

Cameron High School BOE Report  
March 24, 2014

**Guest Speaker in Tech Ed** - On March 6th Lucas Ludwigson of GRD Masonry spoke with 18 of our students about the shortage of qualified employees in the skilled trades. He informed the students of how a job in the trades can be profitable and rewarding. He brought two of his site foreman in and had them answer questions from the students. The GRD crew spoke for about 20 mins and then they worked with the students for roughly an hour building walls of concrete block and brick. They demonstrated proper technique for layout and placing block. I have had positive feedback from all the students involved. Mr. Ludwigson's main purpose for the visit was to introduce the students to a career path they might not know exists and I feel that Mr. Ludwigson and his team did just that. The block was donated by County Materials of Rice Lake.

**Herb Kohl Scholarship and Fellowship Winners** - Danielle Boortz was selected as a 2014 Herb Kohl Initiative Scholarship recipient. The scholarship is worth \$1000. Carla Kuffel was selected as a Herb Kohl Fellowship recipient. She was recognized at a luncheon at Eau Claire North yesterday.

**Parent Teacher Conferences** - Parent/Teacher conferences were held on Monday, March 3. There were a total of 274 conferences held. 74 families came for conferences. This was a great turnout for the spring conferences which traditionally have the lowest attendance.

**Spring Sports Commence** - The spring sports teams have begun practicing. Participation numbers so far:

Golf - 11

Track - 50 (27 girls and 23 boys)

Softball - 17

Baseball - 14

We will see how the weather cooperates with the schedules.

**Club Accomplishments** - The FBLA club recently competed at the Regional Leadership competition. Of the 26 teams at the competition, we took 10th. Six students qualified for the state competition in Appleton on April 6th. The Forensics team recently competed at the district competition and out of 35 entries, all 35 qualified for the state Forensics meet held at UW-Madison on April 11 and 12.

**Academic Awards Winners** - On Thursday, March 13 CHS students were recognized for their academic achievements from the first semester. Students have to earn a semester GPA of 3.5 or better to be recognized. Numbers of students recognized by grade:

Freshmen: 16

Sophomores: 24

Juniors: 23

Seniors: 27

**Top 10 %** - The following students are being recognized for this accomplishment: Marcus Brion, Gracie Davis, Danielle Jencks, Skylar Johnson, Lucas Morgan, Cody Pumala, Kylie Richter, and Sidnie Wilder. All of these students have maintained a 4.0 GPA through their high school academic careers.

**Academic Excellence Scholarship** - Danielle Jencks has been identified as Cameron's Wisconsin Academic Scholar.

**Upcoming Events -**

April 5 Prom 8-11p.m.

April 9 NHS Induction @ 4 pm