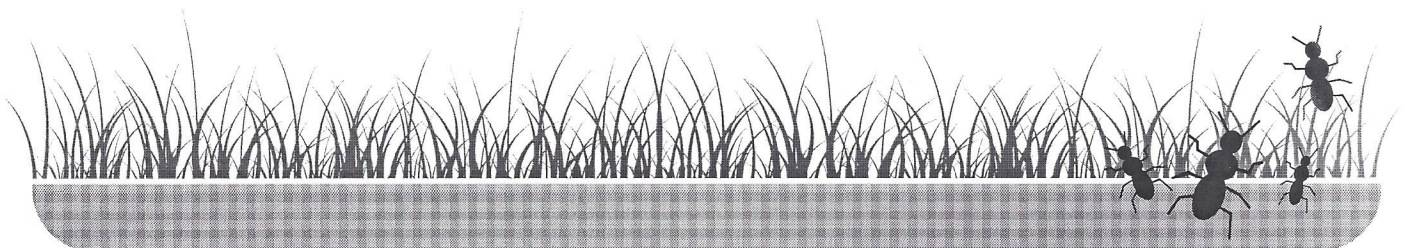
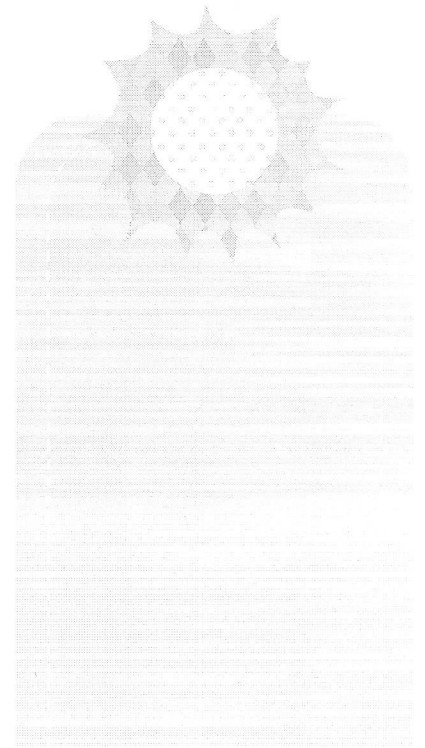


# April 2015 Newsletter

## ABC/PTO 5K Run

Walk or Bike: is just around the corner May 23rd at 8:00 a.m. (Note the new date for Overton Goodwill Days). This is an annual fund raiser to provide a fitness opportunity for the participants and to raise much needed money for ABC/PTO. ABC/PTO furnishes fun opportunities for the students and teachers. For the students, we have Fun Run's throughout the year, Book Fair, and The Reading Carnival, and bowling as rewards for the students reading. For the teachers we provide them with a belated Christmas lunch, teacher appreciation week presents and food in the teacher's lounge. You will find a 5K registration form in the newsletter if you would like to participate.



# Overton Goodwill Days 2015 ABC/PTO Fundraiser 5K Registration

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

The event will be starting at 8:00a.m. on May 23rd. Please be to the north school parking lot by 7:50a.m. If you are not pre-registered a race t-shirt is not guaranteed and please be there to register at 7:30a.m.

Are you (circle one please): running walking bicycling

Please if walking only walk no running

Size of T-shirt:

Adult small \_\_\_\_\_ Adult large \_\_\_\_\_ Youth s \_\_\_\_\_ Youth L \_\_\_\_\_  
Adult med \_\_\_\_\_ Adult X-large \_\_\_\_\_ Youth M \_\_\_\_\_

May 18th is deadline for T-shirt orders!!

Please enclose payment of \$20.00 per participant cash or check payable to ABC/PTO. Mail to: Lorna Lawton, 44436 Road 759, Overton, NE 68863.

Questions: Contact Lorna Lawton 380-3600 or leweiland@yahoo.com

## PLEASE READ AND SIGN:

In consideration of the acceptance of my application to participate in the Overton Goodwill Days 5K Run/Walk to be held on the date identified in this registration form. I hereby RELEASE, hold harmless, indemnify, and agree not to sue respective agents, Overton Public School, officers, directors, employees, members, sponsors, promoters, affiliates and all volunteers helping with the Goodwill Days from all liability resulting from all injuries (including death) resulting from or in connection with my participation (or the participation of a minor on whose behalf I am signing this document). This RELEASE applies to injury or death caused by THE RELEASEES' OWN NEGLIGENCE. I understand that running is an inherently dangerous sport and fully realize the dangers of participating, and FULLY ASSUME ALL RISKS associated with participating in Overton 2015 Goodwill Days 5K. This RELEASE includes all such risks and claims. I attest that I, and any participating minors on whose behalf I am signing this document, are physically fit and have sufficiently trained for such activity. I make this RELEASE, and all representations, agreements and acknowledgements contained herein for myself, my heirs, executors, administrator, legal representatives, successors in interest, and any participating minors for whom I am signing this document. I represent that I am the legal guardian of the minor(s) listed below, and that I am fully authorized to and hereby do sign this RELEASE on behalf of these minors.

Name (print): \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Minor's name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

**2015 Overton 116<sup>th</sup> Alumni Banquet**  
**May 24, 2015 6:00 p.m.**  
**Overton High School Gym**

Tickets may be purchased for \$20.00 (includes \$2.00 for the Scholarship Fund) at Security First Bank or R & S Market in Overton; or by mail from:

Marlene Blythe (308-987-2205) *or* Alyce Bauer (308-987-2280)  
10596 Westside Road                      P. O. Box 218  
Overton, NE 68863                          Overton, NE 68863  
[kblythe@atcjet.net](mailto:kblythe@atcjet.net)

Tickets must be purchased by May 20<sup>th</sup> to provide the caterer with an accurate head count. Caterer is Amber Siekman of Bertrand.

The school building will be open at 4:00 P.M. if you wish to tour it. Please use the south gym door.

If you would like to donate funds to help with costs for mailing this flier, contact Alyce or Marlene. Remember it doesn't have to be your honor year to attend and enjoy the friendships of the other classes ahead or behind yours. Honor classes, please encourage your classmates to attend the banquet. Our banquet numbers have greatly declined in recent years. We need you to attend—you will decide if we continue to meet or not.

Donations for the Scholarship Fund are appreciated and accepted anytime during the year. Contact Alyce Bauer. The alumni gave four \$500 scholarships last year.

We have been notified that the following members have died during the past year. If you know anyone not on this list, please advise Marlene.

1934 – Floyd Karr	1952 – Kenneth Robinson
1934 – Alvertus Moomey Warren	1952 – Eddie Atkinson
1935 – Dorothy Wyman Smith	1955 – Doris Edlund Hartman
1938 – Vivian Karr Grange	1966 – Marcia Schmid Krebs
1938 – Harold Marshall	1973 – Marlin Delimont
1943 – Dorothy Daul McFadden	1987 – Mark Dolan
1949 – Gertrude "Gitch" Carey Beatty	1998 – Phillip McDonald
1951 – Melvin Streit	2007 – Logan Griss

The Overton School website is [www.ovr.esu10.k12.ne.us](http://www.ovr.esu10.k12.ne.us). This invitation in the "newspaper" section of the school's website.

From your Overton Alumni Officers



# Character Clip from the Counselor

*Because conflict is part of everyday life, it is important that students learn to recognize when they feel angry or hurt. The key sources of anger are stress, frustration, rejection, or isolation. It is equally important to talk to children about their true feelings and give them guided problem solving opportunities by modeling listening skills, perspective, negotiation and compromise, and finally, showing compassion.*

*Identifying feelings and problems, then problem solving and making good choices is a very important skill, especially for our children today. Unfortunately, children often face difficult situations. The positive side of this can be that they have many opportunities to have the adults in their life teach and model for them positive ways to handle difficult situations. Children must be taught to use the power of their minds in a positive way to help them make good decisions everyday!*

*Ms. Stevens*

## *Seniors & Senior Parents:*

Have your taxes completed as soon as possible to make sure your child has every possible opportunity to receive financial aid for college.

Schedule an appointment with EducationQuest to complete the FARSI!

The students have a folder of local scholarship that they can complete. Almost all students will qualify for almost all of the scholarships in the folder they were given. There are also a variety of college major or career specific scholarships available on my website. Students need to stop and visit with me about these to pick up the application.

Please monitor your child's grades even more closely as graduation approaches. If your child is completing any on-line courses, those are due to Mr. Fleischman by April 17<sup>th</sup>.

If your child is a Senior Class Officer, please remember that you and your children are in charge of the Senior Breakfast before Graduation Rehearsal, which is Friday, May 8<sup>th</sup> at 8:30 AM.

Graduation is Saturday, May 9<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 PM

## *Juniors & Junior Parents:*

If you have not taken the ACT test yet, please register to take the test in June, you have one more opportunity to take it before your senior year. Many scholarship applications will be due the middle of October and almost all final academic scholarships are due by November 15<sup>th</sup>. It will be very important that you have the best ACT score you believe you can achieve by this time. ACT information is available on my website.

You may want to begin to go on campus visits to colleges you think you are interested in. You can schedule your own visits or attend one of the College Recruiting Days. Check your favorite colleges' websites for more information.

## American Legion Auxiliary Cornhusker Girls and Boys State

*Congratulations to Mackenzie Beavers and Donald "DJ" Anderson who have been selected by the Overton American Legion and the American Legion Auxiliary to represent Overton High School at Nebraska Girls and Boys State this summer.*

**MINUTES OF THE OVERTON PUBLIC SCHOOL BOARD OF EDUCATION  
REGULAR MEETING  
March 9, 2015  
7:30 p.m.**

**Board President called the meeting to order. Members Present:**

Brennan  
Johnson  
Luther  
Meier  
Rudeen  
Walahoski

**Notification:** The March 9, 2015 meeting of the Overton Public School Board of Education was posted at the Overton Public School, on the Overton Public School web site, Beacon Observer, Post Office, R & S Market, and the Security First Bank

**Open Meetings Information:** To be in compliance with LB 898, The Nebraska Open Meetings Act, Board President informed the public that a copy of the Open Meetings Law is posted near the LMC check-out counter.

**Administration Present:** Mark Aten, Superintendent, Brian Fleischman, Principal

**Guests Present:** Clint Little, Diana Perdomo, Hailey Harris, Morgan Area, and Courtney Johnson

**Public Comments:** None

**Reports:** Student Council members Courtney Johnson and Morgan Area reported on council activities. FCCLA members Diana Perdomo and Hailey Harris presented their state qualifying project. Clint Little reported on Cross Country.

**Communications:** None

**Other:** None

**Action Items:**

1. **Agenda** - Moved by Brennan, seconded by Johnson to approve the agenda of the March 9, 2015 regular monthly board meeting as presented. Motion 6-0. Voting Yes: (6) Brennan, Johnson, Luther, Meier, Rudeen, and Walahoski. Voting No: (0).
2. **Minutes** - Moved by Meier, seconded by Walahoski to approve the February 9, 2015 regular board meeting minutes. Motion 6-0. Voting Yes: (6) Brennan, Johnson, Luther, Meier, Rudeen, and Walahoski. Voting No: (0).
3. **Claims** - Moved by Luther, seconded by Johnson to pay the March General Fund bills in the amount of \$42,691.81. Motion 6-0. Voting Yes: (6) Brennan, Johnson, Luther, Meier, Rudeen, and Walahoski. Voting No: (0).
4. Moved by Luther, seconded by Luther to approve Security First Bank as the official depository for all district funds. Motion 6-0. Voting Yes: (6) Brennan, Johnson, Luther, Meier, Rudeen, and Walahoski. Voting No: (0).
5. Moved by Johnson, seconded by Brennan to adjourn at 9:38 p.m. Motion 6-0. Voting Yes: (6) Brennan, Johnson, Luther, Meier, Rudeen, and Walahoski. Voting No: (0).

**Board Reports and Discussion Topics:**

1. **Board Reports:**
  - a. Upcoming Meetings: NASB Meetings Calendar
  - b. Interlocal: Possible Interlocal Meeting
  - c. Curriculum: Language Arts Resource Purchase
  
2. **Discussion Topics:**
  - a. April regular board meeting date and time: April 9, 2015 beginning at 7:30 p.m. in the LMC
  - b. Projects
  - c. Cross Country
  - d. Preschool Dismissal

**Administrative Reports:**

**Principal's Report:**

1. Upcoming Events and Calendar
2. Enrollment Update
3. Parent Teacher Conference Summary
4. Science Fair
5. Class Schedule Proposal

**Superintendent's Report:**

1. Enrollment Option Report
  
2. Option Enrollment-
  - Out – a. None
  - In - b. Corbin Robinson - grade K in 2016-2017
  - c. Dylan Luther - grade K in 2015-2016
  
- Change of status –
  - a. None
  - b. None
  
3. Budget Review
4. Financial Summary
5. Legislative Update
6. 2015-2016 State Aid Model
7. Staffing Update
8. School Sign Discussion
9. Preschool Dismissal for 2015-2016
10. Projects Update



# April 2015

## Overton School Breakfast (\*)/Lunch Menus

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<p><b>12</b></p> <p>ALT MEAL: Cheese-burger</p>	<p><b>13</b></p> <p>*Chocolate donuts and eggs</p> <p>Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes and gravy, corn, applesauce, peaches, dinner roll</p>	<p><b>14</b></p> <p>*Yogurt parfait and pop tart</p> <p>AuGratin potatoes and ham, green beans, strawberries, bananas, brownie</p>	<p><b>15</b></p> <p>*Waffles and sausage</p> <p>Cheeseburger, fries, peas, mandarin oranges, blueberry crisp</p>	<p><b>16</b></p> <p>*Biscuit sandwich</p> <p>Spaghetti and meat sauce, green beans, tropical fruit, grapes, bread sticks</p>	<p><b>17</b></p> <p>*Breakfast cookie and ham</p> <p>Beef rib sandwich, baked beans, corn salad, jello, oranges</p>																																																																																																									
<p><b>19</b></p> <p>ALT MEAL: Corn dog</p>	<p><b>20</b></p> <p>*Donutholes and yogurt</p> <p>Sliced turkey, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, cranberry jello, mandarin oranges, dinner roll</p>	<p><b>21</b></p> <p>NO SCHOOL</p>	<p><b>22</b></p> <p>*Breakfast casserole</p> <p>Chef salad, cottage cheese, relish tray, jello, peaches, garlic toast</p>	<p><b>23</b></p> <p>*Breakfast on a stick</p> <p>Fried chicken, potato salad, baked beans, applesauce, grapes, biscuits</p>	<p><b>24</b></p> <p>*Breakfast pizza</p> <p>Pigs in a blanket, fries, coleslaw, fruit cocktail, oranges</p>																																																																																																									
<p><b>26</b></p> <p>ALT MEAL: Stromboli</p>	<p><b>27</b></p> <p>*French toast sticks and sausage</p> <p>Roast beef, mashed potatoes and gravy, broccoli, applesauce, pears, dinner roll</p>	<p><b>28</b></p> <p>*Cinnamon rolls and egg</p> <p>Taco salad, yogurt, salsa, sliced tomatoes, peaches, oranges</p>	<p><b>29</b></p> <p>*Omelet and bagel</p> <p>Chicken patty sandwich, sweet potato fries, corn, bananas, kiwi</p>	<p><b>30</b></p> <p>*Chocolate donut and ham</p> <p>Macaroni and cheese, chicken strips, green beans, texas caviar, jelo, melon tray, dinner roll</p>																																																																																																										

\*Milk and choice of fruit or juice each breakfast.

Milk served each meal.



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12 State FCCLA.	13 Music boosters mtg. 6:30PM. School board mtg. 7:30PM. State FCCLA.	14 Cheer practice 7PM. GO @ Arapahoe 10AM. JH SC 3:30. JH TR @ Elm Creek 2:30PM. Nurse AM. State FCCLA. Swing choir 7AM.	15 2nd grade field trip. Newsletter articles due.	16 Cheer practice 7PM. GO @ Holdrege 3PM. LMC game night 3:30-5PM.	17 PreK registration 8:30-2PM. TR @ Bertrand 2PM.	18 ACT test date @ Overton. Lift-A-Thon 2PM.																																																																																																										
19	20 Cheer practice 7PM. FKC Quiz Bowl @ Wil/Hil at 4PM.	21 Cheer practice 7PM. GO @ Alma 10AM. JH SC 3:30. JH TR @ Elwood 2PM. NO SCHOOL. TR @ Overton Invite 9AM.	22 Admin. Professionals Day	23 FBLA mtg. 6:30PM. NETA	24 ABC/PTO Reading Carnival. Arbor Day District music at GICC. NETA TR @ Don Bader 2PM.	25																																																																																																										
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