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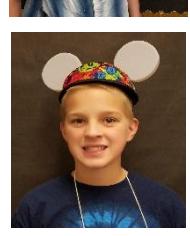
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A Word from Mr. Goetz



Happy November everyone,

Yes, we have made it through the first quarter, and things have been off to a great start. Before we know it, Thanksgiving will be here. I would like to say thank you to everyone that was able to make it for parent-teacher conferences and to all that helped with our AdvancED visit.

To give everyone a heads up, AdvancED is how we are accredited through the state. Every 5 years or less, we have what is called an external review. It is kind of a weird name since the visit actually takes place right here in the school. In October, we had our first AdvancED external review. The team that came to review us was made up of other educators from the state. At this time, it sounds like we did very well with our external review. Obviously, we have only had the verbal explanation on how the review went. The lead review team member is now putting together the paper copy that will be submitted to the state for them to review. After the state has examined our review, we will then get a copy of this review. I will say though, it was great to hear multiple times that Wing is a great little school. This is all because of the great students, staff, and community members.

One of the parts in AdvancED is communication, and our community scored well in this area. That brings me to the next thing I would like to express concern about. That concern has to do with taxes. NO, the school did not raise the mills this year. The problem that I can see arising is that most people are not aware that the state property-tax relief is going away this year. What does this mean, you might ask? I asked myself the same question. Well, this means that if you look at your property tax slip from last year, you will see a deduction. This deduction again was because of the 12% buy down of property taxes. This buy down is no longer going to be there. Last year was the final year of that buy down and with all the cuts in the state, the state no longer can afford the buy-down and has voted to discontinue it. I learned a lot of this when talking to our county auditor. After talking at great length about this with our auditor, we both concluded that it is going to make a lot of people mad at both of us. He left me with the statement of, "The state took all the glory when the reduction was put in place, but the state is not going to stand up and take the heat as the buy-down is removed." I am truly sorry to bring you this bad news. I am hoping that everyone will understand that when they see their property tax statement, they will realize the school did not increase our mill levy at all this year.

Lastly, the holiday season is fast approaching. This also means that colder weather is not far away. Please send your child to school with the proper clothing. It is always better to send them with too much rather than not enough. We can always take off layers as the day goes on. Thank you for your help in this matter, and I wish everyone a happy Thanksgiving this year.

A Word from Student Council

At the end of September, the Wing School celebrated homecoming week. Our Southern McLean Roughriders played the Garrison Troopers. On Monday we decorated our hallways in different themes pertaining to the game. The 11th graders won the hallway decorations, and the 5th and 6th graders won the door decorating. Our dress up days were also quite interesting. We awarded students in the elementary and high school who were dressed up the best.

Monday was 'Merica Monday where you wear red, white, and blue. Denny Neustel won in the high school and Kaylor Johnson in the elementary.

Tuesday was John Hancock day. This is when everyone signs your shirt, and everyone's a winner.

Wednesday was class letter day. The students who won were sophomores, who dressed up as "Goth," and the 5th and 6th graders, who dressed up as "Nerds."

Thursday was tourist/Hawaiian day and the winners were Haley Vollmer (high school) and Megan Hertz (elementary).

Our final day of the week was on Friday and that was Spirit Day. The students who dressed the best in black and gold were Kennedy Schlafmann (high school) and Monica Page (elementary).

We had a competition for students to guess the staff's spirit animal and Lauren Koski won that event. To end the week, our Roughriders came out with a victory against the Troopers.

The Student Council will be selling coffee from Rally Beans beginning November 1st! If anyone is interested, please contact one of the student council members.

-Tya Schiele, Student Council Secretary/Treasurer

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Mrs. Ehlert's Healthy Hints

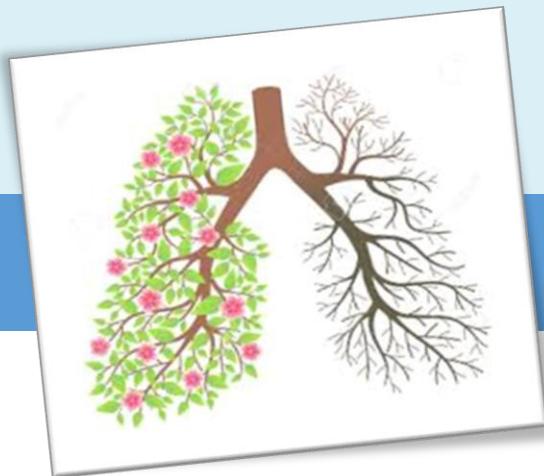
Is easy breathing for me?

So often the effects of smoking and tobacco usage are spoken about with such big or scary words like emphysema, carbon monoxide, and cancer. I feel it can be discussed much simpler than that.

Do you prefer to breathe easily or not?

In the case that easy breathing is not for you, then here is what smoking does to your body. Your cells will start to create more and more mucus and it will start to become thicker with usage. This will give you that phlegm that we sometimes have when we have a sinus issue or a bad cold. However, after continuous usage of cigarettes, this mucus will not go away. If that challenge is not enough, the air ways through your lungs also start to narrow with the usage of cigarettes. When these air ways become smaller, the amount of oxygen that gets into your lungs in one breath is lessened, causing your heart rate to increase and your body to work harder in order to take in more air to supply your body. There are many other ways that smoking and smokeless tobacco affect your ability to breathe and your body.

If you would like to look deeper into if easy breathing is for you, you can find more facts like the ones discussed in this article at: <http://www.upmc.com/patients-visitors/education/breathing/Pages/smoking-and-lungs.aspx>



Healthfully Yours,

Mrs. Ehlert



Good readers have a purpose for reading, think about what they already know, make sure they understand what they read, look at pictures when possible, predict what will happen next, form pictures in their minds, draw conclusions about what they read, try to figure out new words... and good readers practice.

A WORD FROM OUR TEACHERS

Fun in First Grade - Mrs. Schill



First grade students recently learned about the engineering process in science. Each student designed a landing station for the egg drop test. They came up with some great solutions in their brainstorming and plans. We only cracked 2 eggs out of 36 test drops!



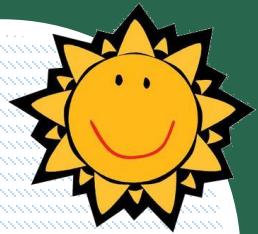
In reading, students are beginning to read more sight words, spell, blend larger words, and identify nouns. We move onto a new main selection book each week. There is a story intertwined with a weekly theme and other supporting literature to support the skills and concepts we are focusing on. There's always a review from previous weeks built into each week to reinforce introduced material and provide additional practice.

We enjoyed our session with the Wing Rural Fire Department. Students were thrilled to tour the trucks, discuss safety, and participate in the contest to design a home fire escape plan.



5th and 6th – Full of the Write Stuff!

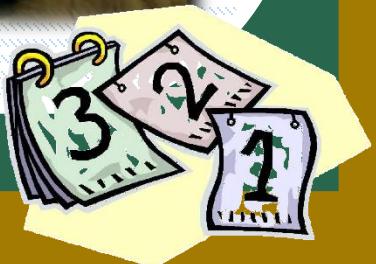
by Jeanette Fox



As I write this article, I'm reflecting on the fact that the wind is blowing to high gusts of 48 miles per hour today. Somehow, this seems appropriate, as it has been extremely "drafty" in the 5th and 6th grade classroom of late. Granted, the building is a little on the old side, but the "drafty" I'm referring to is actually a positive thing.

We have spent the first nine weeks of school focusing quite heavily on the value of producing multiple drafts in writing – discussing and experiencing the fact that good writing doesn't usually just "happen" or pop magically onto the page. Good writing, like the majority of most things in life worth having, actually takes hard work and perseverance. It requires thought and brainstorming, reading and re-reading, and fixes in word choice and organization.

The need to communicate effectively, whether on a personal level or a professional level, will never go away. Therefore I say: "Bring on the drafts, and let the wind blow!"



A Musical Moment from Mr. Ryan Barry

Upcoming music dates:

- Veterans Day program — November 9th at 2:00 pm (Note the date change)
- Elementary Christmas program — December 4th at 7:00 pm
- High school Christmas concert — December 18th at 7:30 pm

Students attending Minot State Northwest Music Festival

- Band — Tya, Jade, Lauren, Blake
- Choir — Hannah F., Belle



We are looking for a veteran or current member of the armed forces to be a guest speaker for our Veterans Day program. If you're interested, please contact me for more information.



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Wing Staff Spotlight

interview by Baeylie Goetz, photography by Tara Binstock, design by Blake Bernhardt

Ms. Tonya Heimark

Q: What drove you to be a Para educator?

A: I enjoy helping children.



Q: What do you like most about your job?

A: I like the kids the most.

Q: What do you dislike about your job?

A: I don't dislike anything.

Q: Is this something you like to do?

A: Yes, in this season in my life, I am enjoying helping children as it is helping me help my own child.

Position: Para educator

Favorite hobbies:

- Baking
- Arts & Crafts
- Hiking
- Hunting

Q: What are some hobbies you like to do?

A: I like to bake anything and everything unhealthy. I also like to do crafts like wood burning and antler lamps. I also like to go hiking, camping, hunting, and fishing.

Q: What do you like about wing school?

A: I like the smaller school setting and how all the teachers are willing to stay later and assist the students who are not understanding what is going on but are not comfortable saying it in class.

New (and returning)

Students @ Wing

interviews by Hailey Buee, photography by Tara Binstock, design by Blake Bernhardt

Wing Student Spotlight - Haylee Zoller

Q: What's your favorite thing about Wing?

A: My favorite thing is how welcoming Wing Public School is, and how everyone gets equal opportunities to get a kick start on whatever they want to do in the future.

Q: Do you miss your old school?

A: If I had to choose between being here or a big high school, I would choose Wing, not only because of how much of an outstanding school it is, but also because it's where I did most of my growing up before I moved to Missoula, Montana.

Q: What's your favorite subject and why?

A: My favorite subject is going to be...all of them. I have amazing teachers and I receive valuable information from all of them, and they still manage to make class fun.

Wing Student Spotlight - Maggie Zoller

Q: What's your favorite thing about Wing?

A: There's less people.

Q: Do you miss your old school?

A: Yes.

Q: What's your favorite subject and why?

A: I like gym, math, and science. It just depends.



Wing Student Spotlight - Abby Sabinash



Q: What do you like most about Wing?

A: That it's such a small school and teachers can get one on one time with the students. It helps with getting work done.

Q: Do you miss your old school?

A: No.

Q: What's your favorite subject and why?

A: I like my student aid class. I get to work with the preschool and kindergarten. Because I want to be a teacher, it helps prepare me for the future.

Wing Student Spotlight - Zackery Mayo



Q: What do you like most about Wing?

A: My favorite thing about Wing is that we got pops and stuff after lunch, and that we get to be on our phones sometimes.

Q: Do you miss your old school?

A: I do not miss my old school.

Q: What's your favorite subject and why?

A: My favorite subject would have to be gym because I love to be active and it's just fun to not be in a classroom for a little while.

Wing Student Spotlight - Asher Davis



Q: What do you like most about Wing?

A: My favorite thing about Wing is the people.

Q: Do you miss your old school?

A: I don't miss my old school, only the people from there.

Q: What's your favorite subject and why?

A: My favorite subject would have to be gym because I don't have to study and all that stuff.

Meet our Pre-K & Kindergarten

interviews by Hailey Buee, photography by Tara Binstock, design by Blake Bernhardt and Mr. Schock

Olivia Bauer

Q: Do you like school?

A: Yes

Q: What's your favorite thing about it?

A: Painting

Q: What do you like learning about?

A: Sometimes reading.

Anna Broome

Q: Do you like school?

A: Yes

What's your favorite thing about it?

A: Playing outside and sometimes inside.

Q: What do you like learning about?

A: I like learning about animals. I like tigers!



Madison Rutherford

Q: Do you like school?

A: Yes

Q: What's your favorite thing about it?

A: Puzzles

Q: What do you like learning about?

A: Gym because we did a fun thing two times.

Dakota Brown

Q: Do you like school?

A: No

Q: Why don't you like school?

A: It's too hard.

Q: Do you like anything about it?

A: I like writing about something starting with the letter A. I like playing and puzzles.

Emma Broome

Q: Do you like school?

A: Yes

Q: What's your favorite thing about it?

A: Gym. It's fun

Q: What do you like learning about?

A: Writing is fun.

Sutton Deckert

Q: Do you like school?

A: Yes

Q: What's your favorite thing about it?

A: Recess

Q: What do you like learning about?

A: I like to write.

Nickolas Garrison

Q: Do you like school?

A: Yes

Q: What's your favorite thing about it?

A: Playing with my friends.

Q: What do you like learning about?

A: Writing.

Monica Page

Q: Do you like school?

A: Yes

Q: What's your favorite thing about it?

A: I like playing outside

Q: What do you like learning about?

A: Writing

Nadine VanDerWalt

Q: Do you like school?

A: Yes

Q: What's your favorite thing about it?

A: Going home.

Q: What do you like learning about?

A: Writing

Samantha VanDerWalt

Q: Do you like school?

A: Yes

Q: What's your favorite thing about it?

A: Gym

Q: What do you like learning about?

A: Reading

Addison Quale

Q: Do you like school?

A: Yes

Q: What's your favorite thing about it?

A: When its recess or free time.

Q: What do you like learning about?

A: Coloring

Senior Spotlight

Tya Schiele

Favorite food?

Peanut butter pizza

Hero?

Sleepy Dwarf

Greatest fear?

Being consumed by Dr. Pimple Popper's videos during senior year.



It's karaoke night.

What's your song?

“White Lightning”

— George Jones

Future plans:

Attend Minot State University for speech pathology.

Don't miss out!

Wing drama club is performing the school one-act play “Normal People” at the Wing Theatre on **Saturday, November 4th!** This is a serious drama about the effects of terminal disease and the importance of not making assumptions. Your ticket buys you the opportunity to see the one-act play, as well as enjoy a sandwich and knoephla soup dinner (with treats for dessert!) and see the new movie *American Made*, starring Tom Cruise (Rated R).

Tickets will be sold at the door and will be \$10 for adults and \$8 for kids. Profits from this event go to supporting the Wing speech and drama club—please be there to support the students and see how their hard work has paid off! **See you Saturday!**

Yearbook >>> FLASHBACK

*Don't forget to purchase the yearbook
to see even more fun pictures!*

design by Blake Bernhardt





FFA Update



Written by Abbie Mehlhoff, designed by Hannah Buee and Mr. Schock



This month, the Wing FFA Chapter had a chapter activity in which we went to supper and explored the Corn Maze in Mandan. This year's Corn Maze theme was *Harry Potter*. This activity goes in a Growing Leaders category, specifically Personal Growth. The chapter was able to grow together and get to interact with new members. The activity was successful, and more than $\frac{3}{4}$ of the members were able to attend.

We had our monthly meeting October 23, 2017. Our next meeting is November 13 at 7:00 p.m. Watch for a flyer coming out about the upcoming Vendor Show hosted by the Wing FFA Chapter. This Vendor Show will be on December 10th at 12:30AM to 4:30PM.

Add us on *Facebook* – Wing Ffa Chapter



From left to right: Tristan Heimark-Leedom, (9th grade), Alex Bryant, (8th grade), Sutton Berg, (9th grade), Keagan Marshall, (10th grade), Matt Eid, (11th grade), Tara Binstock, (11th grade) Dustin Wintermeyer, (7th grade), Baeylie Goetz, (8th grade)





Girl's Varsity Volleyball



written by Abbie Mehlhoff, designed by Hannah Buee and Mr. Schock

Varsity Wilton Wing Miners had their first game of the season on August 26. Wing's very own Tya Schiele and Tara Binstock are both on the Varsity Team. They are being coached by head coach Carissa Steinert and assistant coach Ivy Rath in Wilton.



Tya Schiele is a senior in Wing, and this will be her last year playing volleyball for the Varsity Wilton-Wing Miners. She's been playing volleyball since seventh grade. She decided to play volleyball after becoming interested and developing a love of the sport. Tya's position is outside hitter.

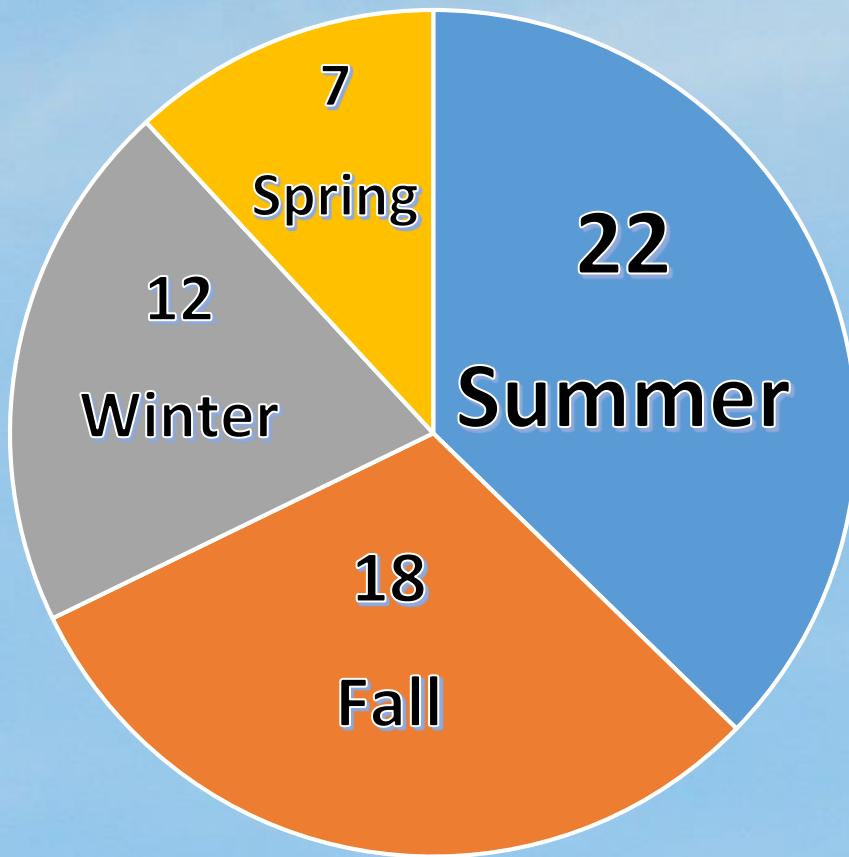


Tara Binstock is a junior in Wing. She has been playing volleyball for five years now. She first decided to play volleyball when she was looking for another activity. She thought of volleyball and was automatically intrigued. Tara plays the middle-inner position.

The girls' last game is November 2, and we encourage everyone to join to help cheer on our Wilton-Wing Varsity Volleyball team!

What is **YOUR** favorite season?

poll by Blake Bernhardt, interviews by Abbie Mehlhoff, and design by Blake Bernhardt and Mr. Schock



Summer's warm weather?

Fall's warm colors?

Winter's warm... soup?

Blake Bernhardt and Abbie
Mehlhoff set off to find out
which one of the four seasons
Wing students like the best.

Winner: Summer!



"I like summer because I can do rodeo, swim, and go fishing. It's nice and warm outside. My favorite things to do during the summer are rodeo and riding horse."

- Kynlee Wolff, summer supporter

“Fall has really pretty colors with the leaves changing colors. The weather is perfect, not too hot or cold. I also enjoy celebrating Thanksgiving in fall, and basketball season is starting up, which is always fun!”

- Hannah Fischer, fall fan



“Winter makes it look glittery outside from the snow. Christmas is also during Winter, and I enjoy celebrating Christmas. I can also relax and go to sleep in the winter.”

- Sara Rutherford, chilly champion

“Spring is my birthday month. Plus, all the snow is melting, and it’s relieving to see. I like to set up the soccer net in the spring, even though it takes a long time.”

- Andrew Mehlhoff, spring supporter



This month I would like to bring up the mobile game *War Robots*. It is entertaining and keeps you occupied for hours on end. It has simple mechanics and doesn't take that much mental capacity to play, making it a relaxing game. You just shoot down your opponent's robots in a glorious rampage.

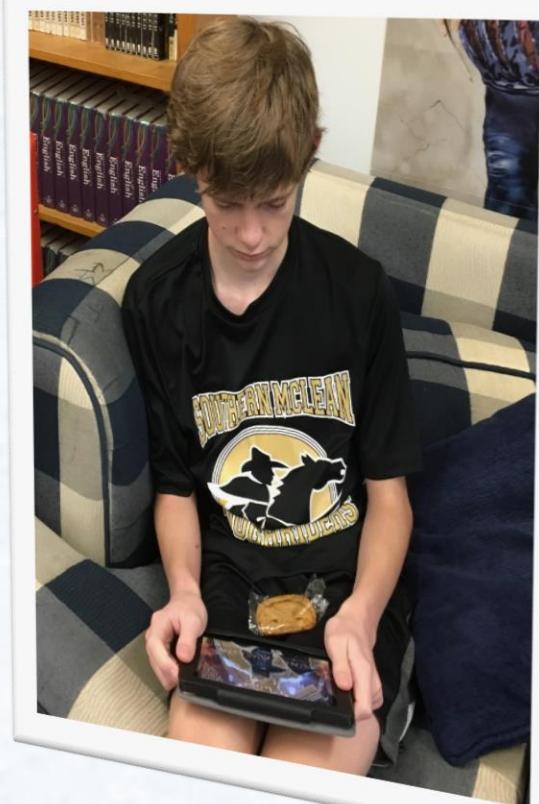
You get to build your robots by picking the robot and choosing the weapons that you put on it. This is very entertaining because you can be creative and unique with this.

The game is getting more and more diverse. The developers of the game just game out with 3 new weapons and 3 new robots. They are almost done completing their 3rd game type. The developers have kicked it into high gear and are putting out a lot of content. They are constantly taking feedback and using it.

There are some negatives to this game. The first is that if you want to use your own money, it will cost you a lot. The new and best robot will cost you \$225. The other problem is that they keep on putting out different currencies in the game. There are currently 6 different currencies. It makes it harder to save up for something.

Overall, this is a great time-killer if you have a few hours to spare.

Andrew Reviews War Robots



Jokes of the Month!

jokes by Hunter Bauer

Why do French people eat snails?
They can't stand fast food.

Tim, am I a bad mom?
My name is Sally. And I'm a girl.

Why doesn't the turkey like Thanksgiving?
Because he doesn't like dressing up.

Why did the turkey cross the road?
Because he was following the chicken.

WING PUBLIC SCHOOL – November, 2017

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 2 VVB Play-in Game	3 MSU Northwest Music Festival Bookmobile 10:00 – 1:45	4 MSU Northwest Music Festival JHGBB @ Washburn 10:00 Community 1-Act Play 7:00	
5	6 VVB Regional Tournament	7 VVB Regional Tournament School Nurse (Vision Screening - grades PK-6)	8 1-Act Play Performance in Hazen	9 VVB Regional Tournament JHGBB @ Wilton w/Underwood 4:00 Veteran's Day Program 2:00	10 Veteran's Day Honored! (no school)	11 Veteran's Day! 
12	13	14 JHGBB @ Garrison 6:00 Awards Night @ Washburn Football Field 6:30	15	16 JHGBB @ McClusky w/TLMM 4:30	17 Jamestown College Rep. 2:15 (Jrs. & Srs.) Bookmobile 10:00 – 1:45	18
19	20 JHGBB @ Underwood 6:00 Awards Night @ Wilton 7:00	21 JHGBB @ Wilton w/Garrison 6:00	22	23 Thanksgiving Day! (no school) 	24 Thanksgiving Break! (no school)	25
26	27 JHGBB @ Center-Stanton 4:00	28 VGBB @ Elgin w/Grant County JV – 6:30 V – 8:00 JHGBB @ Wilton w/Washburn 6:00	29	30		

WING PUBLIC SCHOOL MENU – November, 2017

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 Chicken Patties French Fries Strawberries Green Beans	2 French Toast Sausage Pineapple Tidbits Mixed Vegetables	3 Chicken ala King w/Rice Grapes Corn	4
5	6 Spaghetti Garlic Toast Peaches Peas	7 Popcorn Chicken French Fries Applesauce Corn	8 Pepperoni Pizza Pears Green Beans Tapioca Pudding	9 Cheesy Hamburger Hotdish Mandarin Oranges Corn	10 Veteran's Day Honored! (no school)	11 Veteran's Day!
12	13 Chili Dogs Pears Green Beans	14 Meatloaf Potatoes O'Brian Applesauce Corn	15 Tator Tot Hotdish Mandarin Oranges Peas Jello	16 Pizza Burgers French Fries Strawberries Carrots	17 Chicken Nuggets Macaroni & Cheese Pineapple Green Beans	18
19	20 Beef Nachos Peaches Corn	21 Chicken Patties French Fries Applesauce Peas	22 Chicken Noodle Soup Hot Ham & Cheese Sandwiches Pineapple Tidbits Green Beans	23 Thanksgiving Day! (no school)	24 Thanksgiving Break! (no school)	25
26	27 Corndogs Chips Cantaloupe Green Beans	28 Popcorn Chicken Potato Wedges Applesauce Corn	29 Pepperoni Pizza Pears Green Beans	30 Spaghetti Garlic Toast Peaches Peas Vanilla Pudding		

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MINUTES OF WING BOARD OF EDUCATION

September 12, 2017

Regular meeting held at the Wing School at 8:00 p.m.

Present: Also Present: Mandie Ehlert

Richard Koski Brittany Quale

Sheri Fischer

Karen Kershaw

David Goetz, Supt. Absent: Greg Fischer

Becky Bernhardt, Bus. Mgr. Lacey Schlafmann

Meeting called to order by President.

GROUPS & GUESTS

AGENDA/MINUTES/BUS. MGR. REPORT

Motion made by S. Fischer/Kershaw to approve the agenda with additions. MC

Motion was made by S. Fischer/Kershaw to approve August regular meeting minutes. MC

Business Manager's financial report was approved in motion by Kershaw/S. Fischer. MC

Accounts payable were approved in motion by Kershaw/S. Fischer. MC

Becky B. informed the board that the ND School Board Convention will be held on October 26-27, 2017.

Board members need to let Becky B. know by October 6, 2017 if they will be going or not. It was discussed whether it would be an incentive for the board members to go to the convention if they were paid to go.

SUPERINTENDENT REPORT:

Mr. Goetz Informed the board that the Zero Mill Increase hearing will be held before the next board meeting.

Windows were replaced in the front door and the east door.

Coop committee meeting will be held on 11-8-17 and Richard Koski & Lacey Schlafmann are the members that will be attending

Mr. Goetz stated to the board what a great job Mandie Ehlert has done as Asst. to the Principal.

PRINCIPAL REPORT:

Mandie stated that the Fruit and Vegetable grant that the school received this year will be starting on 9-13-17. This snack will be provided to grades PK-8 three days a week.

Students taking showers following PE has gone over well.

The new Science Fusion Curriculum has been implemented. Teacher would like to create a collaboration network with other schools to see how the curriculum is working for them and how we can make it the best for us.

During the staff meetings, the teachers started with four basic foundation questions and these will be brought up each month. If the teachers have something to add to them, they will let Mrs. Ehlert know so that they can be more proactive. The questions are: What are the key outcomes or goals they have for their class or the school, Challenges they are seeing for the month, Concern areas that they would like more information on, and what us as staff can do to adjust to what is going on and what they have adjusted to.

Next week we will be starting the counseling rotation for the H.S. They will be 1st and 2nd periods on Monday & Wednesday.

High School meetings take place every third Thursday. Elementary meetings will be every other Tuesday, and AdvancEd Meetings are Mondays at 3:30.

Upcoming events are: FFA - Welcome Back Picnic will be on 9-18-17 at 7:00 p.m.

FFA District Leadership will be on 9-25-17. Robotics in Fargo will be 9-16-17. Geri Wolff is the advisor, but Mr. Goetz will be taking them as Mrs. Wolff has other commitments.

NDSU Choral Festival will be October 8-9, 2017.

Surround the State Music will be on October 14, 2017. Fall Concert will be 10-16-17 at 7:30 p.m.

EGBB has a game at McClusky on 9-19-17 at 4:30 p.m.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

The teacher handbook was discussed. Sheri Fischer had gone online to look at what handbooks other schools have and found that TGU was the one she liked.

Motion was made by Kershaw/S. Fischer to table the teacher handbook until the next meeting. MC

Coop Committee will be the name instead of a Coop Board.

The committee will be a fiscal agent so revenue and expenses will be run through the Coop instead of each individual school. Need to work out whether it will be broke out by sport or by total number of athletes.

Becky will talk to Jenna about selling season passes in Wing as well as Wilton.

Motion was made by S. Fischer/Kershaw to table the approval of the Coop Committee until the next meeting. MC

Entry door rugs were discussed. It will cost \$960.00 to rent or purchase the rugs through AmeriPride. Two of the rugs will have the logo on it. Mr. Goetz received a quote from Dustex of \$1,025.00 to purchase new rugs - they will not rent or clean the rugs. Also received a quote from D & E Supply of \$1,050.00 to purchase new rugs - they will not rent or clean the rugs.

Motion was made by S. Fischer/Kershaw to rent the rugs from AmeriPride. MC

NEW BUSINESS:

PK-K Teacher Aide was discussed. Mr. Goetz stated that there is a wide range of knowledge in Mrs. Quale's classroom and she feels that she needs an aide to assist with the students. The teacher aide would be paid \$10.00/hour. Motion was made by S. Fischer/Kershaw to hire a PK-K Teacher Aide to assist Mrs. Quale. MC

Mr. Goetz recommended hiring Tonya Heimark as the PK-K Teacher Aide. Motion was made by Kershaw/S. Fischer to hire Tonya Heimark as the new PK-K Teacher Aide. MC

Mr. Goetz state that since Tonya would be leaving as Asst. Cook to become the new PK-K Teacher Aide, he would recommend hiring David Yatalese as the new Asst. Cook. Motion was made from S. Fischer/Kershaw to hire David Yatalese as the Asst. Cook. MC

Motion was made by S. Fischer/Kershaw to approve the open enrollment form. MC

Motion was made by S. Fischer/Kershaw to approve the Annual Compliance Report. MC

Propane bids were reviewed and discussed. The bids were as follows:

MVP - \$1.08/gallon (capped)

Rud Oil - \$1.04/gallon

Gray Oil - \$1.09/gallon

Tuttle Elevator - \$1.05/gallon

Cenex of Wilton - \$0.97/gallon

Motion was made by S. Fischer/Kershaw to accept the propane bid from Cenex of Wilton. MC

Mr. Goetz discussed the buses. He stated that 14A does not run and we need to get rid of it. Bus 15 died on Mr. Goetz on the way to Steele. We still can't get it to run and It will cost a lot to fix. Should get rid of it.

Motion was made by S. Fischer/Kershaw to put these two buses on bids. MC

Mr. Goetz stated that he has contacted different companies regarding new 14 passenger buses and to see what they had for used big buses. Kershaw recommended that we get a new 14 passenger bus and see what deal we can get on a used big bus. S. Fischer felt we should give the Superintendent the authority to get the best deal he can after he looks at the buses.

Mr. Goetz called different companies for bids on a new front door. The only company that gave a quote was C & H Glass. The bid for just a door with no auto opening which would not make it handi-cap accessible would cost \$9,877.00. A door with auto door opening to make it handi-cap accessible would cost 12,622.00.

Board suggests getting more bids from other companies.

Motion was made by S. Fischer/Kershaw to table the front door until the next meeting. MC

Mr. Goetz and Richard Koski had discussed the possibility of having Mr. Slaathaug teach Grade 7 Math during 7th hour. Mr. Goetz is teaching that class right now. This would lighten the load for Mr. Goetz. Mr. Slaathaug would be teaching 7 periods during the day instead of 6 periods with 1 period as a prep. The school would need to pay him an additional 1/7 of the day for him to teach this class.

Motion was made by S. Fischer/Kershaw to pay Mr. Slaathaug 1/7 of the day to teach 7th Grade Math. MC

It was discussed that the board packets should be sent through email instead of through the regular mail.

The Board suggested sending the board packets through the mail, send an updated accounts payable on the day of the board meeting through email, and then put only Mr. Goetz's agenda summary in the binder.

For the next meeting, the packet will be printed out and emailed to see how it is working.

Motion was made by S. Fischer/Kershaw to email the board packets to board members. MC

Elementary basketball uniforms were discussed. It seems they are too big for the players and they don't look good on the athletes. Mrs. Ehlert will look at the uniforms to see if there are smaller ones for the players.

Motion was made by Kershaw/S. Fischer to approve the overnight trip for the NDSU Choral Festival on October 8-9, 2017. MC

OTHER BUSINESS:

Next meeting will be Tuesday, October 10, 2017 at 8:00 p.m.

The meeting adjourned at 10:17 p.m. in motion by Kershaw/S. Fischer. MC.

A List of the bills approved for payment is available for your Inspection at the school.