thursday - Cheesy bread, Seasoned broccoli, Fresh fruit, Jello cup

Friday - Salisbury steak, Seasoned corn, Whipped potatoes, Diced peaches, Whole grain roll

APRIL 28 - APRIL 30

Monday - Hot dog w/bun, Baked beans, Match stick carrots, Chilled peaches

Tuesday - Domino's smart slice, Or school peppro pizza, Seasoned peas, Celery sticks, Chilled fruit

Wednesday - General Tso's Chicken, Stir Fry Veggies, Seasoned Rice, Chilled pineapple tidbits, Fortune cookie

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MARCH 17 - MARCH 21

Monday - Salisbury steak or breaded pork chop, Whipped potatoes, Seasoned corn, Chilled peaches, Whole grain roll

Tuesday - Dominoes smart slice or stuffed crust peppro, Seasoned broccoli w/chez, Celery sticks, Chilled Fruit

Wednesday - Chipotle day-Beef or Chipotle day-Beef or Fajita chicken wrap, Shredded iceberg, Black bean & corn salsa, Seasoned rice, Chilled mandarin orange

Thursday - Cheese quesadilla Or Chicken nuggets w/roll, Baby carrots, Sliced cucumbers, Fresh fruit

Friday - Bosco cheese sticks or spaghetti w/ meat & roll, Romaine salad, Grape tomatoes, Chilled pineapple

MARCH 24 - MARCH 28

Monday - Roast hot dog w/ bun Or steak um w/cheese, Bbq baked beans, Celery sticks, Chilled peaches

Tuesday - Dominoes smart slice or stuffed crust pizza, Baby carrots, Grape tomatoes, Chilled Fruit

Wednesday - Taco salad or soft taco wrap, shredded iceberg cheese, Seasoned refried beans, Chilled applesauce, Tortilla chips

Thursday - Chicken strips w/roll, or chicken patty w/bun, Parsley potatoes, Fresh fruit, Goldfish cinna grahams

Friday - Macaroni & cheese /roll, or rib a cue w/bun, Seasoned broccoli, Cucumber slices, Chilled pears

MARCH 31 - APRIL 4

Monday - Pepperoni calzone, Or French bread pizza, Seasoned green beans, Applesauce, Graham crackers

Tuesday - Dominoes smart slice, or stuffed crust peppro, Romaine salad, Grape tomatoes, Chilled Fruit

Wednesday - Falcon burger w/wg bun, w/ iceberg lettuce, cheese, 2T sauce, bbq baked beans, Sweet thing fries, Chilled pears

Thursday - Chicken bowl w/gravy & cheese, Seasoned corn, Whipped potatoes, Fresh fruit, Whole grain roll

Friday - Wg cheese breadstick w/ pizza sauce cup, Or beef ravioli / breadstick, Seasoned broccoli, Chilled pineapple

APRIL 7 - APRIL 11

Monday - Chicken parm w/wg roll, or chicken patty/ bun, Spaghetti /sauce, Green beans, Chilled peaches

Tuesday - Dominoes smart slice, or stuffed crust peppro, Baby carrots, Grape tomatoes, Chilled Fruit

Wednesday - Beef & cheese nachos, or Taco fries w/cheese, Refried beans w/cheese Romaine salad, Chilled applesauce

Thursday - Chicken wrap w/cheese, Or Steak wrap/ cheese, Shredded lettuce, Seasoned corn, Fresh fruit

Friday - Toasted cheese, Or Cheezy bread /garlic, Steamed broccoli, Tomato soup, Chilled mandarin oranges

APRIL 14 - APRIL 18

"NO SCHOOL" SPRING BREAK

APRIL 21 - APRIL 25

Monday - Salisbury steak, or breaded pork chop, Whipped potatoes, Seasoned corn, Chilled peaches, Whole grain roll

Tuesday - Dominoes smart slice, or stuffed crust peppro, Seasoned broccoli w/chez, Celery sticks, Chilled Fruit

Wednesday - Chipotle day-Beef or Fajita chicken wrap, Shredded iceberg, Black bean & corn salsa, Seasoned rice, Chilled mandarin orange

Thursday - Cheese quesadilla, Or Chicken nuggets w/roll, Baby carrots, Sliced cucumbers, Fresh fruit

Friday - Bosco cheese sticks, or spaghetti w/ meat & roll, Romaine salad, Grape tomatoes, Chilled pineapple

APRIL 28 - APRIL 30

Monday - Roast hot dog w/ bun, Or steak um w/cheese, Bbq baked beans, Celery sticks, Chilled peaches

Tuesday - Dominoes smart slice, or stuffed crust pizza, Baby carrots, Grape tomatoes, Chilled Fruit

Wednesday - Taco salad, or soft taco wrap, shredded iceberg cheese, Seasoned refried beans, Chilled applesauce, Tortilla chips

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MARCH 17 - MARCH 21

Monday - Salisbury steak or breaded pork chop, Seasoned corn, Whipped potatoes, Chilled peaches, Whole grain roll

Tuesday - Dominoes smart slice or stuffed crust peppro, Seasoned broccoli w/chez, Celery sticks, Fruit

Wednesday - Chipotle day-Beef or Fajita chicken, Ultra grain wrap, Shredded iceberg, Black bean & corn salsa, Cilantro lime rice, Chilled mandarin orange

Thursday - Wg Cheese quesadilla Or Chicken nuggets w/roll, Baby Carrots, Grape tomatoes, Fresh fruit

Friday - Deli sub bar w/ cheese Or Veggie sub / cheese lettuce, tomato, peppers, banana pepper, black olives, Chilled pineapple

MARCH 24 - MARCH 28

Monday - Roasted hot dog w/ bun Or steak um w/cheese/bun, Bbq baked beans, Celery sticks, Chilled peaches

Tuesday - Dominoes smart slice or stuffed crust peppro, Baby carrots, Grape tomatoes, Chilled pears

Wednesday - Taco salad meat /cheese or soft taco wrap, shredded iceberg, cheese, Salsa cup, Seasoned corn, Chilled applesauce, Whole grain roll, Tortilla chips, sour cream

Thursday - Chicken strips w/roll, Chicken patty w/bun Baked fries, California blend veggie, Fresh fruit, Jello w/topping

Friday - Macaroni & cheese & roll, or Rib a cue w/bun, Seasoned broccoli, Cucumber slices, Chilled pears

MARCH 31 - APRIL 4

Monday - Pepperoni stuffed calzone Or French bread pizza, Bbq baked beans, Seasoned carrots, Applesauce

Tuesday - Dominoes smart slice or stuffed crust peppro, Seasoned green beans, Romaine salad, Chilled mandarin oranges

Wednesday - Falcon burger w/whole grain bun, iceberg lettuce, cheese, sauce, Sweet things fries, Chilled pears

Thursday - Chicken bowl w/gravy, Seasoned corn, Whipped potatoes, Fresh fruit, Whole grain roll

Friday - Wg cheese breadstick, Or Beef Ravioli w/breadsticks, Seasoned broccoli, Chilled pineapple

APRIL 7 - APRIL 11

Monday - Chicken parm w/wg roll, or chicken patty/ bun, Spaghetti /sauce, Green beans, Chilled peaches

Tuesday - Dominoes smart slice, or stuffed crust peppro, Baby carrots, Grape tomatoes, Chilled pears

Wednesday - Beef & cheese nachos, Or Taco Fries w/cheese, Refried beans w/cheese, Romaine salad, Chilled applesauce, Whole grain roll

Thursday - Chicken wrap w/cheese, Chicken strips w/roll, Shredded lettuce, Seasoned corn, Fresh fruit

Friday - Toasted cheese, Or cheezy bread /garlic, Steamed broccoli, Tomato soup, Chilled mandarin oranges

APRIL 14 - APRIL 18

"NO SCHOOL" SPRING BREAK

APRIL 21 - APRIL 25

Monday - Salisbury steak, or breaded pork chop, Seasoned corn, Whipped potatoes, Chilled peaches, Whole grain roll

Tuesday - Dominoes smart slice, or stuffed crust peppro, Seasoned broccoli w/chez, Celery sticks, Fruit

Wednesday - Chipotle day-Beef or Fajita chicken, Ultra grain wrap, Shredded iceberg, Black bean & corn salsa, Cilantro lime rice, Chilled mandarin orange

Thursday - Wg Cheese quesadilla, Or Chicken nuggets w/roll, Baby Carrots, Grape tomatoes, Fresh fruit

Friday - Deli sub bar w/ combo or turkey, cheese, lettuce, tomato, peppers, banana pepper, black olives, Chilled pineapple

APRIL 28 - APRIL 30

Monday - Roasted hot dog w/ bun, Or steak um w/cheese/bun, Bbq baked beans, Celery sticks, Chilled peaches

Tuesday - Dominoes smart slice, or stuffed crust peppro, Baby carrots, Grape tomatoes, Chilled pears

Wednesday - Taco salad meat /cheese, or soft taco wrap, shredded iceberg, cheese, Salsa cup, Seasoned corn, Chilled applesauce, Whole grain roll, Tortilla chips, sour cream

**Firelands Art Students
Sweep State Competition**

Each March, Youth Art Month, the Ohio Art Education Association conducts the Jerry Tollifson Art Criticism essay competition for K-12 students. The purpose of program is to provide an opportunity for students to be recognized for their ability to articulate and write critical responses to a piece of artwork. The goal of this process is for students to feel a greater sense of control and confidence in approaching art, and empowering them to reach a stronger understanding of the artwork's meaning, value, and significance.

All Art 1 students at FHS selected a work of art for independent examination and constructed their own analysis and critique of that work. Students were challenged to richly describe, analyze, interpret and assess the work in 500 words or less. Firelands art students have a strong tradition of placing in this competition. This year has been exceptional. Three Firelands students have risen to the top and swept the awards in their division (grades 7-9).

Matthew Brightbill earned first place for his essay on *In the*

Far Northwest – Montana by Edward Henry. Andrea DiAsio earned second place for her essay on *Child in the Sunlight* by Willard Leroy Metcalf. Loren Myer earned third place for her essay on *Brook in the Spring* by Edward Simmons. Their work is on display in the State Teachers Retirement Systems Building in Columbus through March 31. Their work will also be available on the OAEA website www.oaea.org. Matthew's work will be published in the OAEA newsletter, *Ohio ARTline*. The students will be honored at a reception on March 15 in Columbus. The legacy of articulate Firelands art students continues.



MFMB

Calendar of Events

April

- 21st Booster Meeting
- 25th & 26th Kings Island Trip
- 27th Pancake Breakfast

If you need to contact the boosters, our email address is firelandsbandboosters@gmail.com

Officers:

- Michele Jeffers
- Laura Solnick
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- Kim Horwedel

Musical Moments

Thank you to all of the parents...grandparents...ect. for your support and help this year. The amount of positive encouragement has facilitated the group in every aspect. If you have not attended a meeting, please come, lend your talents and be a part of a booster organization that is growing by leaps and bounds.



Winter Congress

Our school's JSA (Junior Statesmen of America) chapter had a recent excursion to our nation's capital over Valentine's day weekend. The three traveled to D.C. to discuss and debate bills, drafted by JSA members from all over the northeastern United States. The bills, though written by fellow high school students, covered a vast array of pressing and relevant political topics, such as immigration reform, healthcare, and foreign relations. The three-day convention saw much political discussion, as well as an organization fair, dances, and party caucuses. Additional highlights from their agenda beyond the convention included a tour of the Supreme Court, a visit to the library of Congress, and unrestricted explorations of the Newseum and National Gallery of Art.



Andrew Biery, Jarret Solnick, Garrett Hoffman



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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

MARCH

3/17 FES - Kindergarten Packets Available at Firelands Elementary
 3/21 Girls V Softball @ Western Reserve 4:15pm
 3/24 FES - Kindergarten Registration at Firelands Elementary
 3/25 SAMS - 8th Grade Musical at SAMS – 7:00 p.m.
 3/25 Girls V Softball @ Edison 4:30 pm
 3/27 Girls V Softball @ Lakewood 4:00pm
3/27 *** END OF 3RD GRADING PERIOD *******
 3/27 SAMS - Spring Pictures
 3/28 Girls V Softball @ Norwalk 4:30pm
 3/29 SAMS – Solo & Ensemble Contest
 3/29 Boys V Baseball vs Amherst 12:00pm
 3/31 FES - Market Day Pickup at FES - 5:00 – 6:00 p.m.
 3/31 SAMS – Choir Gourmet Sucker Sale
 TBA FHS – New Student Orientation (8th graders) at FHS – 6:30 pm.
 TBA FHS – FFA Banquet at FHS – 6:30 p.m.

APRIL

4/1 FES - PTG Meeting in Library – 7:00 p.m.
 4/01 Boys V Baseball @ Bay 4:30pm
 4/02 Boys V Baseball @ Avon Lake 4:30pm
 4/03 Boys V Baseball vs Columbia 4:30pm
 4/03 Girls V Softball vs Columbia 4:30PM pm
 4/04 Girls V Softball @ Open Door 4:30pm
 4/04 Coed V Track Nelson Howe Invitational Firelands 4:00PM
 4/07 Boys V Baseball @ Brookside 4:30pm
 4/7 SAMS - PTG Meeting – 2:40 p.m.
 4/07 Girls V Softball @ Brookside 4:30pm
 4/08 Girls V Softball vs Brookside 4:30pm
 4/08 Boys V Baseball vs Brookside 4:30pm
 4/8 SAMS – Faculty Meeting – 2:40 p.m.
 4/09 Boys V Baseball @ Huron 4:30pm
 4/09 Coed V Track vs Keystone (PAC Triw/Keystone Brooklyn) 4:30PM
 4/10 SAMS – Fabulous Falcon Breakfast – 7:40 a.m.
 4/10 Boys V Baseball @ Fairview 4:30pm
 4/10 Girls V Softball @ Fairview 4:30pm
 4/11 Girls V Softball @ Black River (JB Firestone Invite)
 4/12 Girls V Softball @ Black River (JB Firestone Invite) TBA
 4/12 Boys V Baseball @ Valley Forge 12:00pm
 4/14 Boys V Baseball @ Keystone 4:30pm
4/14 Board of Education Meeting - 7:00 p.m.
4/14 SPRING BREAK BEGINS – NO SCHOOL
 4/14 Girls V Softball @ Keystone 4:30pm
 4/15 Girls V Softball vs Keystone 4:30pm
 4/15 Boys V Baseball vs Keystone 4:30pm
 4/16 Coed V Track @ Lutheran West (PAC Tri w/ LW Oberlin) 4:30PM
 4/17 Coed V Track @ Midview (Lorain County Invite – @ Midview) 4:30PM
 4/17 Girls V Softball vs Lutheran West 4:30pm
 4/18 Girls V Softball @ OPEN DATE (Akron Racers Tournament)
 4/18 Girls V Softball @ OPEN DATE (Akron Racers Tournament) TBA
 4/17 Boys V Baseball vs Lutheran 4:30pm
 4/19 Boys V Baseball @ Bellevue (Double-Header 11am/1pm)
 4/21 Girls V Softball vs Buckeye 4:30pm
 4/22 Girls V Softball @ Buckeye 4:30pm

APRIL

4/22 School Resumes

4/23 Coed V Track @ Clearview (PACTri w/ Clearview Buckeye) 4:30PM
 4/24 Girls V Softball @ Oberlin 4:30pm
 4/24 FES – OAA – Reading – 3rd and 5th Grades
 4/25 FES – OAA – Reading – 4th Grade
 4/25 FHS – State Band and Choir Contest
 4/26 Boys V Baseball @ Vermilion (PHAALS Charity Games w/Vermilion/Western) 10:00am
 4/26 Coed V Track @ Amherst (CometRelays) 8:00AM
 4/28 Girls V Softball vs Wellington 4:30pm
 4/28 Boys V Baseball vs Wellington 4:30pm
 4/29 Boys V Baseball @ Wellington 4:30pm
 4/29 Girls V Softball @ Wellington 4:30pm
 4/29 SAMS - OAA - Reading
 4/29 FES – OAA – Math – 3rd and 5th Grades
 4/30 Coed V Track vs Buckeye (PAC Tri w/Buckeye Edison) 4:30PM
 4/30 SAMS - OAA - Math
 4/30 FES – OAA – Math – 4th Grade

MAY

5/01 Boys V Baseball vs Brooklyn 4:30pm
 5/01 Girls V Softball vs Brooklyn 4:30pm
 5/1 SAMS - OAA - Science
 5/1 FES – OAA – Science – 5th Grade
 5/1 FES - PTG Meeting in Library – 7:00 p.m.
5/2 Interim Reports
 5/02 Coed V Track @ Margareta (Margareta Invite) 4:30PM
 5/03 Girls V Softball vs Bay HS (Doubleheader) 11:00am
 5/03 Girls V Softball vs Bay HS (Doubleheader) 1:00pm
 5/05 Girls V Softball @ Black River 4:30pm
 5/5 FES - Market Day Pickup at FES - 5:00 – 6:00 p.m.
 5/5 SAMS - PTG Meeting - 7:00 p.m.
 5/05 Boys V Baseball @ Black River 4:30pm
 5/06 Boys V Baseball vs Black River 4:30pm
 5/06 Girls V Softball vs Black River 4:30pm
 5/7 SAMS - 8th Grade Field Trip to Philadelphia
 5/08 Boys V Baseball @ Clearview 4:30pm
 5/8 FHS - Band Concert/5th Grade Band - 7:00 p.m.
 5/08 Girls V Softball @ Clearview 4:30pm
 5/09 Boys V Baseball vs Lake Ridge 7:00pm
 5/09 Coed V Track @ Olmsted Falls (Bulldog Relays @ OlmstedFalls) 4:30PM
 5/10 Boys V Baseball @ Open Door 12:00pm
 5/10 Girls V Softball OPEN DATE (Falcon Quad w/ St.Joes, Westlake, and Vermilion) 9:00am
 5/10 FHS – Prom at DeLuca's – 7:00 p.m.
 5/12 FHS - Choir Concert @ FHS - 7:00 p.m.
 5/12 Board of Education Meeting - 7:00 p.m.
 5/12 SAMS – Faculty Meeting – 2:40 p.m.
 5/13 Coed V Track @ OPEN DATE (PACChampionship – Location TBA) 4:30PM
 5/14 SAMS - 7th Grade Field Trip – Put-In-Bay
 5/15 SAMS – 7th & 8th Grade Band Concert
 5/15 Coed V Track @ OPEN DATE (PACChampionship – Location TBA) 4:30PM

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Brownhelm Perfection & BB 4-H Club

The Brownhelm Perfection & BB 4-H Club had a meeting on March 3rd. Pledges were led by Lindsey Eppinger leading the 4-H pledge and John Weaver leading the American pledge. The minutes were read by Becca Harris and the treasury report by Monica Eppinger. This year is the 95th year for the Brownhelm Perfection & BB 4-H Club. At their February 17th meeting members held their annual shirt design contest.

the 2014 shirt contest. Her winning design will be on this years club shirts.

On March 1st some of the club's members participated in an educational field trip to the aquarium in Cleveland. At the March 3rd meeting, Viki, a foreign exchange student from Slovakia, gave a power-point presentation about her country and all the ways that they are different from the United States.

Congratulations to Becca Harris who won

Brad Thrasher
4-H Reporter

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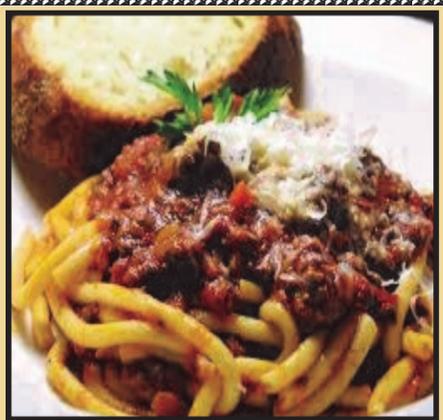
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