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KHS PRESENTS THREE ONE ACTS IN 2015 FALL PLAY

KHS ATHLETE OF THE WEEK



BY COLE STOUT

Megan Adam has had a great swimming season this year. The swimming season is from August to November. Megan is in Sprint Freestyle, 200 Individual Medley (IM), and she swims breaststroke in the Medley Relay. When she started out the year, she was looking forward to getting to spend time with her friends and trying to improve her Sprint Freestyle events and cutting her time. She said her ultimate achievement would be to make it to State. Megan's motto is "Good, better, best, never let it rest until your good is better and your better is the best." Her best time in the 100 Freestyle was 56.67, the 50 Freestyle was 26.36, and she was Co-Captain for the 2015 year. Recently, Megan placed 6th in the 200 Individual Medley at the North Central Swim Conference and 4th in the 100 Freestyle. Megan also received Academic All-Conference and was voted Athlete of the Year. She says her favorite part about this sport is "the harder you work in practice the more time you get, and the hard work really does pay off."

FFA NATIONAL CONVENTION

BY AVERY CONRAD

Recently the Keota FFA Chapter took a trip down to Louisville, Kentucky for the FFA National Convention. The Keota Conduct of Meetings team competed at the National level for a National title where they did not fail to impress. During the National Convention, the Chapter got the opportunity to tour and experience many new things. They went on a total of three tours while they were in Louisville. The first was to the Fair Oaks Dairy Farm. Fair Oaks is one of the largest dairy farms in the United States. They have over 30,000 cows and over 30,000 acres. The next tour the chapter went on was to Schimps Confectionery. This confectionery makes all their candy by hand. Schimps is an antique candy making store that is known for its old style craftsmanship. The next tour that the chapter went on was to the Louisville Slugger Bat Factory. There they got to walk through the factory to see how all of the Louisville Slugger bats are made. In between the tours, the chapter went to the National Convention where they had the opportunity to converse with FFA chapters from around the country. They also got to participate in many hands on learning activities while at the convention.

MYSTERY PHOTO

Last week's Mystery Photo was of our school secretary, Andrea Striegel. Congratulations to Patrick Clarahan for being the first person to guess it correctly! He wins a bag of candy of his choice. Stay tuned in the future for more Mystery Photos!



Bianca Cardona teaches the audience how to be like her during "Being Bianca."



Megan Hill impersonates Bianca as her friends bow down to her in "Being Bianca."



Tyler Verstraete and Zach Mousel play the jocks during "Being Bianca."



Zach Mousel and Cole Stout perform in "Must the Show Go On?"



KHS students presented three hilarious One Act plays for this year's Fall production on Nov. 5 and 6. Pictured above is the cast of "Being Bianca."



(Left to right) Grace Shemanski, Grace McHugh, and Zach Mousel played the aging and annoying audience members who kept interrupting as Tyler Verstraete and Abby Schulte tried to perform their scene during "Can't You See We're Acting?"



Megan Hill, Jillian Schulte, and Justin Moeller discuss politics during the cafeteria scene in "Being Bianca."



Tyler Verstraete, Olivia Sieren, and Zach Mousel perform in "Must the Show Go On?"



Riley Conrad plays the drunk lighting technician during "Must the Show Go On?"



Trey Carlson demonstrates how NOT to brush your teeth (according to Bianca) during "Being Bianca."



Bianca's friends (played by Elise Swanstrom, Lexi Black, Caroline Reeves, and Gloria Vega) gossip in the cafeteria during "Being Bianca."



Jacob Moeller, Turner Klein, and Trey Carlson discuss the nutritional value of their lunches during "Being Bianca."

CANDIDATE SPOTLIGHT ON BEN CARSON

BY MEGAN HILL

Benjamin Solomon "Ben" Carson, Sr. was born September 18, 1951 and is a retired American neurosurgeon. He has three sons: Murray, Benjamin, Jr., Ryoeyce. On television, Carson is shown as a soft tempered, kind man. However, he provides information that can be a little scary. He admitted to having a violent temper in his youth. He said he once attempted to hit his mother over the head with a hammer over a clothes dispute. He also admitted to attempting to stab a friend who had changed the station on the radio. To control his temper, Carson began reading the Book of Proverbs and applied verses on anger. However, Carson's friends, classmates, and neighbors told CNN that they do not remember this anger or violence that Carson has described. Most politicians and U.S. citizens find these admissions very odd. Other than this, Carson lives a normal candidate life. He went to Yale University where he met his wife Lacena in 1971. They married in 1975 and made a family. Carson is an Adventist and because of this, he is a vegetarian. Main reason? Becoming vegetarian was for health concerns, including parasites and heart disease, and many environmental benefits. Check Ben Carson out on his website, www.bencarson.com.

"Do your best and let God do the rest" - Dr. Ben Carson



JUNK OR JEWEL

BY JACE UPHOLD



This week's junk or jewel owner is Anthony Campbell. Anthony's car is a 2000 Buick Sable with 167,900 miles and a V6 engine. Anthony's car is a maroon red color. The preset in his car is 97.3. The previous owner of the car was Anthony's mom, who gave him the car. This is the first car he has ever had. The special things that he likes about his car are the sunroof and the fact that it runs. He can fit 5 people in his car and he says it can go 120 miles per hour. Anthony's only good memory was going to Pancheros and his only bad memory was a flat tire. If Anthony could name his car, he would name it Fandasha, because he likes that name. So what do you think, is Anthony's car Junk or a Jewel?

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KHS HALLOWEEN DRESS UP CONTEST



Riley Hahn, Max Johnson, Lindsey Imhoff, Bailey Sieren, and Patrick Clarahan dressed up as Care Bears.



Abby Schulte was appropriately dressed as Hillary Clinton this year.



Nolan Verstraete, Cooper Sieren, Paige Minard, and Kendall Wilson dressed up as "Juan Direction" for the annual KHS Halloween Dress Up Contest held on Fri., Oct. 30.



Bianca Cardona and Elise Swanstrom dressed up as Wayne and Garth from "Wayne's World."








Ms. Hobbs (Science teacher) dressed up as the "Iron Chef."



QUESTION OF THE WEEK

BY KYLEA TINNES

WHAT'S YOUR FAVORITE THANKSGIVING FOOD AND WHY?

JEFF NEDERHOFF STAFF	MEGAN ADAM 12 TH	ERIN CHALUPA 11 TH	GRACIE MCHUGH 10 TH	FRANKIE JOHNSON 9 TH	JEREMIAH JOHNSON 8 TH	BAILEY SIEREN 7 TH
 "PUMPKIN PIE, BECAUSE IT'S A DESSERT."	 "STUFFING, BECAUSE IT'S GREAT!"	 "SWEET POTATOES, BECAUSE THEY ARE SWEET LIKE ME!"	 "MY GRANDMA MAKES BOMB.COM HOMEMADE ROLLS."	 "ANYTHING PUMPKIN, BECAUSE IT TASTES AMAZING AND I LOVE THE SMELL!"	 "HAM, BECAUSE I DON'T LIKE TURKEY."	 "HOMEMADE NOODLES, BECAUSE MY GRANDMA IS GOOD AT MAKING THEM."