



Wabaunsee High School CHARGER NATION

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Baseball and Softball Staying Strong

By: Ciara Carroll

Last week, both Charger ball teams faced losses but they sprung back with pride this Tuesday vs. Mission Valley. The Lady Chargers took the Lady Vikings into 11 innings and took the game by one point. They finished the night winning the second game again, by one point. Cutting it close there ladies! The baseball team also had a positive comeback winning both games 11-7 and 8-5. Keep it up Chargers!

Sarah Healey goes on a trip!

By: Ciara Carroll

On April 7th, Ms. Sarah Healey, a junior at Wabaunsee High School, traveled down to Pittsburg, KS to compete in a screen printing competition held April 8th at Pitt State University. Sarah had to perform in five stations: quality control, written test, oral interview, printing five shirts in seven minutes, and lining up the screens correctly. She was slightly nervous, but overall thinks she did a good job. The results are pending, but we're sure she'll prevail successfully!

Student Teacher

Ms. Gleason

By: Brenda Flerlage



Why did you choose teaching?

I like the fact that I get to teach and share with others.

What was your favorite subject through out school?

FACS classes.

What are some of your hobbies?

I like to listen to music, read books, and spend time with my friends.

How do you like our school and students so far?

I really like them, I'm going to miss everybody and the school when I have to leave.

Where did you grow up?

St. Johns, KS.

Here Comes Nationals!

By: Brenda Flerlage

Some of the FBLA members traveled the short distance to Topeka on Thursday, March 31. The state competition was held at the Expo Center this year. Luke Craghead and Jake Gronquist qualified to go to Nationals this summer in Orlando, Florida. Congratulations to our National Qualifiers!

State Advisor of the Year

By: Brenda Flerlage

Mr. Brian Boucher has been named Advisor of the Year by the Board of Directors, of Kansas High School SkillsUSA. He will be recognized and presented his award on April 27th in Wichita at the State SkillsUSA Competition. The students and staff at Wabaunsee High School congratulate Mr. Boucher. It's great to see his dedication rewarded with this title and award!

State FCCLA

By: Kristin Berroth

Three sponsors accompanied twelve FCCLA members to Wichita for the State FCCLA conference. Seven members competed in STAR Events. Those members were: Hannah Berroth, Kayla Schmitz, Jordan Haya, Haley Turner, Bailee Henry, Nick Terrapin, and A.J. Wertzberger. Hannah and Kayla competed in Illustrated Talk, placing third. Bailee Henry and Haley Turner competed in Chapter Showcase, also placing third. Nick Terrapin competed in Career Investigation, placing second. A.J. Wertzberger competed in Entrepreneurship, placing first and qualifying for the National FCCLA Conference. Jordan Haya competed in Job Interview and also qualified for Nationals. Jordan and A.J. will be joining the FACS Knowledge Bowl team, consisting of Cathy Hafenstine, Chelsea Diepenbrock, Kristin Berroth, and Kate Gronquist as they travel to Anaheim, California for the National FCCLA Conference this summer. Chelsea Diepenbrock won three FCCLA scholarships at the State FCCLA Conference in Wichita.

WHS Track Off To A Strong Start

By: Cristy Flippin

The WHS track team held a home meet on April 8th. The boys placed 5th with 50 points. They are 12-14 on the year. The girls placed 4th, with 65.5 points. They are 10-15 on the season. The Athletes of the Week for this week were Sammy Zeller, for throws; Mikayla Reves, for jumps; Sarah Healey for sprints; and Chance Orton for distance. Coach Alderman's comments for the home meet were, "I thought our athletes really stepped up for our home meet with 46 PR's and season bests. We've had a busy early season, with 3 meets in 8 days. It's good to see us at our best at the last of those. Things slow down with only one meet a week for the rest of the season. We are going to Wichita this week for the Pre-State Challenge, which is a 2-day meet held at the same facilities that the State Track meet is held. We'll compete in the 1A-2A-3A division, but we will be competing with some of the top athletes from all the classes. It will give us a good idea of where we want to be by the end of the season."



Senior Spotlight Chelsea Diepenbrock

By: Cristy Flippin



What's your favorite high school memory?

Every time I've been backroading with my friends.

What are your plans for after high school?

To attend KU and major in pre-law/political science.

If you were stranded on a deserted island what three things would you take with you?

Cell phone, swim suit, and a hammock.

Who's your favorite teacher and why?

Mrs. Breiner, because she's helped me accomplish so much and has always been there for me.

What advice would you give to underclassmen?

Work as hard as you can now, so you have no regrets later; And ALWAYS be yourself!

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