

Hello Everyone,
What a difference a month makes! It's a different world outside than it was last time I wrote, and I have to say I'm pretty happy to be a bit warmer. I hope everyone is enjoying the start of spring, and looking forward to getting outside for work, play, or track.

At the school, we've had a good, if slightly sick, month. We've had a lot of students and staff that have been struck by the many bugs going around currently. Please remember, your students should be 24 hours past any fever, vomiting, or diarrhea before they come back to school. While we value having kids at school, if they are truly sick we definitely don't want them here. Please help us keep all kids and adults here as healthy as possible by following the guidelines above.

Speaking of missing school, spring is always the busiest time in any school. Students are involved in many activities, and tend to miss quite a few days. Please help our teachers and staff out by making sure your students take care of their academic responsibilities when they miss school. While students get 2 days to make up work from any unplanned absence such as being sick, for planned and school-related absences they need to get their assignments ahead of time and stay caught up while gone. At the MS/HS, that means getting a "blue sheet" to track the assignments they will be responsible for so they are on track when they return. If you have an elementary student, please talk to their teacher about any planned absences and get the work they will need to complete ahead of time. Also please make sure to let the school know if there will be absences that are not school-related. In the end, the more prepared your student is prior to an absence, the easier it is for them to stay caught up, be ready for upcoming tests, and reduce their likelihood of falling behind.

Have a great April!

Sincerely,
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Bart K. Hawkins, Superintendent
North Star School District 99M
bhawkins@nsschools.org

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## By: Cooper Clawson \&

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Right now in art we're drawing Dr.Seuss villages, we love art a lot. We prefer art because we get to use are artistic skills in this subject. When we start a new unit in art, Miss Lett tells us how to make what we are drawing.

Also, when we start a new unit and we struggle, Miss Lett will help us because some of us struggle in art. It helps us out. So what we're trying to say that we both love art! Do you like art?


## Writing

By Savannah Schaumloeffel and Adrianna Troup Writing is lots of fun, because you can write your own story. If you like mystery you can write a story about that if you want.
We were doing an assignment on our opinion on coal; whether we want to keep coal or get rid of. Both of us picked a different opinion. One of us picked to keep coal and one of us picked to get rid of coal. It was so much fun!

## Keyboarding

By: Tatum Hansen and Hedy Kessel
Keyboarding is going good! Right now we are doing a book talk of a book of our choice. Currently our keyboarding teacher is Mrs. Campbell. She is a very nice teacher. In the first 10-15 minutes we do Typing Club. The rest of the time we are working on our book talk.


## Social Studies

## By Kinzie Campbell and Sydney Rigg

In social studies, we are working on posters about different Pre-Columbian Native American tribes. The tribe names are, Makan, Hopi, Mandan, Iroquois, and The Creek tribe. Some of the details we have to include about the tribes are, their jobs, homes, location, clothing, food, weapons, tools, and how they used animals and natural resources.

The Makah used 46 foot long canoes to hold a dozen or more men. The Hopi grew 6 different types of corn, blue, red, white, gray, purple, and yellow. When the Mandan hunted buffalo, they drove them off a cliff for food and clothing. The Iroquois used false face masks to scare away spirits that might have caused illness. The Creek tribe had old woman and younger kids to shoo crows away from the crops, just like a human scarecrows.

We also learned about the first peoples that came from Asia on a strip of land called the Bering Land Bridge to North America following herds of wooly mammoths and giant buffalo.

## A.R.

by: Camden Jackson and Quincy McCormick

This is about A.R. This is also our first year. A.R. is similar to Book It, except you get 4 parties instead of 1 party, but that is if you make
 the goal of ten points each quarter. We got a pizza party and quizlet, plus crafts and lego. But we have we have 1 more party (that is gonna be awesome) to do.

The books I recommend are The Land of Stories series by Chris Colfer and Harry Potter series by J.K. Rowling to make the 10 point goal. Some books have a half point and some have a two digit number. We made all 3 A.R. Parties this school year.

I can't promise you'll make A.R. but I believe in YOU!!!!!! But if you read the books above I bet you'd make A.R.!!!!!!!!!! The Land of Stories is $10 \sim 20$ points if you get the test answers correct. Harry Potter is 12~44 A.R. Points. We wish you luck!


## Math

By: Aspynn Cramer and Piper Miller

In our last math unit we were learning about fractions. We learned about equivalent fractions and comparisons. We learned about adding and subtracting fractions. We learned about multiplying fractions by whole numbers. We learned to turn mixed fractions to improper fractions. We learned adding and subtracting mixed numbers. Aspynn's favorite part of our fractions unit was turning mixed fractions to improper fractions. Piper's favorite part of our fraction unit was simplest form. We think that they are all really fun to do.


## Music

by Troy Howendobler and Bailey King This year in music we are learning different notes like the 16th note and the 8th rest. We learn different music like The Hill of the Mountain King and other songs. We also learn instruments like recorders, do partner dances and sing songs. We also learn how to play in a band and how to be in a band to help prepare us for next year. We learn different instruments and how to play them. The music teacher is amazing. Mrs. V (VanWechel) helps the class and we learn a lot of new music in class. Mrs. V works hard to teach us.

## gym

Cole Richey and Aphten Lynch

We been jump roping for 1 and 2 minute club. Now we are doing march madness. March madness is about learning how play basketball and
 you get to learn how to shoot hoops. We talk about we did over the weekend. We run 5 to 7 laps. sometimes we do climbing wall.


## Science By KAGE Peterson AND ISREAL Tavizon

In our last science chapter we learned about the moon phases and planets in our solar system. We learned the smallest hottest planet is Mercury. The coldest planet is Neptune. The biggest planet is Jupiter. The 2nd biggest planet is Saturn. The 3rd biggest is Uranus. The 4th biggest planet is Neptune. The 5th biggest planet is Earth. The 6th biggest planet is Venus. The 7th biggest planet is Mars. The 8th biggest planet is Mercury. The 9th biggest planet is Pluto.


When I started at North Star Schools this fall teaching in the Title 1 position, I had quite a few community members ask what Title 1 is, etc.?
According to the U.S. Department of Education, the purpose of Title 1 funding, "is to ensure that all children have a fair, equal, and significant opportunity to obtain a high quality education and reach, at minimum, proficiency on challenging state academic achievement standards and state academic assessments."

The school uses a few different tests, including Star reading and math tests to identify potential students that could benefit from a little extra assistance in Reading and Math primarily. I then talk to the classroom teacher and inquire if they are seeing the same things in their classroom. If they are then we try to schedule that student in for some extra assistance in the Title 1 venue. Ideally, the student receives some assistance and is eventually able to go back into the classroom for that area. Also a group of teachers will be offering these options during the summer months. So if you think your child might benefit from some extra assistance this summer don't hesitate to talk to me about setting a time up for that.

I would like to thank the teachers/staff/community for the support shown me this year.
-Mr. Rambo


## Attention!

Great Job Opportunity!
Parents, teachers and students are you looking for a fun, flexible summer job? The North Star Pool in Hingham is looking to hire life guards for the 2019 summer season. Life guard training will be provided.
Please contact Kathy in the office for an application and more details.


- 1 in 88 children and 1 in 54 boys have autism
- Autism is the fastest-growing serious developmental disability in the U.S.
- Boys are four times more likely than girls to have autism.
- There is no cure for Autism, but early recognition and therapy can reduce symptoms and support development and learning.
- A neurodevelopmental disorder that affects the brain's ability to process information.


## Wear blue every Tuesday for the month of April help bring awareness of autism!!!




April 1-30, 2019

Bikes for Books will begin April 1 and conclude April 30, 2019. The presentation and drawing will take place on Monday, May 6. Students may have any adult sign their coupon and return them to the Office to be entered into the drawing. There are two divisions: Lower Division (Grades 13) and Upper Division (Grades 4-5). Each student will be given one sheet of coupons to get them started.

Winning students will receive a bike, and will have their photo taken for potential newspaper articles. Please notify the school if your child is not permitted to have their photo taken, in the event they win a bike.


Purchase your 2018-2019 Yearbook for \$45.00. The Deadline to purchase your Yearbook is Thursday April 18, 2019. Only annuals pre-purchased will be ordered. Due to the increased cost of printing, no extra annuals will be ordered. So if you do not pre-purchase your annual now, you will not receive one. Contact Mrs. Kathy Preeshl at the High School by calling 355-4481 or Mrs. Margie Chinadle if you have any questions.


## 8th grade

Top Team - Colton Spicher and Garrett Spicher
2nd place team - Rainee Watson and Brooklyn Hansen
Blue ribbons-Dylon Melby, Ty Hansen
Red ribbons-Laynie Sattoriva, Gavin
Spicher and Porter Ditmar
Other awards -
Broadcom Masters Award Colton and Garrett Rainee and Brooklyn

Best Bibliography - Colton and Garrett best looking board - Ty

## 7th grade

Blue Ribbons- Kira King, Carter Campbell and Michael Berg

## Other awards

Kira - best use of Graphs
Red Ribbons-Quinn Trueax

6th Grade
Blue ribbons - Ecko Fraser, Madelyn Myers

Other awards
3rd place overall single
project - Madelyn
Best Oral Presentation - Madelyn


## 3rd place overall 8th grade Biological Team

Colton Spicher and Garrett Spicher 1st place Team Physics

Rainee Watson and Brooklyn Hansen
Colton and Garrett - Gold
Rainee and Brooklyn - Gold
Dylon Melby - Silver
Ty Hansen - Bronze
Carter Campbell - Silver
Kira King - Silver
Mike Berg - Bronze
Madelyn Myers -Silver
Ecko Fraser -Silver


# DONKEY BASKETBALL April 18, 2019 (Thursday) Rudyard Gym @ 6:30 pm 

ADVANCE TICKETS<br>Adults \$8

Students (7-12) \$6
Children (K-6) \$4

GATE TICKETS
Adults \$9
Students (7-12) \$7
Children (K-6) \$5

Concessions will be available
Sponsored by local area businesses and North Star Heritage Trip
For ADVANCE TICKETS...contact any North Star sophomore or junior

Or call the school at 355-4481


## Montana BPA 2019 State Leadership Conference

The 2019 Montana BPA State Leadership Conference (SLC) was held in Billings, Montana, March 912 at Montana State University-Billings, the Red Lion, and the Billing Hotel \& Convention Center. Members from the North Star Chapter joined approximately 1,238 students and advisors from 80 Montana chapters. Montana Association members gathered to "Watch us Grow" through participation in the areas competitive events, leadership, community development, and professionalism. Opening the general session with the National Anthem was Hayden Massar and Kenidee Wolery. Hayden and Kenidee auditioned in January and were selected by the BPA State Officer Team. Congratulations on an outstanding performance and the honor of being selected. During the three-day conference, students demonstrated their knowledge in business and technological skills and abilities in over 60 competitive events.

North Star's BPA Chapter was represented by eleven members including: Hayden Massar, Bailey Spicher, Topanga Watson, Olivia King, Saige O’Neil, Shayla Borlaug, Kenidee Wolery, Rhett Wolery, Makaila Horinek, Laramie Peterson, and Ian Kapperud. Each of the members advanced to the State BPA Conference because he/she placed in at least one competitive event at the Regional BPA Leadership Conference in January.

2019 State BPA results are as follows:

## Hayden Massar

Advanced Office-4th

## Bailey Spicher

Legal Office Procedures-4th

## Shayla Borlaug

Basic Office Systems \& Procedures-3 ${ }^{\text {rd }}$
Administrative Support Team-4 ${ }^{\text {th }}$

## Saige O'Neil

Medical Office-2 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ **
Administrative Support Team-4 ${ }^{\text {th }}$

## Kenidee Wolery

## Olivia King

Administrative Support Team-4 ${ }^{\text {th }}$
**National qualifiers per North Star CTSO Guidelines

Congratulations to all BPA members on a successful year! Special congratulations to Saige O'Neil for qualifying to attend the National BPA Leadership Conference in Anaheim, CA. Good luck, Saige!


## North Star Shines at State FCCLA

North Star FCCLA members recently returned from the State Leadership Conference in Bozeman. The conference in Bozeman was held on the Montana State University Campus. Students were able to try out the new Rendezvous Dining Hall
 for lunch which was quite an experience. Keynote speaker this year was Jessie Funk who spoke about succeeding through emotional intelligence and resilience. She spoke, sang and captivated the audience with her funny stories and life experiences.

North Star FCCLA sent in an awards application for the 2019 Traffic Safety project they completed. To our great surprise, North Star won the $1^{\text {st }}$ place award for their project with an emphasis on drowsy driving. The students received many complements on their month long education approach to changing habits and the quality of the programming they presented. North Star FCCLA received a $\$ 2,500.00$ check from the National Road Safety Foundation and the Montana Department of Transportation for their efforts.

The chapter has 5 members who qualified for National FCCLA with their STAR events. Taking first place and earning a gold medal in the National Programs in Action STAR Event team of Paij Peterson, Shayla Borlaug and Olivia King who planned and facilitated the month long traffic safety program at North Star Schools. Qualifying for National competition with a gold medal and second place in Entrepreneurship is Bailey Spicher for his business plan to start a Financial Advising company. The final recipient of a trip to National FCCLA is Daniel Nerat who earned a gold medal and a second place finish in Food Innovation with his project "Indulgent Cheesecake." Also earning a Top 5 recognition was Kenidee Wolery in Career Investigation and Jade Wendland in Food Innovations. The final competitors for North Star were Katie Berg and Autumn Henke who earned a silver medal in Interpersonal Communication. These FCCLA members were an amazing group of individuals who represented their school and their community very well.

The National Qualifiers along with their adviser, Margie Chinadle will be heading to Anaheim, CA the end of June for competition. A big thank you to these students, their parents and the entire community for the support shown to FCCLA and these students. We were accompanied to Bozeman this year by Kathy Preeshl who chaperoned and Charlie Chvilicek who drove the bus to Bozeman. Thank you to these individual for sharing their time and expertise with FCCLA.


## Upcoming Events:

## April

5th—District Music Festival in Shelby
8th-10th--State SkillsUSA (No School Monday) 10th—Montana Shakes! Performance/Workshops
19th-22nd-Easter Break
26th—Mid-Quarter
May:
3-4th—State Music Festival in Missoula
8th—District Track \& Field in Havre
9th—Elementary Spring Concert-Gildford 6:30
15th—Triangle Telephone/Hill Co. Electric Youth Coop DayGildford
16th—Divisional Track \& Field in Great Falls
18th—Graduation-Rudyard @2pm
23rd—Student Last Day/End of Qtr. 1:30p early out
24-25th—State Track \& Field in Laurel
27th—Memorial Day

## NANCY REYNOLD'S MEMORIAL

## SCHOLARSHIP

Scholarships will be awarded in memory of Nancy Reynolds to students pursuing a degree at an institution of higher education. Applicants must be a graduating senior living within the former boundaries of the KG School District or a graduate of KG High School. Priority will be given to candidates who have completed at least two full semesters or three full quarters at a college or university. Applicants must possess a good academic record, show a desire to better themselves and have a need. The amount of the scholarship will be determined by the number of students chosen to receive the award. The recipients of the scholarship will be announced at the North Star Graduation on May 18, 2019. Anyone interested in the scholarship may pick up an application by contacting Ginny Reynolds 265-9785, Kathy Preeshl 355-4481 (W), 376-3183 (H), or you may pick up applications at North Star High School.

The completed scholarship application must be returned to Ginny Reynolds, 570 Road 403 N., Havre, MT 59501, on or before Wednesday May 1, 2019. Please allow sufficient time for Post Office to deliver application by Wednesday May 1, 2019.

## REGISTER NOW!

Montana DRIVE One-Day Summer Workshops June 3 through August 8, 2019

Learn to respond safely to driving risks and become a better driver!


Come to Lewistown this summer for a fun and active behind-thewheel workshop that improves driver skill and confidence. All drivers are welcome and training costs less than a crunched bumper.

For drivers over 55, the completion of this workshop can lower auto insurance premiums. Check with your insurance agent to learn more.

## Space is limited and workshops fill up quickly. \$10 off if registered by March 5.

TO REGISTER: Visit Montana_DRIVE for registration details and 2019 workshop calendar. All workshop participants must pre-register and pre-pay the workshop. The cost for a one-day adult workshop is $\$ 330$. Register by March 5 for an early registration discount of $\$ 10.00$. Submit your registration online, receive an invoice, and pay within 30 days.

TEEN WORKSHOPS: Montana DRIVE Teen Week is scheduled for July 2226. Registration for the teen workshops will begin in March.

Since 1979 our professional driving instructors have trained more than 14,000 drivers in off-road recovery, skid control, and evasive maneuvers. Montana DRIVE summer workshops include two hours of classroom instruction and six hours driving vehicles on a safe, closed track adjacent to the Lewistown Airport. The one-day workshop is limited to 12 drivers per day. Watch our YouTube video for an introduction to some of the driving exercises featured in the workshop.

Share this announcement with co-workers, friends, and family. And please register early to get the workshop day you want.

For more information, call: (406) 444-4432 or e-mail questions to montanadrive@mt.gov.
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## HEDA's Attic

Thrifty for you
(N. door) Hingham School

Open 9-12pm
1st \& 2nd Saturday Each Month
To help with your donations
Call or txt
Jason. 406-551-0864. Rose. 406-262-4675
Bill. 406-390-1911 Grace. 406-539-7638
Brent. 406-390-2627. Jessica. 406-680-7084
Sharon. (Txt only) 406-390-4464
We have housewares, kids clothes, kids skis, golf clubs(3 sets), Material, puzzles, antique items and collectibles

HEDA also offers gym memberships, Gym / Lunchroom rentals

Or join
Laurie Chvilicek \& Chvilicek Music (N.door) Monday thru Thursday
Jessica Wall \& Farm Fitness (s.door) Tuesday's and Thursdays
Also remember our Duffers Golf Tournament in June

# Transcripts 

Beginning with the Class of 2019 and subsequent classes, transcript requests can be made electronically through Parchment. Transcripts are free for two years following graduation. After that, there is a $\$ 3.15$ fee that will be collected by Parchment. Destinations such as colleges, NCAA, Common Application or yourself can be requested. In three easy steps, you can order your transcript:

1. Register for your free account at parchment.com. 2. Request your transcript.
2. Track your transcript. A student can not only request a transcript but explore and compare colleges and analyze admissions data. Visit parchment.com. If you need further assistance, contact Rose Spinler or Carol Tempel.


## Box Tops

North Star Elementary is once again collecting Box Tops for Education this year. You can find them on various grocery and sundry items, clip them out, gather them up, and turn them in to the Elementary. Then, three times a year they are submitted to Box Tops headquarters and we get a check in return. The money earned has been used toward purchase of playground equipment and recreation supplies for our students. Collecting Box Tops is a great activity for kids as they are not only helping out our school, they can practice their cutting skills. Please double check that you are not submitting any expired Box Tops and do your best to cut them out accurately. If you have any questions, contact Katie in the Elementary Office. Thank you for helping contribute to our school!

2019 T-BALL/BASEBALL REGISTRATION FORM
Ages: Just finished kindergarten to 13 years old
Please return this form to Rachel Berg by April 15 ${ }^{\text {th }}$.
You can mail it to: Rachel Berg - PO Box 26 - Kremlin, MT 59532
For questions or information, contact Rachel at (406) 372-3225
Signup deadline is May $1^{\text {st }}$ so we know if we have enough kids!
CHILD'S NAME:
AGE: $\qquad$ DATE OF BIRTH: $\qquad$
ADDRESS: $\qquad$ CITY: $\qquad$ ST: $\qquad$ ZIP: $\qquad$
PHONE: $\qquad$ CELL: $\qquad$ EMAIL: $\qquad$

## PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME(S):

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Please make your check payable to Rudyard Community Commercial Club. There is a fee of \$25 per child to play either $t$-ball or baseball. You can follow practice and game times and updates on Facebook at: https://www.facebook.com/NorthStarTBallAndBaseball

If you are interested in volunteering please let Rachel know what you would like to help with! Thank you.
I give permission for my child(ren)/dependent to participate in the programs offered by Rudyard Community Commercial Club. I understand that although these activities are relatively safe, the possibility exists that my child may suffer injury or even death. With this in mind, I release the Rudyard Community Commercial Club and its officers, board members, parents, coaches, and umpires from all liability should either of the above occur.

