

Pana High School
Report to the Board of Education
November, 2015

- 9th Grade 103
- 10th Grade 117
- 11th Grade 87
- 12th Grade 106
- Totals 413

The November First National Bank **Senior-of-the-Month** is Jake McLeod.

The November WMKR Radio **Students-of-the-Month** are: Trey Patton (9), Jared Beyers (10), Jacob Beeson (11), Emily Gatons (12).

October People's Bank **Athletes of the Month**: Jacob (9), Lizzie Epley (10), Natalie Kirkbride (11), Jake McLeod (12).

The following athletes were named to the SCC All-Conference **Soccer** team: Jack Epley (1st), Jacob McLeod (1st), Matt Copley (1st), Tristan Wooldridge(2nd), Jace Christer (3rd), Jacob Latonis (3rd), Adam Miller (3rd). We finished a perfect 9-0!

The following athletes were named to the SCC All-Conference **Volleyball** team: Jenna Dudra (1st), Colleen Weddle (1st), Brenna Dameris (3rd), Shayna Stremming (3rd). We finished with an 8-1 record in the conference – 1st Place! The volleyball also won the regional, and just missed advancing to the sectional final.

On November 16th, we gave a practice **SAT** to the juniors. This is the first of many test-prepping sessions we will be offering the juniors to better prepare them to take this new assessment.

The annual **girls' basketball** Turkey Tournament will take place November 18-19 and 25-26.

The varsity **boys' basketball** team starts its season at Central A & M on December 1st.

The **girls' bowling** team rolls into another season on November 29th as they host Vandalia for their first match of the season.

The high school, junior high and Lincoln School **bands**, as well as the high school **choir** will be performing their annual Holiday Concert on December 9th in the gymnasium.

The **Art Club** has been involved in community activities such as: face painting at the Home Varsity Football Games, and face painting at Lincoln Elementary School PBIS Halloween party. High School Crafts classes assisted the Quarterback Club by designing, painting, and creating signs for the homecoming and playoff football games. These were displayed on the inside as well as outside of the fence around the Football stadium. Art Club members as well as the Crafts classes assisted in decorating our school for the ROE #3 Training Day that was held at the Senior High School. Students created pumpkins, fall baskets, and signs for the Panther's Den, and front doors of the PHS building.

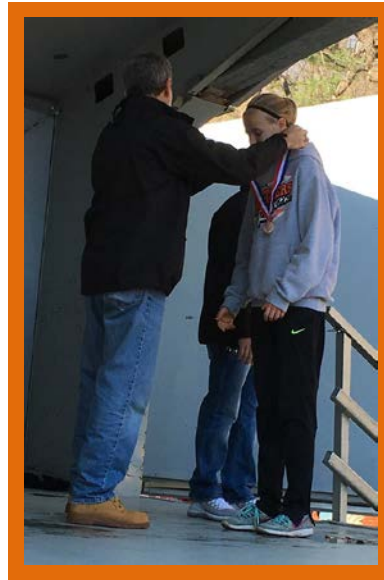
Pictures from the Attaboy concert – October 18th.



The **Art Club** is participating once again in the annual ***Festival of Trees in Springfield***. The theme this year is “Remember When...” The students chose to do a Victorian / 1920s theme. Club members created a men's top hat, monocle, pocket watch, and fan for the tree topper. The ornaments were: Silhouette paintings, light bulbs, flowers, masks, glittered and painted pinecones, and lace ornaments. The base consisted of one horse carriage and two horses. The four students who were able to go on Saturday November 7th to Springfield to set up were: Elizabeth Wood, Beth Hall, Breana Clark, and Isabel Carter. There were other students who created the projects in Art Club for the tree who were unable to attend on Saturday: Grace McFarland, Serena Walters, Sarah Lin, Eric Hall, and Tabby Wood. These students get credit for the production of the ornaments because all had to be handmade. Definitely a lot of fun! This annual event takes place in the Orr Building at the State Fairgrounds November 19-27. Not only did these students help decorate the tree, students were also shown two Art Galleries in Springfield, Illinois. I took students to the the “Blue Door” business and Art Gallery to show what artists create and often sell their artwork. The girls really enjoyed one watercolor artist, Christy Freeman. There was a worker in the Blue Door Gallery that knew of the artist, and said Christy has her own gallery in the White Oaks Mall. Students traveled to the White Oaks Mall to visit the Christy Freeman gallery, and talk with the artist one on one. They also got some feedback on how to create mixed media watercolor artwork. Overall, the students enjoyed the trip! I hope to continue the Field Trip with Art Students to Springfield, Illinois.



Claudia Magnussen placed 2nd at the IHSA State Cross Country meet. We are super proud of this young lady and all that she has accomplished in her two years of XC!



Volleyball Regional Champs!



Senator Andy Manar – Principal for a Day – October 18th.



Representative Rodney Davis speaks to the band regarding their trip to Washington D.C.

