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HS Principal Kimberly Kludt

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Attention: Administrative Audiences - A monthly report from the DRPSD Administrative offices on school district happenings, updates, and changes.

We are only a few weeks into the second semester, yet it is nearly time for students to begin the process of planning for the 2014-2015 school year. Students have so many opportunities at DRHS to take courses which will prepare them for virtually every academic and/or career path they may chose. Students have access to both high-quality required courses and electives. In order to graduate from Dell Rapids High School, students are required to successfully pass four credits of English, three credits of math, three credits of science, three credits of social studies, 1 credit of computer studies, one credit of fine arts, and one credit of either CTE or world language courses. These required courses accumulate to 16 credits. The remaining 8 credits needed for graduation (for a minimum of 24 total credits) can be filled with any combination of electives (although students could potentially take 32 total credits in four years). Here are just a few examples of electives available:

•Agriculture - Wildlife and Fisheries, Introduction to Ag, Food, and Natural Resources •Business - Business Math, Accounting •Computer - Webpage Design, Broadcast Journalism •English - Journalism, Strategic Reading •Family and Consumer Science - Interior Design, Nutrition and Wellness •Fine Arts - various options in both Graphic Arts and Musical Arts •Foreign Language – Spanish, French (via DDN) •Health - Physical Education, Fitness and Conditioning •Industrial Technology – Cabinetry, Technical Drafting Science – Physics, Advanced Chemistry ·Social Studies - Profound Events in History, Psychology

Considering the number of choices our students have, we believe strongly in helping them to carefully plan a course of study. We work closely with each one of our students to help them to select the best courses both for their current interests and also for their future success. Here is a bit of an explanation of how this process works. One of the first things that happens every year is for all eighth grade students to explore the plans they have for life outside of high school. All eighth grade students across the state complete this process using an online tool called SDMyLife (http://www.sdmylife.com/). This website, provided by the South Dakota Department of Education, offers career exploration resources organized into sixteen broad career fields called clusters (listed in the course description booklet found on the DRHS website). Within each cluster, students find information about possible careers, earning potential, and required education and training. SDMyLife leads students through the process of creating a Personal Learning Plan which serves as a map to his/ her high school career. The plan is developed based on a student's unique skills and interests, and it identifies specific coursework a student will need to take to reach both academic and career goals. SDMyLife also provides a portfolio for students to visit to update skills and interests; record completed coursework, extra-curricular activities, work experience, school projects; and research additional career fields. At a minimum, students will revisit this site yearly to make changes and revisions. It is a wonderful research and organizational tool for our students and their parents which can be accessed any time during and after their high school career. After students complete the SDMyLife Personal Learning Plan, they begin examining our DRHS Course Description Booklet and other possible coursework (CTE Academy courses / dual credit courses / DDN courses / Advanced Placement (AP) courses). Students meet and work with Ms. Ruesink to create a plan for their 2014-2015 schedule which is both academically challenging and a good fit for their personal interests. Below is the schedule we will follow:

•February 18-20 - Meet with students in grades 9-11 to discuss DRHS course offerings •February 25-26 - Meet with students in grade 8 to discuss DRHS course offerings. Students will individually take SD MyLife interest survey and create a Personal Learning Plan prior to this meeting. •March 3 – 8th Grade Parents Informational Night... 7:00 in the Middle School Commons. We will discuss the DRHS course offerings and a variety of other topics pertinent to developing a comprehensive four year plan of study at DRHS. •March 5 - Registration for students in grade 11 and grade 10 •March 6 - Registration for students in grade 9 •March 7 - Registration for students in grade 8

More information about the 2014-2015 course registration process, including the Course Description Booklet, can be found on the high school website. Please call the high school if you have questions about registration as we would be happy to help.

School Board News

One school board position will be up for election on April 8, 2014. The three-year position, with duties to be assumed on July 14, 2014, will be vacant due to the expiration of the present term of Tom Morris. Nominating petitions, along with information on how to circulate a petition, are available in the school district business office at 1216 N. Garfield Avenue. Petitions may be picked up and circulated between January 31st and February 28th, and must be filed with the business manager no later than February 28, 2014 at 5:00 p.m. To vote in this election, residents of the school district must be registered to vote by March 24, 2014.

Serving as a school board member is a challenging job that requires leadership, vision, and dedication. It is one of the most important responsibilities a citizen can undertake. School board members shape the future of the community and society by establishing educational goals that help students reach high levels of achievement. Some of the most important duties of the school board are to advocate on behalf of all students, policy-making, hiring and evaluating the superintendent, planning and goal setting, maintaining fiscal responsibility, and providing safe, secure school facilities.

To be eligible to serve on a South Dakota school board, one must be at least 18 years old, a resident of the school district, and an eligible voter of the school district.

- **NOTICE:** New Phone Lines for school !!
- New Option 1 District Office (formerly option 7)
- New Option 2 High School (formerly option 1)
- New Option 5 Middle School (formerly option 2)
- New Option 6 Elementary (formerly option 5)
- New Option 7 Bus Barn (formerly option 8)

New Option 8 - Lunchtime Solutions (formerly option 6)

School Bus Drivers Wanted!!

Dell Rapids School District is seeking individuals to drive school busses:

Activity Bus Drivers - part time...transporting students to and from athletic events - \$11.25/hour

Substitute Route Bus Drivers - \$18.60/hour Substitute Special Education Bus Drivers - \$11.25/hour After School Haven Bus Driver - pay scale to be determined

**If interested, applications may be picked up at the Dell Rapids School District Business Office or you may call (605) 428-5473, Opt. 1.

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	Senior	Athletic Booster Dates to Remember:	Senior
	Parent	February 6 – Wrestling; and	Parent
	Nights:	February 18 – Girls & Boys Basketball	Nights:

SCHOOL BOARD

Tom Morris	428-4884
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Jody Schumaker	428-4557
Troy Randall	428-4660
Matt Weiland	428-3570

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Jeff Dvorak/AD 428-5473

#1 District Office, #6 Elementary, #5 MS, #2 HS, #7 Bus Barn, #8 Lunchtime Solutions.

www.dr-k12.org MEETINGS

The Board of Education meetings are held on the second Monday of every month, and fourth Monday of every month, except July and December. BOE meetings begin at 7 p.m. and are held in the Distance Learning Room at the High School. Agendas can be obtained from the Superintendent's office on the Friday before any meeting. The Dell Rapids Tribune publishes the minutes of each regular and special meeting. Agendas and minutes are also posted on the school website.

When compared to the former South Dakota State Standards, these six shifts outline some of the biggest differences in the new Common Core math standards.

Math Shift #1: FOCUS

- Teachers concentrate time and energy in the math classroom on key grade-level concepts.
- This focus is necessary so students can begin to develop strong foundational knowledge and deep conceptual understanding early on in their academic careers. This focus will enable students to transfer mathematical skills and understanding across concepts and grades later on.

Math Shift #2: COHERENCE

- Learning is carefully connected within and across grade levels so students are building new understanding onto previously laid foundations.
- This shift will help students understand how math concepts are all connected and build upon one another, ensuring that students are comfortable taking on new concepts.

Math Shift #3: FLUENCY

- Students acquire speed and accuracy with simple calculations through structured class time.
- Through mastering the predictable procedures of mathematics, students gain insights into the structure of math, and are able to apply appropriate procedures flexibly to solve problems correctly.

Math Shift #4: DEEP UNDERSTANDING

- Students demonstrate a solid and thorough mastery of math concepts, smoothly operating within multiple concepts prior to moving on.
- Such deep conceptual understanding is critical for student success in later grades, and goes beyond isolated facts and methods, understanding why a concept is important and the context in which it is useful.

Math Shift #5: APPLICATION

- Teachers provide opportunities for students to apply math in real-world situations at all grade levels.
- The process of modeling is key in improving decisions as well as linking classroom math to everyday situations. Modeling helps students choose and use appropriate math to understand situations.

Math Shift #6: DUAL INTENSITY

- Students are intensely engaged in both authentic practice and extended application of math.
- Teachers create opportunities for students to make use of complex skills through extended application of math.

When compared to the former South Dakota State Standards, these six shifts outline some of the biggest differences in the new Common Core English language arts standards.

ELA Shift #1: BALANCE

- Students read a true balance of informational and literary texts.
- This shift isn't about making sure students can read technical manuals; it's about building integrated knowledge across grade levels beginning in a student's early years.

ELA Shift #2: DISCIPLINARY KNOWLEDGE

- Students build knowledge about the world and various content areas through text rather than the teacher.
- This shift aims to build students' background knowledge and vocabulary, so they're able to read and fully comprehend a rich variety of texts.

ELA Shift #3: STAIRCASE OF COMPLEXITY

- Students closely read central, grade-appropriate texts around which instruction is centered.
- This shift ensures that students are constantly challenging themselves to improve reading levels, and provides them with the proper supports to do so.

ELA Shift #4: TEXT-BASED RESPONSE

- Students engage in rich and thoughtful evidence-based conversations about text.
- Students will be able to use and interpret text; students will engage in thoughtful discussion that allows them to construct meaning from a text on their own.

ELA Shift #5: WRITING FROM SOURCES

- Student writing emphasizes use of evidence from sources to inform or make an argument.
- This shift pushes teachers to move away from writing prompts without context, with the goal that students can work with a
 common body of text-based evidence more like what they might encounter in the workforce.

ELA Shift #6: ACADEMIC VOCABULARY

• Students are constantly building the transferable vocabulary needed to process increasingly complex texts.

Habeger named November Quarrier



Jacob Habeger

Nagelhout selected as December Quarrier



Maria Nagelhout

This senior was selected due to his exceptional character, friendly personality, and his success in academics and athletics. The selected Quarrier of the Month for November is Jacob Habeger.

"Ithink Jacob has an all-around good character. He does well in academics, sports, and community services. Jacob is a genuinely nice person to everyone he meets," says science instructor Jeanne Ludens.

Habager is a student most recognize by his leadership. Athletics have played a huge part of Habager's time in high school. He has been involved in football and wrestling all four years of high school, lettering in wrestling his freshman and junior years lettering in football his junior and senior years. Habeger also qualified for the State Meet his junior year by placing

This senior is all smiles on the court and on the school campus. With a bright personality and extraordinary success both academically and athletically, Maria Nagelhout was the perfect selection for December's Quarrier of the Month.

In Nagelhout's high school career, athletics have played a major role. She has participated in volleyball all four years of high school. As a senior, she was selected onto the Dak 12 Honorable Mention All-Conference team, and received an Academic All-State Award as well.She also participated in track her freshman and sophomore years. Her team always appreciated her good heart and friendly personality on and off the court or field. "Maria always has a positive attitude and a smile. I enjoyed having her participate in volleyball this year," said coach Katrina Reimnitz. Fourth at the Region Meet; he wrestled well for his first State appearance and ended up just one match from placing.

Habager not only excels in athletics, but also in academics. He has been on the Honor Roll all four years of high school. Habager also dedicates his time to the school's Study Buddy program where he helps other students so they can excel academically as well. "Jacob is a total team player. He is a leader and looks out for everyone. Individually he is a young man with great character and is very pleasant to be around. I am proud to say I coach Jacob and we're lucky to have him on our team," said wrestling coach Craig Jorgensen. Jacob is the son of Ray-Suzanne Habeger. mond and

Although she does well in athletics, Maria is an even more exceptional student academically where she works hard in order to excel.. She has taken a place on the Honor Roll all four years of high school, and she was inducted into the National Honor's Society her junior year, and will continue to belong through her senior year as well.

She has also been active in the fine arts department where as a freshman and sophomore year she was involved in band, marching band, concert band and pep band. She has been a Peer Helper since her freshman year, helping others if they are ever in need of her support as a student or friend. Nagelhout is a perfect example of someone who represents leadership and carries with her a big heart full of kindness.

Maria is the daughter of Darin and Gail Nagelhout.

District 3 FCCLA Awards

Congratulations to the Dell Rapids FCCLA Chapter at their recent District 3 meeting held on Wednesday, Jan. 29, 2014.

The following received a Gold rating on their Illustrated Talks: Brandi Mitchell, Mathe Bandiaky, and Grace Tisher. TheywillnowadvancetotheStatecompetitionintheirevents.

Receiving а Silver rating were Hunt-Garry, Skonseng, Tim Jaycox, Ka-Gabe er tie Jaycox, Maria Jackson, and Madi Peters. Stephanie Dennis ran for a position as district officer and was installed as Secretary for the following year.

Several other members attended and helped in different way at the meeting. Congratulations and thank you to everyone who competed and participated.

Ag In Action

The first skinny class period of the second semester consists of Fundamental Ag Mechanics. The students enrolled in this class will have the opportunity to apply safety skills with engineering applications with mechanical equipment, structures, land treatment, power utilization and technology; exercise basic skills in blueprint and design development to create sketches, drawing and plans with estimate costs; develop skills required to use construction/fabrication equipment and tools; use a variety of concrete and masonry products; apply math and science principles to identify soil and water engineering and their properties; apply metal applications. These students have analyzed the basics of how hydraulic systems work and the various components. They have now moved onto the plumbing unit which consists of comparing the common plumbing materials, plumbing tools and applied skills. The basic principles of electricity will follow the plumbing unit.

Another section of Wildlife and Fisheries class is being offered during the spring semester and is held during the second skinny class period and it will last the entire semester. Students enrolled in this class will recognize the importance of managing fish and wildlife and understand the importance habitat plays in their populations, identify key factors including economic and social issues related to fish and wildlife and identify life patterns of fish and wildlife. These students have finished up the introduction to wildlife, habitat, hunting and management. The students are now connecting safety and the proper techniques used with archery to enhance archery success. Following the archery unit, the students will compare large and small mammals using various characteristics.

Because of the high number of students wanting to take Introduction to Agriculture, Food and Natural Resources, another section is being offered the second semester. These students will have the opportunity to learn about the role of the FFA organization in Agriculture Education, define and discuss the concepts of natural resources, demonstrate an understanding of animal science systems, demonstrate an understanding of plant structure and function, relate basic food science technol-

Mechanics is being held during 4th block. a wide variety of experiences, career goals The students enrolled in this class will have and higher education plans. The selecthe opportunity to utilize the skills learned tion process takes into account the whole in previous agriculture courses. These stu- student - FFA involvement, work experidents have been in the shop constructing ence, Supervised Agriculture Experience, larger projects both out of wood and metal. community service, leadership skills and

officer training and legislative breakfast in Pierre on January 22 & 23 where he had members can apply for the four \$500 scholthe opportunity to get to know the other of- arships to attend the Washington Leaderficers from our FFA district and complete ship Conference held during the summer some training and planning for events at the district and state level. The legislative breakfast allowed for the district officers paring activities for the National FFA Week to create awareness of the FFA organization with the legislators. The FFA chapter will sponsor a 3-point shot event during the half-times of both varsity basketball games on February 7th to help raise funds for the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation. Cystic Fibrosis is a genetic lung disease that causes the body to produce abnormally thick, sticky mucus, which clogs the lungs, leading to infections, and also obstructs the pancreas, inhibiting proper digestion of food. Progress in Cystic Fibrosis research has accelerated over the past few years and with the help of events like the 3-point shot contest, we can keep the Foundation on the forefront of medical science helping the 30,000 children and young adults who face cvstic fibrosis every day. The FFA chapter will match the amount brought in on February 7th. The Corduroy Classic in Brookings is scheduled to be held Saturday, Feb. 15th first event will be on March 11 at DeSmet.

ogy principles to production agriculture, at Frost Arena when the Jackrabbit womsummarize basic food science technology, en take on Western Illinois at 4 pm. This and summarize basic principles involved event includes a pre-game reception for in agricultural systems technology. They FFA members and half-time festivities. It will also have the opportunity to learn will be a night of great basketball and an about shop tools and shop safety, project opportunity to celebrate the special condesign and construct a small wood project. nection SDSU shares with the FFA. Sev-The unit on the FFA organization has been eral scholarships are available for senior completed and the students have started members such as five scholarship of \$500 preparing for the shop unit. Shop tool each for members who plan to major in agidentification, safety, project planning and riculture at a South Dakota University or design will be completed before the stu- Technical Institute. A \$500 scholarship is dents go into the shop to construct a small available for a member planning to enroll at wood project. Once they have completed South Dakota State University majoring in their wood projects, they will return to Agriculture Education with these applicathe classroom for the next unit on inter- tions due Feb. 15. Through the National national agriculture. They will analyze FFA Organization, members are eligible commodities produced in other countries, for approximately \$2 million in scholarhow they are traded and how that affects ships designed to fit the diversity of the apus as consumers. This unit will be fol- plicants. These scholarships are sponsored lowed by an agricultural careers unit. by businesses and individuals through the The quarter long class of Advanced Ag National FFA Foundation and are given for Austin Machmiller attended the district academics. The application is on-line and needs to be submitted by Feb. 1. Younger with the application deadline of Feb. 15.

> Members are also busy planning and pre-February 15 - 22. The theme of "Ignite" applies to our members as they take advantage of opportunities to ignite the passion for agricultural education and for a deeper understanding of the field and all it has to offer. As they continue down their path of membership, they continue to ignite their desire for more knowledge as they continue to experience leadership development and hands-on learning. The FFA members are starting to prepare for the spring career development events. Those events areas include: Ag Business Management, Ag Communications, Ag Mechanics, Agronomy. Dairy Cattle Evaluation, Floriculture, Food Science and Technology, Horse Evaluation, Livestock Evaluation, Meats Evaluation, Milk Quality and Products, Natural Resources, Nursery/Landscape and Range Plant Identification and Vet Science. The

The ACT Test Dates For 2014

Test Date: April 12, 2014 **Registration Deadlines:** Regular Deadline: March 7, 2014 Late Fee Deadline: March 8-21, 2014

Test Date: June 14, 2014 **Registration Deadlines:** Regular Deadline: May 9, 2014 Late Fee Deadline: May 10-23, 2014

For any other testing or scholarship information, contact Mrs. Jennifer Ruesink, Guidance Counselor, at 428-5473 - Opt. 1 at the Dell Rapids High School.

Please contact Guidance Counselor Jennifer Ruesink to provide her with an updated e-mail address for your high school student. Having this information will allow for quick communication to inform parents of upcoming standardized assessments, scholarship information, financial aid information, and post-high planning guidelines. You can contact Mrs. Ruesink

at Jennifer. Ruesink@k12. sd.us or call the high school office at 428-5473, Opt. 1.

Mayrose brings experience to 7th Grade classes

On Monday, Dec. 16, 2013, PFC Michael Mayrose, US Army Infantry Division, visited the 7th Grade class to discuss his nine month deployment to Afghanistan.

The students had written letters to PFC Mayrose last year in their Language Arts class as Michael was a former student of Mrs. Amanda Thronson's at McCook Central High School. PFC Mayrose presented the Dell Rapids 7th Grade class with a flag that was carried with the soldiers on their patrols and was signed by all members of his platoon.

Thank you for your service, PFC Mayrose, and thank you for taking the time to talk to the 7th Grade Class of Dell Rapids Middle School



(Above - from left): Amanda Thronson, and MS Principal Fran Ruesink were part of the assembly prsented by Mayrose to the student body.



(Left): Seventh Graders Michael and Kenyon Shellum hold the flag that was given as a gift to the 7th Graders at Dell Rapids Middle School as part of a class project done over a year ago. This is where education and the real world come together for stronger teaching moments.

Kindergarten Registration and Screening

Dell Rapids Elementary School will conduct Kindergarten Registration and Screening on **Thursday, March 27** and **Friday, March, 28**. You may go to the Dell Rapids School homepage (http://dr-k12.org/) and look for the Kindergarten Registration link to sign up for a screening time.

Children who are 5 years of age on or before September 1, 2014 are eligible for kindergarten. Dell Rapids Elementary School offers Kindergarten and K-Prep programming.

If you have any questions, please call the Elementary School office at 428-5473 Ext. 6 or direct emails to jody.stone@k12.sd.us



Congratulations to Courtney Wolles, Jordan Stone and Maria Nagelhout for receiving Academic All-State in Volleyball; and Stone and Nagelhout for Dak 12 All-Conference Honorable Mention







Congratulations to the MS December and January Students of the Month:





(Above): December students are: 5th graders Brayden Gee & Colin Rentz; 6th graders Ceara Shellum & Jenna Miles; 7th graders Max Lamer & Katelyn Jaycox; and 8th graders Shaina Visser & Lydia Symens

(Left): January students are 5th graders Maddie Kringen and Sami Schmidt; 6th graders Noah Randall and Thane Hilmoe; 7th graders Ravyn Hoffman and Alec Saxon; and, 8th graders Kiri Scott and Logan Ruesink

Dell Rapids Middle School would like to announce and congratulate the Students of the Month for both December and January. These individuals have demonstrated positive behavior reflective of the Pillars of Character: trustworthiness, responsible, respectful, fair, good citizenship, and are caring individuals. Thanks to Lunchtime Solutions. Video Plus and the Pizza Ranch. Stu-Month dents of the recipients will receive gift certificates for these places.

Daugaard Presidential Award finalist

It is not an understatement to say we have some of the best teachers at Dell Rapids High School and among them is Darwin Daugaard. Daugaard teaches Physical Science, Chemistry, Physics, and Advanced Chemistry to students who should now know they are learning from the best. Daugaard was recently selected as a South Dakota Statelevel Finalist by the selection committee for the 2013 Presidential Awards for Excellence in Mathematics and Science Teaching (PAEMST) Program. He is one of three teachers selected as a representative out of the entire state.

Daugaard will be honored at a banquet at the upcoming Joint State Mathematics and Science Conference at the Huron Event/Convention Center on Friday, Feb. 7, 2014. As a finalist, he will receive a \$100 award, one year free membership to the South Dakota Science Teachers Association, a ticket for the banquet and a commemorative plaque. Daugaard is now automatically a candidate for the state Presidential Award on the national level where his application will be judged against other state teachers. The National Science Foundation will choose one teacher for this award from the state level finalists.

The teacher who is granted with the Presidential Award will be notified by the White House, receive \$10,000, and all-expense paid trip for two to Washington, D.C. This decision will be made in late spring or summer of 2014. All who have had Daugaard as a teacher can say he is someone of great intelligence and teaching ability with many skills to give to the privileged students he teaches. His knowledge is contagious and he is only making DRHS a brighter group of students after having him as a teacher. Congratulations Mr. Daugaard and thank you for all you do for DRHS!



(Left): Darwin Daugaard is a very creative teacher both in and out of the classroom. Here is is doing his annual Rocket Launching project on the football field. Students alwyas look forward to these types of hands-on activities.



DRHS Term 2 Honor Roll

<u>"GOLD"</u> <u>Honor Roll</u>

Emiline Breck Beth Bruggeman Jayme Damm Theodore DeLange Jonathan DeNoon Matthew DeNoon Mikayla DeNoon Alexa DeVos Orion Donaldson Jackson Gleason Kenyon Gleason Micah Gleason Megan Griebel Sarah Haak Janae Hahn Benjamin Hinricher Ty Hoglund Hannah Huss Morgan Jensen Brooke Kaiser Brittany Kludt Taiven Logan Mallery Luke Tia McKillip Brandi Mitchell Michael Mitchell Brett Mogan Lindsey Morris Maria Nagelhout Shane O'Hara Averi Pankonen Joshua Parrot Elyssa Petrik Kelsey Schultz Autumn Schumaker Alexandrea Snyder Chloe Solberg **Rita Stange** Jordan Stone Jessica Tisher Hannah Welbig Ross Wiebenga **Reiley Wilson** Shelby Wrage

<u>"SILVER"</u> <u>Honor Roll</u>

Mikaela Adams Betsv Amundson Joshua Benda Jace Blair Margaret Boever Emily Boyle Shauna Brech Taylor Brown Beau Carpenter Stephanie Dennis Justin Dorn Kendra Drew Hutten Ellison Demi Erickson Jacob Faux Veronica Fritz Rvan Geraets **Benjamin Gillogly** Brooke Gronli Mackenzie Gullickson Benjamin Hammer Kelcie Hauf Nadine Hegge Cecilia Hernandez Trystan Hofeman Dominic Holmes Jacob Huewe Cecilia Kane Sarah Kangley Adam Karst Aubrey Kimball Eric Klein Easton Kluever Trent Knuppe Tad Lacey Karlie Leighton Kutler Leighton James Lueders Michela MacRunnels Megan Miles Bailey Munk Victoria Murphy Karisa Neels Jill Nelsen Jase Nelson

Cody Nielsen Alexander Nordstrom Mason Peter Samuel Prasek Samantha Reider Alec Riswold Justin Riswold Alexandrea Roemen Mikayla Roozing Nelle Salow Andrew Scherff **Rilev Schmidt** Zachary Schrad Jacob Schreier Harrison Schreurs Annika Schuller Kiah Schumacher Zane Schumacher Zane Schumaker Damon Scott Cody Shellum Sheldon Siemonsma Sheridan Skinner Luke Snoozy Tanner Solberg Cheyenne Spielmann Zachary Stelzer Mikaela Stofferahn Jericho Swenson Jonah Swenson Grace Tisher April Tomes Devin Van Ballegooyen Sam VanVoorst Mariah Warne Brittnay Welbig Sam White andrew Wiebenga Melanie Wilke Courtney Wolles Cordell Wright

"BRONZE" Honor Roll

Sutton Adams Zachary Baker Mathew Boever Gage Bortnem Joel Brust Paige Burggraff Mathew Carpenter Alexis Damm Tyler Dishman Dena Erickson Nicholas Ernesti Hannah Fiedler Chrostopher Gullickson Jacob Habeger Hunter Hansen Trevor Hanzlik Tanner Heim MacKenzie Heinemann Keegan Hemenway Ty Hennen Mason Hollaren Elijah Johnson Karlie Jorgenson Jordan Kerns Dawson Kerzman Morgan Kistler Spencer Kost Henry LaCoursiere Jessica Lambert Zachary Lemme Braeden Lightner Ashley Lorenzen Angel Lucero Ismael Lucero Amanda McKee Nathan McKee Kennedy Mergen Justin Meyer Kendrin Millage Makaylah Miller Jennifer Nebben Samantha Nielsen Erica Opland Trevor Pulscher Brock Reinhiller Peter Rieffer Alexis Ruth Zachary Schroeder Alexis Sprecher Dominick Stahl Keagan Stanton Kenaniah Swenson Zach White



Honors Band members perform



Honors Band members were (from left): Erica Opland, Josh Benda, Jayme Damm, and Ben Hinricher.

On Monday, Dec. 2, 2013, four students travelled to Brookings, South Dakota, to participate with the East Central Honors Band hosted by the South Dakota State University Department of Music. Senior Ben Hinricher and sophomores Erica Opland and Josh Benda were two-year participants in the Symphonic Band directed my Dr. Eric Peterson; senior Jayme Damm, was a third year member of the Jazz Band under the direction of Dr. Robert McCurdy.

The East Central Honors Band aims to provide a program for high level musicians who have auditioned for the Sound Dakota All-State Band, and/ or All-State Jazz Band. The directors or professors work with the students to increase their interest in instrumental performance and to give a top-level experience for high school musicians. "It was exciting to be able to work with professors at SDSU", said Hinricher. "It's allearn something new." ways great to The Jazz Band opened the night's 7:00 P.M. program

Winter Formal sparkles and shines



The night was filled with color and movement as many high school students took to the dance floor for Winter Formal 2013.

with "When You're Smiling" written by Tom Kubis. This medium swing chart was a great opener for the band as they transitioned into the next song "Blues Around the Corner" by Rick Cornish. This difficult and upbeat tempo was a fantastic selection for the band and featured many soloists. The students spent a large portion of their day practicing this selection, as it tested their time, rhythm, and improvisation. The next song the Jazz Band played was "Round Midnight", a saxophone feature cowritten by Theolonius Monk and Cootie Williams. In a short given time, the students worked hard to come in on the right cues and develop better sight reading skills. The Jazz Band closed with "The Road Not Taken" written by Darren W. Jenkins. This bubbly piece worked well to please the crowd as the concert moved to the next performance.

The Symphonic Band continued a remarkable concert with "Simple Gifts" written by Frank Ticheli. The band then transitioned into their next piece "Basque Lullaby" arranged by Dan Forrest. The students played extremely well and moved to their next piece "Paper Cut" written by Alex Shapiro. Along with their instruments, the students also played an additional and unusual instrument... paper. The se musicians used rhythm and timing skills to make different sounds out of paper as they accompanied an electronic sound track. The night ended with "Vertigo" written by Chris Bernotas.

"The concert was so entertaining; I am so proud of each and every one of those students for all their hard work leading up to this point," said Alexis Damm, who attened the concert. "It's so cool to know that there are so many talented and committed musicians from our very own school!"

"It was a great learning experience for the students," said Dell Rapids band director Brian Smith. "They had a lot of fun playing with other schools and talking to professors." As first semester comes to an end, band students are now preparing for All-State Band and All-State Jazz Auditions in 2014. Many will also be auditioning for Quad-State Honors Band hosted by the University of South Dakota Department of Music. Good Job to ECHB participants and

best of luck through the rest of the year!

An extremely cold Friday night on December did not dampen the spirits of the Dell Rapids High School students who attended the 2013 Winter Formal. The old elementary school gym was full of girls in brightly colored dresses that were designed with lace, tulle, and sequins, and their escorts with black dress shirts, pants and colored ties to match on Dec. 6, as they danced the night away to the sounds

of Ryan Thompson's DJ skills from 8:00 P.M.-12:00 A.M. This dance started about four years ago and has been a hit when they kids decide to have it. Thanks to Jessica Lambert for taking her time to get it all organized and to help push away the winter blues and to end the 2013 semester with all this glamour.

Dell Rapids Community Haven

A Great Place For YOUth!

Haven Fees 2014-2015 will remain the same as this year!

2014 Summer: Fees are based on Full Day & Half Day Rates. Reduced rates are available for those who qualify for free or reduced school lunch during the previous school year.

	FULL DAY	HALF DAY (6 hours or less)
Standard	\$20	\$12
Reduced Lunch	\$14	\$9
Free Lunch	\$8	\$5
Drop-In	\$25	\$15

There is a \$15 Registration fee per child for the Summer Program (\$20 after April 30). **Registration Forms will be available at the beginning of April.**

2014-15 School Year:

	BEFORE	AFTER
	<u>SCHOOL</u>	<u>SCHOOL</u>
Standard	\$3.50	\$4
Reduced Lunch	\$2.50	\$3
Free Lunch	\$1.50	\$2
Drop-In	\$5	\$5

Haven will be open on public non-school days (M-F excluding major holidays). The same Full Day & Half Day rates will apply.

HAVEN'S INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICIES

Please be aware of our policies in regards to the cold and snow:

***If the Dell Rapids School District announces NO SCHOOL for the day, there will **NOT** be Haven programming.

***If the Dell Rapids School District announces a LATE START, the Haven **Before School Program WILL begin accordingly** and run until the announced school start time. Breakfast will not be served on late start days. (If school starts 2 hours late (at 10:30 am), Haven will open at 8:45 am)

***If the Dell Rapids School District announces EARLY DISMISSAL, due to inclement weather, the After School Program WILL BE OPEN for 2 hours after the announced dismissal time.

Tune into the local radio and television stations for school announcements.

Haven will accept drop-ins if space is available. <u>Pre-registration and notification is required</u>. Call ahead and pre-register so you are prepared for those unexpected winter events.

DROP-IN FEES:

\$5.00/session before or after school
PUBLIC NON-SCHOOL DAYS:
\$25/full day
\$15/half day (6 hours or less)

Contact us at 366-8612

Haven <u>WILL BE OPEN 6:45 am-6:00 pm</u> on January 20; February 13, 14, 17; March 17; & April 21

Dell Rapids School District

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One Act performs"The Lottery"

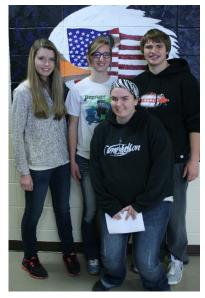
This year, the play department has chosen "The Lottery" as its performance piece at the Jan. 30, 2014, Region competition at Brandon High School. This year's category is dramatic and this play more than fills the description. This play is an adaptation of Shirley Jackson's short story.

"This year's one act cast brings a variety of experience to the DRHS stage. We have some new actors and some with lots of experience. I like the way these students have met the challange of this play. there are not a lot of lines or props or stage pieces which means they have to nonverbally communicate a lot of what is going on. I'm pleased with how these actors have been accomplishing this task," said director Sharon Mitchell.

This dramatization captures the story that has become an internationally known classic. Like the story, the play starts as people are assembling for the lottery. What family will it be this time? Which member? Only gradually does the audience begin to truely suspect the very nature of the lottery as the play builds to its final crucial and climatic moments.

It's been [going] well, [and] I think we will do fine in regions and hopefully make it to state," said Sophomore Ted Delange.

Quad-State Honor Band members selected



Honor Band Members (from left): Erica Opland, Melanie Wilke, Jayme Damm, and Josh Benda

"The Lottery" carries a theme that challenges traditions and doing things just because that's the way they've always been done. It is a thriller down to the last minute.

"Once you're a theatre kid that's the only life you're ever going to know again," said Senior Taiven Logan. "It'll be hard to leave everyone but I know they'll still be great!"

Best of luck to all the One-Act performers in your upcoming Region performance on Jan. 30.



(Above): The 2014 cast and crew of the One Act Play "The Lottery" gather at the end of their dress rehersal the day before Region Meet in Brandon. This cast has members that range from one 8th Grader to well-seasoned seniors in the art of production and performance. (Not pictured is Jordan Stone)

When it comes to talent the Dell music department always Rapids plenty of students who has exbevond the class curriculum. cel This year, Erica Opland, Melanie Wilke, and Jayme Damm who were selected to perform in the Reeve's Honor Concert Band, and Josh Benda for being selected to perform in the Holsinger Symphonic Honor Band.

This year's guest conductor was Dr. Gary Reeves from the University of South Dakota in Vermillion, and guest composer was Dr. David Holisinger, on Jan. 27, 2014.

Dr. Holisinger's "South Dakota Rhapsody" was composed when he was a South Dakota conductor for the 2001 SD All-State Band, and he is one of the top composers of band literature in the world today. Anyone can learn more about Dr. Holsinger at www.davidrholsinger.com.

Congratulations to you all for the hard work and dedication to a program that represents DRHS highly.

<u>Congratulations Play</u> <u>Cast at Regions!</u>

The One Act Play cast put on their production of Shirley Jackson's "The Lottery" for the judges at the Region competition.

Though they gave a steller performance they were only awarded enough points to place Third, and, in Regions, only the top two teams advance on to state.

Also, congratulations to Taiven Logan, Alec Riswold, and Michael Mitchell for receiving 'Outstanding Actor' awards, and Jessica Tisher for her Honorable Mention.

Thank you seniors for your years of dedication to the theater department and to the underclassmen, see you again next year for another fine performance.

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	10 Cinnamon Tastry Fruit Milk Choices	11 Homestyle Sausage Gravy over a Fresh Baked Biscuit Fruit Milk Choices	12 Fresh Baked Fruit Muffin Square Fruit Milk Choices	13 Breakfast Pizza Fruit Milk Choices	14 NO SCHOOL
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Dell Rapids Middle/High School

- Available every day, breakfast includes: Breakfast entrée listed on menu or Choice of cereals with toast or Mon. Biscuit with Sausage Gravy Tues. Breakfast Pizza Wed. Breakfast Sandwich
 - Thurs. Biscuit with Sausage Gravy



Fruit or Juice Available Every Day



February Selection: Strawberries

Strawberries are rich in Vitamin C! Check out other fun facts on the poster in the dining area or at: http://server.lunchtimesolutions.com:81/farmersmarket.pdf

Breakfast Meal Prices & Extras

S/HS Student Breakfast	\$1.30
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Breakfast is served every day from 7:50 to 8:25 am Menus are subject to change without notice.

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Questions, Comments - Contact Deb Emmert, Food Service Director at (605) 521-8277 or deborah@lunchtimesolutions.com

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Dell Rapids Elementary School Lunch Menu - February 2014					
Fruit & Veggie Bar & Milk Choices	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
Unlimited fruits and vege- tables and choice of milk are included with the lunch meal everyday. Each stu- dent is required to have 1/2 cup of fruits or vegeta- bles on their tray.	A. Cheeseburger B. Scalloped Potatoes with Ham Whole Grain Roll C. Sub Sandwich Green Beans ✓	4 A. Taco in a Bag B. Hot Dog C. Fajita Salad Golden Com ✔ Cinnamon Breadstick	A. Grilled Chicken Sandwich B. Hot Pepperoni Sub C. Oriental Salad Breadsticks Baked Beans ✓	6 A. Country Fried Steak B. Baked Chicken Nuggets C. Sub Sandwich Mashed Potatoes & Gravy Fresh Baked Chocolate Chip Cookie	A. Pizza B. Hot Ham & Cheese Sandwich C. Turkey & Cheese Sandwich Peas ✓
FARMERS MARKET SELECTIONS	A. Fajita B. Pork Fritter Sandwich C. Sub Sandwich Black Beans	A. Homestyle Beef Stroganoff B. Com Dog C. Crispy Chicken Salad Breadstick Golden Corn & Fresh Baked Ranger Cookie	 Turkey & Gravy (over Mashed Potatoes) Whole Grain Roll Baked Chicken Nuggets Whole Grain Roll Baked Chicken Nuggets Whole Grain Roll Sub Sandwich Mashed Potatoes & Gravy 	13 A. Spaghetti with Meat Sauce ☺ B. Baked Crispy Chicken Sandwich C. Chef Salad Breadsticks Green Beans ✔	NO SCHOOL
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Nutritional Building Blocks - Vitamin C		Refried Beans 🗸 Cinnamon Breadstick	Green Beans 🗸	Peas 🗸 Fresh Baked Sugar Cookie	Steamed Carrots
Vitamin C is an <i>antioxidant</i> vitamin. Antioxidants help protect the cells in your body from damage caused by free radical molecules. This damage can cause many health problems and can speed aging. Vitamin C also boosts your body's immune system and can help fight heart disease, cancer, strokes and eye disease. Strawberries, Red Peppers & Oranges are just a	A. Homestyle Cavatini Breadstick B. Baked Crispy Chicken Sandwich C. Sub Sandwich Peas	A. White Chicken Chili B. Minit Com Dogs C. Chef Salad Breadsticks Golden Com ✓ Frosted Cinnamon Roll	A. Soft Shell Tacos B. Hot Ham & Cheese Sandwich C. Sub Sandwich Baked Tator Tots	27 A. Golden Macaroni & Cheese S B. Pork Fritter Sandwich C. Crispy Chicken Salad Breadsticks Green Beans S Gelatin Dessert	A. Sloppy Joe 😌 B. Pizza 🖋 C. Turkey & Cheese Sandwich BBQ Beans 🗸
few of the foods rich in Vitamin C. Lunch Meal Prices & Extras ES Lunch \$2.40 Extra Milk \$0.45 Adult Lunch \$3.00	New to the Menul White Chicken Chili A delicidus new type of chili/Enjoy diced chicken, white beans, and chili seasoning in a creamy white soup base. Perfect for a cold day!			Applications for Free and Reduced Price meals are available in the school office.	Menu Notes: All breads comply with USDA whole- grain rich standards. Homestyle/Scratch Vegetarian Vegetarian Non-Grain Fiber
Lunchtime Solutions, Inc.	Questions or Comments	: Contact Deb Emmert, Food	Service Director at (605) 521-	8277 or deborah@lunchtimes	olutions.com
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Other Entrée Choices Available Daily:

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Lunch Meal Prices & Extras

cxtra Entrée \$1.55 Extra Specialty \$1.85 Pizza MS Lunch \$2.50 \$3.00 Adult Lunch Extra Milk \$0.45 Additional a la carte items are available for purchase.

Nutritional Building Blocks - Vitamin C



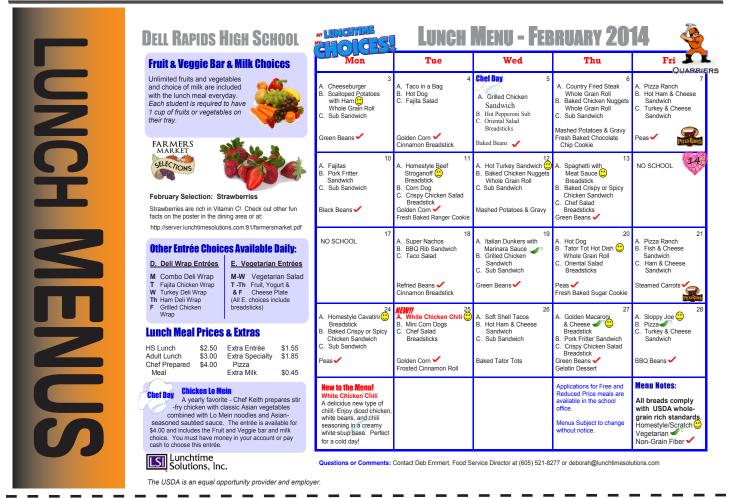
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Our fundraisers are winding down for the year, with only a few left to go before the Music Trip. Be watching for information on the Schwann's sale coming up during the month of February! If you normally order from Schwann's, this is a great way to help out the Music Boosters without it costing you any more than you'd normally spend! Your order needs to be ordered online with a student code and the Schwann's man will deliver to your door! How easy is that? If you don't know a music student, please give Edie a call at the number listed below.

In March, we'll be having another Jazz, Pop, and Popcorn night on March 25th. Join us for some great jazz music by the high school jazz band and for \$5 you'll get all you can eat pop and popcorn! This is a fun, casual concert we think you'll enjoy so mark your calendars!

Congratulations to Josh Benda, Jayme Damm, Melanie Wilke, and Erica Opland, who attended the Quad State Band in Vermillion on January 26th and 27th.

Best Wishes to Jayme Damm, Josh Benda, and Er-Opland their All State Band Auditions. icka on Music Scholarships are available to band and choir students each school year. Each deadline has three \$100 high school scholarships and three \$50 middle school scholarships available. These scholarships can be used for private lessons, music camps, etc. Scholarship applications are available from the directors. Deadlines are September 1, February 15, and May 1.

We have converted to using an email newsletter format to keep everyone informed, rather than sending info through the US Mail. Please be sure to add dellsmusicboosters@gmail.com to your address book so you receive our emails. If you have not received any emails from us, and you have a child in choir or band, please send an email to the above address. Please list the name and graduation year of your student(s), along with your email address. The graduation year is needed so that you can be included on the correct list, as sometimes we will only need to email certain grades.

Dell Rapids Music Boosters is on Facebook! Be sure to "like" us for information to show up in your newsfeed!

Any questions or comments, please contact: Edie Hinricher (Music Boosters President) - 366-8319 Or you can email your child's teacher: Brian Smith (7/8th Band and High School Band) Ginny Ziebarth (5/6th, 7/8th, and High School Chorus) **Dell Rapids School District**

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February 2014 🧖						
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Feb. 2	Feb. 3 8:00 AM HS BAND- Region 2 Solo & Ensemble @ Augustana 8:30 AM Sophomore class meeting w/ Jostens representative 4:00 PM HS Parent/ Teacher Conferences (4-8pm) 4:30 PM 7/8 Wrestling @ Brandon 5:30 PM 7/8 Wrestling @ Pipestone 5:30 PM C & JV GBB @ Pipestone	Feb. 4 4:00 PM BBB/ GBB @ Canton (D/H) Direc- tions 4:30 PM 7/8 BBB vs. SFC (home, Dak 12 tourney)	Feb. 5	Feb. 6 9:00 AM State One Act Play Festival (Brandon) 4:00 PM HS Quiz Bowl @ Canton 5:30 PM WR DR/ MCM/Adrian @ Home 5:30 PM WR Sideline Cheer @ Home 11:30 PM Sophomores order rings with Josten representative over lunch	Feb. 7 9:00 AM State One Act Play Festival (Brandon) 11:30 AM Sophomores order rings with Josten representative over lunch 4:00 PM BBB/GBB vs TV Home (D/H) 4:00 PM Sideline Cheer BBB/GBB vs TV Home	Feb. 8 9:00 AM State One Act Play Festival (Brandon) 10:30 AM Dells Wres- tling Booster Pee-Wee 11:00 AM BBB- Dak 12 Classic @ Tea Area Directions 11:00 AM BBB Sideline Cheer Dak 12 Classic @ Tea Area 4:00 PM 7/8 BBB vs. Pipestone (home)
Feb. 9	Feb. 10 4:00 PM ES & MS Parent/ Teacher Conferences (4-8pm) 4:00 PM HS Quiz Bowl @ GSFH3A 4:30 PM 7/8 Wrestling @ Tri-Valley 5:00 PM C-GBB vs SF Lincoln Home 6:15 PM JV GBB vs CWL Home, 7:30 Varsity GBB vs CWL Home 7:00 PM FFA Chapter Mtg in Ag Classroom 7:00 PM BOE Meeting	Feb. 11 4:00 PM ES & MS Parent/Teacher Con- ferences (4-8pm) 4:00 PM BBB/GBB @ Mt. Vernon- Plankinton (D/H)	Feb. 12	Feb. 13 8:00 AM No School 4:30 PM 7/8 BBB vs. McCook Central (home) 5:00 PM GBB vs Mc- Cook Central/Montrose (Home) 5:00 PM WR SR/SFR/ SFL/Mib Quad at SFL 5:00 PM Sideline Cheer GBB vs McCook Cen- tral/Montrose Home	Feb. 14 8:00 AM No School (Presidents' Day Break) 4:00 PM BBB/GBB @ Dakota Valley (D/H) Directions	Feb. 15 8:00 AM National FFA week (2/15-2/22) 9:00 AM JV GBB @ Irene 10:00 AM WR Dak 12 Trny @ DV Directions 10:00 AM 7/8 Wrestling @ Brookings 3:00 PM BBB DWU Classic @ Mitchell(Corn Palace) (TBA) Directions
Feb. 16	FGb. 17 8:00 AM No School (Presidents' Day Break	Feb. 18 4:00 PM BBB/GBB vs Sisseton Home (D/H) (Webcast on Big Sioux Media) 4:00 PM BBB/GBB Sideline Cheer vs Sisseton Home 4:30 PM 7/8 BBB @ Canton	Feb. 19	Feb. 20 4:30 PM 7/8 BBB vs. Harrisburg (home) 4:45 PM GBB @ Madison Directions 4:45 PM Sideline Cheer GBB @ Madison	Feb. 21 5:00 PM BBB vs. Lennox @ home(Senior Night)	Feb. 22 9:00 AM 7/8 BBB Dak 12 Tourney @ West Central 10:00 AM WR Region Trny-Wa- tertown
Feb. 23	Feb. 24 4:00 PM HS Quiz Bowl-Dells Invite 7:00 PM BOE Meeting	Feb. 25 7:00 PM GBB Region Semi Fi- nal (High Seed	Feb. 26	Feb. 27 2:00 PM Flag Etiquette program for DRSD & DRSM 4th & 5th graders @ DRMS Commons 6:30 PM GBB Region Quarter Final @ Tea Area (TBA) Directions	Feb. 28 10:00 AM State WR Trny @ Rapid City (TBA)	March 1 10:00 AM State WR Trny @ Rapid City (TBA) 7:00 PM GBB Dis- triet 7B Champion- ship

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The Dell Rapids Community Haven Before and After School Program VALENTINE BASKET RAFFLE

DINNER GIFT CERTIFICATE from Old Dutch Inn MASSAGE from A Touch for Wellness BOUQUET from Blooms on Main PHOTOGRAPHY SESSION from Amy Lynn Photography ACE GIFT CARD from Dell Rapids Ace COUNTY FAIR GIFT CARD from County Fair MOVIE TICKETS & SNACKS from Dells Theatre ROMANTIC MOVIE from Video Plus A SPECIAL GIFT from Pretty Please/Thanks A Latte **HEAVENLY CUPCAKES, SCENTSY, & THIRTY-ONE** from Lacey Tebay **PIZZA PACKAGE & CANDY from Cubby's CHOCOLATES** CANDLE **COACH WALLET 7PC BATH & BODY SET**

TICKGTS \$1 GACH OR \$5 FOR SIX Prize Package valued at more than \$500!!! Drawing Feb 10th 4:30 pm Purchase tickets from Haven students, staff or Board Members Or by calling 366-8612 Winner notified by phone

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