

Neah-Kah-Nie High School

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Upcoming Events

- 5/22: Seniors last day to turn in classwork to walk at graduation, Softball @ Corbett
- 5/23: Student Council Car Wash Fundraiser @ RTI Nehalem Telecom
- 5/25: Memorial Day, NO SCHOOL
- 5/26: Arts Showcase, Band and Choir concert (details below)
- 5/27: Yearbook signing in Advisory, Europe trip meeting @ 6 in library
- 5/28-5:29: State Track Meet
- 5/28: Parade of Graduates (morning), Senior checkout of afternoon classes, Senior Sunset @ 7:30
- 5/29: Senior checkout of morning classes, Senior Assembly and Cookout, Graduation practice @ 2 (required to participate in graduation)
- 5/30: Graduation at 12pm in the lower gym.



**Neah-Kah-Nie
Middle & High**

**SPRING
VISUAL
and
PERFORMING
ARTS
SHOWCASE**

Tuesday May 26th

Art Shows 5:30-6:30
at the **Middle School**
& the **High School**

6:00- **HS Photography
Portrait Project**
in the **High School Library**

Band & Choir Concert
6:30 in the **Upper Gym**



Neah-Kah-Nie Arts Showcase

Mark your calendars! Something truly magical is happening at **Neah-Kah-Nie High School**, and you won't want to miss it.

When: Tuesday, May 26th, 2026 **Time:** 5:30 PM – 6:30 PM **Where:** Neah-Kah-Nie High School

Our incredibly talented student artists have spent months pouring their hearts and unique perspectives into their work. This art show is entitled ***The Shape of Dreams*** and is a celebration of their hard work, bravery, and vision. By coming out, you aren't just looking at beautiful art—you are validating a young artist's voice and fueling the future of our community's creative spirit.

AND THAT'S NOT ALL... We are incredibly excited to debut a **special surprise art installation** that you have to see to believe. Trust us, it's going to be a showstopper! Bring your family, bring your friends, and let's fill the halls with support for these amazing students. See you there!





MAY 2026
NEAH-KAH-NIE HIGH SCHOOL

Sandwiches or Hand-pressed
Slices are offered daily at
Lunch!

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
				Yogurt & Grahams ¹ Lasagna Soup
PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT ⁴ NO SCHOOL	Sausage & Biscuits ⁵ Nacho Bar 	Banana Bread ⁶ Spaghetti	Breakfast Pizza ⁷ Chicken Burger	Oatmeal Rounds ⁸ Crispy Drumsticks
French Toast ¹¹ Corn Dogs	Strawberry Bagels ¹² Burritos	Breakfast Sandwich ¹³ Orange Chicken Over Rice	Blueberry Muffins ¹⁴ Rib-B-Que Sandwiches	Biscuits & Gravy ¹⁵ Pizza Sticks
Breakfast Bars ¹⁸ Cheesy Breadsticks & Marinara	Pumpkin Bread ¹⁹ Chicken Soft Tacos	Pancake on a Stick ²⁰ Chicken Ramen	Bagel & Cream Cheese ²¹ Cheeseburgers	Yogurt & Eng. Muffins ²² Chicken Strips
MEMORIAL DAY ²⁵ NO SCHOOL	Sausage & Biscuits ²⁶ Enchiladas	Banana Bread ²⁷ Mac & Cheese	Breakfast Egg Rolls ²⁸ Stuppy Tots	Oatmeal Rounds ²⁹ Chili Dogs

A variety of fresh fruits and vegetables are available daily on our offering bar. All of our breads and pastas are whole grain or whole wheat. GF options may be available. Fat-free and 1% milks are offered daily. Whole grain cereals are available for breakfast.
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Senior Spotlights

NEAH-KAH-NIE
HIGH SCHOOL



**SENIOR
SPOTLIGHT**

RYAN CLABAUGH

Ryan plans to continue building important life and career skills through the Transition Program, where he will keep learning, growing, and preparing for future opportunities and independence.



Congratulations, Ryan!

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HIGH SCHOOL



**SENIOR
SPOTLIGHT**

NOAH SCOVEL

Noah has been accepted to Chemeketa University and plans to apply to their AAS Electrician Apprenticeship Technologies program.



Congratulations, Noah!

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SENIOR
SPOTLIGHT

KASH LORENZ

Kash has been accepted to TBCC and plans to complete the 2-year welding certificate.

Congratulations, Kash!



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HIGH SCHOOL



SENIOR
SPOTLIGHT

BAILEY WALKER

Bailey has been accepted to Lane Community College where she plans to study the Culinary Arts.

Congratulations, Bailey!



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HIGH SCHOOL



SENIOR
SPOTLIGHT

AVERY SPELLMAN

Avery has been accepted to the University of Montana. She plans to study Sustainability Science and minor in Business. Her goal is to become an Environmental Planner following graduation.

Congratulations, Avery!



Student Council Officers 2026/27

Congratulations to all of our incoming Student Council officers!

MEET YOUR 26/27
student council
ASB



ASB PRESIDENT
Ruby Hucek Marteeny



ASB VICE PRESIDENT
Daniel Sargent




ASB SECRETARY
Baylee Sparks




ASB SPIRIT
David Haines

MEET YOUR 26/27
student council
SENIOR CLASS



CLASS PRESIDENT
R Weiss



VICE PRESIDENT
Jasmine Jones

MEET YOUR 26/27
student council
JUNIOR CLASS




CLASS PRESIDENT
Sophia Shepard




VICE PRESIDENT
Quinn Scalabrin

MEET YOUR 26/27
student council
SOPHOMORE CLASS



CLASS PRESIDENT
Raya Weiss



VICE PRESIDENT
Zelda Hooker

MEET YOUR 26/27
student council
FRESHMEN CLASS



CLASS PRESIDENT
Kinley Deloe



VICE PRESIDENT
Bella Drennen

INTERESTED IN JOINING
Hype Crew!

CONTACT DAVID HAINES
ASB SPIRIT ADVISOR

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District Track Meet Results

Here are the highlights from the district Track and Field event Wednesday and Thursday. Junior Gus Kirby broke his school record in the 3K with a time of 8:45 and qualified for state, and qualified for state with a second place finish in the 1500 as well.

Sophomore Dylan Sigman placed second in the 800, qualifying for state.

Freshman Cameron Whittle placed 1st in the 100m dash and broke the Freshman school record from 1984 with a time of 11.40. He also won the 200m. He was also district boys track athlete of the meet, which is very rare for a freshman boy.

Senior Mason Hackman placed second in the shot put and qualified for state.

Sophomore Gabe Lyons placed second in the 300 hurdles and qualified for state.

Senior Liam Gibson defended his district 800 title and won, qualifying for state, where he is coming in as the defending champion with the fastest time this season by about a second. Senior Sara Vega qualified for state and broke the Varsity school record for the 400 from 1982 with a time of 60.46. This was a record she had her eye on since her Freshman year, and she had to PR by about a second to set it, so it was very special.

Junior Tia Mautner defended her district title and was the champion in the discus, and qualified for state.

Her teammate Sophomore Bakker placed second in the discus, also qualifying for state. The boys 4x1 relay team of Gabe Lyons, Dylan Sigman, Cameron Whittle, and Liam Gibson placed second and qualified for state.

And to top it off the boys 4x4 team of Dylan Sigman, Freshman Zach Luquette, Gus Kirby, and Liam Gibson placed first and SHATTERED the previous school record in the 4x4, which was a very fast 3:29.8, set in 1979. This was a tricky one as around this time races switched from imperial yards to metric, and I was going to have to sit down and do some calculating to figure out if a conversion was necessary, but they just decided to run a 3:26.67 which is so much faster than the previous record that no conversion was necessary.

In total 3 girls and 7 boys qualified for state.

Lots of other students had strong placings and big personal records, and if you wish to peruse, the results can be found here:

<https://www.athletic.net/TrackAndField/meet/629402/results>

Great Job! Good Luck at State! GO PIRATES!!







Academic Awards Night



Attention Seniors!

IMPORTANT DATES:

- **May 22nd**- Walking partner request- Both students need to inform Mary King of who they wish to walk with. These requests need to either be in person or both students can email as well. (Official order will be announced at graduation practice)
- **May 26th**- Cap & Gown Distribution: students will receive caps and gowns in the library at 10:30am
- **May 27th**- Handicap seating request, If you or a family member are in need of handicap seating please email Maryk@knksd.org
- **May 29th** – Graduation practice @ 2pm *This is Mandatory to be able to participate in the official ceremony.
- **May 30th**– Graduation Ceremony, Seniors please arrive at 11:00am, Doors will open to the public @ 11:30 with the Ceremony starting at 12pm. Seating is first come first serve.

CAPS AND GOWNS:

Each graduate participating in the graduation ceremony needs to wear a black cap and gown and needs to have a red and black tassel.

FINAL GRADES AND TRANSCRIPTS:

To request a final transcript to be sent to colleges, trade schools, etc., please include that information when completing your checkout sheet. Provide the school's name and mailing address and, if known, your college ID#.

SCHOLARSHIPS:

A list of addresses and procedures for obtaining your scholarship money will be mailed to your home with your final transcript and diploma in late June. PLEASE have your graduate send a thank you note to the person or organization awarding the scholarship. If you have any questions regarding your scholarships, contact Mary King in the high school office at 503-355-3553.

DIPLOMAS:

Diplomas, as mentioned above, will be mailed in late June. PLEASE remind your graduate their diploma is an official document and is the ONLY copy of their diploma. We do not keep copies of diplomas. Should the diploma be misplaced, we can only provide an official transcript that is proof of graduation.

FINES AND FEES:

All fees and fines must be paid by May 29, the final day of Senior Checkout. These are fees and fines that have followed graduates through their high school career. A list will be posted in the window of the main office, please check to see if you are on it and make

arrangements with Mary King in the main office to get those paid. An invoice will also be included with the checkout sheet.

GRADUATION INFORMATION

GRADUATION PRACTICE:

Attending practice is REQUIRED. Students not at practice will not be allowed to participate in the evening procession or commencement ceremony.

GRADUATION PROCESSION AND CEREMONY:

Formal graduation exercises will be held at 12 pm on Saturday, May 30, 2026. Graduates should be at the school by 11 am the morning of graduation and guests will be allowed to enter the gymnasium at that time. All seniors are expected to wear professional attire.....NO shorts! If decorating your cap, decorations must be simple, small, school appropriate and may not exceed ½ inch above the top of the cap. The administration may ask a student to remove any or all decorations. Other hats are not allowed. Please remember, this is a formal ceremony.

Neah-Kah-Nie High School will make special accommodations or access for family and friends with disabilities or special needs. Please contact Mary King at the high school office at 503-355-3553 by Wednesday, May 28th, to arrange for these needs.

GRADUATION AUDIENCE:

The graduation ceremony is an event that is important in the lives of all high school graduates and their families. Parents, grandparents, and family friends dream and plan for years for the time when their students will receive diplomas. For these reasons we want the ceremony to be well-planned, well-practiced, and well-executed. To maximize the ceremony for all, we ask that those in attendance keep noise to a minimum, except during appropriate times for applause. Please leave air horns and other noise making devices at home. Graduation is expected to be a formal celebration of the graduate's success. Please give them your attention and respect.

Gifts for your Graduate!

GIFTS FOR YOUR GRADUATE



FILL OUT THE GOOGLE FORM
TO PRE-ORDER GIFTS FOR
YOUR GRADUATE.

AVAILABLE FOR PICK-UP AT
SENIOR AWARDS NIGHT OR
AT GRADUATION.

\$15 - PAY AT PICK-UP



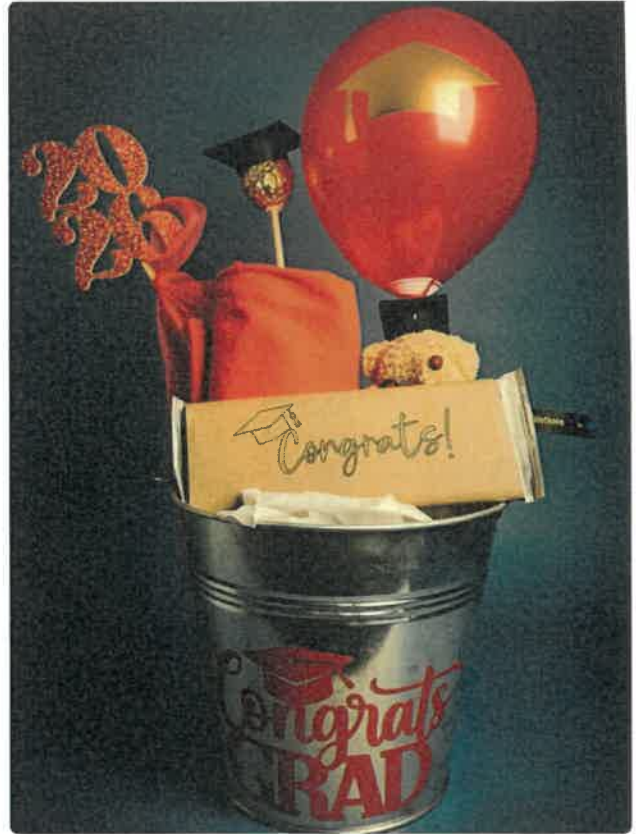
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STUDENT COUNCIL



Academic Corner: News and Updates



**FAFSA & OREGON
PROMISE
CONTEST**

Complete the FAFSA/ORSAA & Oregon Promise applications for a chance to win a \$100 gift card!

Deadline - May 15, 2026

Complete your financial aid and enter to win!



Tutoring with Ms. Eisele

Every Wednesday from 4-6. Signups are in the main office!

Other Opportunities

April 11, 2020

NOUANCEMENT

IN DISTRICT ONLY

POSITION: STUDENT SUMMER CUSTODIAL INTERNSHIP - 2 Positions

LOCATION: Neah-Kah-Nie High School
32 Neah Ave. Neah

DATE: June 15, 2020 - August 21, 2020

TO APPLY, ANCHOR OVER SEAS CONTACT:
Kiana Whelan, Administrative Assistant/HR Coordinator
Phone: 503-366-3646 or kwhelan@k12or.us

SALARY RANGE: \$15 per hr through June 30, 2020
\$16 per hr after July 1, 2020

APPLICATION DEADLINE: Open Until Filled

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS: Please submit a completed Youth Employment Application and letter of interest to Kiana Whelan at kwhelan@k12or.us

QUALIFICATIONS: See attached job description. Student must have transportation and an adult/teacher recommendation.

Work for NKN this summer!

Neah-Kah-Nie is hiring 2 positions for the summer custodial internship. Click below!

Summer Custodial Internship



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Gain experience working in the bays, rivers, and coastal watersheds. From research in the field to community education, choose your interest and get paid!



Applications due May 29th
Apply through Schoolinks!

Or send your resume & letter of interest to allyson@tbnep.org



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



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