

Pirate Press October 2, 2026

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Upcoming Events

- 10/2: Homecoming game vs. Nestucca 7 - XC Senior Night @ 6:30, before game
- 10/3: Homecoming dance, 7-9 at HS Cafeteria
- 10/6: Volleyball vs. Rainier 4:30 & 6
- 10/7: Fire Drill @ 10:10, EF Travel Meeting in Library 6 pm
- 10/8: Volleyball @ OES 4:30, 6
- 10/9: XC @ Rose City Championship, Football vs. Corbett 7
- 10/10: Varsity Volleyball @ Seaside Tournament, XC @ Rainier Invitational

OCTOBER 2026 NEAH-KAH-NIE HIGH SCHOOL					Fresh Fruits and Veggies Daily Whole Grain Pasta and Bread Fat Free, 1%, and Whole Milk	
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday		
			Blueberry Muffins 1 Chicken Burgers	Breakfast Sandwiches 2 Soup & Grilled Cheese Sandwiches		
French Toast 5 Mac & Cheese	Yogurt & Biscuits 6 Chicken & Cheese Quesadillas	Pancake on a Stick 7 Enchilada Casserole	Breakfast Bagels 8 Rib-B-Que's	Waffles 9 Pizza Sticks		
Pancakes 12 Cheesy Breadsticks & Marinara	Breakfast Pizza 13 Burritos & Mexican Rice	Pumpkin Bread 14 Spaghetti	Cream Cheese Bagels 15 Cheeseburgers	Breakfast Bars 16 Hot Dogs & Baked Beans		
Biscuits & Gravy 19 Corn Dogs	Breakfast Burritos 20 Enchiladas	Banana Bread 21 Tater Tot Casserole	Breakfast Sandwiches 22 Chicken Strip Basket	Oatmeal Rounds 23 Breakfast For Lunch		
PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT NO SCHOOL 26	Yogurt & Eng. Muffin 27 Street Corn Tacos	Pancake on a Stick 28 Lasagna	Breakfast Bagels 29 Crispy Chicken Drumsticks	Waffles 30 Candy Corn Pizza		

Sandwiches or Hand-Crafted Salads are an option daily for lunch.
Join us in celebrating "National School Lunch Week" October 12-16!!
This Institute is an equal opportunity provider

PIRATE CROSS COUNTRY

FRIDAY 6:30 PM

10.02.26

SENIOR NIGHT

Before Homecoming
Football Game!



Dental Care Workshop for Caregivers



**OCT.23
4 PM**

RSVP
to Join us, Friday,
October 23rd at 4:00
PM

- Build healthy brushing habits
- Learn simple ways to prevent cavities
- Discover tips for choosing the right dental tools
- Learn how food, drinks & daily habits affect your oral health



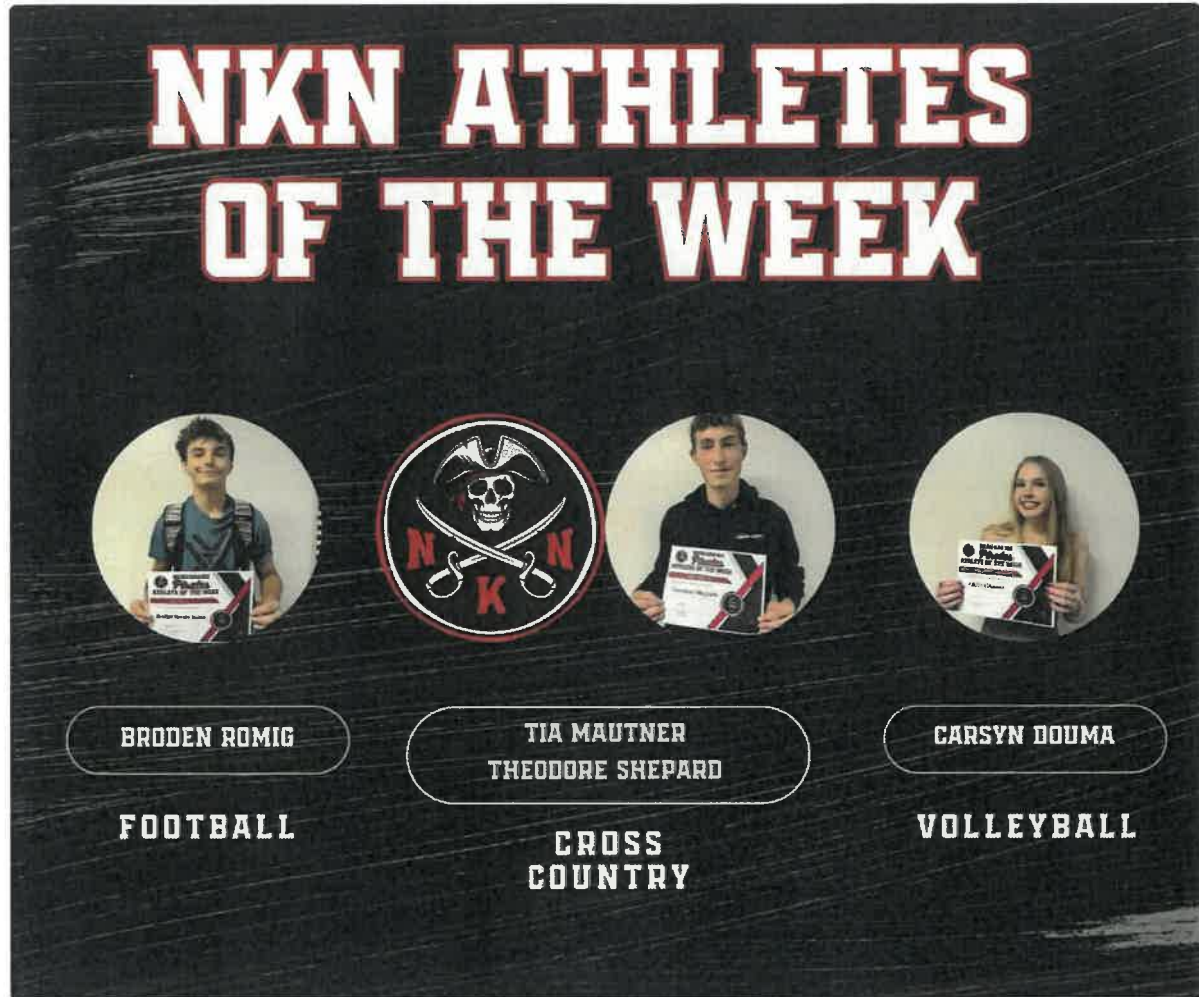
NEHALEM BAY

HEALTH CENTER & PHARMACY

COMPASSIONATE COMMUNITY CARE

**RSVP mabben@nehalembayhealth.org or call
1-800-368-5182 Ext.135**

Congratulations to this weeks NKN Athletes of Broden Romig, Ria Moutner, Theodore Shepard, and Carsyn Douma!



Volleyball Dig Pink!



Homecoming Assembly









Volleyball vs Warrenton





Activities & Clubs Permission Slips

With after school clubs and activities beginning, please ensure your student has a current Activities and Athletics Permission Slip and Code of Conduct completed! Follow the link below to complete. All students must have a completed permission slip prior to their participation in after school clubs or activities.

Reach out to Lexie via Parent Square messaging or email, alexisf@nknsd.org, to verify your students permissions status!

English Permissions Form

Spanish Permissions Form



OSAA Athletics and Activities

Choir, Band, XC, Football, Volleyball, Basketball, Wrestling, Swimming, Track, Baseball, Softball, Speech and Debate, Flag Football



Competitive Clubs

FNRL, Robotics, FBLA



Other Clubs

Art, Dungeon and Dragons, Theater, NHS, Leos Club, Student Council, Film, Link Crew, Chicas, Juntos, QSA, YAC Club



Unified Sports

Soccer and Basketball

EF Travel - Japan 2028!

The meeting to discuss 2028's EF Travel will be held on October 7th at 6 pm in the library! The following is from Ms. Dallas, the teacher leading the trip.

Hello families,

We have some exciting news to share. Your student is invited to join us on an educational travel experience with their peers to Japan in Summer 2028.

This is my 5th year at Neah-Kah-Nie High School as a teacher and I've seen the impact travel can have on our students. I got to travel with the group this past summer when they went to Europe. It's truly a once in a lifetime experience.

Students become more aware of themselves and others when they travel. They develop confidence, explore new ideas, and mature in ways that can surprise us. Students who join this opportunity will learn about themselves and the world, grow their social skills, and set themselves apart in future schooling and careers.

To learn more, please join our informational meeting on October 7th at 6:00 PM in the Library at Neah-Kah-Nie High School.

Please register here:

<https://rsvp.eftours.com/r982e7d>

We will discuss:

- Why we see this as a valuable opportunity for our students
- What we'll see and do on our trip (highlights include Tokyo, Kyoto, the bullet train, and more)
- Everything that's included in this experience
- How we're keeping this safe and affordable
- A discount available for early enrollment
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A parent or guardian must attend. Can't make it? Choose "No, but send info" on our registration page so you don't miss out.

Best regards,
Shelby Dallas



Click Here to Order



Senior Information

Honors Diploma

- The deadline for Seniors to apply for an Honors Diploma is January 22, 2027.
 - Here is the [link](#) to the qualifications and application.
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Parking Permits

If your student plans to drive themselves to school, please note that a completed Auto Permissions Form and proof of auto insurance are required to park on campus. **This needs to happen on a yearly basis to ensure students still have an active insurance policy.** To receive a parking permit sticker, please bring the following items to Lexie in the main office:

- Completed Auto Permissions Form
- Copy of vehicle insurance
- Student's driver's license

If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to Lexie via ParentSquare or email at alexisf@nknsd.org.

Parking Permit Form

Attendance Reminders

With us getting further into the swing of the school year, we wanted to provide a few reminders in regards to attendance.

If your student will be absent, please let us know by **9:15 AM**! You can call the school (503-355-2272), send a ParentSquare message to Lexie Fuell, or email alexisf@nknsd.org. We appreciate your help in keeping our records accurate and our staff informed!

Counselor's Corner

Welcome to Fall! As we enter the next month of the school year, the initial excitement and newness of September is shifting into a steady academic routine. Now that the workload is picking up, we are working with students to move through any "October slump" or challenges by reinforcing strong time-management skills, solid daily habits, and asking for help and support. Part of this also includes managing academic stress and test anxiety through using healthy coping tools and reaching out when or before they feel overwhelmed. Angela Lehr (Academic, College, Career) and Margaret Whiting (Social-Emotional Learning and Health), are here to support your student's academic, social-emotional, and post-high school well-being and success. We encourage students to set some time with either or both of us. Please know that we reach out to check in on and work with students throughout the week and term as well. You are welcome to let us know if you have any questions or needs along the way!

For 11th and 12th-Graders, planning for future beyond high school is top of mind for many. Throughout the next several months, we will have field trips and college, military, and trades speakers for students to connect with and learn from. Encourage your student to take part in any or all of these opportunities. Some of these are available for 9th and 10th graders as well. Stay tuned!

To help with college planning, take a look at these **October Scholarship Opportunities!**

1) Stephen J. Brady Stop Hunger Scholarships - \$10,000 - 5 Awards (Deadline: October 20, 2026) To be eligible for the scholarship a student must: A) Be enrolled in an accredited educational institution (high school, undergraduate, or graduate) in the US. B) Have demonstrated an ongoing commitment to their community by performing unpaid volunteer services. Applications can be found by going to: https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/8850/stephen_j_brady_stop_hunger_scholarships

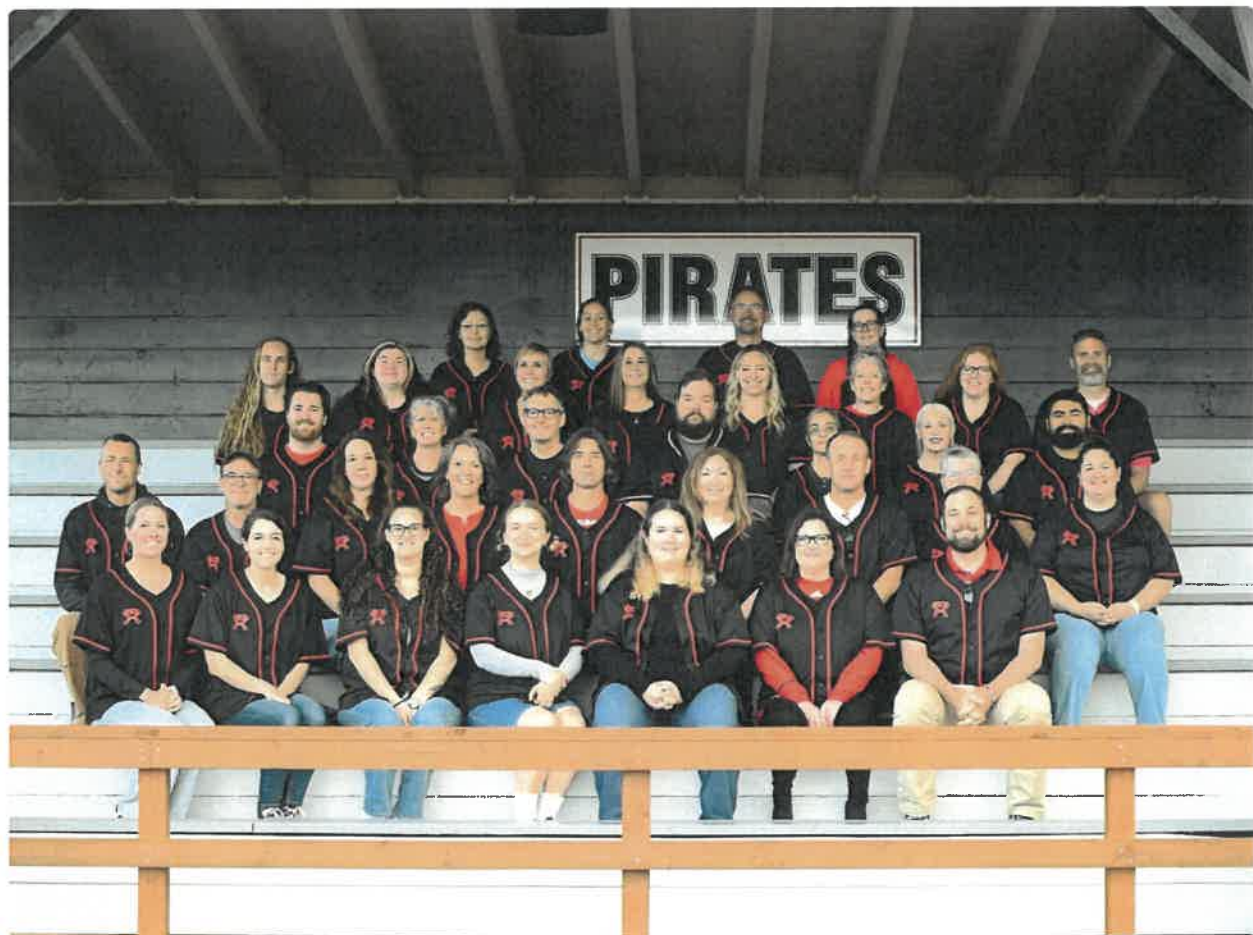
2) National Space Club Scholarship - \$50,000 - 1 Award (Deadline: October 30, 2026) To be eligible for the scholarship a student must: A) Be a senior in high school. B) Have the intention of pursuing a career in the STEM fields. Applications can be found by going to: https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/12191/national_space_club_scholarship

3) Young Women in STEM Scholarship - \$5,000 - 3 Awards (Deadline: November 1, 2026) To be eligible for the scholarship a student must: A) Be a female high school senior or undergraduate that is from a low-income household. B) Be planning to pursue

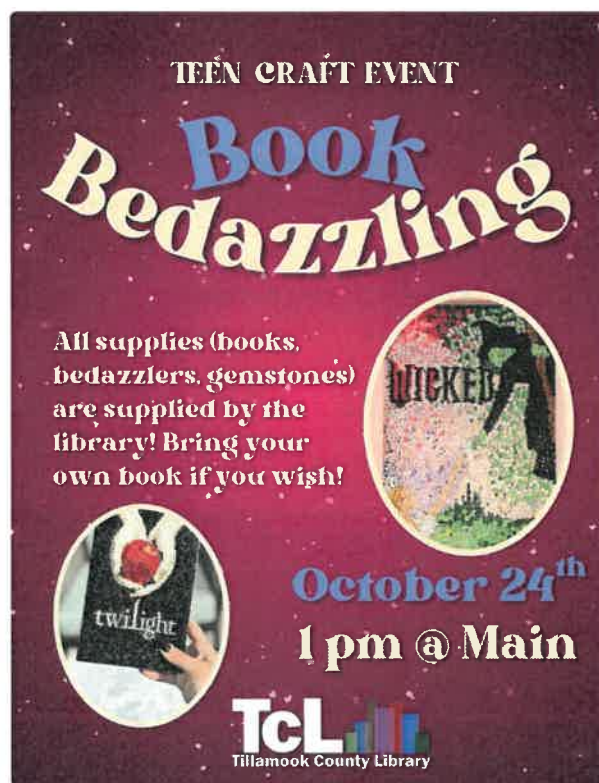
a degree in one of the STEM fields. Applications can be found by going to: <https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/22942/young-women-in-stem-scholarship>

Health Center Information

The NKN Health and Wellness Center on the NKN campus will be open on **Wednesdays and Thursdays** this year for medical and behavioral health services from 8am-6pm (closed for lunch 12:30-1:30pm.) Staff and students can access services by visiting in person to schedule or calling **503-355-3500**.



Community Information



Teen **TcL** Tillamook County Library Crafting Club

Visit our website or scan the code to sign up for your free seasonal craft!



SUBSCRIBE!



**EACH QUARTER OF THE YEAR IS A NEW THEME AND ALL
SUPPLIES WILL BE PACKED UP AND READY FOR YOU
TO PICK UP AT YOUR HOME LIBRARY BRANCH!**

**TEENS OF
TILLAMOOK COUNTY!**

Take this opportunity to
influence what happens in your
library.

Fill out the form below and help
us provide materials and events
that matter to you!



We want your feedback!

TAKE THE SURVEY



TCL
Tillamook County Library
2724 Third St, Tillamook, OR 97141-4702

**TEEN EVENTS
SCHEDULE**

Winter 2026

JAN 5 FEB 2 MAR 2	Behind the Scenes Teens - Come help to make the teen library run! 4pm-5pm Tillamook County Library Main Branch 1716 3 rd St, Tillamook, OR
JAN 15 FEB 12 MAR 12	Teen Game Nights - Join us for video games, trivia, minute to win it and more! 6pm-8pm Tillamook County Library Main Branch 1716 3 rd St, Tillamook, OR
JAN 30 FEB 27 MAR 27	Teen Crafting - Candle making, origami, duct tape projects and more! 10:00 AM - 2pm-4pm Tillamook County Library Main Branch 1716 3 rd St, Tillamook, OR

**Stay tuned for more
Spring break events and events at the
South and North Tillamook County
branches!**

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Contact info

If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact us. You can reach out via the following links:

- (503) 355-3551
- christyh@nknsd.org
- www.nknsd.org

