

Lewiston Consolidated School District Newsletter

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One Act Honors and Thank You's

A sincere thank you to Mrs. Sisco, Mrs. Barr, and Mr. Barnard for their help in designing and supporting the One-Act play, and for all of the work Mrs. Barr and the LCS put into the Dinner Theater. Jeanine Anderson and Johanna Keyes need a hearty thank you for driving the prop van to competitions for us. My deepest gratitude goes to Johanna Keyes for assistance in finding stage props. Also, Tia Pyle helped out with her amazing make-up skills.

Congratulations to the Lewiston One-Act for their performances at York and Pioneer Conference. At York we had 5 "Outstanding Actor awards": Lexi Jasa, Holden Christen, Karen Keyes, Reesa Wilcox, and Teagan Gydesen.

At Pioneer Conference we had 4 "Superior Acting Awards": Lexi Jasa, Logan Anderson, Reesa Wilcox, Teagan Gydesen.

Our last 2 performances were Nov. 22nd with a dual with Sterling at Lewiston at 7 pm and Nov. 30th we headed to Meridian for District One-Act Play competition, we performed at 3 pm.

Thanks to all of the family, friends, teachers and spouses, and alumni who attended the Dinner theater this year. We deeply appreciate your support and look forward to entertaining you again.

Important Dates to Remember

Tuesday, December 6

LCS Soup Supper: 4:30-7:30 PM

Thursday, December 8

Jr./Sr. High Christmas Music Program @ 7 PM

Friday, December 9

PK-6 Christmas Music Program @ 7 PM

PTO Basket Raffle drawing after program

Wednesday, December 21

12:30 Dismissal -- No PreK

Thursday, December 22 to Tuesday, January 3

NO SCHOOL



DECEMBER LUNCH MONEY AMOUNTS

Full Breakfast	PK-6 Lunch	7-12 Lunch	Reduced Breakfast	Reduced Lunch	Snack Milk
\$24.00	\$35.25	\$42.75	\$4.50	\$6.00	\$5.60

Lewiston Consolidated School

Vision: "Every Lewiston Student Educated for Success!"

Mission: "Empowering students to become confident and creative builders of their future."

2016-17

1st Quarter

LEWISTON CONSOLIDATED HIGH SCHOOL

SUPERIOR HONOR ROLL- students that have a 96% or better average with no grade lower than a 93% (A) in any one class

SENIORS – Anastasia Barker, Cari Howell, Lexi Jasa, Karlea Nouzovsky, Shelby Piening

JUNIORS – Holden Christen

SOPHOMORES - Logan Anderson, Payton Bledsaw, Reesa Wilcox

FRESHMEN – Dana Christen

EIGHTH GRADE – Masyn Arena, Jonathan Janssen, Ty Young

SEVENTH GRADE – Kienen Creek

HONOR ROLL – Students that maintain a 93% or better average with no grade lower than 85% (B) in any one class

SENIORS – Emilio Gonzalez, Kristin Meybrunn, Cheyenne Smith, Bree Speckmann

JUNIORS – Miah Fulton, Danyelle Neumann, Megan Wehrbein

SOPHOMORES – Alena Bermoser, Treyton Hippen, Alexis Richards

FRESHMEN – Antony Gonzalez

EIGHTH GRADE – Taylor Anderson, Jaszmyne Charles, Hayden Christen

SEVENTH GRADE – Johnathan Burgett, Gianna Martin, Robert Wolf

HONORABLE MENTION – Students that maintain an average between 86% and 92% with no grade lower than 77% (C) in any one class

SENIORS – Cassandra Kagy, Karen Keyes, Dillon Richards, Devan Rule, Erial Whitton

JUNIORS – Jace Hunt

SOPHOMORES – Morgan Aquilano, Colten Baker

FRESHMEN – Caleb Bredemeier, Stefon Brown, Levi Meybrunn, Eion Speakman

EIGHTH GRADE – Savannah Anderson, Kelsay Bledsaw, Wyatt Currie

SEVENTH GRADE – Rebecca deKoning

LEWISTON CONSOLIDATED ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

1st Quarter 2016-17

HIGH HONOR ROLL – all A Honor Roll

Jaxon Janssen, Jayden Nickels

HONOR ROLL – A & B Honor Roll

Ty Arena, Lynn Blanchard, Conner McClellan, Carleigh Weyers, Persefenie Woutzke, Leah Christen, Tristen Ray, Jenna Anderson, Elijah Bredemeier, Haylee Howe, Taven Borchert, Layla Fetherkile, Nathan Harr, Aubrie Hill, Madeline Janssen, Bo Parde, Rylee Smith, Cooper Swendener

OCTOBER READING GOAL WINNERS

"Today a Reader
Tomorrow a Leader"

Each month students participate in the Tiger Reading Club. Their goal is to read 300 or more minutes throughout the month outside of school time. October was our first month and 28 students met the goal and received a Book-It. Top readers were Darrien Howe in the K-2nd grade group with 640 minutes and Caleb Rule in the 3rd-6th grade group with 3,977 minutes! GO 2nd graders for winning the overall participation prize! Keep on Reading!

3rd-6th Grade



K-2 Grade



Food Drive for Wymore Food Pantry

By Debbie Goossen

The 5th and 6th grade HAL group held a food drive for the Wymore Food Pantry during November. They collected 224 donated food items that were delivered to Wymore Nov. 22. Ruby Hardin, coordinator, explained the food pantry to the group. Over 200 individuals are served by the food pantry. The HAL students wish to thank everyone for their generous donations.

Delivering food items to the Wymore Food Pantry are Ean Rule, Persefenie Woutzke, Ruby Hardin, coordinator, Carleigh Weyers, Leah Christen, Tristen Ray, and Jaxon Janssen.



Nebraska Children's Author To Visit in January

By Debbie Goossen

N.L. Sharp, a children's author from Fremont, will be speaking to the students about writing January 23. The PTO is helping to sponsor this event. More details will follow next month.

CONGRATULATIONS TO LEWISTON PIONEER ALL-CONFERENCE VOLLEYBALL AND FOOTBALL PLAYERS!

2016 Pioneer All-Conference Football

Devan Rule: First Team Defense - Linebacker/DB

Emilio Gonzalez: Honorable Mention Offense - Skills Position



2016 Pioneer All-Conference Volleyball

Megan Wehrbein: Second Team

Lexi Jasa: Honorable Mention



Parents of PK-6 Students

The weather is changing. The children go outside to play at recess unless it is extremely cold. Please encourage your child to dress appropriately to stay warm...a coat that closes in the front, hat, and gloves. Once the snow is on the ground, if your child wants to play in the snow, they MUST have snow pants AND snow boots to wear at recess or they will have to stay on the pavement. Please write your child's name on all their "cold weather gear".

WANTED: EMPTY INK JET CARTRIDGES

Please give your used ink jet cartridges to any Lewiston student and have them deliver them to the library. Lewiston HAL receives cash to donate towards Earth Day projects.

Each student who donates an ink cartridge will receive a prize from Mrs. Goossen's prize box.



Wanted:

Box Tops for Education

Please give your Box Tops for Education to any Lewiston student and have them deliver them to the pink box in the office to be counted and submitted. Lewiston Consolidated School gets 10 cents for each Box Top we submit.

Thanks for all your help and support!

School Closings and Delays



It's that time of year again to prepare for bad weather. In the event adverse weather conditions affect the school's regular schedule you will receive a text from the district's Electronic Alert System. This system will send a text to each of the phone numbers you have registered with the school for contact purposes. You can also listen to KWBE, KUTT/ KGMT radio or watch channels 8 and 10-11 on your television.

It is important to remember two items when late starts occur. First, buses will run according to the announced late start. If a "2 hour late start" is announced, plan on the buses running two hours later than normal. Secondly, always error on the side of caution when determining rather to allow your child to drive to and from school when road conditions are questionable. Safety is priority one.



Counselor's Currents

Michele Houston

SENIORS

Have you visited your top colleges? If you haven't done so already, visit your top college choices soon!

- **Contact the admissions** office at least two weeks in advance to schedule your visit. Make appointments with an admissions rep, financial aid counselor, and a faculty member in the area of study that interests you.
- **Check out the college website** before you visit. You can learn about the school's admissions process, types of majors, student services, etc.
- **Visit while school is in session** to get a true snapshot of the school.
- **Get a feel for the campus.** Take your time to explore the campus and sites nearby.
- **Ask LOTS of questions!** (See the EducationQuest College Prep Handbook or website for good questions to ask)

~SCHOLARSHIPS~

- ~ Organize scholarships in deadline order, and set aside time each week to work on scholarship essays and applications.
- ~ If requested on the application, list activities, awards, honors classes, and volunteer or paid jobs.
- ~ If an application requires a letter of recommendation, give the person writing the letter sufficient notice, a specific deadline, and a copy of your Activities Resume.
- ~ After writing an essay, ask an adult (preferably an English teacher) to review the document for spelling, grammar, and sentence structure.
- ~ Follow all directions, and make sure the application is complete and submitted by the deadline or it will be disqualified.
- ~ Never pay for scholarship services!



2016-2017 ACT TEST DATES

Test Date	Registration Deadline*	Late Registration Period* (Late Fee Required)	Photo Upload Deadline
Feb. 11	Jan. 13	Jan. 14-20	Feb. 3
April 8	Mar. 3	Mar. 4-17	Mar. 31
June 10	May 5	May 6-19	June 2

Where to find scholarships

- ~ ScholarshipQuest at EducationQuest.org – contains over 2,000 local and state scholarships.
- ~ Potential colleges – contact colleges of interest for a list of scholarships they offer along with information about criteria, deadlines, and application procedures.
- ~ National scholarship search sites – visit **free** sites such as: • Unigo.com • CollegeBoard.org • Petersons.com • FindTuition.com • Cappex.com
- ~ **Check your E-mail daily for scholarships shared from Mrs. Houston**

Congratulations Students on earning the Respect Award for Character Counts!



3rd grade: Joshua Lampe, Anderson Eubanks, Alston Binnick, Rylee Smith, Layla Fetherkile, Christian Guenther, Jayden Nickels, and Brooklyn Dunn

4th grade: Kale Ames, Jenna Anderson, Elijah Bredemeier, DeLanye Currie, Haylee Howe, Ashton Sanders, Kalyn Wiemers

5th grade: Brady Bledsaw, Leah Christen, Ariana Fetherkile, Jaxon Janssen, Aaliyah King, Henry Pyle, Alex Rush, Brandyn VanLaningham

6th grade: Conner McClellan, Evin Zyla



Kindergarten: Adelai Meyer, Issabel Meyers, Ethan Peck, Mia Shinn

1st grade: Jordan Turner, Colter Steinacher, Kessa Phillips, Savannah Cutshall

2nd grade: Tana Antons, Zackery Ayala, Dru Breeden, Ethan Cerveney, Tyson Cerveney, Edynne Chace, Evan Christen, Justice Currie, Carly Furrow, Brady Nelson, Brenan Nickels, Adelyn Sisco, Libby Smith, Cashton Steinacher, Darrien Howe, Erika Buckingham





2016 PTO News

Dec. 5th - PTO Meeting in school
Library @ 7pm

Dec. 9th – Elementary Christmas
Concert/ PTO Basket
Raffle Drawing

Dec 21st- 12:30 Dismissal/ End
Of 2nd Quarter

Dec 22nd-Jan 3rd - Winter
Vacation

Please come and get involved!

- COMING SOON!! Lewiston door signs! Decorate your own, or buy one already decorated. More information to come.
- We submitted \$150 worth of box tops! Awesome! Keep up the good work!
- Basket Raffle is this month. Get your tickets from any elementary student! Drawing will be at the Elementary Christmas concert. You don't have to be present to win.
- School Spirit! We would love to see you all come and show your support for the Boys and Girls basketball teams this season! Don't forget to wear your Lewiston Tigers shirts!




Contact PTO on Facebook

Lewiston Tigers PTO

Or Email:

lcstigerpto@gmail.com

-  Our Annual Runza Night will be January 16th 2017. Mark your calendar because a portion of the sales from 5-8pm will go to the school.

- PowerSchool now has a mobile app.
 - 1) You can download the app from the App store (iPhone) or Play store (android) Accept the permissions.
 - 2) The District code is ZGCT
 - 3) Enter your login and password (if you do not have this, it can be obtained from the school office)
 - 4) Navigate the app using the buttons at the top right



Happy
Holidays!

- PTO Meeting December
5th in School Library.

Lewiston Tiger PTO

Donation Request 2016/2017

This is in lieu of sending students home with the task of selling door to door, collecting money, and delivering goods. Please help us by supporting our PTO with your donation. These donations will help us achieve our goals to support our students and faculty throughout the year.

Please tear this portion off and fill out. Please return to the Lewiston School Office 306 Tiger Ave, Lewiston NE 68380.

Name _____

Address _____

Donation Amount \$ _____

Thank you for always being an important part of our youth's success!



Lewiston Basketball

2016-2017



JV / Varsity - Boys/Girls

Day	Date	Opponent	Location	Teams	Time
Thursday	Dec 1	Friend	Friend	JV / Var	5:00 PM
Saturday	Dec 3	Wetmore, KS	Wetmore	JV / Var	3:00 PM
Tuesday	Dec 6	HTRS	Lewiston	JV / Var	5:00 PM
Saturday	Dec 10	College View Academy*	Lewiston	JV / Var	6:30 PM
Tuesday	Dec 13	FCSH	Falls City	JV / Var	4:45 PM
Friday	Dec 16	Diller-Odell	Diller-Odell	JV / Var	4:45 PM
Thursday	Dec 29	Weeping Water Holiday Tournament	Weeping Water	Var only	1,3,5,7 PM
Friday	Dec 30	Weeping Water Holiday Tournament	Weeping Water	Var only	1,3,5,7 PM
Friday	Jan 6	Cedar Bluffs	Lewiston	JV / Var	4:30 PM
Saturday	Jan 7	Omaha Christian Academy	Lewiston	JV / Var	3:00 PM
Mon-Sat	Jan 9-14	MUDECAS Tournament	Beatrice	Var only	TBD
Tuesday	Jan 17	Johnson-Brock	Johnson	JV / Var	4:30 PM
Friday	Jan 20	Lourdes Central Catholic	Lewiston	JV / Var	4:30 PM
Tuesday	Jan 24	Pawnee City	Lewiston	JV / Var	4:30 PM
Friday	Jan 27	Sterling	Sterling	JV / Var	TBD
Saturday	Jan 28	Tri-County	Dewitt	GIRLS JV / Var	TBD
Mon-Sat	Jan 30-Feb 4	Pioneer Conference Tournament	TBD	Var only	TBD
Tuesday	Feb 7	Southern	Southern	JV / Var	TBD
Friday	Feb 10	Parkview Christian	Parkview	JV / Var	4:30 PM
Saturday	Feb 11	Lewiston Tournament	Lewiston	JV only	8:00 AM
M-T-TH	Feb 13, 14, 16	Girl's Sub-Districts	TBD	Var only	TBD
Friday	Feb 17	Cornerstone Christian**	Lewiston	BOYS Var Only	7:30 PM
Saturday	Feb 18	Tri-County	Dewitt	BOYS JV/Var	TBD
M-T-TH	Feb 20, 21, 23	Boy's Sub-Districts	TBD	Var only	TBD
* No JV games vs College View Academy					
NO JV GIRLS GAMES					
** Boys Varsity only vs Cornerstone					



JH - Boys

JH - Girls

Day	Date	Opponent	Location	Teams	Time
Tuesday	Nov 15	Diller-Odell	Lewiston	BOYS	12:30 PM
Monday	Nov 21	Freeman	Adams	BOYS	1:00 PM
Monday	Nov 28	Freeman Tournament	Adams	BOYS	4:00 PM
Tuesday	Nov 29	FCSH	Lewiston	BOYS	4:00 PM
Saturday	Dec 3	D-O, FCSH, Lourdes	Falls City	BOYS	9:00 AM
Monday	Dec 5	Lourdes	Nebraska City	BOYS	4:00 PM
Wednesday	Dec 7	Pawnee City	Lewiston	BOYS	1:30 PM
Monday	Dec 12	Sterling, D-O, Meridian	Lewiston	BOYS	4:30, 5:30, 6:45
Day	Date	Opponent	Location	Teams	Time
Thursday	Jan 19	Freeman Tournament	Adams	GIRLS	4:00 PM
Tuesday	Jan 24	Pawnee City	Lewiston	GIRLS	2:00 PM
Thursday	Jan 26	FCSH	Lewiston	GIRLS	4:00 PM
Wednesday	Feb 1	Diller-Odell	Diller-Odell	GIRLS	12:30 PM
Monday	Feb 6	Sterling, D-O, Meridian	Lewiston	GIRLS	4:30, 5:30, 6:45
Monday	Feb 13	Sterling	Sterling	GIRLS	1:00 PM
Saturday	Feb 18	D-O, Lourdes, FCSH	Lewiston	GIRLS	9:00 AM
Wednesday	Feb 22	Freeman	Adams	GIRLS	1:00 PM



LEWISTON FFA ATTENDS 89TH FFA CONVENTION

Five members of the Lewiston FFA Chapter participated in the 89th National FFA Convention in Indianapolis, IN October 18-22, 2016. The convention was held at the Indiana State Fairgrounds, Lucas Oil Stadium and Bankers Life Fieldhouse.

Attending from the local chapter was Dana Christen, Levi Meybrunn, Cari Howell, Kristin Meybrunn and Megan Wehrbein. The highlight for Lewiston FFA was competing in the national Milk Quality & Dairy Products Contest on Wednesday and Thursday. The agriculture education students identified milk samples for fat content and milk defects. The next part of the contest was cheese identification and characteristics. The third part was to determine bacteria counts using CMT testing. Students took production and marketing exams. The group activity centered on conducting somatic cell laboratory tests.

The Lewiston team earned a bronze national plaque in ceremonies at the Indianapolis Marriott Hotel. Cari, Megan, Dana and Kristin received bronze medals. FFA Advisor Dave Barnard sponsored the group. This was the first time the Lewiston FFA Chapter competed in a contest at the National FFA Convention.

The group enjoyed seeing several sites and activities while in Indy. On Friday the students toured Indianapolis Motor Speedway & Museum, home of the Indy 500. They took a lap around the track and stopped to kiss the track bricks. They attended a Cole Swindell and Chris Young country music concert at Lucas Oil Stadium, home of the Indianapolis Colts NFL team. The group attended the convention opening sessions and national career exposition. Other stops were the Indiana War Memorial Museum and Dallara Motor Sports Factory.



The Lewiston FFA National Convention delegates toured the Indianapolis Motor Speedway during the 89th National convention. Getting ready to "Kiss the Bricks" were Kristin Meybrunn, Levi Meybrunn, Cari Howell, Megan Wehrbein and Dana Christen.



Left: "Kissing the Bricks" at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway

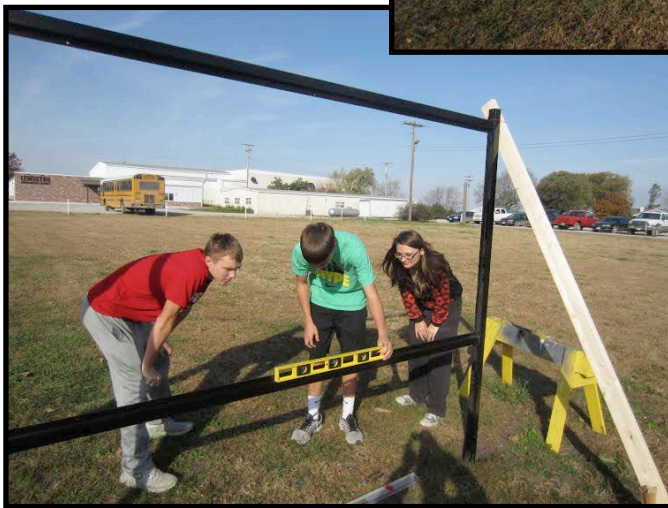


Right: Mr. Barnard's first Indy Car





The Lewiston FFA proudly display their sign!



Member of the AgEducation II class set-up the frame posts for the FFA new Welcome sign. Helping were Logan Anderson, Treyton Hippen and Chloe Charles



FFA Members mixed Quik Crete for the frame and back filled with rock. The sign has a front and a back message.

LEWISTON SCHOOLS HAVE A NEW SIGN

The Lewiston FFA Chapter recently erected a new "Lewiston FFA Welcomes You" sign east of the school buildings. The east side is printed in the FFA colors with the FFA Emblem.

The membership worked a concession night at the Pawnee County Fair last summer to partially pay for the 4' x 8' sign. The sign frame was welded by the Metals Class and is constructed of 2" square tubing and is powder coated. Mr. Kent Hippen assisted in digging the two holes for the posts. The Ag Ed II and the Landscaping Class installed the sign. The sign was made by the same company that prints the area Farmers Cooperative signs.

The backside of the sign has a different message. The Chapter wanted to thank the Lewiston School Foundation Board for their school wide assistance and promote the school colors and mascot.

The FFA recognized a lack of signs promoting the town and the school. Students helping were Dillon Richards, Devan Rule, Skyler Salts, Jace Hunt, Ryan Hunt, Cari Howell, Megan Wehrbein, Ethan McElroy, Kristin Meybrunn, Treyton Hippen, Logan Anderson, Chloe Charles and Karen Keyes.



FFA WORKS WITH LOCAL CEMETERY

The Lewiston FFA Chapter recently completed a community service project at the Lewiston Cemetery. In cooperation with Mr. Jim Kinghorn, Cemetery Sexton, the Ag Education students erected a new tombstone.

The burial site of Civil War Veteran, Dr. Lorenzo Rounds, was unmarked. Mr. Dave Vrtiska discovered the situation during the creation of the cemetery directory. The cemetery board notified the Pawnee County Veterans Affairs Service and an engraved tombstone was secured. Dr. Rounds was born in 1845 and died in 1921.



The FFA built a concrete form for the stone to fit into. The form had an insert to help prevent settling or shifting. Beatrice Concrete provided the concrete for the reinforced slab that weighed over 200 pounds. The members dug the 20" deep hole and installed the form and tombstone. The site was leveled and backfilled.

The members thought that the project was a fitting activity for Veterans Day but wondered what people thought about the FFA digging in the cemetery. Chapter President Cari Howell said 12 students had a hand in the project.



The Lewiston FFA observed Veterans Day with the completion of a tombstone setting in the Lewiston Cemetery. The members erected Civil War veteran Dr. Lorenzo Rounds tombstone on the marked site. Helping with the project was FFA President Cari Howell, Advisor Dave Barnard, Jace Hunt, Vice President Megan Wehrbein and Ethan McElroy.

FFA HELPS WITH HALLOWEEN AT LEWISTON SCHOOLS

The Lewiston FFA cooperated with the local Leadership, Character & Service Club on Tuesday, October 25th to host the community Halloween Night.

The FFA members targeted Pre-K to second graders for activities in the Agriculture Education building. A "Fishing Pond" was set up in the ag shop. The AgEd I and II classes built a tunnel maze in the middle classroom for youngsters to crawl through. A duck pond for prizes and create a mask was hosted in the south classroom.

Members coordinating the event in the evening were Richard Keyes, Cari Howell, Ryan Hunt, Jace Hunt and Mr. Barnard.



AG EDUCATION AT STATE LAND JUDGING

The Lewiston Ag Education Land Judging team competed at the State Contest on October 26th. The competition was an area-qualifying event held north of Pleasanton, NE in Buffalo County. The Lower Loup NRD hosted the event.

The team of Cari Howell, Megan Wehrbein, Kristin Meybrunn and Karen Keyes finished in 19th place. Keyes and Howell both ribboned at the contest. Alma High School was the team champion. Advisor Barnard said a couple of poor site evaluations kept the team from a top ten finish but the group did a fine job representing our school.

FFA GOVERNOR'S AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE ANNOUNCED

The Nebraska FFA Association announced the 2016-17 state FFA Governor's Awards of Excellence November 1st. The Nebraska Investment Finance Authority (NIFA) sponsors the awards.

Nineteen Nebraska FFA Chapters will be awarded financial stipends to work on Chapter projects. The Lewiston FFA Chapter will receive \$1,000.00 to invest in career awareness development in the middle school grades. The awards are based on written applications submitted in September.

Other Southeast Nebraska FFA Chapters earning recognition were Johnson County Central and Nebraska City. The 19 Chapters will be recognized at the State FFA Convention in Lincoln next spring.

AG EDUCATION STUDENTS QUALIFY FOR STATE LIVESTOCK JUDGING

Twelve Lewiston Ag Education students competed in the District 1 Livestock Judging Contest on November 9th. Southeast Community College-Beatrice hosted the event for 17 schools. Students competed in junior and senior divisions.

The contest consisted of six classes and a written livestock industry quiz. Junior contestants gave one set of oral reasons and seniors gave three sets of oral reasons. Classes were meat goats, breeding gilts, market hogs, breeding heifers, market steers, market lambs and breeding ewes. The competition was a state-qualifying event. The Lewiston Junior Division team qualified for the state competition in April.

Lewiston had two students in the top ten junior division judges. Sophomore Logan Anderson earned the third place medal and a purple ribbon. Ninth grader Dana Christen finished with the 10th place purple ribbon. Earning a blue ribbon was Chaz Wilgers. Red ribbons went to Daniel Gonzalez, Ryan Hunt, Caden Searcey, Treyton Hippen, and Caleb Bredemeier. Receiving white ribbons were Colten Baker, Eion Speakman, Courtne Zyla and Levi Meybrunn. There was 94 junior judges.



LEWISTON FFA HOSTS LEADERSHIP NIGHT



Chapter members received FFA Degrees on Nov. 15th at the Lewiston Leadership Night meeting. Earning their Chapter Degree were (Front Row L to R) Colten Baker, Kristin Meybrunn, Logan Anderson, Ryan Hunt and Treyton Hippen. (Middle Row L to R) Agriculture Education students awarded the Greenhand Degree were Dana Christen, Levi Meybrunn, Courtnie Zyla, Caleb Bredemeier, and Chaz Wilgers. Eighth graders receiving the FFA Discovery Award were Masyn Arena, Taylor Anderson, Johanna Keyes, Wyatt Currie and Jon Janssen.



FFA President Cari Howell introduced Mrs. Teri Zimmerman of the Nebraska Soybean Board as the Chapter Leadership Night guest speaker. Mrs. Zimmerman was also a Nebraska LEAD participant and travel to Romania.

The Lewiston FFA Chapter hosted their fall Leadership Night on November 15th at the L.H.S. gymnasium. President Cari Howell conducted the meeting for members, parents and guests.

The highlight of the night was the Degree Ceremonies. Earning their Discovery Degrees were eighth graders Jon Janssen, Wyatt Currie, Taylor Anderson, Masyn Arena and Johanna Keyes. The Discovery Degree is the first level of FFA membership. Students must be enrolled in an Agriculture Education class and participate in Chapter activities on the local level.

Five members were accepted into the FFA as Greenhands. The Greenhand Degree was bestowed upon Levi Meybrunn, Chaz Wilgers, Caleb Bredemeier, Dana Christen and Courtnie Zyla. The degree requirements include active participation in Chapter events, knowledge of parliamentary procedure, basic FFA knowledge and plans for a Supervised Agriculture Experience (S.A.E.) Program. The group received a bronze pin.

Six Lewiston members were awarded the Chapter Degree by the officers. These recipients demonstrated parliamentary procedure abilities, had an established S.A.E., performed at least ten community service hours, and presented a group discussion presentation. Receiving their silver pin were Kristin Meybrunn, Logan Anderson, Treyton Hippen, Richard Keyes, Colten Baker, and Ryan Hunt.

The speaker for the evening program was Mrs. Teri Zimmerman of the Nebraska Soybean Board. Mrs. Zimmerman is also a 2015-16 Nebraska LEAD member. She spoke on her travels to Japan, Thailand, Romania, and Mexico and the agriculture she observed. She encouraged the ag education to find a passion, seek education and to communicate.







AG EDUCATION NEWS SHORTS!

- The Nebraska State FFA Chorus applications are due December 1st. Forms can be downloaded at neaged.org
- FFA is still looking for a 6' and a 4' old livestock tank. Does not need to hold water. They will be used for a Nebr. 150th anniversary promotion.
- FFA members and parents.. Thank you for helping set-up, hosting and donating to the Leukemia Awareness Night.
- Upcoming dates: Leadership Skill Events (LSE's) are January 31st and Career Development Events (CDE's) are March 7th. Both events are at SCC-Beatrice. Adults who are willing to help coach visit with Mr. Barnard.
- Contact Mr. Barnard regarding Ag Education poinsettias for sale.

The Lewiston FFA has worked on creating an Arboretum in the Lewiston City Park and on school grounds this fall. The Chapter planted five trees this fall and will plant five more in the spring. The members wrote a grant for the project. Twenty-one new and established trees now have 4" x 4" treated posts in front of them. Ag Education students will put engraved plate with the common and scientific names on the posts. Helping with this project were (front) Treyton Hippen and Kristin Meybrunn & (Back) Karen Keyes and Chloe Charles.



~ December 2016 ~

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 --JV/V G & B BB (NO JV girls) at Friend 5 pm **NOTE time change**	2 	3 --JH BBB at Rotating Tourney at FC Sacred Heart 9 am **NOTE location change** --JV/V G & B BB (NO JV girls) at Wetmore, KS 3 pm **NOTE time change**
4	5 --JH BBB at Lourdes 4 pm --PTO Meeting	6 --JV/V G & B BB (NO JV girls) vs. HTRS 5 pm **NOTE time change** --LCS Soup Supper – 4:30-7:30 pm (free will donation)	7 --JH BBB vs. Pawnee City 1:30 pm	8 --Jr./Sr. High Christmas Music Program 7 pm 	9 --PK-6 Christmas Music Program 7 pm --PTO Basket Raffle drawing (after program)	10 --V G & B BB vs. College View Academy (NO JV) 6:30 pm
11	12 --JH BBB at Lewiston Tourney 4:30 pm	13 --JV/V G & B BB (NO JV girls) vs. AT Falls City Sacred Heart 4:45 pm **NOTE location & TIME change – AT FALLS CITY**	14	15	16 --JV/V G & B BB (NO JV girls) at Diller-Odell (Odell) 4:45 pm **NOTE time change**	17
18 	19 --School Board Mtg. 7 pm	20	21 -- 12:30 dismissal - NO PK --Teacher In-service 1-4 pm --End 2nd Quarter/1st Semester	22 -- NO SCHOOL	23 -- NO SCHOOL --NSAA Moratorium	24 --NSAA Moratorium
25 --Christmas Day --NSAA Moratorium	26 -- NO SCHOOL --NSAA Moratorium	27 -- NO SCHOOL --NSAA Moratorium	28 -- NO SCHOOL	29 -- NO SCHOOL --V G & B BB at Weeping Water Holiday Tourney	30 -- NO SCHOOL --V G & B BB at Weeping Water Holiday Tourney	31

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LEWISTON CONSOLIDATED SCHOOLS

DECEMBER 2016

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
			1 BREADED BEEF PATTY POTATOES/GRAVY VEGETABLES/FRUIT	2 CHICKEN SANDWICH CORN CHIPS VEGETABLES/FRUIT
5 LITTLE SMOKIES STEAK FRIES VEGETABLES/FRUIT BREAD/BUTTER	6 CHILI SOUP CRACKERS CINNAMON ROLLS VEGETABLES/FRUIT	7 CHICKEN NUGGETS BAKED FRIES VEGETABLES/FRUIT COOKIE	8 MINI RAVIOLI MEAT SAUCE SALAD MIX VEGETABLES/FRUIT	9 TURKEY WRAP SUN CHIPS VEGETABLES/FRUIT
12 MEATBALL SLIDER BAKED TATOR TOTS VEGETABLES/FRUIT	13 HAM POTATOES/GRAVY DINNER ROLL VEGETABLES/FRUIT	14 PIZZA FIESTADA SALAD MIX VEGETABLES/FRUIT	15 CHICKEN GRAVY OVER BISCUIT VEGETABLES/FRUIT	16 RIB SANDWICH DORITOS VEGETABLES/FRUIT
19 HAMBURGER IN WG BUN BAKED FRIES BAKED BEANS COOKIE	20 HOT DOG IN WG BUN SUN CHIPS VEGETABLES/FRUIT	21 EARLY OUT PB & JELLY CHIPS VEGETABLES/FRUIT CHEESE STICK	22 	23 
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BREAKFAST

MONDAY-FRIDAY

CHOICE OF CEREALS, JUICES, YOGURT, FRUIT, AND HOT BREAKFAST ITEM

**Milk served with all meals

**Menus subject to change

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