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#### Greetings from the Principal's Office

As we approach springtime, please remember to watch the weather forecast. Spring weather can become very volatile. Thank you for ensuring your children are sent to school dressed appropriately for the weather. Good luck to our Wrestling, Girls Basketball, and Boys Basketball team as they enter post season play.

#### **Upcoming Events:**

February 18th: GBB Sub-Districts vs. North Platte St. Pats @ Brady 7PM

February 19th: JHBB @ Elm Creek 1PM

February 20th - 22nd: State WR @ Omaha

February 20th: GBB Sub-District Finals @ Brady 6PM

February 21st: BBB vs. Gibbon 6/7:30PM

February 22<sup>nd</sup>: Speech @ Loup City

February 23<sup>rd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>, & 26<sup>th</sup>: BBB Sub-Districts @ Cambridge

February 25th: Spelling Bee for Grades 3-8 at 1PM

February 26th: FKC Speech @ Pleasanton

February 26th: JHBB vs. Pleasanton 12:30PM

February 28th: GBB District Finals TBD

February 29th: Speech @ Holdrege

February 29th: BBB District Finals TBD

March 2nd: Ouiz Bowl @ Southwest

March 2nd: 1st Day TR & GO Practice can begin

March 4th: JH Quiz Bowl @ Shelton

March 5th - 7th: State GBB @ Lincoln

March 6th: No School

March 9th: School Board Meeting 7:30PM

March 12th - 14th: State BBB @ Lincoln

March 13th: No School

School Happenings: It is that time of year again for testing. You might notice on the calendar that on March 16<sup>th</sup>, the NSCAS (state testing) window opens. This is the statewide assessment that all students grades 3-8 will be taking. The following subject areas are tested: Reading, Math, and Science. The Juniors will be taking the ACT on March 24<sup>th</sup> as part of the statewide ACT testing for all Juniors. Student performance is vital on these assessments as we are compared with all other schools and students across the State. Please ensure that your students are well prepared during these testing periods with a good nights rest and balanced breakfast. The teachers have done a wonderful job providing our students with the information necessary to be successful on these assessments. Thank you for giving your best effort on the assessments.

Educationally yours,

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The first year of FKC art show earned Jaylee Davenport, Best of Show for Overton with her planter/sculpture 'East Bound and Down'. Congratulations Jaylee!

## Preschool Registration

It is time for preschool registration for the 2020-2021 school year. If a child turns either 3 or 4 by July 31st, they are able to come to preschool for the following year.

The dates for registration are March 18-19 and March 26 from 9:00-11:30 am & I-2:30 pm

with Mr. Fleischman in the office. Do not wait to secure your spot as space is limited. Please do not hesitate to talk to preschool staff with any questions you may have. If these times do not work, call or come in to the office to get the needed information.

Thank you for making education a priority in your child's life.

#### **Business Department News**

#### 1<sup>ST</sup> ANNUAL Overton High School Fashion Show

#### CLASSES INVOLVED- Marketing Class, Personal Finance Class, Yearbook

- -Mr. Gilson's Marketing Class will be hosting a Fashion Show as a project to teach his class how to put on a Fashion Show Project that involves the production of : Music, Models, MC's and all of the behind the scenes of how to put a fashion show together and be on task with completing the mission. The Public is invited along with the other classes in the school to help support the production of the show.
- -Mr. Gilson's Personal Finance Class will be the Models and they will walk down the catwalk in the gym during the show to music, lights, and a cheering support of community, Teachers, and students. The models will show off 3 different outfits and they will be going along with the Theme of our Spring/Summer Evening and Day Wear attire. The 3 things the models will represent are:
- -Dresses/Suits
- -Casual Dress/Suits
- -Spring/Summer School Attire
- -The Yearbook Class will be taking pictures along with helping stage the lights and music for the Fashion Show.
- -We will also have a surprise during the show with some other models to help make the show a BIG SUCCESS!

-We will have this on May 6<sup>th</sup> in the New Gym at 2:45 p.m. during 8<sup>th</sup> Hour of the school day.

Please come and support these Models!
Sincerely,
Tory Gilson

#### FCCLA Hosts District STAR

On January 22<sup>nd</sup>, Overton FCCLA hosted the District 10 STAR competition, with over 100 competitors from seven schools. Overton was represented by 12 students who each earned a trip to that State STAR competition in Lincoln. The following is a list of results for our Overton chapter:

Megan Zulkoski, District Champion gold medal in Focus on Children III

Austin Haussler & Melissa White, District Champions gold medal Chapter Service Project Display III

Rebecca Zeleksi, District Champion gold medal Leadership III

Calli Weston, District Champion gold medal Chapter Service Project Portfolio III

Abby Lawton, District Champion gold medal Leadership II

Hannah Smith, District Champion silver medal National Programs in Action III

Stephanie Magnuson, District Champion silver medal Health and Wellness Sr.

Alexz Rodriguez, District Champion silver medal National Program in Action II

Jada Araujo, District Champion silver medal Professional Presentation II

Shaylee Lux, District Champion silver medal Health and Wellness Jr.

Violet Nelms, District Champion silver medal Nebraska Parliamentary Procedure Test



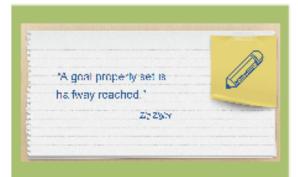
## CIP Updates

## Overton Public Schools



Continuous Improvement Process

## **JANUARY 2020**

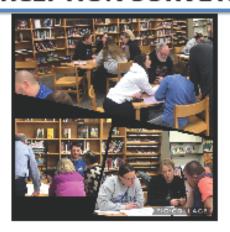


## School CIP Goals

- All students will improve reading skills in the area of main idea and supporting details.
- All students will improve math number sense.

Through analyzing student learning, perceptual, school process, and demographic data, two academic areas were selected. Scores from The MAP tests indicated the scores in these concepts were lower compared to other strands.

### PERCEPTION SURVEYS



Teachers reviewed data from the survey given to students, staff, and parents in October. The number of responses from the parent survey increased. The information collected was analyzed for strengths, challenges, and implications. The data and discussions help the team make decisions about the future.

## **UPCOMING AGENDA ITEMS**

March Teacher In-service

- Belief Statements
- Learning Communities
- Review Goals and Action Plans

Email suggestions or questions about agenda items to:

- Mrs. Remmenga: alisha.remmenga@overtoneagles.org
- Mrs. Eilers: missy.eilers@overtoneagles.org

#### iHola from the Spanish Department!

As we began our second semester of Spanish classes we practiced presentation skills. Spanish 1 students had the opportunity to design their dream room and to "show and tell" their classmates all the details. Yes, it did cause a few cases of nervousness, but that helps to prepare for future occasions when they may be able to use their Spanish in a <u>real</u> situation. It was a great demonstration of using (and understanding) the vocabulary we had been learning.





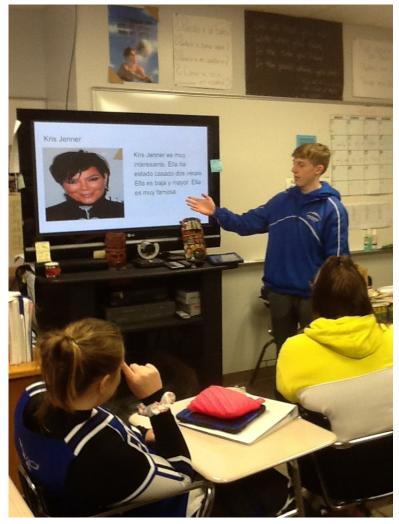
Our posters are on display in our room. See if your student can point out their handiwork!







Spanish 2 had their own opportunity to present before the class. Their project centered around the family vocabulary and description words we have been learning. They chose six members of their family (real or imaginary) to describe and to show in digital format. Everyone did a great job and we enjoyed a novel way of using our growing Spanish knowledge.



Ask your student to show you their presentation if you did not get a chance to see it at the Parent-Teacher conference.

One last news item: This year we will be trying a change with the National Spanish Exam that many of you know we have done for many years. We have offered students the choice as to whether they would like to participate or not. Those who do not do the National Exam will be doing a digitial assessment offered by the same company. I am looking forward to comparing the output and benefits of each. It has been a great year and we look forward to finishing strong.

Sra. Roos

#### From the Counselor

Springtime is right around the corner, and it is glorious! I love the warmer days and the sunshine, and I can't wait until everything turns green again.

-Mrs. McCoy

#### Seniors and Senior Parents:

-Enrollment is starting for the colleges. Make sure you are completing tasks for the colleges so that you can get enrolled for your Fall Semester of College.

-Summer Classes, there are online Summer Classes available at most colleges such as CCC and UNK, check the website to see if you are interested in getting a jump-start on your degree.

-Graduation Information and Schedules will be coming in the mail.

-Required classes need to be passed to participate in the graduation ceremony as well as to get your high school degree. If you have concerns please reach out to the teachers or me.

#### Juniors and Junior Parents:

-Junior will be taking the ACT this spring. More information is to come. It is important to take it once or twice before your final test opportunities in the fall of your senior year. Dates are posted on the ACT site, and Overton School is a testing site. You must take the test by February of your senior year. Have your scores sent directly to the college(s) you are considering attending. College codes can be found on the ACT website.

-Colleges offer many group tours throughout the spring and summer. Check out the website of the college you are interested in to find out visiting.



## No Place for Hate® Promise

- T promise to do my best to treat everyone fairly.
- I promise to do my best to be kind to everyone even if they are not like me.
- If I see someone being hurt or bullied, I will tell a teacher.
- Everyone should be able to feel safe and happy at
- ¶ I want our school to be No Place for Hate.

### See Something, Say Something

- -There is an app!
- -Check out the Overton Eagle website for a new Incident Report Coming SOON!
- -NEW Bullying Survey to be given to grades 3-12! More information to come!

## Say Something teaches students how to:



LOOK for Warning Signs, Signals & Threats.



ACT Immediately. Take it Seriously.



SAY Something to a Trusted Adult.

#### MINUTES OF THE OVERTON PUBLIC SCHOOL BOARD OF EDUCATION **REGULAR MEETING**

February 10, 2020 7:30 p.m.

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

Brennan Lassen

Meier

Rudeen

Walahoski

**Notification:** The February 10, 2020 meeting of the Overton Public School Board of Education was posted at the Overton Public School, on the Overton Public School website, Beacon Observer, Post Office, and the Security First Bank.

Open Meetings Information: To be in compliance with LB 898, The Nebraska Open Meetings Act, Board President Pro-Tem 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: Aaron McCoy, Seth Ehlers, and Chase Christensen

**Public Comments: None** 

Reports: None

Communications: Resignations. Jacob Jensen, Rob Simpson, and April Williams

Other: Board excused the absence of board member Luther. Motion 5-0-1. Yes (5) Brennan, Lassen, Meier, Rudeen and Walahoski. No (0). Absent (1) Luther.

#### **Action Items:**

- 1. **Agenda** Moved by Meier, seconded by Walahoski to approve the agenda of the February 10, 2020 regular monthly board meeting as presented. Motion 5-0-1. Yes (5) Brennan, Lassen, Meier, Rudeen and Walahoski. No (0). Absent (1) Luther.
- 2. **Minutes** Moved by Brennan, seconded by Lassen to approve the minutes of the January 13, 2020 regular board meeting minutes as presented. Motion 5-0-1. Yes (5) Brennan, Lassen, Meier, Rudeen and Walahoski. No (0). Absent (1) Luther.
- 3. Claims Moved by Lassen, seconded by Brennan to pay the February General Fund bills in the amount of \$36,563.46. Motion 5-0-1. Yes (5) Brennan, Lassen, Meier, Rudeen and Walahoski. No (0). Absent (1) Luther.
- 4. Moved by Brennan, seconded by Walahoski to approve the contract with ESU 10 for Special Education Supervision, Physical and Occupational Therapy, and Audiology. Yes (5) Brennan, Lassen, Meier, Rudeen and Walahoski. No (0). Absent (1) Luther.
- 5. Moved by Meier, seconded by Lassen to approve the contract for the Principal. Motion 5-0-1. Yes (5) Brennan, Lassen, Meier, Rudeen and Walahoski. No (0). Absent (1) Luther.

- 6. Moved by Lassen, seconded by Luther to approve Security First Bank and FirsTier Bank as the depository for all district funds. Motion 5-0-1. Yes (5) Brennan, Lassen, Meier, Rudeen and Walahoski. No (0). Absent (1) Luther.
- 7. Moved by Rudeen, seconded by Walahoski to approve the resignations of Rob Simpson, Jacob Jensen, and April Williams. Motion 5-0-1. Yes (5) Brennan, Lassen, Meier, deen and Walahoski. No (0). Absent (1) Luther.
- 8. Moved by Brennan, seconded by Lassen to approve the Agriculture Education teaching contract with Juliana Loudon. Motion 5-0-1. Yes (5) Brennan, Lassen, Meier, Rudeen and Walahoski. No (0). Absent (1) Luther.
- 9. Moved by Lassen, seconded by Meier to approve the Science teaching contract with Keith Swift. Motion 5-0-1. Yes (5) Brennan, Lassen, Meier, Rudeen and Walahoski. No (0). Absent (1) Luther.
- 10. Moved by Walahoski, seconded by Meier to adjourn at 8:24 p.m. Motion 5-0-1. Yes (5) Brennan, Lassen, Meier, Rudeen and Walahoski. No (0). Absent (1) Luther.

#### **Board Reports and Discussion Topics:**

1. Board Reports:

Upcoming Meetings: NASB Annual Calendar Transportation: New Bus Arrival

2.. Discussion Topics:

March Board Meeting scheduled for Monday, March 9, 2020 beginning at 7:30 p.m. Projects Update
School Psychology Services
Board Election Timeline

#### **Administrative Reports:**

#### **Principal's Report:**

- 1. Enrollment Update
- 2. Calendar
- 3. Staffing

#### **Superintendent's Report:**

- 1. Enrollment Option Report
- 2. Option Enrollment-

a.	Out -	a.
		b.
b.	In -	a.
c.	Change of Sta	atus a.

- 3. Financial Update
- 4. Budget Review
- 5. Projects Update
- 6. State Aid Model



# **March** 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 3/4 LLBB Tourney @ Amherst.	2 FCA 7AM.  1st day of TR & GO practice.  Student Council mtg. @ hunch.  Quiz Bowl @ Southwest.  FCCLA mtg. 6:30PM.	Author/Illustrator visit Bruce Arant. Senior Parent Post Prom mtg. 7PM.	FFA Officer mtg. @ hmch.  JH Quiz Bowl @ Shelton 2:45PM.  UNK Men's Honor Choir.	5 State GBB @ Lincoln.	6 NO SCHOOL. State GBB @ Lincoln.	7 State GBB @ Lincoln.
8 Daylight Savings Time begins. 5/6 LLBB Tourney @ Amherst.	9 FCA 7AM. Music Booster mtg. 5:30PM. School Board mtg. 7:30PM.	10	11 FFA mtg. 7AM.	12 4th grade Field Trip to Lincoln. State BBB @ Lincoln.	13 End of Q3 (45 days). NO SCHOOL. State BBB @ Lincoln.	State BBB @ Lincoln.  PeeWee WR. Tourney @ Overton.
15	16 FCA 7AM. National Ag Week. FFA CDE Day 2 @ Broken Bow. BB All-Conference Selections @ Elm Creek 7PM.	17 St. Patrick's Day. Speech Districts @ Minden.	Pre-School registration 9-11:30 & 1-2:30PM.	19 Elementary Ag Day. K-2 Spring Concert 6/6:30/7PM. Pre-School registration 9-11:30 & 1-2:30PM.	20 NO SCHOOL. Teacher In- Service.	21
Spring Music Showcase 2PM.	FCA 7AM.  Spring Sports pictures 10AM.  FKC Quiz Bowl  Eustis/Farnam.	24 Statewide ACT Test Date for Juniors. ASVAB Testing for Sophomores.	NO SCHOOL. Teacher Workday. FKC Music Contest @ Overton.	GO Quad @ Overton 4PM. Pre-School registration 9-11:30 & 1-2:30PM.	27 State Speech @ Kearney. TR @ Wilcox- Hildreth 10AM.	28 MS BB Tournament.
29	30 FCA 7AM. State FBLA @ Kearney.	31 State FBLA @ Kearney. TR @ Cozad 4:30PM.				

# March 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
l *=Breakfast Milk served each meal. Milk & fruit served each PK meal. ALT MEAL: Pepperoni pizza	*Green eggs & ham & banana muffin Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes & gravy, corn, pears, apple slices, dinner roll	*Breakfast pizza  Crispitos & cheese, shredded lettuce, salsa, jello, strawberries	#Oatmeal bar & eggs Cheeseburger, fries, green beans, applesauce, blueberry crisp	*Donut holes & sausage Pigs in a blanket, chips, broccoli & cheese, relish tray, jello, grapes	6 NO SCHOOL.	7
8 Alt meal: Corn dogs	*Breakfast on a stick Lasagna, salad mix, cottage cheese, orange slice, applesauce, garlic toast	*Apple fruedel & ham  Scramble eggs, pancakes, orange juice, yogurt, bananas	#Griddle sandwich Chicken nuggets, fries, roasted carrots, jello, peaches, jello cake	*Sausage gravy & biscuits  Soup bar, grilled cheese, relish tray, pears, mandarin oranges	13 NO SCHOOL.	14
ALT MEAL: Cheeseburger	*Breakfast Tornado  Chicken & noodles, mashed potatoes, green beans, strawberries, pineapple, dinner roll	*Breakfast pizza  Baked potato bar, salad mix, kiwi, jello garlic toast	*Cinnamon little John & omelet  Taco bar, shredded lettuce, diced tomatoes, refried beans, strawberries, peaches	*Waffles & sausage Chicken patty sandwich, fries, baked beans, oranges, pears	20 NO SCHOOL — Teacher In-service.	21
ALT MEAL: Ham & cheese sandwich	*Breakfast combo & cereal bar Chicken stir fry, cottage cheese, peaches, grapes, cereal bar	*French toast & ham  Shredded lettuce, salsa, yogurt, pears, apples	NO SCHOOL — FKC Music	*Chocolate cake donut & yogurt Super nachos, shredded lettuce, refried beans, melon tray, pineapple	*Yogurt parfait & English muffin Cheese pizza, salad mix, peas, jello, applesauce	28
ALT MEAL: Pepperoni pizza	*French toast & yogurt Goulash, peas, salad mix, oranges, baked apples, dinner rolls	#Funnel cakes & sausage Crispitos & cheese, shredded lettuce, refried beans, cottage cheese, pineapple, pears				