



Wise Owl

Dell Rapids Quarriers

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"We promote spirited thinking, responsible citizenship and lifelong learning."



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Quarrier of the Month

The faculty has selected **Meghan Paul** as Dell Rapids High School Quarrier of the Month for December.

Paul is well-respected throughout the halls of DRHS. She is looked up to greatly by many younger students.

She has been on the honor roll all four years of high school. Paul attended the Youth Business Adventure last summer.

Paul's athletic abilities have taken her far. She has been a member of the DRHS track team for all four years of high school. She has won two state championships in shot put.

Shot put coach Mr. Steve Clark said, "If you are asking what makes Meghan Paul special, it is her will and refusal of being beaten that is her greatest asset as a person. The tougher the competition, the stronger she gets. She came from third place and threw the winning throw in shot put her sophomore year to become a state champion."

She was involved in volleyball her freshman through senior years. Paul joined the cross country team her senior year.

Paul has excelled tremendously on the basketball court. She has been on the Lady Q basketball team since her eighth

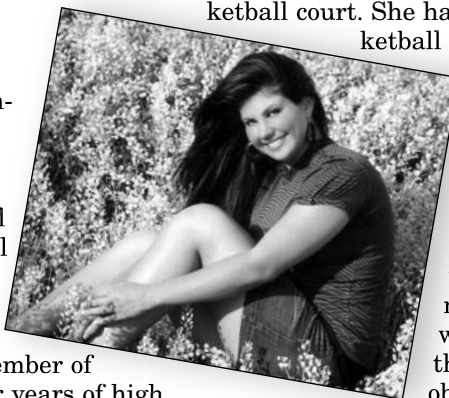
grade year. She was selected as second team All-Conference basketball player her sophomore and junior years.

Basketball coach, Mr. Jeff Dvorak said, "I am very proud and feel fortunate to have been able to work with Meghan over the past five years. The obstacles she has had to

overcome are small bumps in the road for a young lady with her mental and physical strength. There are no words that can express the sadness I feel that she has to miss her final year of basketball, but ultimately it isn't her athletic skill that I will remember most; it's her smile, her drive, and her friendship."

Last fall, Paul was chosen as the DRHS homecoming queen.

Paul's future plans include attending Northern State University. She plans to major in Biology and minor in Psychology. She is the daughter of Cory and Stacie Paul.



2009 School Board Election

Two school board positions will be up for election on April 14, 2009. One 3-year position, with duties to be assumed on July 13, 2009, will be vacant due to the expiration of the present term of Brian Davis. A second 3-year position will be elected due to the expiration of the term presently held by Troy Randall. Randall was appointed in September 2008 to fill a vacancy created by the resignation of Jeff Von Holtum.

Nominating petitions, along with information on how to circulate a petition, are available in the school district business office at 1216 Garfield Avenue. Petitions may be circulated between January 30 and February 27, and must be filed with the business manager no later than February 27, 2009 at 5 p.m.



Give Kids a Smile Day: FEBRUARY 6

Dr. Jason Ehlers will again be participating in "Give Kids a Smile Day" on Friday, February 6. The American Dental Association initiated this program in 2003 to provide free dental exams and treatment to children through the age of 18 who may not otherwise have access to dental care. Please call 605-428-5471 with your questions.





KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION



Kindergarten Registration is a unique experience. A team of educators will provide pre-kindergarten screening activities to help parents assess their child's readiness for kindergarten. Kindergarten teachers, speech clinicians, and a school nurse will be present to assist parents. Kindergarten Registration is scheduled for April 23 and 24 at the United Methodist Church (505 E 5th St., Dell Rapids). If your child will be

5 on or before September 1, 2009, you must contact Dell Rapids Elementary School to register your child for the next school year at 428-3192. **It is important to notify the school before March 27, 2009** to insure that there are proper student/teacher ratios and enough materials for your child.

As parents/guardians, you can plan for this registration by making sure all of your child's immunization records are up-to-date with your

family doctor and providing the school with a copy of the state immunization certificate, including kindergarten shots. You will also need to bring a **certified** copy of your child's birth certificate and social security number. Once the school has the names of all the students planning to attend kindergarten in the 09/10 school year, you will be notified by mail as to a specific appointment time for your child's screening. 🦉

Music Boosters

Two Dell Rapids' students were selected for the Dorian Vocal Festival for outstanding junior and senior vocalists. Zach Gunn, returning for his second year, and Zach Rogen were recommended to perform at the annual festival by Dell Rapids vocal director, Ginny Ziebarth. The students attended the three-day festival in January. Music Boosters congratulates Gunn and Rogen for their achievement. Thanks for representing Dell Rapids at this level of performance!

Music Boosters have begun planning the annual Pork Dinner. Please be generous when you get your letter or phone call for help. New this year are plans for a slide show in the dining area. Please call or email if you have digital photos of Dell Rapids middle and high school music events in the 2008-2009 school year.

Music Boosters has a new email address. Contact club leadership at drmusicboosters@hotmail.com.

Your student may still have a chance to win a Dell Rapids Music Boosters Scholarship for private lessons for this spring! Use the funds for individual voice or instrument lessons (excluding guitar and piano), camp enrollment, or music club fees. The application is available from a music teacher or online. Find "Scholarships" under "Links" in the left margin of the Music Boosters website. Call your student's band and choir director at the school with questions.

If your student is in 8th-11th grades, please fill out a "Trip" survey, found on the Dell Rapids schools website. Your ideas can make music trips and fundraising better. Go to DellRapids.com, click the "Parents-



Dell Rapids High School chorus practices a new song for their spring performances.

Public" tab, then "Partners" in the drop-down menu, and choose "Music Boosters." Look for the survey link.

Up-coming events:

February - Pork Dinner letters will be sent to every parent of every band and choir student in grades 5-12. Watch for your letter soon. Next month's Wise Owl will have more information too.

Concessions - A few opportunities left to work. Call Tina (428-4420) if you would like to work and raise funds for your student's individual account. Students also welcome.

2/4 Solo and ensemble contest at Augustana College

3/8 Pork Dinner

3/25 Solo and ensemble contest

4/22 Large group contest

Come to our next meeting – Tuesday, February 3rd.

Music Booster meetings are the first Tuesday of every month from 7-8 p.m. in the Dell Rapids Middle and High School music room. Music Booster members include all parents of band and choir students from grades 7-12.

Please contact these Board

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Sophomores to Attend 'HOBY' Leadership Camp

"Empower, lead, excel." Those three simple words define Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership (HOBY). Each year the Dell Rapids High School sends two sophomores to this exciting, fun filled leadership camp.

HOBY is designed for high school sophomores to recognize their leadership abilities and apply them to school, at home, work-places, and in their community. Megan Rueb was selected as the HOBY representative and Jada Entringer was selected as the runner up.



Megan



Jada

To be chosen to attend HOBY sophomores were asked to write essays saying what is the most challenging and most rewarding part of leadership. The essays are read by the DRHS staff and the top two are chosen. Along with the essays, teachers look for creative problem solving, strong decision-making skills, sensitivity to the needs and concerns of others and a charismatic personality.

From all the students Megan Rueb and Jada Entringer were chosen to represent Dell Rapids High School. "It is neat to know that my peers and my teachers think I am a strong leader in our school," said Rueb, "I hope to learn many new things that I can bring back and put into my real life."

In mid-June of 2009, they will attend HOBY. The location is yet to be determined. "I'm really excited to meet some new friends," said Rueb.

Last year's attendees were Joci Hansen and Danielle Schuch. The two learned many new things on leadership and how to apply them in our school. HOBY helped the girls step up and take more of a leadership role in our community and high school. And now the same is hoped with the next two.

HOBY is a life changing experience for many sophomores in the nation. The program is creating and discovering many new leaders each year. We wish Megan and Jada the best of luck in their experience and we hope they come back with new knowledge. 🦉

AG IN ACTION

On Thursday, January 15, seventeen agriculture students attended Student Career Day during the Ag Expo 2009 at the Ramkota Hotel and Conference Center in Sioux Falls. Those attending were: Kevin Berg, Tate Bunkers, Josh Ernesti, John Heinemann, Dereck Nelsen, Taylor Shellum, Dayton Sneve, Seth LeBrun, Mark Nemmers, Austin Schnieders, Tony Siemonsma, Austin Alberts, Shelby Bailey, Michael Jorgensen, Aaron Blake, Nick Siemonsma and Connor Mears. The students had the opportunity to view various exhibits and equipment, listen to V.J. Smith deliver his message about "Simple Choices, Big Rewards", enjoy a luncheon sponsored by various agriculture companies and tour the Monsanto corn and soybean research facilities near Harrisburg. Tom Berg went along to help chaperone the group. It was a great learning experience for all who attended.

The Ag III/IV students are just finishing a unit on hydraulics. This unit consisted of covering how hydraulic systems work and the various components of the hydraulic system. Following hydraulics, the students will have the opportunity to build projects in the shop. They will utilize the skills from previous years to design and construct personal projects.

The students in Welding class will be finishing up their required welds and then they will design and construct metal projects for the remainder of the quarter.

The livestock selection unit is about complete for the Ag II students. They were exposed to the various body parts of livestock, what to look for when selecting a quality animal and what a pedigree is and how that can be used in selection. The next unit will be on welding. They will go over oxy-acetylene, arc and wire-feed welding and the safety rules with each one. They will then have the opportunity to try each type of welder and begin developing their welding skills.

The FFA members have been busy planning for National FFA Week,

which will be held Feb. 21-28. The theme for this year is "Step Up, Stand Out" as it is a way of life for FFA members. We recognize the importance of being active in our school and community and members are urged to step up when volunteers are sought, friendship is needed and leadership is required. The blue jacket is a unifying symbol that members share, regardless of their differences. Members stand out with their amazing accomplishments, commitment to education and dedication to service.

The focus of National FFA Week is to tell America about the great opportunities available for all youth. From its beginnings in 1928 as the Future Farmers of America, the National FFA Organization today reaches out to all 50 states, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands. FFA is committed to developing character and leadership skills and preparing members for a lifetime of civic leadership and career success. Another thing the members are preparing for are the career development events that will be held this spring. The various areas include: Agriculture Business Management, Agricultural Mechanics, Agricultural Sales, Agronomy, Dairy Cattle Evaluation, Dairy Foods Evaluation, Floriculture, Food Science and Technology, Horse Evaluation, Livestock Evaluation, Meats Evaluation, Natural Resources, Nursery/Landscape and Range Plant Identification. The members will prepare and then compete at events to sharpen their skills and eventually compete at the State FFA Convention in April. 🦉

Music Boosters

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members or your child's director if you have any questions.

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President and Middle School

Band Director 428-4664

Marcia Lodmell, Vice

President 428-6010

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DRHS Term 2 Honor Roll — 2008—09

GOLD:

Carly Blankenfeld
Alyssa Broin
Tanisha Daugaard
Preston Davis
Ben Dipple
David Dusing
Melissa Dusing
Dylan Dybedahl
Ted Elverson
Danyelle Ernesti
Michael Hainje
Joci Hansen
Sam Hinricher
Kristi Hoffman
Kody Jensen
Regina Laufmann
Moriah Magnuson
Katrina Mohr
Jordan Munk
Riley Rinehart
Aaron Riswold
Megan Rueb
Shaylea Schreurs
Danielle Schuch
Ashley Schultz
Greg Schwebach
Nicole Snyder
Karl Solum
Hillary Sward
Caleb Tollefson
Jadin Wendland
Hunter White
Nicole Wrage

SILVER:

Austin Alberts
Kiira Anderson
Samantha Avery
Channing Barber
Zachery Barber
Curtis Brown
Caleb Buysse
Abbie Clauson
Josh DeVos
Tye Dybedahl

Kiley Elsinger
John Elverson
April Erdman
Josh Ernesti
Sam Everist
Alyssa Frantz
Jacob Frederickson
Austin Gee
Quentin Gerber
Sean Gerber
Kenny Grovenburg
Emily Haak
Hannah Hammer
Rachel Hansen
Weston Hansen
Steve Hoffman
Taylor Huewe
Taylor Huska
Melissa Jastram
Jerica Johnson
Ben Kahler
Colin Karst
Elizabeth Kerns
Emily Kerns
Lucas Knopf
Erin Koens
Courtney Kolbeck
Evan Leebens
Megan Leebens
Kim Lenth
Brittany Lightner
Jordan Lindberg
Monica Lindholm
Philip Martinson
Kelly McKay
Mallory Mergen
Brock Merry
Malinda Miller
Molly Miller
Ben Mitchell
Laine Mitchell
Ashley Munk
Chad Munk
Tanner Munk
Evan Murphy
Jacie Nelson

Dezirae Palmer
Vicky Pierce
Lexie Pirson
Dena Reiff
Danielle Richter
Whitney Rowe
Alex Rueckert
Michael Schmidt
Tejah Schultz
Tony Schwebach
Lana Snoozy
Katie Stahl
Ashley Stanton
Brittini Steineke
Matea Strong
Samantha Stykel
Atalie Swanson
Zach Swanson
Lexy Utech
Diamond Wartenbee
Dick Welbig
Brady Wrede
Brittany Ziegler

BRONZE:

Tanner Barrett
Kevin Berg
Leah Berre
Aaron Blake
Casey Boever
Dannie Borah
Morgan Brobjorg
Aaron Crisp
Chris Curry
Brianna Davis
Joe Dipple
John Dorale
Chelsie Dybedahl
Julie Eddy
Jada Entringer
Haley Fiedler
Kyle Gillogly
Nick Grismer
Brett Gruis
Zach Gunn
Deidra Hauge

John Heinemann
Jacob Herrboldt
Matt Hoffman
Sebastien Holmes
Natalie Howard
Erica Jurgensen
Amanda Kahler
Nic Kahler
Brandon Koch
Cassie Korenke
Samantha Kohnen
Garrett Kommes
Jordan Krogstad
Miranda Krogstad
Sarah Leber
Shanna Leibel
Zach Lighton
Dylan Ljunggren
Michael Luke
Elizabeth Martinson
Jenna McGee
Hillary McQuade
Amanda Mergen
Tyler Morris
Kelly Nemmers
Kayla Norton
Connor O'Hara
Trish Ollerich
Ann Pierson
Jacob Roemen
Zach Rogen
Jager Rus
Tiana Sachen
Brittney Schlaikjer
Krista Schnieders
Levi Sell
Nicole Springman
Andrew St. Clair
Ashley Stanton
Alex Tiesen
Dustin Welbig
Taylor Worm
Michaela Youngberg
Brad Zwart



Booster Club Notes

The Booster Club would like to wish the best of luck to the Quarrier wrestlers as they finish up their season this month and to the basketball teams as they begin their post season tournaments. Keep up the good work; we are so proud of all you've accomplished!

50/50, Football Pool and Booster Club Drawing Winners

Congratulations to Tom Kolbeck who won the last football pool of the season and a big thank you to all who participated. Congratulations also to all the 50/50 winners and the gift certificate winners. Be sure and stop by the 50/50 table at home events for your chance to win!

Senior Appreciation

Senior appreciation night for the girls basketball team will be held on Feb. 19th at the game against Madison and for the boys basketball team on Feb. 27th at the game against Pipestone. Thank you to all parents for your continued support and good luck seniors with all your future plans!

Beef Raffle

The lucky winner of this year's beef raffle was Brandon Stange of Sioux Falls. Congratulations to Brandon and many thanks to Kevin and Jeanine Schnieders for the donation of the beef and to the Renner locker for donating the processing.

New Board Members

The Dell Rapids Booster Club will

be nominating new board members in March and April. If you are interested in being on the board, please contact a current board member. It is a great opportunity to get involved in our school events and Quarrier athletics.

2008-2009 Booster Board Members:

Dean & Shelley Kommes
Tracy & Kris Langer
Jerry & Michelle Bunkers
Roger & Deb Koens
Scott & Jan Mandel
Gregg & Laurie Huewe
Kevin & Jeanine Schnieders
Dwight & Linda Gerber
Dean & Elaine Hammer

CHANGE OF ADDRESS??

Please notify the office at your child's school to update the school's mailing list.



What's New in the Cafeteria:

This month our focus is on Benefits of Breakfast and Guidelines for Free/Reduced Meals.

We all realize we are going through hard times with the economy. We would just want to remind you how a child qualifies for free or reduced priced meals.



1. Any child at a participating school may purchase a meal through the National School Lunch Program. Children in households with incomes at or below 185 percent of the poverty level are eligible for free or reduced meals, for which students can be charged no more than 40 cents. (For the period July 1, 2008, through June 30, 2009, 185 percent of poverty level is \$39,220 for a family of four.)
2. You may pick up a form from the secretaries offices or contact the business office and they will mail you the form.
3. Children who receive free or reduced meals are treated the same as a full paid student. The student's lunch account status is confidential information.

February is National Hot Breakfast Month!

Here are some benefits of eating a healthy breakfast daily:

1. Eating breakfast can help improve math, reading, and standardized test scores.
2. Children who eat breakfast are more likely to behave better in school and get along with their peers than those who do not.
3. Breakfast helps children pay attention, perform problem-solving tasks, and improves memory.
4. Children who eat school breakfast are likely to have fewer absences and incidents of tardiness than those who do not.
5. By eating breakfast, students get more of important nutrients, vitamins and minerals such as calcium,



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If you would like to purchase a 4-DVD set of the **2008 Quarrier football games** please contact Coach Hansen or Coach Stone.

Cost is \$20.00 and must be paid before your copy will be made or delivered.



SCHOLARSHIP UPDATE

1. SOUTH DAKOTA OPPORTUNITY SCHOLARSHIP

\$5000 over Four Years

Must attend a South Dakota college or technical school

Must complete the Regents Scholar Curriculum with a cumulative GPA of 3.00 or better, an

ACT score of 24 or higher and no grade below a C in the core classes. The Regents

Scholar Curriculum is -

4 credits of English

3 credits of social studies

4 credits of math

4 credits of science

1 credit of computer science

1 credit of fine arts

2 credits of the same foreign language

Deadline - September 1 of the year you will be starting college

Application is available at - www.sdbor.edu/SDOpportunityScholarship.htm

2. DAKOTA CORPS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Full-time tuition and fees to South Dakota college or technical school for up to four years

Must have a 2.8 GPA or higher, an ACT score of 24 or higher, and must stay in South Dakota and work in a critical need occupation after graduation from college. Critical need occupations include - teaching music, special education, foreign language, math or science and working in an allied health care field.

Deadline - Feb. 1

Application is available at - www.state.sd.us/dakotacorps/default.html

3. SIOUX FALLS AREA COMMUNITY FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS

This Foundation administers many scholarships, some of which Dell Rapids students are eligible to apply for. Most of these scholarships have a March 15th and are available on line at www.sfacf.org.

The following are available for Dell Rapids High School students with some just for *Dell Rapids students:

Altrusa Scholarship

\$500

Must attend a technical school, have a 3.00+ GPA, and demonstrate financial need.

AXA Advisors Sioux Empire Scholarship

\$500

Must attend a four year college, demonstrated diligence, determination to overcome challenges, and willingness to undertake unusual responsibility in pursuit of a worth, nonacademic personal achievement.

Cogley-Buffington Scholarship

\$1000

Must attend a four year college, have a 3.50+ GPA, demonstrate financial need, participate in extra-curricular and community activities, and have an interest in and understanding the role of business in American society.

Dakota Gold Student Athletic Scholarship

\$250 and \$500

Must have participated in Dakota Gold, Sioux Falls Soccer Association, have a 3.00+ GPA, and demonstrate leadership through his or her soccer team.

Dale Lokke Law Enforcement Scholarship

\$400

Must attend a South Dakota college or university, have participated in extra-curricular and community activities and demonstrate an ability to succeed in a career field.

Davenport, Evans, Hurwitz Scholarship

\$1000 and \$2500

Must have high academic achievement based on GPA, class rank, and ACT.

Must attend college in South Dakota

Must demonstrate a strong desire to pursue and meet educational goals.

*David Schmidt Scholarship

\$1000

Available only to Dell Rapids High School Students

Can not be ranked in the top 10% of graduating class.

Preference is given to students who may not receive any other scholarship.

David Profilet Scholarship

\$500

Given to South Dakota high school graduates who plan to attend

Augustana

GPA 3.00+, show character traits such as courage, determination and ability to overcome adversity.

Fred and Marie Christopherson Scholarship

\$2500

Must attend a four year college in South Dakota

GPA 3.9+ and ACT score of 28+

*Gloria Beck Scholarship

\$500

Available to only Dell Rapids High School Students

Preference is given to students who plan to attend Augustana College. If no student attends Augustana, preference then is given to students attending a private college.

*Jeremy Baum Hope Scholarship

\$1000

Must be a Dell Rapids area student.

Given to students who have developed a motivation to succeed late in life or after high school making the applicant ineligible for most scholarships.

*Jerry Hoftiezer Memorial Scholarship

\$500

Available only to Dell Rapids High School students.

Must attend a four year college, involved in school and community activities, have a 3.00+ GPA, and have taken or will complete five math courses, including AP calculus.

Joe Foss Scholarship

\$1000

Must have GPA of 3.5+, ACT score of 21+ and demonstrate characteristics of an American patriot.

Junior League of Sioux Falls Scholarship

\$500

Applicant must be female, reside in Minnehaha or Lincoln Counties, have ACT of 23+, and attend a college or technical school.

Kiwanis Clubs of Sioux Falls Scholarships

\$750

Must be a graduating senior from a Minnehaha or Lincoln County high school, who plan to attend a South Dakota college or university, have a GPA of 3.00+ and ACT of 23+, and be a child or grandchild of a Sioux Falls Kiwanis Club member.

Sally Bertina Meyer Scholarship

\$800

Must reside in Minnehaha County and attend a Minnehaha County high school.

Must have a GPA of 3.00+ and show an interest in the out of doors.

*Trent Area Scholarship

\$250

Must live in the Trent area as bounded on the south by the Moody County line, on the north by SD Highway 34, on the east by the SD state line, and on the west by the Colman Road.

*Wyatt Ammon Memorial Scholarship

\$500

Must attend either DRHS or St. Marys High School, must demonstrate originality and an interest in seeking personal challenges. Applicants may be evaluated according to special circumstances, motivation to pursue goals, and the inspiration for those goals.

4. BURGER KING SCHOLARSHIP

\$1000

Application on line - www.bk.com/scholars

Deadline - Feb. 2, 09

5. NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000 to \$13,000 (National Scholarship)

Must be a member of the National Honor Society

Based on scholarship, leadership, service, and character

Two student's application selected to be entered from DRHS

Application is on line - www.nhs.us in the Adviser Zone

Deadline - Jan. 12, 09

6. MCKELVEY FOUNDATION ENTREPRENEURIAL SCHOLARSHIPS

(60) National Scholarships \$1,000 to \$10,000

Must own and operate a business for at least one year

Must have at least one paid employee



Application on line - www.mckelveyfoundation.org
Deadline - Jan. 25, 09

7. FC COLONEL'S SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

\$5000
GPA 2.75+
Must attend a public college or university
Must demonstrate financial need
Application is available from Dec. 1 to Feb. 10 at www.kfcscholars.org
Deadline - Feb. 10

8. YANKTON COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS

(4) \$1000
Applicants must have a relative who attended Yankton College or have contact with a Yankton College graduate.
Application is available in the guidance office
Deadline - Feb. 13

9. ESA FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS

150 National Scholarships
Information about the scholarships, requirements and applications are available on line at: www.esaintl.org/esaf
Deadline - Feb. 1

10. US BANK INTERNET SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

(30) \$1000
Monthly random drawings
Program runs from October through February
Apply on line at - usbank.com/studentbanking

11. AMERICAN YOUTH CANCER SURVIVORS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Must have been diagnosed with cancer before the age of 21
Must be under the age of 25
Application available in the guidance office
Deadline - March 15

12. LUCY HOSKINS AYRES SCHOLARSHIP

\$500
Sponsored by the Daughters of the American Revolution
Must be a child or grandchild of a male or female veteran of armed conflicts or career military
Personnel who entered, enlisted, or re-enlisted in the service as a resident of South Dakota.
Application is available in the guidance office
Deadline - Feb 1

13. TOM STEELE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

(30) \$1250 Scholarships
Must attend a college or technical school in South Dakota.
Recipients are selected competitively on basis of their academic record and achievements.
Applications are available on line at www.slfc.com.
Deadline - Feb. 1

14. AXA ACHIEVEMENT COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP

\$2000
Based on ambition and drive, determination to set and reach goals, respect for self, family and community and ability to succeed in college.
Application is available on line - www.axa-achievement.com
Deadline - Feb. 15

15. SOUTHEAST CHAPTER OF SD ENGINEERING SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIP

\$1500 and \$2500
Must major in engineering at SDSU or the School of Mines
Based on academic achievement and extracurricular activities.
Application is available in the guidance office or on line at - www.sdes.org
Deadline - Feb. 1

16. SIOUX EMPIRE CORNHUSKERS SCHOLARSHIP

(6) \$1000
Must attend the University of Nebraska-Lincoln
Based on scholastic ranking, ACT scores, school activities, extracurricular activities.
Application is available in the guidance office.
Deadline - Jan. 28

17. MARION T. WOOD SCHOLARSHIP

\$750
Must pursue further education in an office-related business program
Must have completed four semesters of high school courses from among the following: computer classes, accounting, and business classes.
Application is available in the guidance office or on line - <http://spoolman.com/sdaeop4/studentscholarshipform.html>
Deadline - Feb. 15

18. NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF WOMEN IN CONSTRUCTION SCHOLARSHIP

(3) \$1000
Eligible to all students (male and female) who go into a construction related field such as carpentry, plumbing, drafting, construction management, engineering, architecture, etc.
Deadline - Feb. 20

19. NORTHERN PLAINS EYE FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

(6) \$1000
Must pursue health care or eye-related field
Application is available on line - www.npef.org/scholarships or in the guidance office.
Deadline - Feb. 20

20. SIOUX VALLEY ENERGY SCHOLARSHIP

Scholarships totaling \$1200 will be awarded
Must be a dependent of a Sioux Valley Energy customer.
Must have 3.00+ GPA and ACT of 21+.
Application is available in the guidance office
Deadline - Feb. 2

21. MICHAEL ENTRINGER SCHOLARSHIP

\$1000
Must be a graduating senior in the Region II basketball area
Must have participated in school sports for two or more years and exhibited good sportsmanship. These sports include as athletes, cheerleaders, student managers, and statisticians.
Application is available online - or in the guidance office
<http://entringerclassic.k12.sd.us/>
Deadline - March 1

22. ASSOCIATED GENERAL CONTRACTORS OF SD/CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY SCHOLARSHIP

\$500 to \$3500
Applicant must declare a major in "construction management, civil engineering or other state approved program that is directly related to the commercial building construction industry."
Applicants must document their desire to obtain a career in commercial construction with priority to stay in South Dakota.
Applicant must request and submit a sponsorship letter from a current AGC of SD Building Chapter member.
Based on scholarship, activities, honors, employment history, and career information.
Application is available in the guidance officer or online at - www.sdbuildingchapter.org
Deadline - March 13

23. *GOLDEN WEST SCHOLARSHIP

(45)\$1000 - one for a Dell Rapids High School graduate.
Must reside within one of the Golden West telephone service areas
Merit based scholarship - ACT score, academic record, activities, leadership, character
Applications available in the guidance office.
Deadline - March 15

ESSAYS/CONTESTS

1. RESOURCE CONSERVATION SPEECH CONTEST - SCHOLARSHIP

\$2300 in scholarships
Any student grades 9-12 is eligible to apply
Subject - Clean Green Alternative Energy
Sponsored by South Dakota Department of Agriculture and East River Electric Power
Speeches are to be five minutes in length
Contact your local conservation district or the state division in Pierre.
Must be completed by March 21
Contact for more information - pam.bergstrom@state.sd.us

2. AYN RAND INSTITUTE ESSAY CONTESTS

Total of \$57,000 in prize money
Open for 8-10th graders with March 20 deadline and 11th and 12th graders with April 25 deadline.
See rules and guidelines and to submit your essay go to - www.aynrand.org/contests

3. MISS PRAIRIE VILLAGE PAGEANT

Scholarships and prizes will be awarded
Open to girls 14- 18
Pageant held July 25 and based on talent, personal interview, evening wear and an on state question.

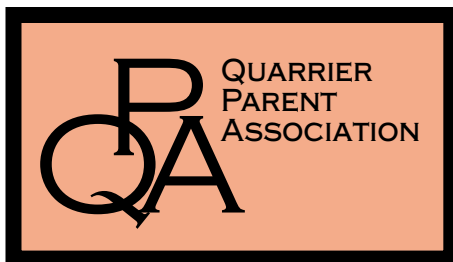
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Dell Rapids Community Haven

DO OUR HOURS WORK WITH YOUR SCHEDULE?

We are conducting a community wide survey to consider opening our Before School & Summer Programs earlier. Both programs currently open at 7:00 a.m. **If you do not utilize Haven's services because we do not open early enough for your schedule, we want to know!** Please call us at 366-8612 or email us at haven@dellrapids.com and let us know. Please give us your name, address, phone number, number of children (including their ages), and your *ideal* opening time. Thank you for your help!



Get ready to mark your March calendars!! The QPA is organizing the following events and will be announcing the finalized dates later. First we are organizing a Bowling Fun Day at the Dells Bowl for the Elementary and Middle School. This is open to all students in grades K-8. We will also be sponsoring the Red Cross Babysitting Clinic. Anyone 11 years of age and older can attend the babysitting clinic and sign up will be in the Middle School office. Details will be sent out closer to the events.

A belated thank you to everyone who provided Christmas treats for the teachers. Without you we would not be able to show our appreciation. Our next appreciation event for the teachers and staff is providing Conference meals in February.

To help provide needed equipment for the Elementary School remember to save your Campbell Soup labels. All that is needed is the UPC Code. Also the Box Tops for Education coupons are also collected. These can be turned into the School offices.

Remember you are always invited to attend our meetings the first Monday of each month at 7:00 in the Middle School Commons and it is

never too late to join. Please consider joining the QPA Board for the 2009-2010 school year. We are running short handed this year and we are looking for more help. The more

Board members the less time commitment time needed. Please call Joni Koster at 428-5730 with any questions. 🦉

Did you wash your hands?

A question that passes through every mother's lips, but what an important question. Scientists estimate that people are not washing their hands enough and may transmit up to 80% of all infections by their hands! The key to staying healthy and stopping the spread of disease is proper handwashing.

1. Hold hands under water
2. Lather with enough soap
3. Rub hands together vigorously (palms, between fingers for approximately 20 seconds—enough time to sing "Happy Birthday" twice)
4. Rinse hands under running water
5. Dry completely
6. Turn off water with towel



From desks to pets to food, harmful germs live on everything. It is better to consider your hands contaminated and properly wash your hands at least four times a day. Make sure to wash hands after every bathroom visit and before eating. Students who wash their hands at least four times a day

have 24% fewer absences from respiratory illnesses and 51% fewer absences from the stomach flu.

So...take your mom's advice and **wash your hands!**



What's Happening at the Elementary?

Winter welcomed students back to school with cold days and fun activities. The high school improv team performed the importance of fairness for Kids' Circle. Following the skit, our students had the opportunity to get to know the actors. The high schoolers took questions from the audience. The elementary students were curious to know why good character is important, why they should be fair and what are the high schoolers favorite color, food, subject and sport.



During the month of February, the elementary will be focusing on the pillar of Trustworthiness. We will be learning fun and easy ways to be honest. As a parent, discuss the importance of trustworthiness with your child. What happens when a lie is told? Who does it affect and how is it resolved? Earning trust takes a long time, losing trust can happen instantly. ☺



At left and above: the high school improv team takes questions from elementary students following their performance.



Character Counts!

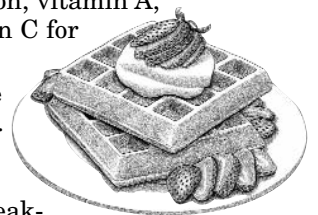
Madison Peters, Elijah Wilber, James Lueders and Logan Stone are last month's Character Counts Drawing Winners. Almost 100 students have been recognized for their good character!

What's New in the Cafeteria?

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- dietary fiber, folate and protein.
- Studies have shown that children who eat breakfast on a regular basis are less likely to be overweight.
 - Eating breakfast as a child is important for establishing healthy habits for later in life.
 - School Breakfast provides $\frac{1}{4}$ the recommended amounts of protein, calcium, iron, vitamin A, and vitamin C for the day.

Lunchtime Solutions Inc. provides a healthy and nutritious breakfast for your children, with many choices. Here are a few examples: biscuit w/sausage gravy, waffles w/syrup, breakfast sandwiches, bagel w/cream cheese, muffins, yogurt and many more to select from.



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Lunchtime Solutions Inc.,
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The monthly "Wise Owl" newsletter is now on the School District Website. If you are no longer interested in receiving this newsletter in the mail from Dell Rapids School District, please call LuAnn Heidebrink at 428-5473 ext. 3 or email her at heideblu@dellrapids.com to cancel your "subscription."





Dell Rapids Elementary Public School Menu National Hot Breakfast Month

All Breakfast Meals

Include:

Fresh & Canned Fruit
Variety of Cereal

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Breakfast A. Breakfast Pizza B. French Toast Sticks w/Syrup Lunch A. Hamburger or Cheeseburger on Bun B. Homestyle Beef Stew Baked Beans	Breakfast A. Breakfast Sandwich B. Cheese Omelet Lunch A. Chicken Fajita B. Hot & Spicy Chicken Sandwich Brown Rice	Breakfast A. Waffles w/Syrup B. Breakfast Pizza Lunch A. Homestyle Meatloaf B. Country Fried Steak Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy	Breakfast A. Pancake w/Syrup B. Biscuit w/Sausage Gravy Lunch A. Taco in a Bag B. Fish Nuggets Corn Rice Crispy Bar	Breakfast A. Cinnamon Roll B. Breakfast Pizza Lunch A. Pizza B. Healthy Choice Combo Sandwich Cooked Carrots
Breakfast A. French Toast Sticks w/Syrup B. Breakfast Pizza Lunch A. Beef & Bean Burrito B. Homestyle Macaroni & Cheese Mexican Rice	Breakfast A. Cheese Omelet B. Breakfast Sandwich Breakfast for Lunch A. French Toast Sticks w/Syrup and Sausage Patty B. Corn Dog Triangle Potato	Breakfast A. Waffles w/Syrup B. Breakfast Pizza Lunch A. New! Nachos Con Frijoles B. Chicken Strips Corn Brownie	Breakfast A. Biscuit w/Sausage Gravy B. Pancake w/Syrup Lunch A. Pizza B. Healthy Choice Combo Sandwich Cooked Carrots	 No School!
No School! Let's help students to perform better everyday, by making sure they eat a healthy breakfast. Dell Rapids School has a Great Breakfast Program that is offered <u>Daily!</u>	Breakfast A. Breakfast Sandwich B. Cheese Omelet Lunch A. Salisbury Steak B. Breaded Beef Fingers Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy	Breakfast A. Waffles w/Syrup B. Breakfast Pizza Lunch A. NEW! Homestyle Shepard's Pie B. Hot Dog Steamed Broccoli	Breakfast A. Pancake w/Syrup B. Biscuit w/Sausage Gravy Lunch A. Super Nachos B. Chicken Nugget Refried Beans Chocolate Pudding	Breakfast A. Cinnamon Roll B. Breakfast Pizza Lunch A. Pizza B. Healthy Choice Ham/Cheese Sandwich Corn
Breakfast A. French Toast Sticks w/Syrup B. Breakfast Pizza Lunch A. Hot Ham & Cheese Sandwich B. Mini Corn Dogs Tator Totts	Breakfast A. Cheese Omelet B. Breakfast Sandwich Lunch A. Homestyle Teriyaki Beef Stir-Fry B. Italian Dunkers w/Meat Sauce Brown Rice Fortune Cookie	Breakfast A. Waffles w/Syrup B. Breakfast Pizza Lunch A. Homestyle Tomato Soup w/Grilled Cheese Sandwich B. Fish Nuggets Lima Beans	Breakfast A. Biscuit w/Sausage Gravy B. Pancake w/Syrup Lunch A. Soft Shell Taco B. BBQ Rib Sandwich Corn White Cake w/Frosting	Breakfast A. Cinnamon Roll B. Breakfast Pizza Lunch A. Pizza B. Healthy Choice Egg Salad Sandwich Cooked Carrots

All Lunch Meals Include:

All You Can Eat
Fruit & Veggie Bar
and Choice of Milk



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Dell Rapids Public School Menu

National Hot Breakfast Month

All Breakfast Meals Include:

Fresh & Canned Fruit
Variety of Cereal
w/Healthy Choice Toast
Choice of Milk

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Breakfast A. French Toast Sticks w/Syrup B. Biscuit w/Sausage Gravy Lunch A. Hamburger or Cheeseburger on Bun B. Homestyle Beef Stew	Breakfast A. Cheese Omelet B. Breakfast Mini Bites Lunch A. Chicken Fajita B. Spicy Chicken Sandwich Brown Rice	Breakfast A. Breakfast Wrap B. Breakfast Dipper Sandwich Lunch A. Homestyle Meatloaf B. Country Fried Steak Mashed Potatoes	Breakfast A. Breakfast Tac-Go B. Breakfast Pizza Lunch A. Taco in a Bag B. Fish Sandwich Corn Vanilla Pudding	Breakfast A. Jumbo Cinnamon Roll B. Biscuit w/Sausage Gravy Lunch A. Pizza B. Turkey Deli Wrap Cooked Carrots
Breakfast A. Waffle w/Syrup B. Biscuit w/Sausage Gravy Lunch A. Beef & Bean Burrito B. Homestyle Macaroni & Cheese Mexican Rice	Breakfast A. Breakfast Mini Bites B. Cheese Omelet Breakfast for Lunch A. French Toast Sticks w/Syrup and Sausage Patty B. Mini Corn Dogs Triangle Potato	Breakfast A. Breakfast Dipper Sandwich B. Breakfast Wrap Lunch A. Homestyle Spagetti w/Meat Sauce B. Chicken Teriyaki Sandwich Green Beans Fruited Orange Jello	Breakfast A. Breakfast Pizza B. Breakfast Tac-Go Lunch A. New! Nachos Con Frijoles B. Chicken Strips Lima Beans	 No School!
No School! Let's help students perform better everyday, by making sure they eat a healthy breakfast. Dell Rapids School has a Great Breakfast Program that is offered Daily!	Breakfast A. Breakfast Sandwich w/Egg & Cheese B. Biscuit w/Sausage Gravy Lunch A. Homestyle Scalloped Potatoes w/Ham B. Hot Dog on a Bun Steamed Broccoli	Breakfast A. Breakfast Tac-Go B. Breakfast Pizza Lunch A. Salisbury Steak B. Hot Pepperoni Sub Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy	Breakfast A. Breakfast Dipper Sandwich B. Breakfast Wrap Lunch A. Supper Nachos B. Breaded Beef Fingers Refried Beans Chocolate Pudding	Breakfast A. Jumbo Cinnamon Roll B. Biscuit w/Sausage Gravy Lunch A. Pizza B. Oriental Salad Corn
Breakfast A. French Toast Sticks w/Syrup B. Biscuit w/Sausage Gravy Lunch A. Ham & Cheese Sandwich B. Corn Dog Baked Beans	Breakfast A. Cheese Omelet B. Breakfast Mini Bites Lunch A. New! Homestyle Sheppard's Pie B. Italian Dunkers w/Meat Sauce Green Beans	Breakfast A. Breakfast Wrap B. Breakfast Dipper Sandwich Lunch A. Homestyle Tomato Soup w/Grilled Cheese Sandwich B. Fish Sandwich Broccoli w/Cheese Sauce Fruited Strawberry Jello	Breakfast A. Breakfast Tac-Go B. Breakfast Pizza Lunch A. Soft Shell Taco B. BBQ Rib Sandwich Mexican Rice	Breakfast A. Jumbo Cinnamon Roll B. Biscuit w/Sausage Gravy Lunch A. Pizza Ranch B. Egg Salad Healthy Choice Sandwich Cooked Carrots

Additional lunch entree choice:

- c. sub sandwich
- d. fruit yogurt
- e. chef salad

All lunches include

All you can eat Fruit/Vegetable Bar
Choice of Milk



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Project Awareness Newsletter



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Children of Alcoholics week- February 8-14, 2009

So, who's affected?

28 million US children

- 15% of all U.S. children were exposed to alcohol abuse and/or dependence in the family (which includes any adults living in the household),
- 43% of all children were exposed to someone who, during their lifetime, satisfied a diagnosis of alcohol abuse or dependence.
- Approximately 1 in 4 children in the US is exposed to alcohol abuse and/or dependence in the family at some point before age 18.

Source: <http://www.coaf.org/researchlinks/numbers.htm>



So, what's it look like? Child may...

- Become isolated or afraid of people
- Fear failure and/or sabotage success
- Appear frightened by angry people or personal criticism
- Become addicted to excitement and prefer tension and crisis –seek/create chaos situations
- Remain extremely loyal, even when loyalty isn't deserved
- Act impulsively without thought to the consequences
- Lie
- Judge themselves harshly
- Be too serious, "life is hard work"
- Constantly seek approval and affirmation from others; yet, don't know how to give it themselves
- Are either super responsible or super irresponsible



So, now what?

- * Simple acts of kindness and compassion can make a BIG difference in the lives of Children of Alcoholics
- * By accepting these children for who they are, you will help them learn to trust others and accept themselves
- * Get them involved in something about which they feel good (sports, collecting rocks or stamps, etc) and GO SLOW, don't push them
- * Gently help them get positive attention from others
- * Help them understand that it is okay to ask for help and follow through if they ask
- * Continual forgiveness and fresh starts when mistakes are made



Feb 26 & 27

DELL RAPIDS EARLY CHILDHOOD PROGRAM

Birth-Age 5 Developmental Screenings

CALL 428-3192
by Feb 20th to
schedule an
appointment

A variety of times are available

Feb 26
Birth-age 2

Feb 26 & 27
Ages 3-5

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Dell Rapids, SD 57022

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Early Childhood
Screening Helps:

You find out how
your child is
doing
Connect you with
early childhood
programs
Answer your
parenting
questions



Free Screening

Dell Rapids School District will be offering FREE developmental screenings for children ages birth through age 5 that live within the school district boundaries. If you are interested in learning more about your child's current level of development in the areas of personal-social, fine and gross motor, cognitive, and communication skills, we encourage you to participate in this screening opportunity.





Local FCCLA Attend District 3 FCCLA Meeting

The District 3 FCCLA (Family, Career and Community Leaders of America) Meeting was held on Wednesday, January 21, 2009 beginning at 9 am at the Reformed Church in Dell Rapids. Twelve members of the Dell Rapids Chapter attended and either participated or helped with the meeting. 130 other students and advisors met with other chapters in the district to participate in various activities sponsored by this organization. The theme for the meeting was "Lights, Camera, Action in FCCLA."

Members competed in STAR (Students Taking Action with Recognition) Events including Illustrated Talk and Job Interview. Receiving a superior rating on their Illustrated Talk were the following: Nicole Snyder on germs in the kitchen, Ashley Weinacht on diabetes, April Erdman on texting, Branden Jastram on winter safety, Nicole Hanzlik on farm safety, and Mikayla Wilson on recycling. Kaitlyn Drew received an honorable rating on her Illustrated Talk on recycling. Whitney Rowe participated in the Job Interview category and received a



Middle School Students of the Month

Congratulations to these D.R. Middle School students on being selected as December Students of the Month! They are: 5th – Austin Machmiller and Zachary Lemme; 6th – Matthew Boever and Shelby Baatz; 7th – Heidi Anderson and April Tomes; 8th – Karen Eddy and Nicole Hanzlik.

superior rating. Those who received a superior rating will advance to the state meeting competition in April.

Members also participated in several workshops including one on the FCCLA Japanese Exchange program presented by Ashleigh Hare from Flandreau.

At the end of the meeting new officers were installed. Whitney was installed as the incoming co-chairperson for 2009-10.

Beverly Rieck is the local FCCLA advisor. 🦉



Front row from left to right: Whitney Rowe, Kaitlyn Drew, Mikayla Wilson and Ashley Weinacht. Second row: Nicole Synder, Nicole Hanzlik, April Erdman, and Branden Jastram.



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February

2009

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 8:00 AM FFA Sioux Empire Farm Show @ SF	2 4:00 PM 7&8 WR @ Brandon Valley Invitational (bus 2:30) 4:30 PM - 8:30 PM HS, MS & ES Parent/Teacher Conferences 7:00 PM QPA Meeting @ MS Commons	3 4:00 PM JV GBB home vs. Canton 4:00 PM 7&8 BBB home vs. SFC 5:00 PM JV BBB home vs. Canton 6:30 PM GBB home vs. Canton 7:00 PM Music Booster Meeting @ DRHS Band Room 8:00 PM BBB home vs. Canton	4	5 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM Jostens here taking orders for class rings 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM Jostens here taking orders for class rings 4:00 PM 7&8 BBB 1st Round BSC Trny. home vs. TV 5:00 PM GBB home vs. Vermillion 5:30 PM WR @ McCook Triangular w/Harrisburg (bus 3:00)	6 4:00 PM C GBB & BBB @ TV (bus 2:45) 5:00 PM JV GBB & BBB @ TV (bus 2:45) 5:30 PM WR @ Alcester/Hudson Triangular (bus 3:00) 6:30 PM GBB @ TV (bus 4:45) 8:00 PM BBB @ TV (bus 4:45)	7 9:00 AM WR - DR Booster Club Kids Tourney 9:00 AM 7 BBB BSC Tourney @ TV 9:00 AM 8 BBB BSC Tourney @ SFC 9:00 AM C BBB @ Irene/Wakonda Tournament 10:00 AM JV WR @ Brookings Invitational (bus 8:15)
8	9 4:00 PM 7&8 WR - BE/LCC Tournament @ McCook (bus 2:15) 4:00 PM Quiz Bowl @ SF Home School 5:30 PM 7&8 BBB @ Pipestone (bus 4:15) 6:00 PM C GBB home vs. Garretson 7:00 PM School Board Meeting 7:00 PM C BBB home vs. Garretson	10 4:30 PM - 8:30 PM MS & ES Parent/Teacher Conferences	11	12 4:00 PM 7&8 BBB @ McCook (bus 2:45) 5:00 PM GBB @ McCook Central (bus 3:15) 5:15 PM WR @ Roosevelt Triangular (bus 3:15)	13 8:55 AM Holiday - No School 5:00 PM BBB home vs. McCook Central	14 9:00 AM C GBB @ Milbank Tournament 3:00 PM JV BBB home vs. DV 4:15 PM JV GBB home vs. DV 5:30 PM Varsity BBB home vs. DV 7:00 PM Varsity GBB home vs. DV
15	16 8:55 AM Holiday - No School	17 4:00 PM C GBB & BBB @ Harrisburg (bus 2:25) 4:00 PM 7&8 BBB home vs. Canton 5:15 PM JV GBB & BBB @ Harrisburg (bus 2:25) 6:30 PM GBB @ Harrisburg (bus 4:30) 8:00 PM BBB @ Harrisburg (bus 4:30)	18 9:00 AM Improv performing @ Elem. School	19 4:00 PM 7&8 BBB @ Baltic (bus 3:15) 6:15 PM GBB home vs. Madison senior/parent night	20 5:00 PM BBB home vs. Lennox	21 9:00 AM 7&8 BBB Solid As A Rock Tournament - Dell Rapids @ HS & ES Gyms 9:00 AM Quiz Bowl @ North Sioux City (bus 6:50) 10:00 AM WR Regions @ Milbank (bus 6:45) 12:00 PM National FFA Week
22 8:00 AM National FFA Week	23 8:00 AM National FFA Week 5:00 PM School Board Meeting 7:00 PM 5th Grade Band Concert	24 8:00 AM National FFA Week 3:30 PM HS Quiz Bowl @ Mitchell 7:00 PM GBB District 6A Tournament @ High Seed	25 8:00 AM National FFA Week	26 8:00 AM National FFA Week 7:00 PM GBB District 6A Championship @ Tea	27 8:00 AM National FFA Week 10:00 AM State WR @ Watertown 6:15 PM BBB home vs. Pipestone senior/parent night	28 8:00 AM National FFA Week 10:00 AM State WR @ Watertown



SCHOLARSHIPS

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Contact - Bev Mader, 1211 SW 1st Street, Madison, SD 57042
605-480-2633
Jbmader55@yahoo.com

LOCAL SCHOLARSHIPS

The following are local scholarships that will be awarded to someone in the senior class and will become available later this spring. The amounts are from last year and may change this year. These scholarships will be announced so students need to make sure they check the announcements or with Mr. Henry when they become available.

1. Lions Club Scholarship

- a. \$500
- b. Based on service to the school and the community
- c. Deadline - assigned by the counselor

2. John Solem Scholarship

- a. \$3000 - \$4000
- b. Based on merit- academics, leadership, service and character
- c. Deadline - assigned by the counselor

3. Dell Rapids Optimist Club Scholarship

- a. \$300
- b. Based on the optimist creed
- c. Deadline - assigned by the counselor

4. Dell Rapids Public School Education Scholarship

- a. \$200 - \$500
- b. Must go into the teaching field
- c. Deadline - assigned by the counselor

5. PEO Scholarship

- a. \$300
- b. For girls only with GPA of 3.00 or higher
- c. Deadline - assigned by the counselor

6. Henry Speh Scholarship

- a. \$500 - \$1000
- b. Must attend the University of South Dakota

- c. Deadline - must be the application from the USD website and follow their deadlines

7. Dan Daugaard Scholarship

- a. \$500
- b. Must major in engineering and preference given to students who will attend the University of North Dakota. If we have no engineering students attending UND, students attending another college and majoring in engineering will be eligible.
- c. Deadline - assigned by the counselor

8. Jay Geraets Scholarship

- a. \$500
- b. Must go into an agriculture related field, coaching or play collegiate sports.
- c. Deadline - assigned by the counselor

9. American Legion Scholarship

- a. \$300 - \$500
- b. All students are eligible to apply
- c. Deadline - assigned by the counselor

10. Golden West Scholarship

- a. \$1000
- b. Student/parent must reside within the Golden West Telecommunications service area.
- c. Based on ACT score, leadership, extracurricular activities, academic achievement, motivation to succeed, and personal character.
- d. Deadline - March 15

Search Sites

Check out These Scholarship Search Sites:

1. www.fastweb.com
2. www.collegenet.com/mach25/app
3. www.eac-easci.org

SCHOLARSHIP TIPS:

1. Applications should be typed.
2. If need be, fax the application and type.
3. Ask for references in advance... usually one week.
4. Keep a copy of the application form.. could use parts later.
5. Proof read for grammatical and spelling errors.