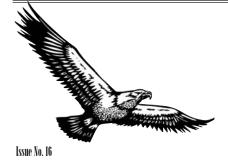
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#### SENIOR SPOTLIGHT: CORTNEY HYMAN

JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL TEAMS

Pictured is the 7th grade boys basketball team. From left to right, they are: (Back) Riley Hahn, Tucker McDonald, Brady Duwa, Wyatt Sieren, Coach Tanner McClenahan, Luke Hammen; (Middle) Bryce Greiner, Chase Kindred, Carson Sprouse, Conner Woltering; (Front) Max Johnson, Jayden Lawson, Patrick Clarahan,

## BLAST FROM THE PAST

BY AVERY CONRAD

HOW WILL SENIORS RESPOND THE SECOND TIME AROUND?

Each week, we ask a Senior the same question they were asked for the Question of the Week when they were in 7th grade. Let's see how their responses have changed over the years...

Isaiah Hahn

Q: What is your favorite animated movie?

7th:

Answer:

"Space
Jam"





<u>12th</u>: Answer: "Space Jam"

## JUNK OR JEWEL

BY AVERY CONRAD



This week's Junk or Jewel goes to Jacob Wickenkamp and his car, "Michelle." Jacob drives a speed grey 2001 Mazda 626 LX with one previous owner. Jacob says he bought this car about two summers ago and paid exactly \$2,000 for it. This is his first car and it averages about 20 MPG. Jacob says that he listens to a lot of different music in his car, ranging from rock to pop and even a little country. When asked if his car has any special abilities, he stated that it has air vents that swing back and forth to better improve airflow in the car. He says that the max speed of this car is approximately 117 mph. He travels often with Ben Horras, and Jacob says that he has taken only a couple of road trips in his car. Jacob says that he travels most to Des Moines and school. He has no bad memories, but he says that he doesn't really like this car anymore because it's getting pretty old and it's about time to get a new one. Now it's time for you to decide, is Jacob's car Michelle junk, or a jewel?



BY KYLEA TINNES

Cortney Ann Hyman was born on May 28, 1998, to Dave and Michelle Hyman. She has two brothers, Matthew and Branden. Growing up, Cortney's favorite childhood memory was Ranger riding with friends and family during the summer. She also enjoyed vacationing in Alabama with family and friends. What Cortney admires

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Jaydin Benford, and Sam Sieren.

the most about her parents is the fact that they can put up with her every day. Cortney is involved in basketball, volleyball, softball, FFA, speech, 4-H and D.A.R.E. Volleyball is her favorite, because her coach and teammates are enjoyable.

When she was younger, Cortney wanted to be a photographer when she grew up. Once

Cortney graduates from KHS in May, she plans on majoring in Supply Chain Management in the College of Business at Iowa State University. When Cortney was asked where she sees herself in ten years, she replied "With a family and a good job, hopefully somewhere south." Qualities that Cortney believes will help her reach her goals are that she's easy going, yet she is a very hard worker, honest, and easy to get along with. Three things Cortney wants to accomplish in her lifetime are to have a big house, a cute dog, and to be happy.

While in high school, Cortney's favorite memory was going on a trip with Nate, Ryan and Isaiah to Ty's Greenhouse in Wever, Iowa to buy FFA plants. In her future, Cortney will look back fondly at all the Ag teachers and Ag classes that she has had in her four years at Keota. Cortney enjoyed her Horticulture class her junior year the most, because they had good times in the greenhouse. The class Cortney

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feels has prepared her the most for life is Foods. She said they learned how to cook and how to tell flour and powdered sugar apart.

In one word Cortney describes herself as sarcastic, but she hopes to be remembered as approachable, fun, and easy going. The advice that she gives to future KHS seniors is this: "It's a lot easier to get A's in high school than you think, and it will definitely be worth it in the long run"

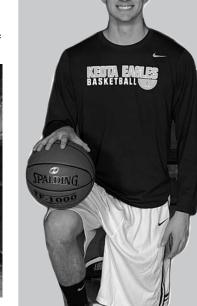
We wish Cortney the best of luck in her future.



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BY JACE UPHOLD

This week's Athlete of the Week is Avery Conrad. Avery is a Junior this year and starts at the post. Avery is looking forward to working hard and giving it his all every game and winning as many games as possible. Avery is trying to improve on his dribbling this season. Avery's ultimate achievement would be to make an appearance at the state tournament. The best part about the sport for Avery is the fast pace of the game, because it never gets boring.

### JR. HIGH ATHLETE OF THE WEEK



BY GLORIA VEGA

Joe Swanstrom is participating in SK wrestling this year. His ultimate achievement for wrestling would be to win all his matches. What he likes most about this sport is "the fun you are able to have while also participating." He says the funniest moments during the wrestling season have been "when kids fall on their faces." Joe is also looking forward to starting up the track season pretty soon.

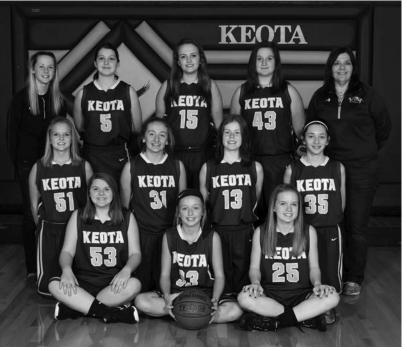
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Pictured is the 8th grade boys basketball team. From left to right, they are: (Back) J.D. Stout, Nolan Verstraete, Coach Tanner McClenahan, Olin Walker, Sam Menke; (Front) Cecil Sypherd, Tyler Waterhouse, and Dawson Baumert.



Pictured are the 7th and 8th grade girls basketball teams. From left to right they are: (Back) Kendall Wilson, Lexi Purkeypile, Addison Swanson, Sky Weber, and Coach Jennifer McClenahan; (Middle) Aaliyah Heldman, Lindsey Imhoff, Mikayla Beatty, Jenna Jaeger; (Front) Callie McNurlen, Bailey Sieren, and Jaime Schulte.

QUESTION
OF
THE WEEK
BY COLE STOUT

IF YOU COULD TAKE
ANYONE ON A DATE FOR
VALENTINE'S DAY, WHO

WOULD IT BE AND

WHY?

MR. SNAKENBERG
STAFF

VEEK
STOUT

LD TAKE
DAY WHO

MY WIFE, BECAUSE OUR 5TH WEDDING ANNIVER-SARY IS THIS YEAR. MARIAH LYLE
12<sup>TH</sup>

CHRIS PRATT, SO WE CAN GO TO JURASSIC PARK. KYLEA TINNES

11<sup>TH</sup>

TAYLOR HOLBROOK, SO I'D BE IN TENNESSEE WITH A CHARMING COUNTRY BOY WHO CAN SING. HUNTER WILSON 10<sup>TH</sup>



OLIVIA SIEREN, SO I CAN STEAL PEPPER'S GIRL TREY CARLSON 9<sup>TH</sup>

TREY SONGZ, BECAUSE HE'S GOT THE SAME NAME AS ME. JENNA JAEGER

7<sup>TH</sup>

LIAM HEMSWORTH, BECAUSE HE'S NICE



ALL THE DALLAS COWBOY CHEERLEADERS BECAUSE THEY'RE HOT.