



THE EAGLE'S WING

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CAST OF KHS SPRING MUSICAL IS READY TO ENTERTAIN

BY BAYLEI MCCLELLAND



Pictured is cast of the KHS Spring Musical, "The Big Bad Musical." Pictured from left to right are: (back) Zach Mousel, Elise Swanstrom, Caroline Reeves, Justin Moeller, Megan Hill; (middle) Olivia Sieren, Abby Schulte, June Daing, Riley Conrad, Jillian Schulte, Lauren Imhoff, Bergen Dalton; (front) Grace Shemanski, Grace McHugh, Bianca Cardona. Not pictured: Jacob Moeller, Marty Baker, Ben Shemanski, and Trey Carlson. Come and watch these talented students perform on April 5th and 6th at 7:30 p.m. in the KHS Auditorium.

EAGLEROCK! PERFORMS AT UNIVERSAL STUDIOS



The EagleRock! Show Choir traveled to Orlando, Florida to perform at Universal Studios over Spring Break. Pictured above, from left to right, are: (back) Ty Sieren, Jacob Moeller, Ben Shemanski, Marty Baker, Trey Carlson, June Daing, Jacob Moeller, Riley Conrad; (front) Grace Shemanski, Mallory Woltering, Lexi Black, Abby Schulte, Maddy Johnson, Jillian Schulte, Frankie Johnson, Raigan Sprouse, Maleah Miller, Loren Clark, and Jaime Schulte.



The ladies of EagleRock! showed off their dance moves on the stage at Universal Studios.



The gentlemen of EagleRock! were heart throbs performing "Sweet Caroline" for the crowd at Universal.

KHS NEWSPAPER STAFF

BY AVERY CONRAD



Pictured is the 2016 Eagle's Wing Newspaper Staff. From left to right, they are: (back row) Gloria Vega, Baylei McClelland, Kylea Tinnis, Cole Stout; (front row) Megan Hill, Avery Conrad, and Jace Uphold. Not pictured: Elise Swanstrom.

INDIVIDUAL SPEECH GOES TO STATE

BY GLORIA VEGA

The Individual Speech students had their State Contest at North Scott High School in Eldridge on Saturday, March 12. Anna Ackerman-Axume, sophomore, received an overall Division II rating with her Interpretive Poetry Reading called "An Original Piece," written by Anna herself. Three Keota students received an overall Division I rating. Grace Shemanski, senior, participated in the Storytelling category with a story called "The Day the Crayons Quit" by Drew Daywalt. June Daing, freshman, performed an Interpretive Poetry Reading called "Love and Life." Bianca Cardona, junior, did an Acting piece called the "Disgruntled Fairy Tale Characters."

Mrs. Sarah, Lyle, KHS Individual Speech Coach, commented, "The kids did great! I am very proud of how well they did, and of course how well they represented Keota."

Congratulations to these students on making it to State and doing such a great job.

GIRLS TRACK SEASON BEGINS

BY COLE STOUT

On Monday, March 21st, the girls track team opened up the season at Grinnell's Indoor Track Meet. This year's KHS Girls Track team consists of juniors Erin Chalupa and MaCayla Schweitzer, sophomore Wynonna Morris, and freshmen Brianna Duwa, Carly Jaeger, Jillian Schulte, and Jolee Walker.

The results of the Grinnell Indoor Meet were as follows. In the 60m dash, Jill Schulte and Erin Chalupa both ran a 9.43, MaCayla Schweitzer ran a 10.56, and Carly Jaeger ran a 14.03. In the 200m dash, Jolee Walker ran a 32.16 and Wynonna Morris ran a 38.3. In the 400m dash, Wynonna Morris ran a 1:29.82. In the 60m hurdles, Jill Schulte ran a 12.71. In the 4x2 relay, the girls ran a 2:14.32. In the 1600 Distance Medley Relay, the girls team ran a 5:26.64.

Next up for the girls will be the Belle Plaine Invitational on Tuesday, March 29th.

MYSTERY STUDENT OF THE WEEK

BY GLORIA VEGA

This week we are doing a Mystery Student of the Week. The first student to guess the correct answer will win a free candy bar of your choice!

This Keota student has brown hair, brown eyes and an oh-so charming smile. They are involved in Speech, plays, Student Council, and they are Class Officer. They play basketball, football, and baseball. They have 1 sibling and 2 step-siblings. Their worst habit is biting their nails and their biggest pet peeve is when people chew with their mouths open.

Can you guess this Mystery Student of the Week? Submit your guess to Mrs. Conrad!

BLAST FROM THE PAST

BY ELISE SWANSTROM

HOW WILL SENIORS RESPOND TO 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...

Mariah Lyle

Q: If you could go anywhere for spring break where would you go?

7th:
Answer:
"Florida."



12th:
Answer:
"Probably Florida."



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SCHOOL COUNTDOWNS

9 WEEKS 'TIL SCHOOL IS OUT
44 DAYS OF SCHOOL LEFT
31 DAYS 'TIL PROM



June Welt Daing performs a solo while the rest of the choir sings in the background. The Hard Rock Cafe and palm trees at Universal Studios served as a picture-perfect background in sunny Orlando, Florida. While in Florida, students also visited Sea World and went to Clearwater Beach.

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

BY JACE UPHOLD
WHAT'S YOUR FAVORITE THING ABOUT EASTER?

MRS. TANDY STAFF



"BEING WITH MY FAMILY AND THE EASTER EGG HUNT"

ALYSSA WHITE 12TH



"SEEING GRACE DRESS AS THE EASTER BUNNY"

ANTHONY CAMPBELL 11TH



"HARD BOILED EGGS, BECAUSE THEY ARE GOOD"

JOHNATHAN HOLDERNESS, 10TH



"CANDY, BECAUSE IT TASTES GREAT"

JUSTIN MOELLER 9TH



"CANDY"

TYLER NORDSTROM 8TH



"WAKING UP TO STUFF"

BAILEY SIENEN 7TH



"MY BIRTHDAY IS AROUND IT"