

COUGAR NEWS

4th Edition

DECEMBER 2010

CONGRATULATIONS

- ◆ **Nearly 200 students—over 50% of the student body— qualified for the 1st trimester Cougar Trek. To qualify students needed to have no referrals, 5 or fewer tardies, and 90% or better attendance. These students will be heading to Medford on the 14th to go ice-skating.**
- ◆ **144 students made the Honor Roll—with a 3.25 or better GPA. Those students are listed on page 3 of this newsletter.**

IV Booster Club

Meeting Date: FIRST WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH

Place: IVHS Café

Time: 6:00 PM

The Booster Club must have the support of more parents in order to accomplish the big tasks that need to be done. The long term goal is a complete “Field of Dreams” that will upgrade the baseball, softball, and soccer fields as well as install an all-weather track at the football field. These are big and exciting goals that will have dramatic effects on athletics and activities at IVHS. There are currently a handful of people trying to make this happen for our students—and none of them have students at IVHS! Please get involved with this great club and help amazing things happen in the valley. We look forward to seeing you on January the 5th. Call the school if you have any questions.



HAPPY HOLIDAY SEASON WISHES TO IVHS STUDENTS, STAFF, AND THEIR FAMILIES

From Principal Bethany

I consistently hear from adults who come to the school to work with students in a variety of capacities that we have the best kids and the nicest school of any that they work with. It touches my heart to have others notice what I feel on a daily basis. I love spending my days—and some of my nights—here with staff and students of this great little school. Students—thank you for your willingness to work hard and share your lives with us.

Staff—you are amazingly caring and hard-working people who give of yourselves daily. Parents—thank you for entrusting your wonderful children to us each day. I wish each of you a wonderful holiday and a new year filled with good things.

JUNIORS & SENIORS

Time is running out to register for the January SATs at IVHS.

If you are planning to apply to a four year college, you need to take the SAT. The test will be given at IVHS on Jan. 22nd & May 7th. The deadline to register for the January test is Dec. the 22nd.

Register for the SAT at www.collegeboard.com. Our school code is 380150. See Ms. Thornhill in the Counseling Center to see if you qualify for a fee waiver— usually you do if you receive free or reduced lunches.

PBIS Supporters

The Positive Behavior Intervention Support Team would like to give a BIG SHOUT OUT to:

- * Z Coffee
- * Island Girl Coffee
- * Treehouse Florist and Gifts
- * Pizza Pit
- * Oregon Caves Chevron
- * Radio Shack



For their donations to Illinois Valley High School students. With their help our school is a fun and safe place for students. When you patronize these businesses, thank them for their support of our school.

Attention Seniors and Parents:

Grad Night Fundraisers:

Have you ever wanted to be a ROCK STAR? Sign up now at the IVHS Office. The competition will be held December 14th from 6-9 PM in the café. If you would like more information call the school at 541-592-2116

Seniors you will be bagging groceries sometime after the holidays so be ready.

AFTER SCHOOL TUTORING AND HOMEWORK HELP

One of the things that our 21st Century grant funding allows us to do is run an after school tutoring / homework help program. We have budgeted this year to run it four nights a week: Monday—Thursday. After school tutoring will run from 3:40 until 5:40. The buses will leave the school at 5:45 PM.

Any student who is in an after-school activity may ride the activity bus. Students who are staying for after-school tutoring and who are riding the bus are expected to stay in the classroom the entire time. Students who are walking, being picked up, or driving themselves may leave when they are finished working. Students may not leave the campus and return later. Students are given a 15 minute break and a sack "dinner" about 4:30. There is no cost for this meal. No student will be allowed to ride the activity bus if they are not in an after school program or a sport.

Students are required to sign in and out. If you are assuming your child is coming to after-school, you may call the school the following day to check on attendance. Many students could benefit from this extra help, so encourage your students to attend if they need the help.

The computer lab is open every night between 3:30 and 4:30 for student use.

NOTE FROM THE BOOKKEEPER

Message for seniors: If you will be walking in the graduation ceremony, you will need a cap and gown set. Brad, from Balfour, handed out order forms for these. This is a reminder to you that the price goes up if you have not ordered before Dec 15th. Even if you cannot pay now, get your order form in as soon as possible. If you do not have a form, you can get one in the office.

Illinois Valley High School Honor Roll for 1st Trimester 2010-2011

Summa Cum Laude – 4.0 or above

Grade 12: Marissa Litak, Audrey Mechling, Kieran Rose, Taylor Degiulio, Celilo Nordal, Lindsey Aria, Brelyn Barnes, Jesse Bethke, James Buck, Mark Delgado, Winona Gallegos, Aleesia Hennings, Robin Highbarger, Dalton Lamb, Cain Morton, Brian Nguyen, Rhiannon Quall, Brandi Russell, Statia Snyder, Kara Tyler, Sabrina VanTassel.

Grade 11: Andrew Mclaughlin, Jamie Sowell, Erin Byrne, Jazmyn Danko, Christopher Heise, Killian Mavity, Stephanie Agee, Thea Barker-Cortrecht, Bradley Keaton, Devon DeNoon, Oscar Flores, Anastasia Greenberg, Meghan Householder, Blanka Koci, Felisha Ripley, Travis Robbins, Levi Vasquez, Xenia Valasco, Kristen Vidales.

Grade 10: Natalie Wellen, Talee Baker, Phoebe Chan, Kaitlin Hearn, Artesia Hubbard, Elissa Matthews, Ariel Reiner, Krysten Siver, Daniel Vega.

Grade 9: Joshua Allan, Brian Bemis, Tyler Bethke, Amanda Brooks, Idalis Calvert, Brelyn Dhenin, Samantha Frederick, Shelbie Mason, Samantha Milner, Lander Nordal, Edilet Rodriguez, Seth Williams, Solomon Zook.

Magna Cum Laude – 3.5 – 3.99

Grade 12: Ryan Andrews, Brooke Crocker, Jessica Frederick, Alexander Hess, Roger Hults, Kayla Johnson, Christina Ricci, Casey Robertson, Tristan Gale, Brittany Mosley, Rachel Gibson, Dean Hoyle, Geneva Vasquez, Ashley Webb, Lucille Bell, Isaac Carnes, Allison Cowan, Augustine Duarte, Alexandria Miller, Cassandra Thurman, Ericka Dean.

Grade 11: CeCe Imerti, Danielle Lavassaur, Destiny Yoshiwara, Kelly Duncan, Cheyenne Johnson, Krista Joines, Rachel Miller, Isabella Spliethof, Kim Allison, Heather Benson, Rebecca Gogulski, Fredderick Hults, Jacob Salas, Robert Lowden, Emily Torrence.

Grade 10: Kelly Armijo, Anthony Dilley, Tyeirra Hess, Miranda Stiles, Will Worley, Nicholas Hoelzle, Tyler Clark, Hannah Kanig, Alexandria Manninen.

Grade 9: Kimberly Crow, Kiana Lee, Kimberly Rodriguez, Star Breashears, Lisa Flinders, Theresa Frederick, Mariah Nolan, Amber Webb, Jay Tetone.

Cum Laude – 3.25 – 3.49

Grade 12: Karley Deters, Hailee Parker, Dylan Skidmore, Stuart Tripp.

Grade 11: Megan Franklin, Myiha Giles, Takala Madden, Brian Terry, Carly Jensen, Jessie Rollins, Rebekah Sawall.

Grade 10: Jesse Dodson, Sabrina Noel, Brandon Parker, Sarah Luna, Taysha Hodge, John Maldonado, Kevin Scott.

Grade 9: Seth Arias, Naviya Dixon, Kade Doyle, Ray'eena Giles, Imani Hess, Daniel Hill, Erik Householder, Shea Mather, Chaise Robbins.

Attention Parents/Guardians:

After receiving an automated call from our new phone messaging system, Syner-voice, please call the school in the morning to clear your student's absences. The number is 541-592-2116; ask for the attendance office. It is very important for you and your student to have these absences cleared.



Music Department



The amazing IVHS Music Department will be holding their annual Winter Festival Concert on Thursday December 16th at 7:00 PM. Come and enjoy the wonderful holiday music and support the great students at IVHS.

IMPORTANT DATES

December 13	Balfour on Campus from lunch to 5:00 PM
December 13	School Board Meeting @ District Office @ 7:00 PM
December 14	Battle of the Bands—Grad Night Fundraiser @ 7:00 PM
December 16	Winterfest Concert in the Café @ 7:00 PM
December 20– 31	Winter Break
January 3	School Resumes
January 5	Booster Club Meeting @ 6:00 PM
January 10	School Board Meeting @ District Office @ 7:00 PM
January 12	Grad Night Meeting @ 6:00 PM
January 15	Cheerleading Kids Camp @ 10:00 AM
January 17	No School (Martin Luther King Day)
January 19	Progress Reports Card
January 19	FAFSA Parent Night @ 6:00 PM
January 22	SAT Testing at IV
January 27	Parent Teacher Conferences
January 28	2 Hour Late Start



Speed Limit and Speed Bumps on School Grounds

Students and parents, please, remember that the speed limit on school grounds is **5** miles per hour. That speed is going to feel **very slow**, but it is the law. We have had several issues of either parents or students going over the speed limit which can cause safety issues on campus. We do not want anyone hurt. Because we have had repeated issues with speeding cars, we recently had a speed bump installed in the driveway and will be getting a second over by the gym. Though no one likes driving over speed bumps, we felt it was necessary for the safety of the students, parents, and visitors.



School Wide Advocates

Our school wide advocates are excited about another year and would like to remind parents and guardians that they are here to help your student during the school day. They can be reached at 541-592-2116

- Ms. Gutierrez works with 9th and half of the 10th graders
- Mr. Yarbrough works with 11th and half of the 10th graders
- Ms. Gamble works with 12th graders and scholarships
- Our Family Advocate Mrs. Merrill would also like to offer her service to the families at IV. If you have any questions regarding your student or any services available, please give her a call.

COUGAR ATHLETICS

DECEMBER 2010

Sports Report from the Cougar Den

Congratulations to the IV Cougar's for a very successful fall sports season! Cougar Football lead the way with it's first playoff win in the school's history, boys soccer was one win away from making the playoffs, girls volleyball and soccer were more competitive than ever despite being in the toughest conference in the state! Next up is a strong cast of Basketball and Wrestlers to cheer on in the Southern Cascade League! Check the school website or get a copy of all schedules in the front offices! *Way to go COUGARS!*

BOYS SOCCER

The boys soccer team came within one game of making the playoffs this year despite being one of the youngest teams in the conference. Coach Enoch's team had great senior leadership, but was lead on offense by a young core of players. They finished 5-9.

MVP: David Perata

Most Improved: Brian Nguyen

Most Inspirational:

Anthony Realmuto
"Newbee Award": Keith Lewin

FOOTBALL

This year's gridiron gang had a year like never before! The boys went on the road to Tualatin and beat Horizon Christian for the first playoff win in school history! The next week, they played the #1 team in the state again on the road in Independence out of Salem and competed well, but lost, 56-22. The boys finished

IV ATHLETICS HOMEPAGE

Follow Cougar Athletics on the web now at www.threerivers.k12.or.us/IVAthletics Copies of each sports schedule are posted as well as links to directions for each away

with a 7-5 record and made it to the quarterfinals for the first time in Cougar Football history. The team awards went to:

MVP: Roger Hults

Mr. Versatility: Lucas Harris

Most Improved: Josh Free

Most Improved: Andrew McLaughlin

VOLLEYBALL

Coach Cathy Pope's volleyball team finished the year 4-16 but continued to fight in a very tough conference. Her team awards were:

Co-MVP:

Kayla Johnson & Alex Miller

Most Improved: Amy Weaver

Most Inspirational: Hailee Parker

GIRLS SOCCER

game or tournament.

WINTER SPORTS PRACTICE/SCHEDULE

Athletes please check with your coach regarding your Holiday Break practice and game schedules. Attendance

This year's Lady Cougar Soccer team finished with a 2-10-1 record.

MVP: Laurissa Tausaga

Most Improved:

Marissa Litak

Most Inspirational:

Kristen Vidales

CROSS COUNTRY

Coach Bill Yeoman's runners had a very successful year on the trails and competed at a high level with the runners peaking at the district meet in Rogue River in the rain! Congratulations to Casey Robertson for finishing in 7th place in the Southern Cascade League.

MVP: Casey Robertson and Tyler Delaney

Most Improved: Samantha Milner

PARENTS-

Thank to all of you who allowed your students to ride the rooter bus to the football game or attend the game! The number of kids at the game was great to see!

Southern Cascade League All League Results

♦ FOOTBALL

FIRST TEAM OFFENSE

Augie Duarte, Andrew McLaughlin, Fred Hults, Roger Hults, Curtis Paulson, Tyler Robbins

SECOND TEAM OFFENSE

Josh Free

HONORABLE MENTION

Lucas Harris

♦ FIRST TEAM DEFENSE

Augie Duarte, Fred Hults, Curtis Paulson, Roger Hults

SECOND TEAM DEFENSE

Andrew McLaughlin, Matt Coultas

Offensive Player of the Year-

Roger Hults

Coach Of The Year—

Ray Yarbrough

♦ VOLLEYBALL

HONORABLE MENTION

Alex Miller & Kayla Johnson

♦ GIRLS SOCCER

FIRST TEAM - Laurissa Tausaga

HONORABLE MENTION

Kristen Vidales, Kieran Rose, Caitlyn Jones

♦ BOYS SOCCER

FIRST TEAM—

Jovany Sanchez Anthony Realmuto

SECOND TEAM— Keith Lewin

HONORABLE MENTION—

David Perata

♦ CROSS COUNTRY

SECOND TEAM—Casey Robert-

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Three Rivers School District



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CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING STUDENT ATHLETES FOR THEIR OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE IN AND OUT OF THE CLASSROOM! THESE STUDENTS ARE RECOGNIZED FOR MAINTAINING A 3.5 GPA WHILE BEING IN ATHLETICS! WAY TO GO! KEEP UP THAT *COUGAR P.R.I.D.E!*

FOOTBALL

Mathew Brock
Andrew McLaughlin
Killian Mavity
Josh Free
Travis Robbins
Matt Coultas
Roger Hults
Augie Duarte

MENS SOCCER

CROSS COUNTRY

Erin Byrne
Mark Delgado
Jesse Bethke
Casey Robertson

WOMENS SOCCER

Alex Manninen
Jamie Sowell
Stephanie Agee

VOLLEYBALL

Natalie Wellen
Meghan Householder
Kayla Johnson
Aleesia Hennings
Artesia Hubbard
Thea Barker-Cortrecht

CHEERLEADING

Miranda Stiles
Brittany Mosley

HOME CONTEST DATES

- ◆ WRESTLING DATES
Jan 20—DUAL AT IV
Jan 27— DUAL AT IV
Feb 3rd—DUAL AT IV
- ◆ BOYS VARSITY HOME DATES
Dec 3- vs. Hidden Valley
Dec 7th— vs South Umpqua
Jan 5th—vs Brookings Harbor
Jan 11th— vs. Lost River
Jan 14h—vs. Bonanza
Jan 25th—vs. Cascade Christian
Jan 28th—vs. Lakeview
Feb 4th—vs. Rogue River
Feb 8th—vs. St. Mary's
- ◆ GIRLS VARSITY BASKETBALL
Dec 1- vs. North Valley
Dec 4th—vs. Paisley
Dec 7th— vs Milo Academy
Jan 4th—vs Chiloquin
Jan 11th— vs. Lost River
Jan 14h—vs. Bonanza
Jan 25th—vs. Cascade Christian
Jan 28th—vs. Lakeview
Feb 4th—vs. Rogue River
Feb 8th—vs. St. Mary's

Winter Sports Update

WRESTLING

Coach Jay Miller is back for another year of Cougar domination on the mats! The Cougar grapplers are busy this December. Tournaments in Redmond, North Bend, and Willamette.

BOYS BASKETBALL

Jeff Winter's group will be running and gunning on the hardwood this season with lots of returning players. Stay updated by checking out the IV Athletics Homepage for a complete schedule. First game is December 1st against cross-valley rivals North Valley. Come on out and support the boys!

GIRLS BASKETBALL

Schedules may change so please check with the school and coaches to stay up-to-date

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Payments may be made to IVHS 2011 Trailblazer Yearbook. See Mrs. Hall in IVHS bookkeeping.

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PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR THE 1st TRIMESTER

ZERO ABSENCES


Arias, Seth	Baker, Cody	Baker, Talee	Bemis, Brian	Bolin, Koreena
Bricker, Georgia	Brock, Mathew	Brooks, Amanda	Brown, Brittney	Chan, Phoebe
Chapman, Cooper	Chastain III, James	Clark, Tyler	Coultas, Matthew	DeNoon, Devon
Dodson, Jesse	Doyle, Kade	Duarte, Augustine	Elkins, Natasha	Flores, Meghan
Freeman, Cedar	Gale, Merina	Gallegos, Montee	Giles, Myiha	Giles, Ray'eena
Gogulski, Rebecca	Heise, Christopher	Hess, Tyierra	Hoelzle, Nicholas	Hults, Fredderick
Hults, Roger	Imerti, CeCe	Joines, Krista	Krska, Kenneth	Lindell, Tori
Lavassaur, Danielle	Lowden, Robert	Lyons, Jeremiah	Mather, Shea	Miller, Garrett

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR THE 1st TRIMESTER

1–2 DAY of ABSENCES

Allan, Joshua	Allison, Kim	Anderson, Zachary	Andrews, Tyler	Barela, Chantee
Augustadt, Keyanna	Ballard, Leonard	Barker-Cortrecht, Thea	Barto, Ashley	Becker, Anthony
Benson, Heather	Bethke, Tyler	Bond, Justin	Bradley, Keaton	Britt, John
Buck, James	Byrne, Erin	Calvert, Idalis	Carnes, Isaac	Cook, Dillon
Craugh, Crystal	Crow, Dakota	Crow, Kimberly	Crutcher, Samantha	Danko, Jazmyn
Davis, Mikiah	Dilley, Anthony	Dixon, Naviya	Franklin, Megan	Free, Jeremy
Frederick, Jessica	Frederick, Samantha	Frederick, Theresa	Free, Joshua	Fujita, Kaichi
Gale, Tristan	Gallegos, Winona	Gardenhire, Bryce	Greenberg, Anastasia	Groves, Caleb
Guion, Taylor	Gunn, Joshua	Hammersmith, Tyler	Hart, Austin	Hearn, Gabriel
Hearn, Kaitlin	Hennings, Aleesia	Hess, Imani	Highbarger, Robin	Hill, Daniel
Hodge, Myles	Householder, Erik	Householder, Meghan	Hoyle, Dean	Hoyle, Dillon
Hughey, Theodore	Jenkins, Elizabeth	Johnson, Cheyenne	Kanig, Hannah	Keith, Rickey
Kendall, Wesley	Koci, Blanka	Lamb, Dalton	Lee, Kiana	Litak, Marissa
Luna, Sarah	Lunt, Kiersten	Mann, Spencer	Margason, Collin	Mason, Shelbie
Matthews, Elissa	Mclaughlin, Andrew	Meichtry, Jason	Miller, Austun	Miller, Cody

Congratulations!



School Delays and Closures

This year, the decision to close or delay the start of school will be communicated to all parents, staff, subs, media, etc, via phone calls and e-mail utilizing Synrevoice.

Once the decision to close or delay the start of school takes place, which is planned to occur no later than 5:30 AM, the District Office will initiate Synrevoice to start making the calls. Parents and staff will start getting phone calls at this time. It is early for the phone to ring, but at least it will mean students will not be headed to bus. Synrevoice has the capacity to call hundreds of phones simultaneously.

Any closure or delay will also be posted on the district's web page.

If you do not have a phone or internet access, closure information will also be on the

If school is in session and must be called because of a power outage, snow accumulation after the start of school, or some other emergency, the school will initiate Synrevoice and parents will be notified.

It is **CRITICAL** that parents keep the enrollment information, particularly phone numbers and email addresses current. If we do not have the right information, you will not get the calls or emails. Please make sure to update with the schools as these things change.

2010/2011 ADVERSE WEATHER CONDITIONS—Illinois Valley, Lorna Byrne, Evergreen

In the event of adverse weather conditions parents are advised to tune in to Radio Stations KRWQ, KAJQ, KLDL, KBOY and TV Stations KOB1 (5), KDRV (12), KTVL (10) or the 3 Rivers School District Web Page for information on school bus schedules. Sometimes weather conditions leave some roads blocked or unsafe to travel but school is still being held. Under these circumstances "straight line routes" will be run. This is the information you will get on the web page or radio/TV stations.

When straight line routes are run the roads affected are listed below. If you live on one of the roads the buses cannot travel, you may bring your student to the nearest intersection of the main road traveled. This will also be the stop for the afternoon drop off.

ROUTE #	STREET NAME
C-01	Lone Mountain (Past Naue Way)
C-02	Cascade, Mesa Verde, Fernwood, Ivy, Simmons Cut, Patton Bar
C-03	Waldo - past O'Brien Road, West Side Road, Old 199 & Turner
C-04	No Pick Ups past Four Corners
C-05	Caves Hwy (Past 6540, Caves Campground), Walters
C-06	Robinson Road, Jackadell
C-07	Hummingbird, Garner
C-08	Warren Road, Illinois River Road, Hwy 199-past Rays Mkt.
C-09	Thompson Creek Road, McMullen Creek Road, Lakeshore-past Dryden
C-10	Crooks Creek, Upper Deer Creek (past Intersection At Lakeshore)
C-11	Draper Valley Road, Reeves Creek

Meet the Staff at IV!

Tara Thornhill—Registrar



I have lived in the valley for 31 years. I am married and have three sons: Jake '05 grad and currently serving in Navy on a submarine stationed in Guam; Chad '08 grad and college student; and Mason who is in the 6th grade. I earned an associate degree from RCC and am currently the registrar. I have worked for Three Rivers School District for a total of 18 years—at IVHS for 10 years and at Selma Elementary for 8 years.

Debbie Larson— IVAC Assistant



I was born and raised in Josephine County and graduated from IVHS in 1973. I went to RCC and worked as a CNA. I was married in 1976 and have three children. They all grew up here and graduated from IV. I now have six grandchildren who all live in Grants Pass. I like to run, bike and work out with weights and make yummy truffles.

Heather Merrill— Family Advocate I was born in California and went through elementary school there. I moved to Oregon in 1988. While at Illinois Valley High School I became very active in sports, playing volleyball and went on to find cheerleading was my love. I applied and was hired by Three Rivers School District four years after I graduated from high school as a multi- handicap assistant at an elementary school in Grants Pass. I was then transferred to Illinois Valley High School in the same job classification about three years later. During that time I applied for the position of cheer-leading coach. I am now working as the Family Advocate for Illinois Valley High School. It is my pleasure and privilege to work with those students and families in need.



Alice “Q” Lackey— Educational Assistant



I have lived in the Illinois Valley for 19 years. I have two boys: Alex 26 and Jake 17. I have worked at IV for 9 years. My main job is to supervise the computer lab and assist students and staff in the lab. I also help to coordinate all OAKS testing in the lab. I love making Native American moccasins.

Cheryl Hipps— IVAC Teacher



This is my 17th year of teaching for the Three Rivers School District with 15 of those in the Illinois Valley. I taught Health and a variety of PE classes for my first 15 years. At the beginning of the 2009-10 school year I started working at the Alternative Center (IVAC). This is my 2nd year at IVAC, and I LOVE it! I really enjoy the students and staff at IVAC. I have a 2 ½ year old daughter named Harley Ann Rose that I love more than anything in this world. I enjoy riding motorcycles with my husband, camping, hunting, shooting, reading, scrapbooking and playing with my daughter.

Matt Knight— PE Teacher and Coach



I graduated from Vintage High School in Napa, CA in 2001. After high school I attended Oregon State University from 2001-2005 and got a bachelor's degree in Exercise and Sport Science. I received my masters from Oregon State as well in Exercise and Sport Science. After college I got this job at IV and have been here since—which makes it my 4th year at IV.

I am a person who likes athletics and I love working with students here and coaching. I currently coach JV boys basketball, wide receivers in football, and JV and Varsity boys golf.

TO CONTACT A TEACHER

There are three ways to contact an IVHS teacher:

1. Email—can be accessed on webpage. Email addresses are all in this format:
firstname.lastname@threerivers.k12.or.us
2. Call the school and leave a message.
3. Call their school cell phone. Teachers will not be able to answer during the school day, but if you leave a message, they will return your call within 24 hours.

Ms. Barker—787-0854	Ms. Hardy—787-0861	Ms. Meyer—787-0858
Mr. Bradley—787-0855	Mr. Alderson—787-0862	Mr. Morgan—787-0867
Ms. Brown —787-0871	Ms. Hipps—787-0872	Ms. Schiermeyer—787-0868
Mr. Enoch—787-0856	Mr. Knight—787-0863	Ms. Szijarto—787-0869
Ms. Farmer—787-0857	Mr. Lathen—787-0864	Ms. Valenzuela—787-0870
Mr. Grosenbach—787-0859	Mr. McHugh—787-0865	
Ms. Butler—787-0860	Mr. McKee—787-0866	

Start Planning Now For Academic Masters

Academic Masters is an amazing opportunity for our students. Our students will compete against each other in the following areas: Math, Science, English, Social Studies and Music. At the local competition on April the 1st, one student will be chosen in each area to represent the school at the county competition the end of April. Interested students should talk to their teachers or Ms. Bethany. There will be more information in the January newsletter. Cash prizes range from \$300—\$1200 for the winners.



COUGAR PRIDE CITATIONS



Once a trimester, each teacher picks a student from their classes who is a pleasure to have in class. Teachers must pick from 100+ students to name the one that works hard, treats classmates with respect, and makes every effort to do their best. These students exemplify all aspects of Cougar Pride : Perseverance, respect, integrity, discipline, and excellence. The 1st Trimester students were presented with this honor during an all school assembly on the 10th. The Cougar Pride award winners for the 1st trimester are:

Oscar Flores	Idalis Calvert	Solomon Zook	Lindsey Aria
Ericka Dean	Anthony Dilley	Jamie Sowell	Isaac Carnes
Xenia Velasco	Keaton Bradley	Destiny Yoshiwara	Danny Hill
Kimberly Crow	Cooper Chapman	Natalie Wellen	Cain Morton
Josh Mason	Alexander Nguyen	Taylor DeGiulio	



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Qualified Expenses

- Tuition
- Fees
- Books
- Supplies
- Computer

Eligibility Requirements

- Current gross income must be at or below income guidelines
- Meet asset requirements
- Ability to save \$25 a month
- *On track for acceptance into post-secondary education*

Program Requirements

- Complete money management classes
- Develop a monthly savings plan
- *Open a special savings account*

Dream\$avers Income Guidelines								
(Based on Adjusted Gross Income for entire household. Call for details)								
Number of people in the household	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Yearly Gross Income	\$28,000	\$32,000	\$36,620	\$44,100	\$51,580	\$59,060	\$66,540	\$74,020

For More Information Contact Katie Eaton

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Athletic Director: Casey Alderson
Office Manager: Ms. Janie Pope

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School Year Office Hours 7:00 AM — 4:15 PM

CREDIT MAKE UP

Credit makeup is now available after school on Monday thru Thursday from 3:30—5:30 with Ms. Anna Gutierrez. If you have any questions about what classes are available or just general information please call her at 541-592-2116. Credit makeup must now be done after school. All students participating will be asked to sign a contract of commitment. Ms. Anna is also available to help any Freshman who may need help with school work at this time as well.

If your student has failed a core class, check with Ms. Tucker in counseling to see if they are eligible to make up the class during Afterschool Credit Makeup. Students should not wait until their senior year to get this done!