March 2018 Newsletter



Band Contest

Left: These students participated in the Region band contest held in Chamberlain. Front L-R: Kassidy Watters, Sierra Heidinger, Carly Lagge. Back: Director Mr. Davis, Trevor Bartelt, Kaitlyn DeBoer and Accompanist Mrs. Kemp. We had 6 solo entries perform and received 2 superior ratings (2) and 4 Outstanding Performance (1) ratings.

The 5th grade class welcomed their teacher, Mrs. Olsen back from maternity leave by surprising her with some tasty treats. The Olsen's welcomed a baby girl, Presley, into their family on January 4th. Congrats!



Right: Heather Hanson and Aaron Andrea welcomed baby girl Alexis into their family on October 16, 2017. She was born early and spent 77 days in NICU in Sioux Falls before getting to come home. Congrats!



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Corsica-Stickney PROM

Friday, April 6th



Corsica-Stickney High School Junior-Senior prom, "Magic in this Moment" is scheduled for Friday, April 6th. All prom activities will be held at the Corsica-Stickney High School Gymnasium. Prom decorations follow a rustic elegance theme, and Millennium Entertainment of Huron will provide the music for the dance. Mark's Photographic Images of Armour, SD will be providing professional photographs. Professional class and couple photos will be taken prior to the banquet. Junior-Senior banquet will begin at 7PM. Doors for Grand March will open at 8PM. Following the Grand March, photos with the public will be taken. The public is asked leave promptly at 9PM so that the dance may proceed. After-Prom party activities will take place from 12:30-2:00AM. Any student grades 9-12 that plans to attend Prom MUST turn in a permission form to Mrs. Kafka or Mrs. Boyle by March 23rd.

	DUAL CREDIT OPPORTUNITIES-
	Frequently Asked Questions
QUESTION	ANSWER
What is dual credit?	Dual credit is the term used when referring to courses in which an enrolled high school student in grades 9-12 has the opportunity to earn both high school and college or technical institute credit simultaneously. However only students in grades 11-12 are eligible for reduced rate tuition.
Who is responsible for the cost of the course?	All expenses are the responsibility of the student and his/her parent or guardian.
Who teaches the courses?	Reduced rate dual credit courses are taught by university or technical institute faculty. Arrangements can be made between postsecondary institutions and schools for additional dual credit courses where the high school faculty meets specific requirements.
<u>What is the cost per</u> <u>credit hour?</u>	For the 2016-2017 school year, cost is \$48.33 per credit. (A credit hour is the unit of measuring education credit, usually dependent on the number of hours the course takes place during a week.)
How will your child be billed for the course?	Your child will receive a bill directly from the university/technical institute from which he/she has registered for credit. Depending upon the institution, some bills may be issued electronically or by mail.
What about the costs of books, supplies, etc.?	Any additional costs associated with the course are the responsibility of the student. This might include books and lab fees.
What are the entrance requirements in order to be able to register for a course?	For any of the 6 Board of Regents Colleges (BHSU, DSU, NSU, SDSMT, SDSU or USD) please see admission requirements on South Dakota Board of Regents dual credit application. Enrollment in Math and English courses requires ACT subtest score requirements have been met or Accuplacer scores may be used. If your child is interested in taking a dual credit course from one of the four South Dakota Technical Institutes (MTI, LATI, STI and WTI), they must meet the specific program enrollment requirements of the course they would like to take.
How does my son/daughter register for courses?	Students should work directly with their school counselor who can assist them in this process. This will also help ensure that all high school requirements are being met.
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Summer 2018 registration is now open for eligible Juniors (rising Seniors). Early registration is recommended so students can guarantee a seat in their course(s) and so students can login, pay bills and order books early. During the summer there are 6 week, 8 week and 12 week sessions to choose from.

If you have any questions, feel free to call Mrs. Slaba at 946-5475





The 5th & 6th Graders presented their science fair projects to the other classes, then were open to the public to view. The 6th graders took their projects down to Corsica on Feb. 8th to be judged along with the high school.









Science Fair



Corsica – Stickney Local Science Fair Results

**Recommended to Advance to Regional South Central South Dakota Science Engineering Fair @ DWU on Tuesday, March 20, 2018

6th Grade:

1st - Finding Your Way Home** - Ashlyn Bittner & Elese Gerlach
2^{nd-}Sundial **- Jacey Kemp & Brenna Beckman
3^{rd-}The Ocean's Energy - Ashlyn Lefers & Cassidy Woerner

7th Grade:

1st – I wet My Plants ** – Avery Broughton
2nd – How Hot Can a Solar oven Get? ** – Mara Lagge, Sutten Eide, & Grace Wolbrink
3rd – Ice Ice Baby – Bailey Dykstra, Ethan Clites & Bridget Wieczorek

8th Grade:

1st – Is Over Clocking Worth It? ** – Waylon Torticill
2nd – Are Those Colored Lenses? ** – Casey Tolsma & Marisa DeLange
3rd – Wildlife Observation ** – Taylor Feenstra, Colin Pennings & Kane Knudson

9th Grade:

1st – We Got Gas ** – Slayton VanderWal, Devin Vanderham & Adam Joachim
2nd – Is Whitening Toothpaste a Waste? – Raven Barse & Lauren Bruinsma
3rd – TIE – Does Water or Gatorade Freeze Faster? – Dayna Koch, Kaitlin DeBoer & Olivia Wieczorek
– Does Temperature Effect How High a Tennis Ball Bounces? - Jaylen Kemp & Brendan Wentland

10th Grade:

1st - Do Teeth Whiteners Help or Harm? ** - Alexis Tilton, Bradyn Denning & Ray Cordrey

2nd – Get on Our Level – Sierra Heidinger & Jailey Baumiller

 3^{rd} – Clean and Green – Carly Lagge & Jordyn Gerlach





Off to the Science Lab





2nd Grade: Mrs. Hosman's Second Graders were amazed in science class to find out how much we depend on natural resources. During their science lab they were able to identify products in clothing, food, and items around the room that come from natural resources. One of the most amazing things discovered, is many of the threads that make up or clothing today come from petroleum products.















1st **Grade:** During their science class, the 1st graders went to the science lab to study plants. They observed a variety of different seeds and discussed from which part of the plant they were produced. They studied the parts of plants such as leaves, stems, flowers, roots, etc. Finally they witnessed how plants react to sunlight or lack of sunlight.











Kindergarten is also learning what natural resource are and how we use them every day. Specifically, they looked at the ways we use water. We made "water wheels" depicting various water uses. We also looked at different rocks and sorted them according to shapes, sizes and colors.



Knights of Columbus Local Hoop Shoot Winners

These students advanced to the next level in Parkston on Feb. 11th.





Above: Front L to R: Caden Baumiller, Sophie DeLange, Jett Kemp, and Daryan DeVries.

Back: Tyson Wentland, Carter Wright, Jacey Kemp, and Ashlyn Bittner.

Left: L to R: Rachel Gerlach, Avery Broughton, Taven Burke, and Cole Feenstra.







Musical Munchkins

The C/S Musical Munchkins performed a dribbling routine as the C/S band played "Counting Stars" at a GBB game in Stickney. The Musical Munchkins are students in Grades 4-6 that voluntarily give up 1 recess a week to practice their innovative routines. 24 of the 26 members will be attending a festival choir in Mitchell on March 5th. The Musical Munchkins are directed by Tanya Davis.











