

**Pana High School
Report to the Board of Education
October, 2017**

- **9th Grade 107**
- **10th Grade 103**
- **11th Grade 113**
- **12th Grade 86**
- **Totals 409**

**The September First National Bank Senior-of-the-Month was Teagan Strom
The October First National Bank Senior-of-the-Month is Madison Hilbert**

The September WMKR Radio Students-of-the-Month were: Adelyne Deere (9), Danielle Bieber (10), Aubrey Beyers (11), Teagan Strom (12).

The October WMKR Radio Students-of-the-Month are: Christian Smedley (9), Trey Patton (10), Jordan Bock (11), Lily Anderson (12).

The September Peoples Bank Athletes-of-the-Month were: Brock Schoonover (9 – cross country), Jacob Beyers (10 – golf), Shania Schoonover (11 – volleyball), TIE – Jacob Beeson (12 – football) and Teagan Strom (12 – golf).

We had a successful Parent/Teacher Conference day on October 5th. Thirty staff members saw 394 parents/guardians – an average of 13.1 parents per teacher. This is nearly double the amount seen last year! Sixteen staff members saw 10 or more parents, with Señor Evaul taking home the prize (again) – 37 parents!

We had eight students audition for the Illinois Music Education District 5 Band festival. Seniors Teagan Strom and Breana Clark, along with junior Sarah Lin advanced, and will perform on November 18th at Eastern Illinois University with the District 5 All-District Band.

The girls' golf team placed 3rd in the South Central Conference tournament on September 26th. The Lady Panthers finished in 3rd Place as a team, with Teagan Strom made the All-Conference Team with a career best score of 88 (3rd Place) and Lizzie Epley also shooting a career best with a score of 100 (9th Place). On October 4th, the team traveled to Tuscola for the regional tournament. The team finished in 3rd Place again, thereby advancing as a team to the sectional tournament in Springfield on Saturday, October 7th. The girls survived a windy, rainy day. SCC and regional/sectional team members: Teagan Strom, Emma Dilley, Lizzie Epley, Hannah LeDuc, Josie Pauley, Chloe Hendrickson.

The boys' soccer team finished their season on October 11th with a loss to Effingham St. Anthony in the regional tournament. They finished 7th in the SCC with a 4-5 record.

The cross country runners travel to Piasa for the SCC Meet on October 16th and Shelbyville for the regional on October 21st.

The football team is on their way to another play-off season with a 6-1 record going into the final 2 weeks of the season. We host Vandalia on October 20 for the last game.

The varsity volleyball team is sporting an undefeated record in the SCC as they head into the end of the season with only one game to play against conference rival Vandalia on October 19th. This will also be the annual "PINK" night for Breast Cancer Awareness. Pana brings a #1 seed into the regional tournament that will be played at Shelbyville the week of October 23rd.

Homecoming Week will be October 16-21. Court members: Malaiah McCrory & Boone Elledge (freshmen), Oliva Schmitz & Drake Spracklen (sophomores), Josie Pauley & Ben Holthaus (juniors). Queen Candidates: Lily Anderson, Brenna Dameris, Danielle Epley, Madison Hilbert, Claire Holthaus. King Candidates: Jacob Beeson, Jack Clark, Daniel Duduit, Ian Harbert, Kade Herbord.

The theme this year is "Enchanted" by Taylor Swift. The hallways will be decorated in the style of fairytale lands: freshmen – Narnia, sophomores – Neverland, Juniors – Land of Oz, Seniors – Wonderland, Faculty – Candy Land 😊

Dress Up days: Monday – Pajama Day, Tuesday – Hero/Villain Day, Wednesday – Hallway Day, Thursday – Class Color Day (red-green-blue-black-pink), Friday – Orange & Blue Spirit Day/Senior Toga Day.

The Good Deeds Group gets bigger every month. There are approximately 85 students participating. On September 28, the group cut up old t-shirts for the "Bundled Bottoms" ministry of Many Hands for Haiti (MH4H). Bundled Bottoms helps MH4H carry out two missional areas of focus: economic development for women and medical assistance for the marginalized. Not only do children and their families benefit from these undergarments for health reasons, Haitian women are also employed by Bundled Bottoms to sew the diapers. Many thanks to Josie Pauley and her mother Sandy for spear-heading these Good Deed initiatives!



