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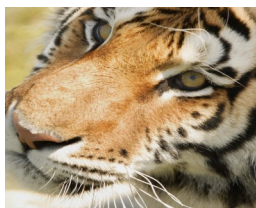
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by our example, not by
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Jackson Center Local Schools Presents

The Tiger Information Center

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SECOND QUARTER

ISSUE III

Greetings from Jackson Center Schools!

Events:

We just wrapped up the 2nd quarter and as winter marches on, so do our indoor events. I would like to personally invite you to **attend a regular season or tournament basketball game, Fine Arts Night (February 13), and the Musical "Freaky Friday" (March 13-16).** You will be impressed with our kids and walk away proud to be a Tiger!

Winter Driving:

As a reminder, we will delay or cancel school if conditions are treacherous on our school district roads. Our main concern is young drivers and our busses. Most adults have enough experience driving in hazardous conditions, but many of our 16 and 17 year olds do not always take their time and use proper precautions. Our busses are also a concern because of the number of stops and starts they make during their routes. Sliding is an issue for them as well as the people around them. There is no exact science to calling a delay or cancellation, but we do work with the other local school districts and try to make the best call possible.

As the weather warms and more students walk or ride their bikes, it is a great time to remember that all of us need to slow down and follow all school guidelines at the beginning and end of the school day. **All parents dropping off or picking up their students at school need to use the curb lane!** Dropping off between cars or in the parking lanes is very dangerous for the students because they cannot always be seen clearly by other drivers. The only exception would be if an adult needs to walk their student to the door. In that case, the children need to stay with that adult. After school, please stay in your car at the curb and have your student look for you so the traffic keeps moving. Thank you for continuing to follow these simple guidelines and keep our kids free from harm.

State Testing:

Finally, spring is also the time for state testing. Please make sure that your student is eating properly, getting enough sleep at night and encourage your student to show what they can do! We've had our best academic years recently and we want to continue that trend!

Please read further for more information on all the exciting things happening at Jackson Center Schools.



The Tiger Notes & Strokes Boosters are excited to host this year's Fine Arts Exhibition! Please join us to support the art programs that your student participates in every day! Art will be exhibited, performances will be on the stages, and food will be served!

Where: Jackson Center Schools

When: Thursday, February 13, 2025 ~ 6pm-8pm

Purchase Pre-sale Ticket at \$10.00 each and be automatically entered in the reverse raffle.

Students 4th grade and under are free with a paying adult

Checks can be made out to "Tiger Notes and Strokes"

Tickets can be purchased in the office or at the door
\$40 Cap per household



**Performed by the
Jackson Center Theatre**

Thursday, March 13 @ 7pm

Friday, March 14 @ 7pm

Saturday, March 15 @ 7pm

Sunday, March 16 Matinee @ 2pm

All tickets are assigned seating.

**Pre-Sale tickets will be available
in the school office beginning**

Friday, February 14th

All Tickets are \$10 each



Incoming 9th Grade Orientation

Current 8th grade students and their parents are invited to attend 9th Grade Orientation which will be held on Monday, February 24th, at 6:30 pm in the cafetorium. During the session, we will be reviewing a booklet containing information for registration, scheduling, and course selection for next school year. Students will also receive a packet of information for present as well as future use throughout high school. This meeting is extremely important because the academic life of the student drastically changes upon entering their ninth-grade year. We hope to see you on Monday, February 24th.

COMMUNITY BLOOD DRIVE



The National Honor Society at Jackson Center Schools will be sponsoring a blood drive on Friday, March 28, 2025. The blood drive will be held from 9:00am-1:00pm in the high school athletic complex. The goal is to have forty donors. If you would like to donate, please sign up at www.donortime.org. Thank you in advance for helping to save a life. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Susie Harris at 937-596-6149 (ext. 115).

Merit Roll (GPA 4.0 for Grades 6-12)- 2nd quarter 2024-2025

12th Grade

Breanna Brueggert
Cortney Copeland
Jackson Davis
Xander Gross
Avery Jackson
De' Lichtenberg
Maryn Ludwig
Kathryn Prenger
Zoe Razzano
Kendall Reese
Presley Reese
McKinley Reichert
Brynn Shelton
Allee Wentz
Owen Willoby
Sean Wren

12th @ uvcc

Jacob Grile
Cooper Hartle
Jacob Jones
Skylyn Kiser
Blake Noble
Tyler Yarkosky

11th Grade

Carter Klopfenstein
Landon Lemly
Ashley Nuss
Preston Serr
Ian Stengel
Zacory Wiswell
Tristan Woolley
Corinne York

11th @ uvcc

Ava Butcher

10th Grade

Elizabeth Back
Kale Barhorst
Kyle Burch
Brooke Ann Byrd
Bobby Copeland
Landon Coy
Lillian Davis
Anderson Fark
Xander Gayer
Kaiden Geuy
Alexa Hartle
Natalie Metzger
Elizabeth Oen
Landon Sanders
Laynee Shields

9th Grade

Bailey Evans
Marley Hughes
Maycee Kipker
Samantha Metzger

9th Grade-cont'd

Breezy Pence
Eli Prenger
Tatum Reichert
Kiersten Roberts
Isabella Warner

8th Grade

Julia Burch
Damon Clem
Dawson Clem
Cooper Elliott
Benson Fettes
Breahna Finn
Cannon Hazelbaker
Brynleigh Osysko
Whitney York

7th Grade

Harper Barhorst
Olivia Hagen
Brin Hazelbaker

7th Grade-cont'd

Grady Lyle
Marian Nagel
Peyton Nation
Alex Prenger
Laya Roberts
Avery Temme
James Whipp

6th Grade

Alexis Burton
Jaycie Butts
Ember Hague
Nicole Halberstadt
Hadley Lindeman
Caroline Morris
Camdyn Osysko
Griffin Springer
Sawyer Thomas
Beckem Wallace
Wesley Wise

5th Grade-all A's

Tysen Gariety
Harper Kipker
Caleb Lotz
Hudson Lotz
Samuel Scott
Elias Shuster
Grant Woolley

4th Grade-all A's

Callie Clinehens
Sean Halberstadt
Carly Lotz
Kate Lotz
Nash Pinks
Lennox True
Brinkley Wallace
Jensen Wells



Honor Roll (GPA 3.0-3.999 for Grades 6-12) -2nd quarter 2024-2025

12th Grade

Lucas Heitkamp
Taylor Maxson
Reed Platfoot
Zoey Pohlschneider
Serenity Venrick

12th @ uvcc

Cole Butler
Ethan Clem
Caiden Estep
Gavin Evans
Katelyn Gayer
Sienna Hamilton
Sole Shamblyn
Zachary Zirkle

11th Grade

Audrey Byrd
Aden Carpenter
Isabelle Faulder
Avery McDougall
Laurel Roberts
Grayce Swaney
Addison York

11th @ uvcc

Gentry Barga
Ethan Lyme
Katlynn Lynch
Brayden McClellan
Sarah Terry
Wyatt Wentz
Collin Young

10th Grade

Haidyn Bensman
Conner Brueggert
Aaron Byer
Zane Cutchner
Keith Fisher
Gabe Fleming
Anna Hagen
Carson Halker
Emily Hennon
Kendall Hilbun
Rileigh Hurst
Joseph Jeffers
Krista Lyle
Kenzie Metz
Mara Moye
Will Ricks
Hayden Stone
MaKaila Suttles
Peyton True
Randy Wise

9th Grade

Arianna Boggs
Jerzie Butts
Sabastian Cotterman
Cooper Curtis
Braylee Davis
Rogan Fettes
Brody Gross
Jacob Jeffers
Kaylin Jolly
RJ Kidder

9th Grade-cont'd

Maddie Martin
Brayden Nation
Dane Reese
TJ Reese
Myka Riggs
Brendan Serr
Landen True
Kinze Walton
Daniel Withrow

8th Grade

Brooklyn Bensman
Archer Copeland
Madisyn Fisher
Breelyn Gariety
Allison Halker
Kaydence Hensley
Aiden Hollon
Hadley Jackson
Kaden Kemp
Jaida Kies
Madison Kimmey
Johonna McClintock
Abby Platfoot
Emma Scolley
Gus Starr
Kenna Zeigler

7th Grade

Elliot Byer
Sophie Evans
Johnathan Meadows

7th Grade-cont'd

Braxton Montgomery
Claire Morris
Morgyn Parsons
Nick Prater
Wyman Smith
Eli Starr
Evan Umbaugh
Aubre Walton
Carly Wireman
Ayden Wiswell
Hannah Withrow
Kaydree Withrow
Lake Woolley

6th Grade

Addilynn Adkins
Alexis Anthony
Georgia Barga
Trevor Butler
Hudson Clinehens
Harper Copeland
Prudence Forsythe
Kacen Gates
MaKenna Gibbons
Alayna Gonzales
Tanner Hilbun
Colton Huelskamp
Reagan Lotz
AJ Park
Miley Pinks
Alex Platfoot
Lillian Reffitt

6th Grade-cont'd

Ryleigh Rentz
Wesley Schwartz
Gema Shady
Hayden Thompson
Adrienne Tully
Leah Weaver

5th Grade- A's & B's

Zadrian Bates
Cohen Bensman
Dawson Brown
Warrick Byer
Griffin Byrd
Jesse Coleman
Everly Elsass
Kingston Ephrem
Brody Evans
Grady Evans
Kaylee Fisher
Meliah Fisher
Lacee Francis
Raegan Gross
Jackson Halker
Aubrey Huelskamp
Eli Hughes
Daniel Johnson
Lucas Kirtley
Jaxon Lambert
Trevor Metzger
Lilliana Nicholas
Zechariah Oen
Malachi Rice
Kasen Ricker

5th Grade-cont'd

Spencer Serr
Alaina Shady
Gabby Snapp
Camden Starr
Bennett Withrow

4th Grade- A's & B's

Carter Ambos
Savannah Bodenmiller
Avery Brown
Lydia Byrd
Brylee Finn
Will Halberstadt
Brooks Hazelbaker
Mason Higgins
Caroline Huelskamp
Huit Kipker
Alec Layman
Elliott Layne
Emma Lotz
Paige Lotz
Braelynn Montgomery
Sailor Mullen
MaKenna Oakley
Kalleigh Parker
Natalie Pence
Christopher Prater
Ryatt Rose
Maleah Schwartz
Eli Springer
Levon Stockstill
Chloe White
Cashton York

Pre-Kindergarten 2025-2026 Registration

Pre-K Registrations will be accepted starting
at 8:00am on Wednesday, March 5th

Minimum age requirements by August 1st:
4 years old for Pre-Kindergarten

REQUIRED PAPERWORK For Registration

- ♦ JC PreK Registration Forms (completed)
- ♦ JC Student Registration/Emergency Worksheet Form (completed)
- ♦ Birth Certificate from Health Dept.
- ♦ Social Security Card
- ♦ Immunization Record

To secure a spot on the *class roster: Both forms listed must be completed and signed and then submitted along with a copy of each of the documents listed above.

Incomplete registrations will be returned or placed on a waiting list.

Registration forms are available at the school office, on the web site, or via mail.

*Residents first followed by out of district.



Save the Date!

Pre-Kindergarten Graduation
Wednesday, May 21, 2025
@ 10:00am



Shelby Hills - PreSchool

Typical Student Application Process

Please access the link on Shelby Hills website at www.shelbydd.org.

Registration will go live on Wednesday, March 19th at 8:00am for parents/guardians to register their preschooler.

Please use the link for the 2025-2026 school year.



K-5 Tiger of the Month 2024-2025

	November	December	January
Mrs. Emerson (K)	Josie Anthony	Augustine Gallimore	Jackson Lotz
Ms. Yinger (K)	Jameson Youngblood	Nevaeh Keysor	Skylar Michael
Mrs. Armbruster (1)	Cole Ambos	Molly Byer	Jaxon Mabry
Mrs. Dietz (1)	Ian Pence	Kyana Mallow	Joanna DeVine
Mrs. Heitkamp (2)	Cohen Cecil	Gavin Gibbons	Mack Hazelbaker
Mrs. Wiswell (2)	Asher Guey	Leland Lemly	Kelsey Rowan
Mrs. Byrd (3)	Thea Maurer	Maria Byrd	Makayla Kemp
Mrs. Ryder (3)	Beau Judy	Jordan Byrd	Hudson Hegemier
Mrs. Hinegardner (4)	Natalie Pence	Elliott Layne	Chloe White
Mrs. Lotz (4)	Brinkley Wallace	Braelynn Montgomery	Cashton York
Mrs. Opperman (5)	Elias Shuster	Dawson Brown	Sam Scott
Mr. Liles (5)	Alaina Shady	Kaylee Fisher	Raegan Gross
Mrs. Reese	Dakota Ross	Keven Smet	Lyndal Stephens
Mrs. Platfoot	Jaycie Butts	(none)	(none)
Music/Miss Leasure	Blake Carless	Henry Springer	Kendrick Asher
K-5 PE/Mrs. Brown	Everly Bruskotter	Gwendolyn Nicholas	William Schwartz
Tech/ Mrs. Barhorst	Faithlynn Griliot	Paizlee Jarnagin	Lucas Coleman
Art/Miss Karg	Emma Lotz	Carly Lotz	Hazel Kipker

A Message from Principal Reese

It is hard to believe we are over halfway through the school year. The winter seasons are wrapping up with tournaments right around the corner and the anticipation of spring and warmer weather is upon us. The teachers, coaches, advisors, athletes, and student participants have been working very hard all year preparing for games, contests, ensembles, and shows.

With the excitement of spring and weather changes it is important that the students remain committed to all their activities, but most importantly, their academics. State testing will occur in April, and we need all students to come prepared and work hard. Their demonstration of knowledge gained allows us to make adjustments and changes to ensure every student is getting a great education.

Jackson Center is a great place to raise a family. The community and school work very well together and is able to offer many opportunities. I encourage all students to get involved in the school and community and take advantage of those opportunities. If you have any questions as to what is available, how to get involved, or any general questions please let me know. I would be happy to share all the wonderful opportunities available. I can be reached at j_reese@jctigers.org.



Workforce Partnership of Shelby County Ninja Challenge

In November our 8th grade class participated in the Ninja Challenge, which is sponsored by the Workforce Partnership of Shelby County. Local Shelby County businesses developed a timed skills course where the students compete against each other.

The top students get to move on to the county competition which will be held at the Upper Valley Career Center on February 4, 2025.

Our 8th grade students who will compete are: Breahna Finn, Whitney York, Abby Platfoot, Konner Whitt, Archer Copeland, and Owen Lampy,

Santa Shop

A big thank you to all who made donations or worked at Santa Shop this year to once again make it a success. Without everyone's help, we couldn't do it for the students.

The money earned is given to the Jackson Center's Principal's Fund which is used for various student activities throughout the year such as field trips and reward days.

Thank you again to the volunteers and the great selection of donated items.

Keep those donations coming.



YMCA Camp Willson - Attention 6th Grade Parents



The 6th graders will be attending Camp Willson in Bellefontaine on April 28th, April 29th, and April 30th, for a two night, three day experience.

There will be a parent meeting on Tuesday, April 8th at 6:30 pm in the high school gym. Please plan on attending to receive all the information you will need to prepare your child for camp. There will be a camp representative at the meeting to discuss paperwork and safety measures.

The cost is \$50 per student and is due in full by April 8th. If you still need to pay for your student, please send to Ms. Debbi Tussing in the main office.

Feel free to contact Mrs. Sarah Kipker or Mrs. Nancy Meyer if you have any questions. Thank you!

6-8 Student of the Month 2024-2025

Middle school students are selected by their teachers each month in recognition of going above and beyond normal expectations. It is not solely about grades, it includes their effort in the classroom, willingness to help others, and personal improvement. These students receive a Subway lunch from Mr. Reese.

Grade	November	December
6th	Camdyn Osysko	Nicole Halberstadt
7th	Carly Wireman	James Whipp
8th	Abby Platfoot	Kaden Kemp

Spelling Bee 2024-2025

Our school Spelling Bee was held on December 18, 2024. Ninety-five students from grades 4-8 participated in this annual event.

After several exciting word volleys, the Bee was won by fifth grader, Caleb Lotz, with the final winning word "foyer". The first runner-up was sixth grader, Kasen Gates, and the second runner-up was seventh grader, Carly Wireman.

Caleb will represent Jackson Center at the Regional Spelling Bee, usually held in March. Congratulations to our winners, and all students who participated, making this Bee a success!



Kasen Gates

Caleb Lotz

Carly Wireman



This school year the FCCLA has been recognizing students in grades 9-12 for a P.A.W.S award each month. Teachers have the opportunity to nominate students who display the criteria of the P.A.W.S award as follows:

P - Positive Attitude
A - Acceptance
W- Warmth
S - Sharing

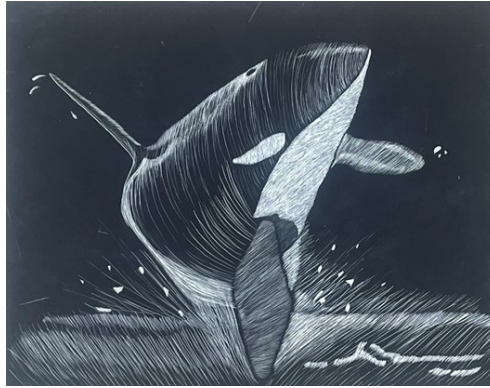
Congratulations to these students.

	November	December
Freshman	Braylee Davis	TJ Reese
Sophomore	Kyle Burch	Krista Lyle
Junior	Zacory Wiswell	Ian Stengal
Senior	Maryn Ludwig	Kathryn Prenger

ART

In October the Art Department was awarded a grant of \$1,000 by the Community Foundation of Shelby County. The purpose of this grant was to purchase scratchboards and any other necessary materials for this art project. In December, the 8th grade and high school art students had the chance to finally work with this interesting material to create fun and appealing black and white projects. Some of these works of art will be displayed in the front showcase of the school and all of the scratchboards will be out for the Fine Arts Night show on February 13th. A big thank you to the Community Foundation without whom this project would not have happened!

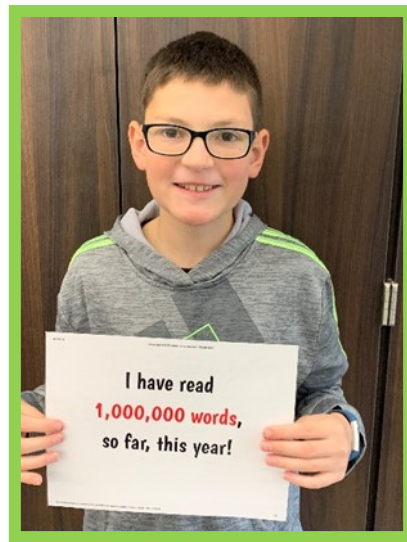
Scratchboard Artists: Presley Reese (12th), Breanna Brueggert (12th), Carter Klopfenstein (11th), and Samantha Metzger (9th)



5th Grade Reading Billionaires!

Sam Scott and Caleb Lotz are starting the year as billionaires! They both have read over a billion words so far this year. Congratulations goes out to Sam Scott who has read 1,520,067 words and Caleb Lotz who has read over 1,398,555 words.

For those of you who are not familiar with our AR Word Count Awards, our 4th & 5th Grade students try to read as many words as possible. The students then take an AR reading quiz on the book they have read, and if they pass, the student earns the total word count for that book. Sam and Caleb are dedicated readers who continue to increase their words read weekly. Keep it going Caleb and Sam!



Fall Sports Awards

Volleyball

Individual Honors

McKinley Reichert - SCAL Player of the Year, District 9 1st Team, All Ohio 1st Team, District 9 and State Senior All Star match participant

Maryn Ludwig - SCAL 1st Team, District 9 1st Team, District 9 All Star match participant

Presley Reese - Honorable Mention SCAL, District 9 2nd Team, District 9 All Star match participant

Team Awards

Highest Serving Percent: Maryn Ludwig
Defensive Award: Brooke Ann Byrd
Tiger Award: Maryn Ludwig
Tiger Award: Avery Jackson
Most Valuable Player: McKinley Reichert



Soccer

Individual Honors

Lucas Heitkamp: 1st Team WOSL
Wyatt Wentz: 1st Team WOSL
Carter Klopfenstein: 2nd Team WOSL
Preston Serr: 2nd Team WOSL
Ian Stengel: 2nd Team WOSL
Kyle Burch: Honorable Mention WOSL
Zacory Wiswell: Honorable Mention WOSL



Team Awards

Offensive Player: Lucas Heitkamp
Offensive Player: Preston Serr
Defensive Player: Carter Klopfenstein
Defensive Player: Wyatt Wentz
Tiger Award: Kendall Reese

Cross Country

Team Awards

Most Valuable Runner: Owen Willoby
Coaches Award: Sean Wren



Golf

Individual Honors

Blake Noble: SCAL 2nd Team
Anderson Fark: SCAL Honorable Mention
Reed Platfoot: SCAL Honorable Mention

Team Awards

Most Improved Player: Anderson Fark
Most Valuable Golfer: Blake Noble
Tiger Award: Tristan Woolley



Cheerleader for a Night Experience

The Jackson Center Cheerleaders were thrilled to give Joanna Devine and Charli Carter a Cheerleader for the Night Experience at 2 home basketball games.

Joanna and Charli got to practice with the cheerleaders, join them in sideline cheers as well as join in several floor cheers.

The Cheerleaders would like to thank the Athletic Boosters and the generous families who make these evenings possible. THANK YOU and GO TIGERS!





Veterans Day

On Tuesday, November 12, 2024, The Jackson Center - UVCC FCCLA Chapter hosted the annual Veteran's Day assembly. Along with the assembly, the 73 veterans/guests in attendance were served breakfast before the following activities. During the assembly, the Jackson Center Choirs performed the Armed Forces Medley as well as the Stars Spangled Banner. Along with musical performances, Jackson Center students read their "Letter to a Veteran". After many student-led portions of the assembly, students heard from a keynote speaker, Fritz Serr, a local Veteran and Secretary of Shelby County Veteran Services Food Pantry. Overall, the Veteran's Day assembly is a highly anticipated event that the Jackson Center - UVCC FCCLA hosts annually. In addition to the assembly, teachers paid to wear jeans where all proceeds were donated to the Veterans Food Bank in addition to multiple nonperishable and self-care items



District Orientation

On Friday, November 22, twenty-four Jackson Center FCCLA members joined over seventy other FCCLA members from three surrounding schools (UVCC, Fairlawn, and Houston) at the Upper Valley Adult Center for District Orientation. Members had the chance to listen to various presenters. Avery Jackson, district president and Corinne York, district Secretary presented workshops to assist members wishing to participate in competitive events. This is a fantastic opportunity for members to come together as an organization, get to know members from other schools, and gain ideas for future projects. District Orientation is geared towards growing the knowledge of newer FCCLA members



Tigers Growing in Friendship (TGIF)

So far this year, our TGIF club has done some exciting things. During our first meeting in September, the buddies had some one-on-one time getting to know each other over a Welcome Back Luncheon. In the second meeting held in October, the buddies went trick-or-treating together throughout the school. Everyone went from classroom to classroom, getting some fun toys and treats. Our latest meeting combined our November and December events into a Friendsgiving meal and Christmas party. FCCLA members helped supply food our Friendsgiving feast. We continued to build on our goal of improving communication and comfort for those students involved.



Evening of Gratitude

Members of the Jackson Center UVCC FCCLA and FFA chapters hosted an “Evening of Gratitude” on November 18th in an effort to extend our appreciation for staff members of Jackson Center Schools for all they do to support our programs. Members met to make notes, cards and posters for EVERY staff member while sharing treats and lot of laughter



Columbus Blue Jackets

Seven FCCLA members along with our advisor attended the FCCLA Day with the Columbus Blue Jackets on December 12. Members learned about the careers involved in running an NHL team, took a tour of the Nationwide Arena, attended a presentation by Ohio Traffic Safety, took to the ice and attended the hockey match between the Columbus Blue Jackets and the Washington Capitals.



Turning Moments into Memories

Kendall Hilbun is doing an FCCLA project to strengthen the family unit! She will compete in the National Programs in Action, Families First. The project titled "Turning Moments into Memories" has been a huge success in providing families with opportunities to participate in monthly community activities and presenting families with ideas for spending time together at home. This project included an ice cream social event, family movie night, family fall festival, bonding over coffee, and more! Jackson Center students, grades 1-5, enjoyed completing BINGO boards monthly. Many students were provided with games to make memories with their families. Thank you for supporting her project "Turning Moments into Memories"!



FFA News



Leadership Night

Members from our FFA chapter went to Anna Elementary School for their leadership night. Everyone participated in activities and games to practice teamwork and public speaking.

Three of the state FFA officers lead the workshop.



Christmas in the Village

FFA members helped run the station at Christmas in the village wood tree decorations. FFA members helped little kids paint their Christmas tree. We also passed out a winter survival kit that contained blanket, gloves, salt and other items to help if you have car problems and get stuck somewhere in the winter.



Alumni Panel

During our annual December FFA meeting we had our first alumni panel. During the meeting we had the floor open to members to ask them any questions about how they use their experiences from FFA in their job now & also how FFA has impacted them. Also during the meeting the 7th Grade Parli Pro team did opening ceremonies at the meeting.



Jr. Aggies

FFA member Cortney Copeland taught the Kindergarten and First graders in Jr. Aggies. This month they learned about Christmas trees as well as decorated Christmas ornaments for Christmas.



Parliamentary Procedure

Our 7th Grade Parliamentary procedure competed at their first contest held at Jackson Center Schools. They were competing against freshmen from other schools and still placed third in the County.

The team includes: James Whipp, Lake Wolley, Claire Morris, Olivia Hagen, Marian Nagle, Harper Barhorst, Avery Temme, Laya Roberts and Nick Prater



Jr. Aggies

Carson Regula came in and talked to the kindergarten through 3rd grade classes about farming and what his typical day looks like.

Carson talked about taking care of crops and discussed the various diseases they may contract. He also gave examples of farm machinery and keeping them in working order.

For a “hands on” demonstration, the students made stress balls with balloons and soybeans.



Thanksgiving

We held our annual November FFA meeting on November 24th. During the meeting Kendall Reese was awarded member of the month. After the meeting we had our annual thanksgiving meal. FFA members brought in their favorite Thanksgiving meals to enjoy together!

Public Speaking

As a chapter, we held our first Speak Up, public speaking workshop. At this event there were three stations: Creed, Prepared, and Exempt. The station leaders were past and present Ohio State FFA officers. Overall we had a great turn out and great comments about this event and we are looking forward to hosting this in the future!



Build and Bloom Workshop

Please join the Jackson Center UVCC-FFA at our Second Annual Build and Bloom Workshop hosted by the Greenhouse Class! This workshop will be on April 27th from 1:30 -4:00 pm in the shop. During this workshop you will have a hands-on experience of making your own planter & filling it with flowers from the Greenhouse. The cost of the workshop is \$85 & includes all lumber, supplies, soils & plants. Please scan the QR code to sign up!

CHORAL/ GENERAL MUSIC

January 2025

What We Are Learning

General Music

K-3: Students are beginning to understand music notation, staff lines, note lengths, rests, rhythm patterns using Reading and Math. In addition, we are dedicating a couple minutes of each class grooving to the music with our favorites: DJ Raphi & DannyGo!

Choir

5-12: Choir students in grades 5/6 grade are currently working on music literacy, ear training, and sight reading. Choir students in grades 7-12 are preparing for upcoming large group contest that will take place throughout the rest of the year. They will be learning music in multiple genres and foreign languages.

Special Shoutouts:

Congratulations to Kendrick Asher 🏆

Kendrick was nominated as October Tiger of the Month!

Congratulations to the JH/HS Choir:

25 students were selected to represent Jackson Center at the District 11 Honor Choir concert on Sunday, January 14, 2025.

Upcoming Events

Date: February 13, 2025

Time: 6pm

Details: Fine Arts Night Celebration

Date: March 8th, 2025

Time: 8am-10am

Details: District 11 OMEA Large Group Contest

Contact Info

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2025 SPRING SPORTS' SCHEDULE



2025

ALUMNI TOURNAMENT

FRI 4/4

&

SAT 4/5



HS Boys Varsity Baseball

3/17	5:00pm	@ St. Henry
3/21	5:00pm	@ Newton
3/22	11:00am	vs. Ansonia
3/24	5:00pm	@ New Knoxville
3/31	5:00pm	vs. Anna
4/01	5:00pm	vs. Perry
4/03	5:00pm	vs. Ridgemon
4/05	11:00am	vs. New Knoxville
4/07	5:00pm	@ Russia
4/08	5:00pm	vs. Minster
4/10	5:00pm	vs. Hardin-Houston
4/11	5:00pm	@ Hardin Northern
4/14	5:00pm	@ Botkins
4/17	5:00pm	vs. Fort Loramie
4/18	5:00pm	@ New Bremen
4/21	5:00pm	@ Fairlawn
4/24	6:00pm	@ Anna
4/25	5:00pm	@ Marion Local
4/26	11:00am	@ Lehman Catholic
4/28	5:00pm	@ Riverside
5/01	5:00pm	vs. Russia
5/02	5:00pm	vs. Upper Scioto Valley
5/05	5:00pm	@ Hardin-Houston
5/08	5:00pm	vs. Botkins
5/12	5:00pm	@ Fort Loramie
5/13	5:00pm	vs. Covington
5/15	5:00pm	vs. Fairlawn
5/16	5:00pm	vs. Bradford

Jr. High Co-Ed Track & Field

4/01	4:30pm	@ Riverside
4/03	5:00pm	@ Minster
4/05	10:00am	@ Ridgemon
4/07	4:30pm	@ Botkins
4/17	4:30pm	@ Hardin-Houston
4/21	4:30pm	@ Indian Lake
4/29	4:30pm	@ Russia
5/01	4:30pm	@ Riverside
5/06	4:30pm	@ Covington
5/10	9:00am	@ Anna
5/14	4:00pm	SCAL Semi Finals @ Anna
5/16	4:00pm	SCAL Finals @ Anna

HS Girls Varsity Fast-Pitch Softball

3/25	5:00pm	vs. Waynesfield-Goshen
3/27	5:15pm	vs. West Liberty-Salem
3/31	5:00pm	vs. Anna
4/01	5:00pm	vs. Perry
4/03	5:00pm	vs. Ridgemon
4/07	5:00pm	@ Russia
4/08	5:00pm	vs. Minster
4/10	5:00pm	vs. Hardin-Houston
4/11	5:00pm	@ Hardin Northern
4/12	11:00am	vs. West Liberty-Salem
4/14	5:00pm	@ Botkins
4/17	5:00pm	vs. Fort Loramie
4/18	5:00pm	@ New Bremen
4/21	5:00pm	@ Fairlawn
4/24	6:00pm	@ Anna
4/25	5:00pm	@ Marion Local
4/26	11:00am	@ Lehman Catholic
4/28	5:00pm	@ Riverside
5/01	5:00pm	vs. Russia
5/02	5:00pm	vs. Upper Scioto Valley
5/05	5:00pm	@ Hardin-Houston
5/08	5:00pm	vs. Botkins
5/12	5:00pm	@ Fort Loramie
5/15	5:00pm	vs. Fairlawn

HS Co-Ed Track & Field

3/29	12:00pm	@ Botkins
4/01	4:30pm	@ St. Marys
4/03	4:30pm	@ Anna
4/04	4:30pm	@ Ridgemon
4/08	4:30pm	@ Covington
4/12	9:00am	@ Anna
4/15	4:30pm	@ Russia
4/22	4:30pm	@ Fairbanks
4/25	4:30pm	@ Wapakoneta
4/29	4:30pm	@ Riverside
5/02	4:30pm	@ New Bremen
5/08	4:45pm	@ Indian Lake
5/14	4:00pm	SCAL Semi Finals @ Anna
5/16	4:00pm	SCAL Finals @ Anna



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AUGUST 2024						
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SEPTEMBER 2024						
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OCTOBER 2024						
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DECEMBER 2024						
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JANUARY 2025						
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August

Thursday, August 15th

Monday, August 19th

Tuesday, August 20th

September

Monday, September 2

October

Thursday, October 24th

Friday, October 25th

Thursday, October 31st

November

Friday, November 1st

Wed-Fri, November 27-29

December

Monday, December 23rd

January

Thursday, January 2nd

Friday, January 10th

Monday, January 13th

Monday, January 20

February

Monday, February 17

March

Thursday, March 20th

Friday, March 21st

April

Friday, April 18

Monday, April 21

May

Sunday, May 18th

Thursday, May 22nd

Friday, May 23rd

Monday, May 26

Teacher Workday/Open House

(1:00-8:00 pm) / (6:30-8:00 pm)

Teacher Workday

First Day of School

No School – Labor Day

Early Release (1:00 pm)

Parent –Teacher Conf (1:30-8:30 pm)

End of the 1st Nine Weeks

No School

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CHRISTMAS BREAK

School Resumes

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Second Semester Begins

No School – MLK Day

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End of Third Grading Period

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Graduation

Last Day of School

Teacher Work Day

Memorial Day

FEBRUARY 2025						
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MAY 2025						
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JUNE 2025						
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JULY 2025						
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JANUARY 2026						
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January

Monday, January 5th

Friday January 9th

Monday, January 12th

Monday, January 19

February

Monday, February 16

March

Friday, March 20th

April

Friday, April 3

Monday, April 6

May

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APRIL 2026						
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JUNE 2026						
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JULY 2026						
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