

The Huskies Leader

From Brad Best, Superintendent...

To our parents and supporters,

The start of the 2014-2015 school year is here. We welcome five new faculty members this year.

Sadie Houck – Mrs. Houck is our new elementary school principal and will be in her first year as a school administrator. She earned her Bachelor's degree in elementary and special education from Nebraska Wesleyan and her Master's degree in educational administration from the University of Nebraska – Kearney.

Laura Smith – Mrs. Smith filled in for us as a long-term substitute in the area of mathematics this last school year. We welcome her as a full-time staff member for this coming school year. She received her degree from Concordia University.

Matt Maltberger – Mr. Maltberger joins us as a veteran teacher in the area of social studies. He earned his Bachelor's degree from Bethel College and his Master's degree from Peru State. Mr. Maltberger will be helping with the junior high sports program, as well.

Anne Regier – Mrs. Regier will teach Family and Consumer Science for us this year. She has worked at the school as a para-professional the last couple of years and has prior teaching experience in Henderson and Hampton. Anne earned her degree from Doane College.

Jillian Schernikau – Mrs. Schernikau is a graduate of the University of Nebraska – Lincoln and will be teaching Spanish for us this next school year.

Over the summer many projects have been done. These include a complete renovation of both the secondary and elementary libraries, carpeting in several classrooms, air conditioning units in the elementary classrooms, a security door system, an update to our security cameras, a storage building, new theater doors, an academic recognition wall, and gallons of fresh paint. We will be entering year two of our 1:1 laptop initiative, as well.

Have a great last couple weeks of summer break!

Upcoming Dates

August 4, 2014

7th Grade & any new student Orientation @ 7:00pm

August 5-8, 2014

8-12th Computer Distribution 8:00-4:00pm

August 11, 2014

Start of Fall Practice for Football & G Golf Board & Staff Supper @ 6:30

School Board Meeting @ 8:00pm

August 11-12, 2014

Teacher Professional Development

August 13, 2014

First day of School-Ddismiss @ 11:40am

August 14, 2014

First Full Day of School

August 18, 2014

Start of Fall Practice for Volleyball

August 29, 2014

VB/FB Fall Scrimmage-5:30-8:00pm

Fall Sports Parent Meeting @ 7:00pm

September 1, 2014

Labor Day-**NO SCHOOL**

September 6, 2014

Yorkfest Parade

September 10, 2014

Husker Harvest Days

September 13, 2014

ACT Test Date

September 15, 2014

Teacher Professional Development-**NO SCHOOL**



The 2014-2015 School Bus Route

North Central Route: Bus Driver: Jim Dyer, - Paul Buller, Rick Hiebner, Mark Stamp, Justin Goertzen, Greg Boehr, Matthew Epp, Brad Epp, Lonnie Quiring, Lowell Duerksen, Jeremy Janzen, Nathan Panko & Grant Schmidt.

Southeast Route: Bus Driver: (TBA), -Brent Swartzendruber, Troy Hiebner, Genny Sterling, Mark Kliewer, Steve Hiebner, Al Schaldecker & Jenny Paitz.

North Bradshaw Route: Bus Driver: Marcia Traudt, - Jim Fisher, Roger Spencer, Craig Quiring, Lukus Monnier, Aumer Argueta, David Morrison, Laird McCormick, Justin Rea, Jane Hoffschneider, Kristin Grady, John Scott Goertzen & Rick Glinnman.

West Route: Bus Driver: David Clayton, -Doug Ott, Jared Goertzen, Mark Nunnenkamp, Justin Ott, Henry Ginter, Jerry Huebert, Gentry Friesen, Gibbon Friesen, Mark Thiesen, Brandon Ogorzolka, Brad Janzen & Jay Dee Janzen.

Breakfast/Lunch Prices for 2014-15

Breakfast and lunch prices have been set for the 2014-15 school year. Lunch prices for students in grades K-6 are \$2.65 per meal, 7th-12th are \$2.75, employees are \$3.30 and guests are \$4.00. Students who qualify for reduced price meals will pay \$0.40. Breakfast prices are \$1.50 for students and \$1.75 for adults. Students who qualify for reduced price meals will pay \$0.20. The milk price is \$0.40.

Kindergarten students will have their afternoon milk included in their lunch accounts. This amount is entered on your child's lunch account every two weeks.

We ask that all families keep their lunch accounts in a positive balance.

A note will be sent home with your child every week when the account reaches a balance of \$10;.00 or below.

ADMISSION PRICES

The Heartland Community Schools admission prices for the 2014-2015 school year are as follows:

Students K-12 \$4.00

Adults \$5.00

Seniors (65+) \$2.00

Jr. High events: \$2.00

(Students 6th grade and below must be accompanied by an adult to be admitted on a family pass).

Family Passes

\$175.00 per family

\$75.00 per single adult

\$50.00 per student

No Child Left Behind Act

The new federal legislation included in the "No Child Left Behind Act" requires that schools release the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of all students in grades 9-12 to any military and/or college recruiters that request them. Parents have the right to request that this information not be released without their permission. All parents of students in grades 9-12 will receive a letter with a waiver form attached. This form needs to be filled out and returned to the school to block your child's name from being released. If you do not receive a letter and form, please call the school office and one will be sent to you. If you have any questions, please call the school office, 402-723-4434 for further information.

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FIVE HEARTLAND FBLA MEMBERS WIN NATIONAL AWARDS

Nashville, Tennessee, is known as music city and home to the Grand Ole Opry, Country Music Hall of Fame and the General Jackson Showboat—a place where over 10,000 future business leaders experienced Excellence in Action.

Future Business Leaders of America held its National Leadership Conference at the Gaylord Opryland Resort and Convention Center from June 28 to July 3. **Allison Braun, Bailey Carr, Tyler Brown, Cody Kroeker, Kaitlyn Quiring, Colton Siebert, Leslie Braun** and **Ethan Hall** along with adviser **Kristy Most** participated in the weeklong conference activities. Nebraska FBLA was represented by 300 members and advisers who attended the conference to compete at the national level.

While in Nashville, members had the opportunity to network with members from across the nation, listen to workshop presenters and explore the city. On the first night, the delegation enjoyed a buffet supper at Wildhorse Saloon and participated in country line dancing. The next morning they toured the Grand Ole Opry House. At the conference, members listened to Keynote Speaker Sabrina Thompson, who shared her multiple careers involving her

passions of media, art and activism. The next two days were filled with competitive tests ranging from Entrepreneurship to Marketing. Heartland members also enjoyed a tour of the Country Music Hall of Fame and dinner on the General Jackson Showboat.

At the Awards of Excellence Program, Nebraska FBLA won 30 competitive event awards. Heartland FBLA brought home 10 percent of those awards.

The Entrepreneurship team of **Allison Braun, Cody Kroeker** and **Colton Siebert** placed fourth in the nation. They also received a cash award of \$300. This was Allison's fourth time to attend a national conference and her third national award during her high school years. This was Colton's third time to attend a national conference and his first national award and Cody's first time to attend a national conference and his first national award.

Ethan Hall placed seventh and **Leslie Braun** placed tenth in Introduction to Business. This was their first attendance at a national leadership conference. Also competing at Nationals were **Bailey Carr** and **Tyler Brown** in Marketing and **Kaitlyn Quiring** in Business Law.

Congratulations to the Heartland competitors on another successful FBLA conference!



Front Row: Allison Braun, Leslie Braun, Bailey Carr & Kaitlyn Quiring. Back Row: Tyler Brown, Cody Kroeker, Colton Siebert & Ethan Hall.



The Entrepreneurship Team : L to R: Colton Siebert, Allison Braun & Cody Kroeker.



Left to Right: Leslie Braun & Ethan Hall

2014 FFA COLT CONFERENCE

On May 19th, seven new Heartland FFA officers: **Parker Goertzen**, President; **Paige Mestl**, Vice President; **Lydia Quiring**, Parliamentarian; **Cole Nickels**, Sentinel; **Vanessa Hiebner**, Treasurer; **Bailey Ulmer**, Secretary; and **Addie Swartzendruber**, Reporter, along with Advisor **Stephanie Miller**, attended COLT Conference at the Leadership Center in Aurora, Nebraska.

The Chapter officers from all over Nebraska joined together to learn, improve skills, and “develop those qualities of leadership, which an FFA member should possess”. During the three day conference, there were a total of eleven sessions that ranged from discovering personal strengths to working together as a team in chapters. Not only did members learn how to be leaders, but friendship was grown between officers in and out of chapters, and the evenings were great quality bonding times. All students were able to meet and communicate with the 2014-2015 Nebraska State FFA Officers, as well as Brian Walsh, the National FFA President.

COLT would not have been possible without the State Officers, sponsors, advisors, and donations from the community.



Back Row: L to R: Parker Goertzen, Cole Nickels & Lydia Quiring. Front Row: L to R: Addie Swartzendruber, Vanessa Hiebner, Paige Mestle & Bailey Ulmer.

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Class of 2015: There are many ways to receive scholarship and college planning information:

1. **Email:** All students have been added to a group called Class of 2015. I would like to have at least one parent also receiving emails. Please email me at lkoehler@heartlandschools.net with your email address that you frequently check. This will be a primary method of distributing info to seniors.
2. **Remindrx:** This is a texting service that will send short reminders/announcements about deadlines and other info. Parents and students are encouraged to join. Text @dfcd2 to (402)718-8594 to start receiving messages.
3. **Twitter and/or Facebook:** “Like” or “Follow” these pages to tons of great college planning info: EducationQuest, John Baylor Test Prep, Heartland Schools, and ACTStudent.
4. **Jr Sr Newsletter:** will be published once a month. It will be mailed or emailed to parents & students.
5. **Web Page:** go to www.heartlandschools.org - Click on ‘Counselor Corner’ to find info about college planning, financial aid, scholarships, dual credit classes and more!



Fifth Grade



Heartland students had the opportunity to share their "genius" with the ESU6 board of directors at their June board meeting. Josie McCormick and Lauren Quiring are shown sharing their projects. After sharing his project, Jordan Huebert was allowed to try out Google Glass with the help of Dr. Lynne Herr.



Josie McCormick presenting her project.



Lauren Quiring presenting her project.



Jordan Huebert trying out the google glass.

Dear Heartland Families,

Welcome to the 2014-2015 school year at Heartland Community Schools! The first day of school is quickly approaching – **Wednesday, August 13, 2014**. The staff and I are thrilled to share a year of learning together with all of our wonderful Heartland Huskies.

Back to School Night will be **Tuesday, August 12, 2014 beginning at 7:15pm in the Old Gym**. This is for all PK-6th grade students and their parents/guardians. Preschool orientations will be 6:30-7:15pm and 7:30-8:15pm. After our opening in the gym, K-6th grade students and their parents/guardians will meet in their respective classrooms. You will receive several forms this evening; some of which will require your signature. Please be sure to return these to the school as soon as possible. This will be a great time for us to get together before school begins the following day.

The community members, Heartland staff, and many others have made my family feel very welcome and fortunate to be in such a great community. We look forward to getting to know everyone! My husband Zane is enjoying work at Quiring Farms. Our son Tucker will be in the 2nd grade and is looking forward to science class and reading. Our 2 ½ year old EmyJay is eager to begin daycare and join preschool in the winter.

Thank you for your continued commitment to your child's education and unwavering dedication to Heartland Community Schools.

See you soon!

Sadie N. Houck

Elementary Principal



Elementary Principal

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Asbestos Notification

The Environmental Protection Agency regulation requires that all patrons and employees of the Heartland Community Schools be notified as to the location of asbestos-containing materials in the school building.

Recent inspections conducted by ATC Environmental, Inc. of Omaha confirmed earlier inspections containing asbestos particles in several locations in the school. These are located in the old gym, the stage and several maintenance storage areas. Although the pipe insulation does contain asbestos particles, ATC Environmental Inc. found them to be properly encapsulated and therefore pose no threat to the students or employees of Heartland Community Schools.

Management plans, as required by law, have been filed with the State Health Department and should the materials become damaged in any way, the proper action will be taken by school personnel to insure a safe environment for all students and employees. School Maintenance Director, Matt Quiring has received special training, as required by the EPA, to deal with any asbestos related incidents. If any employees have questions or observe any damage to any asbestos covered materials, they should contact the superintendent's office. A detailed diagram of existing asbestos locations in the school building may be obtained from the superintendent's office. A copy of the management plan is available for public inspection in the superintendent's office.

e-Funds

We will be offering a new option to parents to electronically pay for lunches, fees, and other items. If you bank or pay bills electronically, the system will operate very similar, allowing you to send funds electronically rather than writing multiple checks. We will be contracting with a third party that works with schools across the country and only charges the parent \$1.00 per payment. We will be sending out additional information in the near future. Some of the advantages of e-Funds are:

- **Parents can eliminate the worry that their children could lose checks or cash for payment of school activities.**
- **The service requires a simple, one-time registration and has continued ease of use for the parent.**
- **Payments can be made 24 hours a day from the parent's checking account.**
- **During a single visit, parents can fund lunch accounts and pay for other school activities for all their children with one payment.**
- **Automated payments, which can be activated by parents, assures lunch fund(s) are replenished on a scheduled basis, preventing their child's lunch account from being short of funds.**
- **Each time a payment is made, the system sends an e-mail to the parent providing them with a payment confirmation.**
- **Parents may view online payment history for the entire school year**

Security Doors

We will have a new security system in place for the beginning of the school year. During school hours, doors to the building will automatically lock. Visitors during the school day will need to enter through the main entrance and use the intercom to request entry and have an office staff member "buzz you in". The doors will be unlocked before and after school as in the past.













Non-Discrimination Policy

The school district does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, marital status, age, or handicap in admission or access to or treatment of employment, in its program and activities. If any patron or employee feels they have been discriminated against by any school employee, please contact Superintendent, Brad Best, High School Principal, Tim Carr or Elementary Principal, Sadie Houck.



August



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
3 	4	5 	6	7	8 	9
10	11	12 	13 Back to School! (NO LUNCH)	14 Teriyaki Chicken Rice Steamed Broccoli Fruit & Veggie Bar	15 Cold Sandwich Fries Fruit & Veggie Bar 	16
17	18 Pizza Corn Slushies Fruit & Veggie Bar 	19 Pig in the Blanket Baked Beans Steamed Broccoli Fruit & Veggie Bar	20 Hamburger's Fries Fruit & Veggie Bar 	21 Spaghetti Green Beans Dinner Roll Fruit & Veggie Bar	22 Taco's Corn Half Long John Fruit & Veggie Bar 	23
24 	25 Chicken Nuggets M.P./Gravy Dinner Roll Fruit & Veggie Bar	26 Sloppy Joe Fries Fruit & Veggie Bar	27 Baked Potato Bar Chicken Strips Corn Bread Fruit & Veggie Bar	28 Taco Salad Corn Mini Donut Fruit & Veggie Bar 	29 Grilled Chicken Sandwich Fries Fruit & Veggie Bar	30
31						~~Menu subject to change~~



September



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	 1	2 Hotdogs Baked Beans Steamed Broccoli Fruit & Veggie Bar	3 Pizza Corn Slushies Fruit & Veggie Bar	4 Turkey Club Sand. Fries Fruit & Veggie Bar	5 BBQ Meatballs Green Beans Corn Bread Fruit & Veggie Bar	6
7	8 Sloppy Joe Fries Fruit & Veggie Bar	9 Chicken Strips M.P./Gravy Dinner Roll Fruit & Veggie Bar	10 Hamburger's Fries Fruit & Veggie Bar	11 Enchilada's Corn Fruit & Veggie Bar	12 Chicken Fried Steak M.P./Gravy Dinner Roll Fruit & Veggie Bar	13
14	15 No School	16 Chicken Alfredo Steamed Broccoli Fruit & Veggie Bar	17 Spaghetti Green Beans Dinner Roll Fruit & Veggie Bar	18 Pork Tenderloin M.P./Gravy Dinner Roll Fruit & Veggie Bar	19 Max Cheese Sticks Corn Fruit & Veggie Bar	20
21	22 Crisпитos Peas Fruit & Veggie Bar Autumn	23 Pizza Corn Slushies Fruit & Veggie Bar	24 Teriyaki Chicken Rice Steamed Broccoli Fruit & Veggie Bar	25 Chicken Nuggets M.P./Gravy Dinner Roll Fruit & Veggie Bar	26 Cold Sandwich Fries Fruit & Veggie Bar	27
28	29 Chicken Fajitas Corn Blueberry Muffin Fruit & Veggie Bar	30 Chili Cinnamon Roll Saltine Fruit & Veggie Bar				<i>Menu subject to change</i>

August 2014

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
27 All Gyms Closed	28 Preschool-2...ts @ 10:00am	29 3rd-6th Gra...rts @ 9:00am	30 York County Fair	31 York County Fair	1 York County Fair	2 York County Fair
3 York County Fair	4 7:00 PM 7th Grade and New Students Orientation @ 7:00pm	5 8th-12th Grade Computer Distribution 8:00-4:00PM Grace to Timberlake 4:00 PM Flag Camp @ 4:00	6 8th-12th Grade Computer Distribution 8:00-4:00PM	7 10:00 AM Heartland 4-6th Grade Football Camp 10:00-12:00	8 10:00 AM Heartland 4-6th Grade Football Camp 10:00-12:00	9 10:00 AM Heartland 4-6th Grade Football Camp 10:00-12:00
10 Teachers Pr...evelopment Start Fall Pra...otball/G Golf 8:00 PM School Board Meeting	11 Teachers Pr...evelopment Start Fall Pra...otball/G Golf 8:00 PM School Board Meeting	12 Teachers Pro...opment Day 6:30 PM Preschool-Parent/Child Orientation 7:15 PM Back to School Night PK-6th	13 8:15 AM First day of school-Ddismiss @ 11:40	14 First Full Day of School	15 First Full Day of School	16 First Full Day of School
17 Start Fall Pr...or Volleyball 12:30 PM NHS Officers Meeting @ lunch 7:00 PM FFA/FBLA Meeting	18 Start Fall Pr...or Volleyball 12:30 PM NHS Officers Meeting @ lunch 7:00 PM FFA/FBLA Meeting	19 12:30 PM NHS Meeting @ lunch	20 12:30 PM Art Club Meeting @ lunch	21 11:00 AM G Golf Scramble Central City (A) 11:00AM	22 11:00 AM G Golf Scramble Central City (A) 11:00AM	23 11:00 AM G Golf Scramble Central City (A) 11:00AM
24 FFA @ State Fair	25 3:30 PM Team Photos	26 3:30 PM Team Photos	27 3:30 PM Team Photos	28 4:00 PM G Golf Triangular Superior/E-M 4:00 TBA	29 FFA @ State Fair 5:30 PM VB Scrimmage @ 5:30PM 7:30 PM FB Scrimmage @ 7:30PM	30 FFA @ State Fair 5:30 PM VB Scrimmage @ 5:30PM 7:30 PM FB Scrimmage @ 7:30PM
31 FFA @ State Fair	1 Labor Day-No School Labor Day	2 4:00 PM G Golf Triangular E-M/Trinity Lutheran 4:00-TBA 6:30 PM One Act Auditions	3 4:00 PM G Golf Triangular E-M/Trinity Lutheran 4:00-TBA 6:30 PM One Act Auditions	4 9:00 AM G Golf Invitational GICC (A) 9:00AM 6:00 PM Varsity Volleyball Triangular - Wilber/Sandy Creek @ Wilber 6:00/7:00/8:00	5 9:00 AM G Golf Invitational @ TRI-County (A) 9:00AM 7:00 PM Football-McCool Junction (H) @ 7:00PM	6 Yorkfest

September 2014

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
31 FFA @ State Fair	1 Labor Day-No School Labor Day	2 4:00 PM G Golf Triangular E-M/Trinity Lutheran 4:00-TBA 6:30 PM One Act Auditions	3 Husker Harvest Days	4 9:00 AM G Golf Invitational GICC (A) 9:00AM 6:00 PM Varsity Volleyball Triangular - Wilber/Sandy Creek @ Wilber 6:00/7:00/8:00	5 9:00 AM G Golf Invitational @ Tri-County (A) 9:00AM 7:00 PM Football-McCool Junction (H) @ 7:00PM	6 Yorkfest
7	8 7:45 AM NHS Recycling @ 7:45AM 12:30 PM NHS Meeting @ lunch 5:00 PM J H Football Trinity Lutheran (A) 5:00 7:00 PM FFA/FBLA Meeting 8:00 PM School Board Meeting	9 12:30 PM Art Club Meeting @ lunch 4:00 PM G Golf Dual Fullerton (A) 4:00	10 Husker Harvest Days	11 9:00 AM G Golf Invitational St. Cecilia (A) 9:00 5:30 PM Varsity Volleyball Dual-Thayer Central-5:30/6:30/7:30 (A)	12 7:00 PM Football-Nebraska Christian (A) @ 7:00PM	13 ACT Test 8:30 AM Varsity Volleyball Tournament -Cedar Rapids-8:30AM @ Midland
14	15 Teacher Prof...nt-No School 9:00 AM G Golf Invitational Fairbury (A) 9:00 4:00 PM J H Volleyball Dual Sandy Creek (A) 4:00 4:30 PM J H Football Osceola (H) 4:30	16 3:00 PM G Golf Triangular E-M/Aurora 3:00 @ Friend 5:30 PM Varsity Volleyball Dual Fillmore Central @ H 5:30/6:30/7:30pm	17	18 4:30 PM J H Volleyball Dual Sutton (H) 4:30 5:30 PM Varsity Volleyball Dual @ Cross County 5:30/6:30/7:30	19 7:00 PM Football-Blue Hill (H) @ 7:00PM	20
21	22 JV Football F...0PM @ Friend 4:30 PM J H Volleyball Dual Fillmore Central (H) 4:30 4:30 PM J H Football McCool Junction (A) 4:30 6:30 PM C-Team & JV Volleyball Dual Seward 5:30/6:30 @ (H)	23 8:00 AM FBLA Fall Leadership Conference-Kearney 10:00 AM G Golf Invitational Fullerton (A) 10:00 5:00 PM Varsity Volleyball Dual Hampton 5:00/6:00/7:00 @ Hampton	24 9:00 AM Careers In Ag Day @ York 9:00am	25 12:30 PM Jostens Meeting for Sophomores and Seniors 5:30 PM Varsity Volleyball Dual Harvard @ H 5:30/6:30/7:30	26 7:00 PM Football-High Plains (H) @ 7:00PM	27 9:00 AM Varsity Volleyball Tournament @ Southern -9:00am 9:00 AM JV Volleyball-Tournament Meridian 9:00am @ Meridian
28	29 4:30 PM K-12 Parent-Teacher Conferences 4:30-8:30pm 4:30 PM J H Football Giltner (H) 4:30 6:30 PM JV Football Giltner (H) 6:30	30 Varsity Volley...t. Cecilia-TBA 4:00 PM G Golf Quadangular Adams Central/St. Cecilia/Superior @ Adams Central 4:00	1	2 Varsity Volley...t. Cecilia-TBA 4:30 PM J H Volleyball Dual Fullerton 4:30/5:30 @ Fullerton 4:30 PM K-12 Parent-Teacher Conferences 4:30-8:30pm	3 No School 11:00 AM FFA Harvest Meal 7:00 PM Football-Humphrey/Lindsay Holy Family (A) @ 7:00PM	4 Harvest of Harmony 9:00 AM J H Volleyball Tournament-St. Cecilia 7:00 PM Varsity Volleyball Triangular-Friend/BDS 7:00/8:00/9:00pm @ Friend



2014-2015

School Year Calendar

Heartland Community Schools

AUGUST
 11 Professional Development
 12 Professional Development
 13 First Day Of School Dismiss 11:40AM

SEPTEMBER
 1 Labor Day (No School)
 15 Professional Development (No School)
 29 K-12 Parent-Teacher Conferences 4:30-8:30pm

OCTOBER
 2 K-12 Parent-Teacher Conferences 4:30-8:30pm
 3 No School
 17 End Of 1st Nine Weeks (45 Days)
 20 Professional Development (No School)

NOVEMBER
 26 Dismiss at 2:00 p.m.
 27 Fall Break (No School)
 28 Fall Break (No School)

DECEMBER
 19 End Of 2nd Quarter (42 Days)
 End Of 1st Semester (87 Days)
 22 Winter Break (December 22-
 January 5)
 24-28 NSAA moratorium (no gyms open)

JANUARY
 5 Professional Development (No School)
 6 Begin Second Semester

FEBRUARY
 9 K-12 Parent/Teacher Conferences 4:30-8:30pm
 12 K-12 Parent/Teacher Conferences 4:30-8:30pm
 13 No School
 16 Professional Development (No School)

MARCH
 6 End Of 3rd Nine Weeks (42 Days)
 13 No School
 23 Professional Development (No School)

APRIL
 3 Spring Break (No School)
 6 Spring Break (No School)

MAY
 10 2:30PM Commencement
 15 Dismiss at 11:30 am (earliest possible dismissal)
 End of School Year (175 Days)
 End of 2nd Semester (88 Days)
 End of 4th Quarter (46 Days)
 18 Professional Development (Total Contract
 Days-185)
 22 Latest Possible dismissal

August S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	September S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30	October S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31
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- Professional Development —No School
- ★ Parent/Teacher Conferences
- / Vacation Day (No School)
- ◇ No School
- Beginning/End of Semester / End of 9 Weeks

Heartland Community Schools

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PLEASE READ:
 The last day of school will depend upon the number of snow days used. Currently the earliest last day is May 15th. If we use one snow day, the last day of school will move to May 18th, two snow days, May 19th, etc. Our latest end of the year will be May 22nd. We may need to make other adjustments to the calendar if we need more than 5 additional days.



REMINDER

All 7th grade and Kindergarten physicals must be completed before school starts. If your child is participating in sports, their athletic physicals must be completed and turned into the office before they can participate.

Physicals can be scheduled at Henderson Health Care between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Payment is required at the time of service.

Physical forms are available in the high school office, at Henderson Health Care, or on the school web page www.heartlandschools.org under the "For Students" tab.

If you are new in the district, please come in and register your students as soon as possible! Call the school office at 402-723-4434 to make arrangements.

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