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October 20, 2023

Stanton Community School

***School Activities***

**National Honor Society Induction**

Congratulations to Riley Burke, Preston Carpenter, Kyla Hart, Lauren Johnson, and Clark Spencer on the induction into Stanton High School National Honor Society! A group of people standing in front of a table

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**Get Your Stanton Bracelets!!**

Stanton dance team is selling Puravida bracelets to raise money for nationals in February. $10 each Stanton colors! Please contact Jana McCunn or any dance team member to purchase!

**Seniors!!**

Please give two senior photos and a baby photo to Mrs. Carpenter before Thanksgiving break. These will be scanned for use in the yearbook. If we do not receive photos before then, we will use the Josten composite senior photo and no baby photo. Thanks!!

**Athletics**

**HS Volleyball**

The varsity squad traveled to Council Bluffs on Saturday for the Lewis Central tournament. The team finished the day 2-2. This was their last tournament and regular season matches of the season. On Wednesday, the Queens host Lamoni in the second round of regional play. Game time is 7:00 sharp! Please note that tickets for admission for regionals must be purchased on-line and the there are no conference passes accepted. All student and adult admission are $6.00.

**Staff Highlights**

Amanda Focht - 2nd Grade Teacher

Family - Dan Fleming and son Rhett Fleming

Hometown - Villisca Iowa

Ms Focht attended Northwest Missouri State University before becoming a 2nd grade teacher at Stanton Community Schools. Some hobbies she enjoys include ranger riding, cheering on her favorite sports teams, and spending time with friends and family. Amanda's favorite thing about teaching in Stanton is the culture, community involvement, and that everyone is so welcoming and friendly.

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Dave Snyder - MS/HS Social Studies Teacher

Family: Wife Kim Snyder, Sons Josh(Debbie) and Jordan, Daughter Chloe; Grandchildren: Owen, Eli and Gage

Hometown - Loup City, NE

Mr. Snyder attended Platte Community College, Kearney State College, and Doane College. His hobbies include playing golf and going to the University of Nebraska sporting events. His favorite thing about teaching at Stanton is that the community embraces the school and supports all school activities. The people of the community make this a special place.

***From the Desk of Our Principal***

The end of the 1st Quarter is this Friday, October 20th. Parents can check their student’s grades using JMC. If you have any questions on how to access student grades through JMC, please contact the school office. We encourage all parents to reach out to your child’s teacher if you have questions about grades or student progress in class.

Parent-Teacher conferences will be held on Thursday, October 26th from 8 am - 8 pm. Elementary teachers will be scheduling conference times with parents. Middle school and high school conferences will not be scheduled. They will be held in an open-house format. Teachers will be located in classrooms from 8 am - 4 pm, and all teachers will be located in the library from 4 pm - 8 pm. Please note that due to conferences we will not have school on Thursday, October 26th or Friday, October 27th.

Upcoming Dates:

* October 20th - End of 1st Quarter
* October 26th - Parent/Teacher Conferences
* October 27th - No School

**Spotlight on Students of the Week** ![A child holding a piece of paper

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**Upcoming Events**

**Fri., Oct 20th End of First Quarter**

**7:00 FB @ Sidney**

**Mon., Oct 23rd Regional Semi Final Volleyball @ Stanton**

**Book Fair in Elem Concourse**

**Tues., Oct 24th Book Fair in Elem Concourse**

**Wed., Oct 25th Early Dismissal 1:05/1:15**

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**7:00 Regional Final VB @ TBD**

**Thurs., Oct 26th NO SCHOOL**

**8:00 am to 8:00 PM P/T Conferences**

**Fri., Oct 27th NO SCHOOL**

*Yearbooks are now on sale for a mere $55! Find a yearbook student and get yours ordered today! Price increase is coming in November, so get yours at the lowest price now!*

*Also, anyone who has summer candids that the yearbook could use, contact Charm Carpenter for an email address to send those photos to! Thanks for your support!*

**Lunch and Breakfast Menu**

Mon., Oct 23rd *Breakfast: Cereal/Muffin/Juice/Milk*

*Lunch: Rib/Hot Dog, Baked Beans, Potato Salad, Strawberries & Bananas & Milk*

Tues, Oct 24th *Breakfast: Pancakes/Muffin/Juice/Milk*

Lunch: Chicken Alfredo, California Veggies, Lettuce, Pears, Applesauce, Breadstick & Milk

Wed., Oct 25th *Breakfast: Omelet/Toast/Muffin/Juice/Milk*

Lunch: Chicken Pattie/Bun, Mixed Veggies, French Fries, Peaches, Mixed Fruit & Milk

Thurs., Oct 26th *NO SCHOOL*

Fri., Oct 27th *NO SCHOOL*

**SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR**

The annual Scholastic Book Fair will be held Monday, October 23rd through Thursday, October 26th during regular school hours. On Thursday, October 26th – the book fair will be open extended hours (8:00 am to 7:45 pm) during Parent Teacher Conferences. The book fair is always a wonderful opportunity to grab some holiday gifts and every book purchased benefits our school library. Thank you for your support!

Community News

Trick or Treat on the Trail

The 17th annual Stanton Chamber of Commerce’s Trick or Treat on the Trail will be Saturday, October 28th from 3-5 pm. It is requested that there be no dogs on the trail during the above time. Please contact Jacque Bates at 829-2814 or email [batesjnb@myfmtc.com](mailto:batesjnb@myfmtc.com) for further information.

\*The deadline for all community news is noon on Wednesday of that week. \*