



Flinthills Flyer

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March 2020

FHS Wrestling Student Qualifies for State Competition



Flinthills High School will be represented at the Kansas Wrestling Class 3-2-1A State Wrestling Tournament by

Gavin Girty.

Congratulations Gavin! You're not done yet though.

Go Take Care of Business in Hays!

Calendar Change Notice

Due to carpet installation and other bond construction projects going on this Spring, the Board approved to move the final day of school from May 21st to May 14th. All students will be released for summer out one week earlier than the original last day.

Congratulations Geography Bee Winners

Pictured from left: Jared Stopczynski, Joliene Dragoo, and Landon Boldra



Employee of the Month



Jamie Swafford was selected as January's Employee of the Month. Jamie is in her first year of teaching all over again after taking some time off to raise her children. Jamie was nominated by Jeremy Boldra. She is characterized as one who has sprung forth new life in our middle school science department as well as the high school biology course. Jamie is a hard worker who always plans interesting and engaging activities in the classroom, and kids once again are loving science. Jamie has gone above and beyond by raising interest in robotics through her mini camps/club. One day she made an enormous "cell" that kids could literally step into explore and learn –it was awesome! We are very lucky to have Mrs. Swafford. She will receive a certificate and a Flinthills jacket

FHS Musicians

Savannah McCreight, Tabitha Brown, and Laura Scribner attended the K-State Concert Band Clinic in Manhattan on January 24-26. As part of this weekend, they attended a Boston Brass Concert and also heard the K-State Wind Ensemble play alone and with the Boston Brass. There were 727 students attending this from all over the state of Kansas. After their auditions, they were placed in bands and handed the music Friday evening. They had rehearsals, master classes with the college professors, and sectionals on Saturday. On Sunday, they performed.



Laura Scribner was selected as one of the five Outstanding Musicians from her band of over 100 students on Sunday at the K-State Concert Band Clinic. With that, she received a \$500 scholarship to attend the K-State Band Camp this summer. Congratulations, Laura!

Laura Scribner, Ethan Stopczynski, and Savannah McCreight attended the All-League Band at Southwestern College in Winfield on Wednesday, January 22. They spent the morning rehearsing as part of a band of 76 students so the sound was very different. In one piece, Ethan got to play a conch shell as well as his trumpet. After the morning's rehearsals, they presented a concert at 2:30.



Best Books & Great Reads

By: Megan Clark



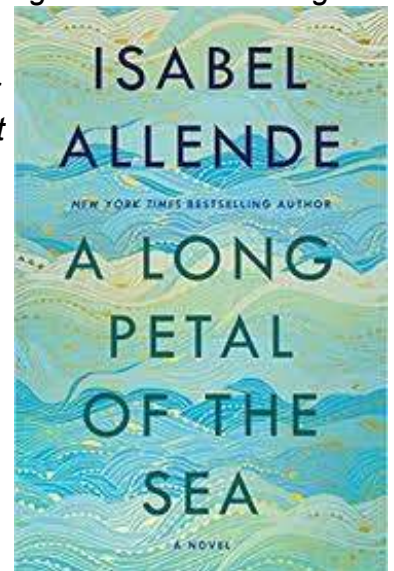
Enjoying the new year? Need something to read in your freetime? Here are the top FIVE books of 2020..... So far. First, let's start with some runner ups; coming in at seventh is *I know you know who I am: stories* by Peter Kispert. This book is a collection of stories about lying, it tells stories of people using different lies for different reasons; each showing how these lies affect the other character and even the liar himself creating a ripple of change.



The next runner up coming in sixth place is *The Resisters* by Gish Jen, this story is about a future where climate change changes the way Americans live. Everyone is split into two different groups, those who live on dry land and those who live in flood areas. In this book the only way to resist the government is through baseball; this book is for the sports people!!



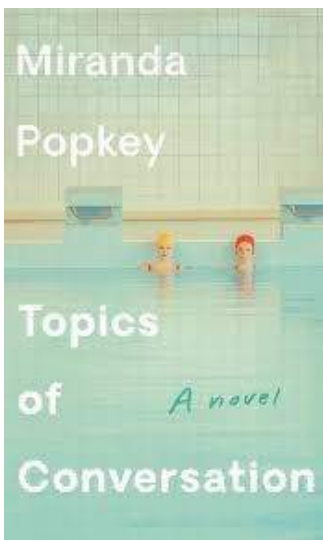
Now into the top five... in fifth we have *Topics of Conversation* by Miranda Popkey about different conversations and relationships and how to know if one is in a bad relationship; whether it be a family relationship or other relationships.



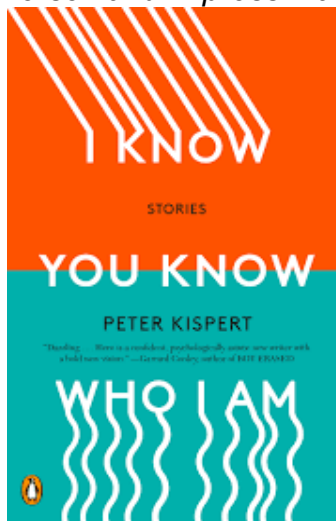
Fourth is *A Long Petal of the Sea* by Isabel Allende, a story about war refugees, displacement, endurance, and love.

In third place we have *We Wish You Luck* by Caroline Zancan a novel about three college students who are trying to expose their prestigious professor as a plagiarist. In second place we have *Uncanny Valley* by Anna Wiener is about the author's journey to a new place where she was able to express herself and impress many of her coworkers; a story that tells of risks and re-

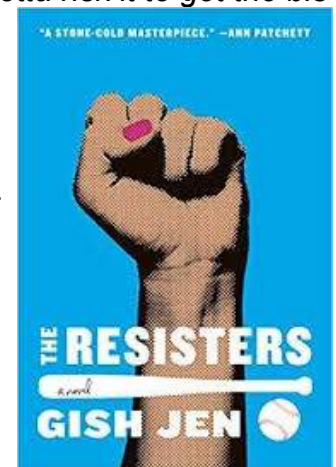
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In first place, please..... *Is Age* by Kiley Reid about a woman for a wealthy then wrongly kidnapping one dren when in napper is..... read the book



drumroll
Such a Fun Reid a story who babysits family that is accused of of the chil- truth the kid- You have to to find out!



Senior Night

Winter Senior Night was held on February 18, 2020 after the girls Flinthills VS. Oxford basketball game. Seniors recognized included, Levi Brown, Issac Bugner, Sarah Hinnen, Terry Jones, Lyndee Martin, Kedryn Morse, Kadyn Nuncio, Sarah Sorum, Janea Totty, and Braden Wight.

Article written by: Alexa Snyder



FHS Dominates in Forensics

Congratulations FHS Forensics Team! After a long battle January 30 with 13 other schools the following students medaled in their events.

Kaily Gilman swiped 1st Place in Poetry against 34 other competitors, qualifying for state championships! Alexis Hatvick also qualified for State Champs by taking 2nd in Prose. This was an amazing feat, as that was Kaily and Alexis's very first tournament!

Savannah brought home a third place medal in Humorous Solo Acting, Morgan Holcomb battled and won a 5th place medal in Series Solo Acting, Tabitha Brown and Philip Humig finished 6th in Duet Acting, and Ethan Stopczynski raked in a 6th place medal in Oration!

Way to go Mustangs!

TSA Conference

Mrs. Austin took 12 Flinthills students to a TSA conference on the 5th of February. The conference was led by state officers. Wade Haynes and Phillip Humig represented Flinthills as FHS officers. Students spent the day in groups working on challenges with students from other schools.

The purpose of the conference was for students to experience working with new and different people from other schools. The students who attended worked in the fields of architecture, fashion design, and transportation as well as leadership training.

Students learned how different competitions work. Adley Humig said, "I had tons of fun and it was a good team building experience. I encourage other students to join TSA and go to conferences."

By: Taren Lakin

The Miracle Worker

The 2020 spring theatre production is going to be The Miracle Worker. The Miracle Worker is the story of the relationship between Helen Keller and her teacher, Annie Sullivan. It shows a struggle for Helen to communicate with the outside world from being trapped inside her head. The only person who is able to understand part of her struggle is Annie, who was blind for part of her life.

The Miracle Worker has a small cast and crew of _____ members. There is a complex two story set, built by Mr. Johnson's wood shop classes. This has been a great experience for students who would not normally be involved in the theatre production to get a behind the scenes look on how much work it takes to build a set.

The Miracle Worker will be performed on Friday, March 13 and Saturday, March 14 at 7 PM.

By: Sarah Hinnen

Valentine's Day Parties.

On February 13th, 2020, the intermediate had their annual Valentine's Day parties to celebrate the holiday. They spread love and joy by buying candy for each other and putting them into a bag or something they made in class for others to know its them. The intermediate kids had fun playing games and having a great time with fellow peers. It is always a sight to see these kids have the best time when they have these parties.

By: Chloe Wieckhorst

Students Build Play Production Set

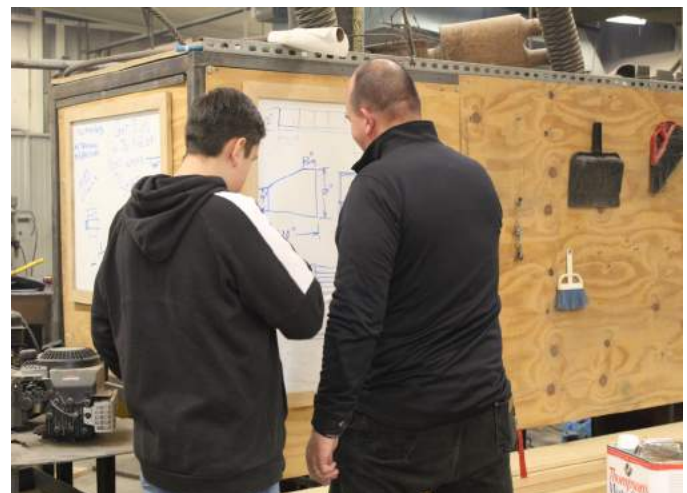
Over the past few weeks Mr. Johnson's shop classes have been helping build the play set for the spring theatre production of "The Miracle Worker."

"They have been hard at work," says Mr. Johnson of the student in charge of building the set design envisioned by he and Mrs. McCreight. He and Mrs. McCreight are really excited for the progress made on the set so far.

Mr. Johnson commented, "We have two stories that must be able to hold the load of furniture and moving people. There will be a window a student has to crawl out of for the production, so we are working on how to make that safe and secure."

"Knowing that we have hard working kids willing to learn trade skills and help others shows how much of a community we are," explained Mr. Johnson.

By Taren Lakin



Pep Rally
By: Megan Clark and
Jenna Jernigan

The pep rally was a great success; it was a great way to have fun before the end of spirit week. The pep rally was held Wednesday the 12th from 3 to 3:30. Many of the middle school and high school sports teams were recognised for their great successes and effort throughout the season. Middle school played for 1st place and won. The cheerleaders worked hard to cheer on the different sports teams throughout the year and continued to cheer for everyone at the pep rally. Middle school cheerleaders did a dance to show school spirit for the pep rally.

FLINTHILLS HIGH SCHOOL THEATRE PRESENTS **THE MIRACLE WORKER**

This March 13th and 14th, the story of Helen Keller and her teacher, Annie Sullivan, will come alive on the FHS Stage. Actors have been busy fine tuning the extraordinary moments when Helen learns to communicate with those around her in order to escape her dark and frightening world. The play is based on the true experiences of these ground -breaking individuals who advanced the abilities of the blind and deaf community through the application of sign language communication.

Shop classes have been creating the atmosphere of an 1889 Southern Alabama Home which consists of a two story set design with abstract qualities to assure the view of audiences. Middle school theatre classes are working hard to articulate the textures, colors and realism of life in the Civil War Era. Tech Crews are developing costume designs, sounds and period lighting which will lead spectators into the late 19th Century.

Actors consist of :

Doctor - Austin Mantanona	James - Cael Sorum
Kate - Morgan Holcomb	Anagnos - Wade Haynes
Keller - Philip Humig	Annie Sullivan - Savannah McCreight
Helen - Sarah Hinnen	Viney - Riggin Carney
Martha - Kaily Gilman	Beatrice - Adley Humig
Percy - Philip Harris	Alice - Madison Alvord
Aunt Ev - Reagn Heimgartner	Mary - Madilynn Thomas
John - Braden Wight	Emily - Alexis Hatvick

Crew includes: FHS Shop Classes	Stage Manager - Kady Nuncio
Light Master - Jonathan McCreight	Sound Master - Heaton Griffin
Middle School Drama Classes	Make-up - Chloe Wieckhorst
Backstage Crew: Issac Bugner, Tabitha Brown Kylee Weis, Trena Garcia	

Show nights, the FHS Lobby Door will open at 6:00. Theatre Doors will open at 6:30, and the Shows will begin at 7:00. Don't miss this "Miracle" in the Making!

**"The Best and Most Beautiful Things in the World cannot be seen or even Touched -
they must be felt with the Heart."**

-Helen Keller

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A black silhouette of a vintage hand-operated water pump with a long handle and a spout.

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miracle
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by William Gibson

High School Girls' Basketball

On January 7, 2020, the high school girls' basketball team versed the Bluestem Lions. The Lady Mustangs were looking for revenge from last year. The previous year, the Lady Lions defeated the Lady Mustangs 38-56. The Lady Mustangs defeated the Lady Lions 46-21 on January 7, 2020. On January 10, 2020, the Lady Mustangs traveled to Sedan to face the Blue Devils. With 3/8 of the team gone to Kansas Theatre Conference, the Lady Mustangs were going to try to put up a fight. Unfortunately, the Lady Mustangs lost 27-52. On January 14, 2020, the Lady Mustangs played the Lady Raiders of Central-Burden. The Lady Mustangs defeated the Lady Raiders 41-10. On January 17,



Coach Monty Melugin talking to the Lady Mustangs during a timeout.

2020, the Lady Mustangs traveled to the Classical School of Wichita. After a very physical game, the Lady Mustangs won 36-32. Now, the Lady Mustangs enter League Tournament play. On Tuesday 21, 2020, the Lady Mustangs traveled to Sedan for the first round of league tournament. The Lady Mustangs worked on what went wrong the first time they versed the Lady Devils. Unfortunately, the Lady Mustangs came up short again, losing 40-51. With this loss, the Lady Mustangs played the Caldwell Bluejays on Thursday, January 23, 2020. The Lady Mustangs fell behind in the third quarter 41-27. The Lady

Mustangs used a 19-0 run to come roaring back. The ladies finished with a strong third quarter and a 68-56 win. Six players scored big baskets in the fourth quarter to keep them on top. Sarah Sorum and Lauren Donner scored 20 plus points. Sarah Hinnen led them in rebounds. Regan Heimgartner, Rigin Carney, and Janea Totty all played top defense all night. The bench kept the energy up and helped cheer them on. With this win, the Lady Mustangs went on to play the Udall Lady Eagles on Saturday, January 25, 2020 for fifth place. The Lady Mustangs held the let their guard down in the second half and ended up losing. Coming back from a little break, the Lady Mustangs traveled to Argonia on Friday, January 31, 2020. The Lady Mustangs end the long night losing. On Tuesday, February 4, 2020, the Lady Mustangs hosted the West Elk Lady Patriots. The Lady Mustangs were giving the #5 ranked 2A team in the state of Kansas some trouble. The Lady Mustangs were fought hard but lost 40-59. On Friday, February 7, 2020, the Lady Mustangs hosted the Caldwell Lady Bluejays. The Lady Bluejays were looking for revenge from loosing to the Lady Mustangs earlier this season. Both teams put up a fight, but unfortunately the Lady Mustangs couldn't top the Lady Bluejays. The Lady Mustangs lost 23-32. On Tuesday, February 11, 2020, the Lady Mustangs traveled to Dexter to play the Cedar Vale/Deter Lady Spartans. The Lady Mustangs did an awesome job on offense and defense. The Lady Mustangs were able capture a win, 64-38. Lauren Donner had 39 out of the 64 points. 21 of those points were three-pointers. Lauren Donner tied Ashley Melugin's record for most three's in a game and Alyssa Howard's record for most points in a game. On Friday, February 14, the Lady Mustangs host the South Haven Lady Cardinals. The Lady Mustangs held their heads high. Both teams put up a fight, and were able to go into overtime. Unfortunately, the Lady Mustangs were not able to top the Lady Cardinals. On Tuesday, February 18, 2020, the Lady Mustangs host the Oxford Lady Wildcats. The Lady Mustangs took the win against the Lady Wildcats.



Lauren Donner getting ready to drive on a Lady Oxford Wildcat.

By: Janea Totty

High School Boys' Basketball

On Friday, February 10, 2020, the Mustangs traveled to Sedan to play the Blue Devils. The Mustangs put up a hard fight against a very skilled Sedan team, but unfortunately the Mustangs lost. On Tuesday, January 14, 2020, the Mustangs hosted the Central Burden Raiders. The Mustangs were victo-



Nate Becker driving against a Pretty Prairie Bulldog.

rious over the Raiders. The final score was 73-66. Each Mustangs player contributed by scoring for the team win. On Friday, January 17, 2020, the Mustangs traveled to the Classical School of Wichita to play the Saints. The Mustangs lost to the Saints 46-61. Now the Mustangs ever League Tournament play. On Tuesday, January 21, 2020, the Mustangs traveled to Sedan to play the Sedan Blue Devils for the second time this year. The Blue Devils beat the Mustangs by nine point. The score was 52-43. The Mustangs improved on many things during the game, but the pace of the game never got fast enough for the Mustangs. With this loss the Mustangs played the Oxford Wildcats on Friday, January 24, 2020. The Mustangs couldn't keep up with the Wildcats and lost 43-68. With this loss the Mustangs played the South Haven Cardinals for seventh

place. The Mustangs fought hard, but lost to the Cardinals. Coming back from the tournament, the Mustangs traveled to Argonia to play the Raiders. The boys were a little shorthanded and played with only six players. The six came to play and worked hard to win 60 to 35.

Hunter Lowmaster led the team with 31 points. Issac Bugner scored 17 points also. Terry Jones has his second start of the year and played HUGE minutes to help the team win. On Tuesday, February 4, 2020, the Mustangs hosted the West Elk Patriots. The Mustangs had a hard time rebounding against the bigger Patriots. The Mustangs lost 60-38. The boys worked hard the whole game and were never able to cut into the lead during the second half. Issac Bugner led the team with 14 points. On Friday, February 7, 2020, the Mustangs host the Caldwell Bluejays. The boys played hard and gave lots of effort. They were down by 10 with 4 minutes left in the third. The Mustangs were never able to cut into the lead after that and lost 73-45. On Tuesday, February 11, 2020, the Mustangs traveled to Dexter to play the Cedar Vale/Dexter Spartans. The team had a hard time against the Spartans press early in the game. The Mustangs fell behind 27-4 at the end of the first quarter and were never able to make up the difference. On Friday, February 14, 2020, the Mustangs host the South Haven Cardinal. The Mustangs were looking for revenge against the Cardinals from earlier this year. Unfortunately, the Mustangs were not able to top the Cardinals. On Tuesday, February 18, 2020, the Mustangs hosted the Oxford Wildcats. The Mustangs lost to the Wildcats earlier this year. The Mustangs were not able to beat the Wildcats.



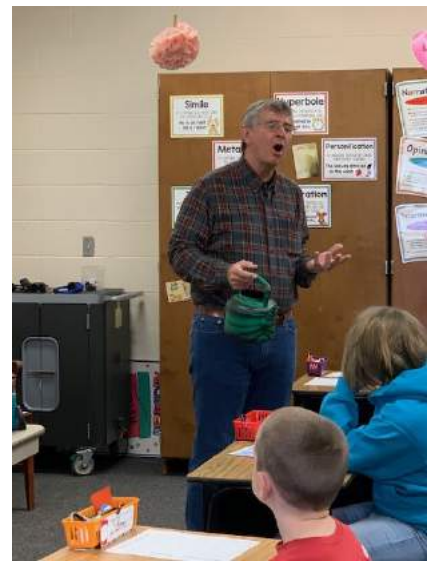
Hunter Lowmaster going up for a block shot.



Kedryn Morse handling the ball.

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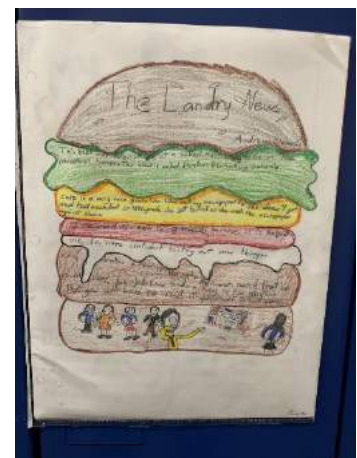
By: Janea Totty



The fourth and fifth grade students, who attend Release Time, were treated to a visit from Mr and Mrs Dorsch who were raised here in Kansas but have spent the last 30 years in Africa as missionaries, most recently in Niger. They shared with the students about life in Africa; the culture of the country - what they eat, schools, language, weather, etc. Mrs. Dorsch is showing the “wash cloth” that is used here. (Think loofa.) Mr. Dorsch is sharing the water pots that can be found *everywhere* for washing. The country of Niger is predominantly Muslim. They speak mostly French. In the city they may only have electricity 3-4 hours a day. The lowest temperature they’ve had in their 30 years there was about 60 degrees! Days are usually 110-115 degrees. Yikes! Schools are crowded with 70-90 students in a classroom with one teacher and no aides to help. UGH! Students don’t have paper, pencils, books or computers. They each have slate and chalk for their lessons. Driving out from the city they can see giraffes up close and personal. A very different lifestyle that makes us appreciate all the wonderful things we have here in good old Kansas.

Honoring a Children’s Author....

Andrew Clements, an award winning children’s author, passed away in December. Any student that has been in Mrs. Simon’s class has heard the book *Frindle*, the story about a boy who decides to rename the pen and the teacher that tries to stop it. It’s Mrs. Simon’s favorite! To honor and appreciate this author, students each read a book from his collection and then completed a “sandwich” book report to display in their locker sleeve. The literary world has lost a great storyteller.



High School Scholars Bowl End Season

On February 6, 2020 the Flinthills High School Scholars Bowl Team finished off the season by receiving 3rd at the Regional Scholars Bowl Meet. The Regionals Team consisted of Colton Gauthier, Trena Garcia, Jessie Mooney, Savannah McCreight, Alexis Hatvick and Laura Scribner. Megan Clark was also on the team but not part of the Regional Team and the team was coached by Tresa Garcia. The team competed in pool play and went 5-1. They then moved on to the Championship Round, they went 3-2 only losing to Udall who went on to receive 2nd place and Elyria



3rd Place at Regionals

Christian School-McPherson who went on to win the overall Regionals title. In the regular season the team had only medaled once so this 3rd place award was very shocking to the team. The top two teams went on to State. The Flinthills Team was very happy with how they ended the night.

By-Trena Garcia



2nd Place at Oxford

4-H Days

On January 26, Kyle and Luke Parker both performed a percussion piece. They both earned a purple ribbon. Kyle played , “Hot Licks,” on the snare drum and Luke played , “Mary’s Little Lamb,” on the xylophone. Good job boys! 4-H Days is located at Butler Community College in the 700 building. It is a great way to have your child be more comfortable doing what they love. It can teach them how to talk to people they don’t know. This could help them later in life. You can either perform or represent your club as a door monitor.

Flinthills 4-H Club Reporter: Kolby Holcomb



MS Boys Basketball

This year the middle school team coach worked hard to finish the season strong. They were determined not to end the season quietly. The coach said he had high hopes and wanted to go further in the tournament, going 10-5. “I saw a lot of improvement in their on-the-court skills and positive decision making. I’m



really proud of them and their efforts,” said Coach Jeremy Boldra. “Next year I want to encourage everyone to come to summer workouts to get a great start for the next season.”

By: Micheal Neeley

MS Girls Basketball

Coach Sorum had a vision for his team this year– set goals his team could achieve. They envisioned a perfect Trifecta: winning every game, winning the division, and winning the tournament. They did not win every game, but... they won the tournament and they won the division.

Every game at least 6 players scored 9- 12 on good shots and their defense won most games. Sorum has plans for his team’s future: that the 8th graders go on to play high school basketball.

By: Micheal Neeley

Anatomy and Physiology

A & P students dissect fetal pigs for class to understand organ placement and organ functions within mammals.

Pictured from left: Kady Nuncio and Reagan Heimgartner



Winter Homecoming

On Monday, February 10, 2020 was the start of Flinthills High School’s homecoming week. We started it off with Clone Wars day (twin day) and the game was Asteroid Attack (students sat on a scooter and the partner pushed them to hit bowling pins.) Tuesday was Class Color day and the game was Capture the Alien (students captured as many balloons in a trash bag as they could on a scooter.) Wednesday was Intergalactic day (Star Wars, Star Trek, etc.) and the game was Space Worms (In a sleeping bag, students crawled to half court and back.) Wednesday, students gathered in the gym for a pep rally. Finally, Thursday was Red and Black day and the games were basketball and class dodgeball. Thursday afternoon, students decorated the gym based on the theme: Dancing with the Stars.

Friday night was the basketball game and after the varsity girl’s game was time for homecoming class points and Homecoming King and Queen. The Sophomores took first with 241 point, followed by the Freshmen with 183 points, followed by the Seniors with 158 points, and finally the Juniors with 125 points. Our Winter 2020 homecoming King and Queen were Kedryn Moore and Sarah Sorum. The homecoming court was crowned by our last year’s Winter Homecoming King Dylan Steinhauer and this year’s Fall Homecoming Queen Sarah Hinnen. They were also crowned by the Kindergarten escorts, the class of 2032, Addison West and Maxton Lemons.

Saturday, February 15, 2020 was the night of the dance. STUCO sets up the dance with a photo booth and disco lights. Parents brought refreshments for the students to eat and drink. It was a fun time for all.




By: Matison Totty





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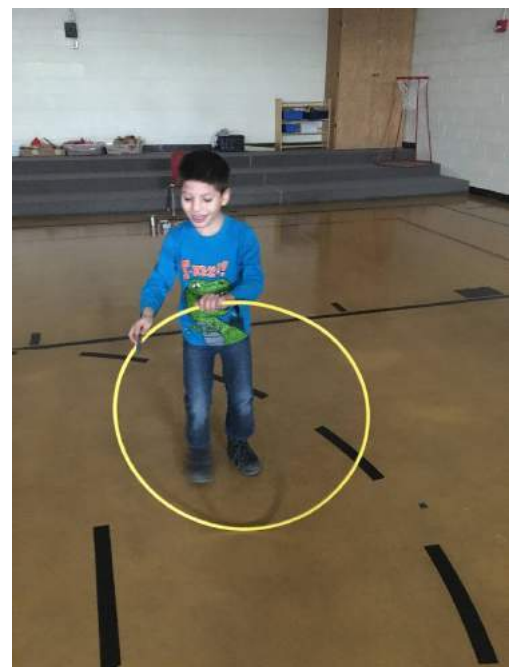


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<p>2</p> <p>BREAKFAST: Mini Cinni's, Fruit, Juice, Milk</p> <p>LUNCH: Pork Rib Patty on W.G. Hoagie Bun Savory Fries Broccoli & Cheese Tropical Fruit W.G. Bunny Grahams Milk</p>	<p>3</p> <p>BREAKFAST: French Toast Sticks, Fruit, Juice, Milk</p> <p>LUNCH: Chicken & Noodles Mashed Potatoes California Blend Veg. Grapes W.G. Roll Milk</p>	<p>4</p> <p>BREAKFAST: White Sauce Breakfast Pizza, Fruit, Juice, Milk</p> <p>LUNCH: Chili w/ Beans W.G. Corn Chips Fresh Celery Sliced Pineapple W.G. Cinnamon Roll Milk</p>	<p>5</p> <p>BREAKFAST: Breakfast Bites, Fruit, Juice, Milk</p> <p>LUNCH: Chicken Fajitas on Flour Tortilla Corn Lettuce & Tomato Salsa Peppers & Onions Applesauce Milk</p>	<p>6</p> <p>BREAKFAST: Cereal Bar, Yogurt, Fruit, Juice, Milk</p> <p>LUNCH: Hamburger on W.G. Bun French Fries Baked Beans Onions/Pickles/Tomatoes Sliced Peaches Cookie Milk</p>
<p>9</p> <p>BREAKFAST: Powdered Sugar Mini Donuts, Fruit, Juice, Milk</p> <p>LUNCH: Chicken Fried Steak Mashed Potatoes Cream Gravy Steamed Carrots Pineapple Biscuit Milk</p>	<p>10</p> <p>BREAKFAST: Cereal, Pop Tart, Fruit, Juice, Milk</p> <p>LUNCH: W.G. Stuffed Crust Pepperoni Pizza Corn Green Beans Apples Mandarin Oranges Milk</p>	<p>11</p> <p>BREAKFAST: Breakfast Stick, Fruit, Juice, Milk</p> <p>LUNCH: Taco Crunch Refried Beans Lettuce & Tomato Salsa Sliced Pears W.G. Cinnamon Buns Milk</p>	<p>12</p> <p>BREAKFAST: Combo Bar, Muffin, Fruit, Juice, Milk</p> <p>LUNCH: Breaded Chicken Patty on Bun Sweet Potato Fries Peas Lettuce & Tomato Tropical Fruit Milk</p>	<p>13</p> <p>NO SCHOOL</p>
<p>16</p> <p>NO SCHOOL</p>	<p>17</p> <p>NO SCHOOL</p>	<p>18</p> <p>NO SCHOOL</p>	<p>19</p> <p>NO SCHOOL</p>	<p>20</p> <p>NO SCHOOL</p>
<p>23</p> <p>BREAKFAST: Red Sauce Breakfast Pizza, Fruit, Juice, Milk</p> <p>LUNCH: Chicken Strips Mashed Potatoes Cream Gravy Mixed Vegetables Rosy Applesauce W.G. Roll Milk</p>	<p>24</p> <p>BREAKFAST: Breakfast Burrito, Fruit, Juice, Milk</p> <p>LUNCH: Beef Hot Dog on W.G. Bun Baked Beans Tater Tots Sliced Peaches Goldfish Crackers Milk</p>	<p>25</p> <p>BREAKFAST: Sausage & Cheese Biscuit, Fruit, Juice, Milk</p> <p>LUNCH: Chicken Quesadilla Corn Broccoli Applecrisp Tropical Fruit Salsa Milk</p>	<p>26</p> <p>BREAKFAST: Strawberry Mini Bagel, Fruit, Juice, Milk</p> <p>LUNCH: Mini Corn Dogs Steamed Cauliflower Green Beans Strawberries & Bananas Fruit Juice Milk</p>	<p>27</p> <p>BREAKFAST: Grape Uncrustable, Fruit, Juice, Milk</p> <p>LUNCH: Salad Bar Ham & Cheese Fresh Vegetables Pineapple Mozzarella Breadstick Milk</p>
<p>30</p> <p>BREAKFAST: French Toast Sticks, Fruit, Juice, Milk</p> <p>LUNCH: Chicken Nuggets Mashed Potatoes Cream Gravy California Blend Veg. Sliced Pineapple W.G. Roll Milk</p>	<p>31</p> <p>BREAKFAST: Cereal, String Cheese, Fruit, Juice, Milk</p> <p>LUNCH: Pork Little Smokies Macaroni & Cheese Vegetable Juice Peas Sliced Pears W.G. Muffin Milk</p>	<p>Parents eating lunch with their kids need to notify school 2 days in advance.</p>	<p>This is equal opportunity provider and employer.</p>	 <p>Meals are subject to change.</p>

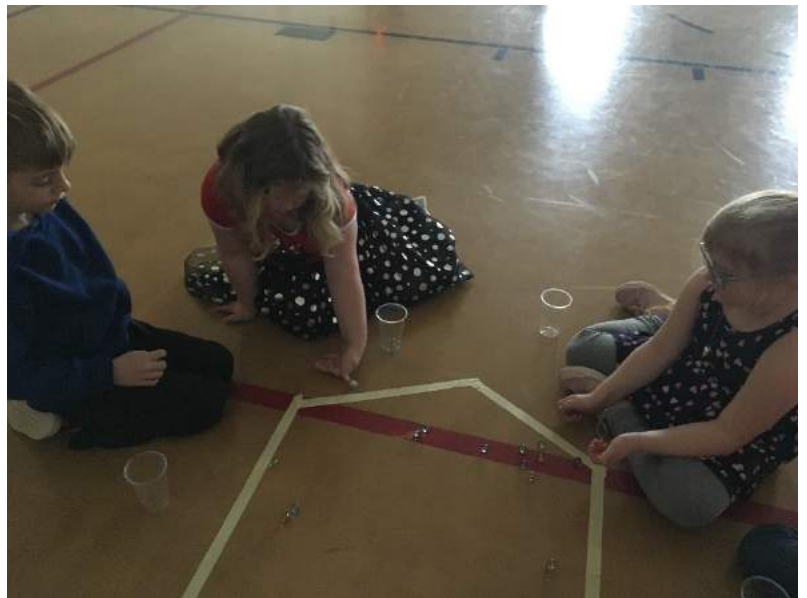
March 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
1	2 SCBL MS Scholars Bowl @ Udall 4:00 MS WR @ Whitewater 4:00 Sports Pictures—MS Wrestling Sub-State BB 1st Day of Practice	3 SCBL Math Relays @ South Haven 4:45 HS Music Festival @ CCCC 8:00	4 SCBL Meeting	5 MS WR @ Douglass 4:00	6 FFA @ Salina	7 MS WR @ Cottonwood Falls 9:30 Robotics Mindstorm Competition @ WSU 9:00-4:00
8 Day Light Savings Time Begins	9 BOE @ Cassoday 7:00 MS WR @ Howard 5:30	10	11 State BB	12 STUCO Blood Drive	13 No School Staff Dev/Work Day FHS Theatre Production 7:00	14 FHS Theatre Production 7:00
15	16 Spring Break	17 Spring Break	18 Spring Break	19 Spring Break	20 Spring Break	21 Forensics @ Caldwell
22	23 Booster Club 6:00 Page @ Topeka	24 MS/HS Cheer-leading Parent Meeting 7:00	25 Winter Sports Banquet 6:30	26 Forensics @ Rose Hill 4:00	27 MS/HS Cheer-leading Tryouts	28 Regional Music Festival—Solos & Small Ensembles @ Butler Community College
29	30 SB @ South Haven 4:00	31 SCBL HS Math Relays @ Flint-hills 4:45 Sports Pictures—MS Track MS TR @ Burden 1:30				

The 1st graders at the primary school had a great time participating in Mrs. Myrick's annual old fashioned day. Students experienced a day similar to how it was done in the past, in a one-room school house. They went electricity and technology free as much as possible. The 1st graders had fun playing old fashioned games like marbles and rolling hoops. Handwriting time was spent using chalk and chalkboards. Most of the students decided they like white board and Expo markers much better! To prep for lunch, students washed their hands in porcelain tubs with bars of soap and ate together as a class in the classroom. We wrapped up the day with a short "show & tell" time, where Mrs. Myrick shared some interesting antiques. Snack time included making homemade butter and then enjoying it on homemade bread with home-canned jelly. They had a wonderful time!



Mrs. Myrick's Annual Old Fashioned Day



1st Grade

Shout Outs

02/18/2020 - 02/21/2020

- Shout out to the custodial staff for making the art room clean and shiny over the long weekend! -Michal Austin
- Shout out to Julie Mooney, Steve Oltman and Daniel Scribner for helping chaperone the dance last Saturday. -Erik Sorum
- Shout out to the JH Girls on a league championship last Saturday. Very proud of their hard work and dedication. -Erik Sorum
- Shout out to Mr. Sorum and the Student Council for a fun homecoming week finished up with a wonderful time had by all at the dance on Saturday night. -Steve Oltman
- Shout out to Mrs. Harrison, Mrs. Waller, Mrs. Browning, and Miss. Juergenson for always helping out no matter what the day brings. -Steve Oltman
- Shout out to Mrs. Hinnen for always being willing to help middle school students! -Steve Oltman
- Shout out to Coach Johnson for always being helpful with the High School Boys Basketball team. -Steve Oltman
- Shout out to Mrs. Ratcliff for starting our FAST group to help kids with homework after school. -Kristin Sangals
- Thanks to Mr. Casteel and Philip Humig for getting all of the robotics computers ready to go for the team. You are appreciated! -Jamie Swafford
- Thanks to Mr. Johnson, Brandon Gleason, and Jonathon McCreight for helping build the robotics practice boards. Very grateful for your help! -Jamie Swafford
- Thanks to Jillian Marsh for all of her work on robotics. The students are extremely lucky to have your guidance and support. -Jamie Swafford
- Shout out to Larry for not being eaten by an anaconda in the Amazon...better yet, shout out to Larry for coming back! Hehe You are truly a high quality human being, Larry! We love you! -Taylor Walp
- Shout out to Mrs. Mooney for all she has done to get the middle school's resumes ready for Skills USA! -Tod Johnson

- Shout out to Javin Weis for helping me in the door to the school and in the door to the theatre when my hands were full! -Julie McCreight
- Shout out to Tod Johnson and his Shop Class for working so hard on The Miracle Worker Play Set Construction! -Julie McCreight
- Shout out to Michelle Nelson for covering lunch for us, on field trip day, so we could have a break! -Lisa and Marla

Shout Outs

2/24/20 - 2/28/20

- Shout out to Austin Mantanona, Callum Reust, Layton Rose & Tucker Travníček for dumping my clay trap and getting my sink unclogged. You guys are rock stars! -Michal Austin
- Shout out to Dennis for ALL he has done for me in getting my pottery wheels up & running and helping keep the art room running smoothly with all my electrical gadgets. You are appreciated! - Michal Austin
- Shout out to Bryna for two days of back to back testing. From this teacher's end it ran really smooth! -Michal Austin
- Shout out to Riggín Carney & Savannah McCreight for cleaning the coffee shop and doing a stellar job serving the visiting teachers! -Michal Austin
- Shout out to the FHTC dental assisting students for coming to our school Monday and showing us proper dental hygiene and gifting us with super cool toothbrush kits. - Michelle Nelson
- Shout out to all the Primary Students and their endeavors with the Walkathon. Overall they raised \$2,890.11. GREAT JOB EVERYONE!!! - Michelle Nelson
- Shout out to Amy Brewer, Amanda Dragoo, Marla Edwards, and Lisa Taylor for covering for me on Monday and Tuesday on such short notice. I appreciate you all. - Michelle Nelson
- Shout out to Marla Edwards for covering the office so I could teach P.E. Tuesday! -Lisa Taylor
- Shout out to Luke Parker for being my P.E. helper on Thursday! -Lisa Taylor
- Shout out to Bryna for a successful ACT testing. -Karen Hinnen

- Shout out to Janessa Jones for covering my class this week. -Karen Hinnen
- Shout out to Patty Baker for help with ACT testing. -Karen Hinnen
- Shout out to Candy Wright for driving the boys to work this week. -Karen Hinnen
- Shout out to Karen Hinnen for being such a good sport! We love you! -Bryna Boldra
- Shout out to Caity Thompson and FFA for providing the teachers and staff with a yummy breakfast! -Bryna Boldra
- Shout out to the Juniors for working hard for 2 days on taking the ACT! -Bryna Boldra
- Shout out to Patty Baker and Karen Hinnen for help administering the ACT and WorkKeys tests! -Bryna Boldra
- Shout out to Crystal Ratcliff and Tammy Brown on being flexible to allow us to use your space for testing. -Bryna Boldra
- Shout out to Gavin Girty and Coach Demel on representing Flinthills Mustangs at State Wrestling! -Bryna Boldra
- Shout out to Chase Casteel and KTOY for a fun visit! -Bryna Boldra
- Shout out to FFA for a delicious breakfast yesterday. -Kristin Sangals
- Shout out to Mr. G for picking up a lot of extra responsibilities but still finding time to interact with our students in a positive way. -Kristin Sangals
- Shout out to my second graders for sharing The Baxter Fund with the KTOY. They practiced several times and were nervous, but they pushed through and did a fantastic job! They have also been preparing for the movie night and will be working the event themselves! -Taylor Walp
- Shout out to Chase & Larry for doing a great job of welcoming the KTOY team! -Taylor Walp
- Shout out to LeNell for letting the second grade take over the kitchen for concessions tonight at the Movie Night in Cassoday! -Taylor Walp
- Shout out to Brooke Hebert and Tresa Garcia for providing popcorn supplies, including the machine, for concessions tonight! -Taylor Walp

- Shout out to the Primary Staff for a great luncheon this week and Marla Edwards for coordinating it! -Taylor Walp
- Shout out to Mrs. Nelson for coming back full swing after being home sick earlier this week! -Taylor Walp
- Shout out to Amanda Dragoo for communicating with the Tanganyika staff for our spring field trip! (Yes, I still have to google how to spell Tanganyika!) -Taylor Walp
- Shout out to Crystal Ratcliff for helping me meet the educational needs of my students and adjusting her schedule to work one-on-one and in small groups with them! -Taylor Walp
- Shout out to the awesome PTO and Community Members who coordinated and supported our Primary Walkathon! Shout out to our students for finding sponsors and giving their all during the event! -Taylor Walp
- Shout out to the entire Flinthills Mustang family! You all made the KTOY visit an amazing experience for all involved. - Casteel
- Shout out to the Intermediate teachers and Mr. Gawith for all of their support and feedback as I finish my last semester of college! -Tammy Brown
- Shout out to Mrs. Cartmell for her work in the office. You are irreplaceable! -Tammy Brown
- Shout out to Gavin Girty and Coach Ryan Demel for making it to the State Wrestling Tournament! -Jeremy Boldra
- Shout out to Mr. Casteel and all involved to make the KTOY visit something very special! -Jeremy Boldra
- Shout out to Miss Thompson and the FFA students who provided a wonderful breakfast Thursday morning! - Jeremy Boldra
- Shout to Amy Brewer for the t-shirts. We appreciate it very much! - Marla Edwards & Trista Martin
- Shout out to Tammy Brown for helping me laminate in preparation for 6th grade science stations! I appreciate all of your help. -Jamie Swafford

*So much
to be
Thankful
for!*

*Sarah Sorum and
Kedryn Morse were
crowned Snowball
King and Queen*



Homecoming King and Queen & The Court



*Clockwise from left:
Kadyn Nuncio and
Kedryn Morse; Sarah
Sorum and Braden
Wight; Lyndee Martin
and Hadley Girty*



MS Scholars Bowl Teams Earn League Champs Titles



Above from left: Jolienne Dragoo, Conner Sigg, Amanda Brown, Sydney Sorum, Alexa Hardin, Levi Beard, Yeva Taylor, Yana Taylor, Emily Scribner, and Alex Scribner



Congratulations to the middle school jv and varsity Scholars Bowl teams. The JV team, led by Sydney Sorum (far left), and including Alexa Hardin, Levi Beard, Yeva Taylor, and Alex Scribner, completed nine rounds with 7 wins at the March 2 League Meet. Team members battled their way to a first place win, earning the title of JV League Champions. Way to go, team!



The Varsity team, led by Amanda Brown, swept the competition with a record nine out of a possible nine wins. They were the only undefeated team in the league at the League Meet. Team members Emily Scribner (far left), Conner Sigg, Yana Taylor, Jolienne Dragoo, and Amanda Brown reminded league teams that last year's championship title was not due to luck. The Varsity team also earned the title of League Champions at the League Meet. Congratulations, teams!



Alumni Band

Six alumni band members joined the Flinthills Pep Band at Homecoming. Stephanie Girty on flute, Justin Grunder on trum-

pet, Ryan Parker and David Scribner on baritones, and Travis Holcomb and Daniel Scribner on drumset played with the regular Pep Band. Laura Scribner said, "It was a good experience playing with people we don't usually get to play with. It was fun, it was loud, and it was energizing!" We plan to make this a Homecoming tradition, so if you are interested in playing with us next year but want some time to practice, contact Mrs. Grover and she will be glad to get you some music.



April 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
			1 SCBL Meeting Ag Mechanics @ McPherson	2 SB/BB @ Leon 4:00	3 Pre- K/Kindergarten Roundup NO Kindergarten SCBL Forensics @ Argonia 8:00 HS TR @ Oxford 3:30 Sports Pic- tures—HS Track	4 Prom Regional Music Festival—Solos & Small Ensem- bles @ Butler Community Col- lege ACT Test
5	6 SB/BB vs. Udall 3:00 Sports Pictures— Softball & Base- ball	7 MS TR @ Eure- ka 2:00	8 State TSA Livestock Evalu- ation @ King- man	9 Spring Par- ties— Primary 2:15 Inter- mediate 2:45 State TSA BB vs. Olpe/Hartford 3:00	10 Good Friday No School State TSA	11
12 Easter	13 No School BOE @ Rosalia 7:00 Staff Develop- ment SB/BB @ Sedan 4:00	14 HS TR @ Eure- ka 3:00 SB/BB vs. Eure- ka 3:00	15 MS TR @ Empo- ria 9:30 State Large Group Music	16 HS TR @ WSU State Large Group Music	17 HS TR @ WSU FFA Banquet & Auction 6:00	18 Regional Foren- sics
19	20 SB/BB vs. CV/Dexter 3:00 FFA District Banquet @ Ren- wick	21 HS TR @ Bur- lington 9:30	22 MS Music Festi- val @ CCCC 8:00	23 MS TR @ Udall 1:30 SB/BB @ How- ard 3:00	24 HS TR @ Fre- donia 3:00	25 Showcase 7:00 State Solos & Small Ensem- bles
26	27 Booster Club 6:00 SB/BB vs. Cen- tral 3:00	28 MS TR @ Flint- hills 2:30	29	30 MS TR @ Eure- ka 2:00		



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