



THE EAGLE'S WING



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HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

BY FRANKIE JOHNSON



This week's Athlete of the Week is sophomore, Jayden Lawson. He is nearing the end of his second cross country season. Jayden runs varsity and has been doing very well this season, coming in the top 20 at two meets. What Jayden most likes about cross country is his coach, Tanner McClenahan, as well as all of his teammates. His funniest memory this season was when Tanner was running along the course at the English Valley meet and slipped and fell in the mud. Jayden's ultimate achievement in this sport would be to make it to State. With only a couple of meets left, Jayden hopes to improve his times by the end of the season. He especially wants to do well at the District meet. We wish Jayden the best of luck on the remainder of his season!

UPCOMING EVENTS

- 10/17: EagleRock Parents' Night Concert, HS Gym, 7:30 PM; 8th Gr. Iowa Youth Survey, 7th hr.
- 10/18: XC Districts, TBD; Jrs.: ASVAB Test, 8:30 AM
- 10/19: End Qtr. 1; S/K FB @ Mediapolis, 7:00 PM
- 10/20: State Soil Judging
- 10/22: Iowa School of Beauty rep, 12:30 PM; Reg. 1A VB, TBD
- 10/23: UNI rep, 12:30 PM
- 10/24-27: National FFA Convention @ Indianapolis
- 10/24: Dismiss @ 1:00 PM
- 10/24-25: Elem. P/T Conf., 4:00-8:00 PM
- 10/25: 11th Gr. Iowa Youth Survey, 7th hr.; Regional 1A VB, TBD
- 10/26: 1st Rd. FB Play-offs, TBD
- 10/27: ACT Test Day; State XC Meet
- 10/30: Regional 1A VB, TBD

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KEOTA STUDENTS CELEBRATE FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

BY BERGEN DALTON



Keota preschoolers pose with a fire truck on their field trip to the Keota Fire Station during Fire Prevention Week.

The firemen in Keota do such great things for the students at the Keota Elementary School. Every year during Fire Prevention Week, the firemen take a few students to school in a fire truck and they educate students on what to do during a fire and how to

be safe. Preschoolers take a trip down to the fire station to learn all about what firefighters do and all of the equipment they use. The firemen discuss with the children how it is important to have a plan on how to get out of a burn-

ing house and where a safe place to go would be. Another important thing they cover is the proper way to stop, drop, and roll. The students get to practice it as interactive way to learn. They get to end their trip with a quick look

into the inside of the fire truck. All in all, Fire Prevention Week is a great way to remind students about fire safety. If you see a fireman, be sure to thank them for all they do for our community.

GETTING TO KNOW MR. JAMISON

BY TRISTAN SYPHERD



We have a new face at Keota High School this year, Mr. Zach Jamison. Mr. Jamison is originally from Colo, Iowa, where his family still lives and farms. Mr. Jamison is currently living in Oskaloosa. Before he came to KHS, Mr. Jamison student taught at Roland-Story High School. He says his classes were a little bigger than they are here at Keota. This is his first year as an Ag Instructor/ FFA Advisor, as he has just finished getting his college degree at Iowa State University in Agriculture and Life Sciences Education. Mr. Jamison became a teach-

er because he wanted to share his passion for the Ag industry with students and hopefully inspire them and ignite a passion of their own. Mr. Jamison's greatest inspiration is LeBron James because he's passionate about everything he does, but Mr. Jamison is not a fan of his choice to move to the Lakers. A fun fact about Mr. Jamison is that he really enjoys snowboarding, and hopes to snowboard on all seven continents one day. Mr. Jamison says he has an investigative teaching style, so if there is any part of a lesson a student wants to know more

about, then the class will investigate deeper to learn more. So far Mr. Jamison has enjoyed working at KHS and says, "The community here is great and really supports the school and FFA Chapter." He is most looking forward to all of the fun FFA events this year. He says the toughest part of his first year will probably be remembering everyone's name. However, he is hoping to get to know everyone better through all the FFA and community events. We welcome Mr. Jamison to KHS and look forward to getting to know him in the years to come.

7TH GRADE FOOTBALL

BY TRISTAN SYPHERD



Pictured is the 7th grade SK Cobras Football Team. From left to right, they are: (Front row) Cale Clarahan, Aiden McGuire, Will Carlson, Ty Krueger, Carter Wyatt, Noah Lucas, Remington Cave, and Chase Sieren. (Back row) Hunter Sieren, Xander Bell, Cole Kindred, Evan Vittetoe, Conner Strand, Dylan Renner, Jake Moore, Brock Alderson, and Sawyer Stout. Not pictured: Ried Molyneux and Braden Kamber. The 7th grade team is coached by Head Coach Alan Sellers and Assistant Coaches Bruce Hahn and Dan Stout. (Photo by Swanson Photography)

8TH GRADE FOOTBALL

BY TRISTAN SYPHERD



Pictured is the 8th grade SK Cobras Football Team. From left to right, they are: (Front row) DJ Hammes, Carsen Weber, Peyton Leathers, Evan Striegel, Clay Morse, Ty Shafrank, Cole Clarahan, Deegan Shipley, Dan McLaughlin, Carsin Kindred, and Aiden Anderson. (Back row) Dalton Dodd, Clayton Visser, Carter McCoid, Brandon Greiner, Mason Harter, Xavier Lucas, Jack Clarahan, and Matthew Brainard. The 8th grade team is coached by Head Coach Alan Sellers and Assistant Coaches Bruce Hahn and Dan Stout. (Photo by Swanson Photography)

JUNIOR HIGH ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

BY PRESTON MCDONALD



This week's Junior High Athlete of the Week is Macie McDonald. Macie plays volleyball at Keota Junior High School. She plays the position of hitter, but her favorite thing to do on the court is serve. She likes serving because it can set the mood of the game. This season she wants to improve on "surviving" and "talking to her teammates" during the games. Macie is most looking forward to winning games and getting better with her teammates this year. Macie says her favorite memories have been all the bus rides to the games and back. We wish Macie the best of luck in the rest of the season.

ELEMENTARY STUDENT SPOTLIGHT

BY PAIGE MINARD



Addison Miller is seven years old. She is in Mrs. Greter's second grade. Her birthday is on May 26. Addison at the moment is an only child, but she has a little sibling on the way. Although she's excited either way, Addison is hoping for a little brother to play with. If Addison has a little brother she wants to name him Jasten, but if she has a little sister she wants to name her Charlie. Addison should be very good with her baby brother or sister, as she loves to help her mom at daycare before and after school. Addison's favorite thing to do with her mom is go to the movies, while her favorite thing to do with her dad is ride in his Nova. Addison's favorite food is watermelon and her favorite color is purple. Addison's mom is the KHS head JV and Varsity volleyball coach. This probably explains why Addison likes volleyball and watching it on TV in her free time. Addison's favorite part of the day is math time at school. This year Addison is looking forward to the arrival of her new sibling. Congratulations to Addison on being selected as The Eagle's Wing Elementary Student of the Week!

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

BY TREY CARLSON

WHAT WAS YOUR FAVORITE TV SHOW AS A KID?

MRS. SWANSON STAFF



"THE SMURFS"

BERGEN DALTON 12TH



"FRANKLIN"

WILL SMITH 11TH



"1,000 WAYS TO DIE"

TUCKER MCDONALD 10TH



"BLUES CLUES"

ANTHONY WESTENDORF 9TH



"SPONGE BOB"

DAKOTA HAMMEN 8TH



"DRAGON BALL Z"

CHASE SIENEN 7TH



"SPONGE BOB"