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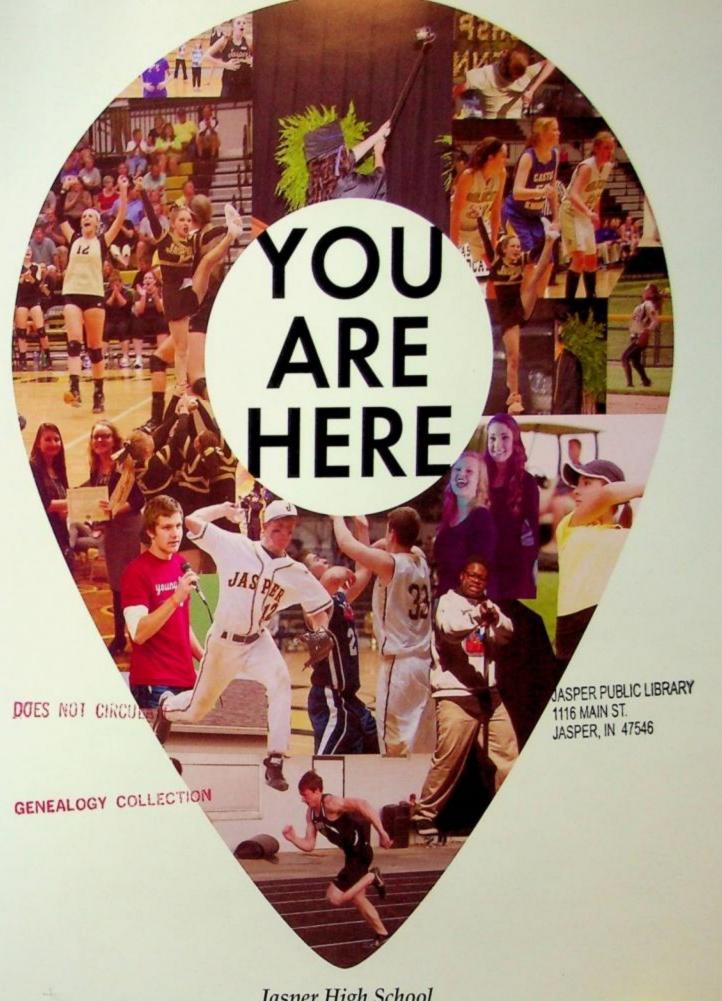




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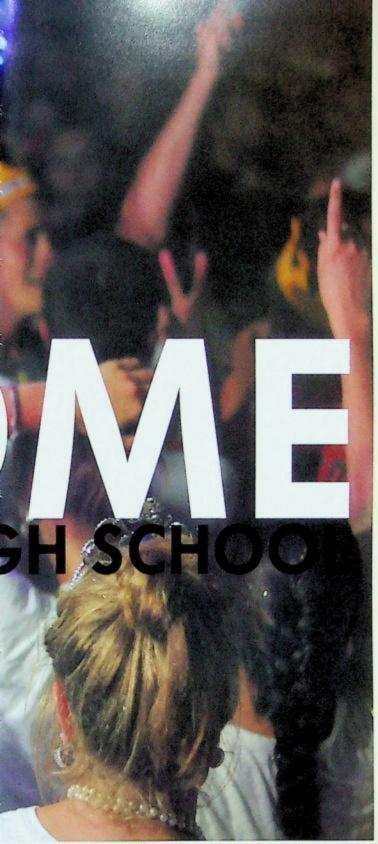
















It's your first day. Summer is over and you're back at school. The seniors show up wearing matching shirts and the freshmen still aren't completely sure of what they're doing. What better way to make them feel welcome than the freshman dance? But it starts out kind of awkward. No one shows up on time but the freshmen, and they have no idea what's going on. No one wants to be the first to dance. Suddenly the music changes in the middle of a song and a bunch of people are running towards the freshmen, picking them up and carrying them to the middle of the dance floor. It's the sophomores, dressed in black, doing the job they do each year. A few minutes pass before the song changes again and the juniors run in, joining the freshmen and sophomores in the middle of the cafeteria dressed as angels and devils. Then the seniors get ready, dressed as kings and queens and fully equipped with handfuls of glitter to throw on their classmates as they run in to a song created by seniors David Thyen and Noah Rydberg. It's so crazy and packed that you don't even really dance, you just fall together as a crowd when someone pushes too hard. Yeah, it's crazy. But it's fun.

Welcome to high school.







#### Cool Down

After a scorching hot rehersal of their show, the marching band decides to take up the ALS Ice Bucket Challenge that they received from the Northview marching band.



Story by Sophie Weidenbenner

On August 22nd, 2014, Jasper High School's own art teacher, Mr. Dodd, accepted the ALS Ice Bucket Challenge. This challenge is a phenomenon that's been filling up social media feeds everywhere. The purpose of the Ice Bucket Challenge is simple: to raise awareness about Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS), a terminal progressive neuro-degenerative disease that affects as many as 30,000 Americans. The rules require any challenged person to pour a bucket of ice water over his

or her head within 24 hours and to pass on the challenge by nominating others. And so, in the midst of the scorching heat one Friday

afternoon, Mr. Dodd rounded up his 7th period class, journeyed to the sweltering outdoors, and was ready to be cooled off. "I was challenged by one of my Intro students, Ryan Miller," said Dodd before the challenge. He also said he finds ALS awareness to be a genuinely worthy cause and does, in fact, plan on donating. After completing the challenge, Mr. Dodd chose to nominate Mr. Wilson, Mr. Buechlein, and Dr. Lorey.

On top of JHS staff being nominated for the ALS Ice Bucket Challenge, there have also been several teams taking up nominations. Among these teams are the girls soccer team, the volleyball team, the girls and boys cross country teams, the marching band, and the cheerleaders. The nominations of these teams have come from a variety of (cont. on next page)











Story by Mariya Merkley
The annual Burger Bash is
generally the same every
year. The band gets their
pictures taken, burgers
are served, and the band
performs part of the show
they've started learning.
This year started the same
as any other, but ended a
little more exciting than

the rest. The intense heat caused at least three band members to be sent to the hospital after collapsing on the practice field. Both parents and students assisted in keeping those students cool and hydrated, some even carried members across the practice field and into the high school. Mr. Goodhue let the band decide whether they wanted to perform the show or end the Burger Bash early. In spite of the heat and missing members, the band members unanimously decided to perform the show for their parents. After the show, the band cooled off by doing the ALS Ice Bucket Challenge after being nominated by an ISSMA Class B competitor the Northview Marching Knights. The band nominated the marching bands of Floyd Central, Paoli, and Forest Park before completing the challenge.



(cont. from Ice Bucket Challenge Takes Over)
places. The volleyball team was nominated by the
cheerleaders; the cheerleaders were nominated by a
fellow cheerleader, Kylie Seibert; and the band was
nominated by a fellow competitor, Northview.









Best Friends: The Ultimate Support System Juniors Claire Mathies and Layne Sermersheim arrived in the community room together, both ready to give blood for the first time. After the initial tests, however, Layne was told that she couldn't donate due to her sinus infection. She stayed to support Claire through her first time, which turned out to be a less than smooth experience. When Claire began to feel sick. Layne tried to distract her by scrolling through her instagram feed. When the needle was removed from Claire's arm. Layne held gauze in place so Claire could calm her stomach with Sierra Mist. Claire didn't quite make it to the required 470 mL of blood needed to be considered a unit, but she says she plans on trying to donate again in the future.



Story by Mariya Morley

If there are 9.2 million blood donors in the United States each year, imagine if every blood donor brought a friend. On August 26th, 2014, Jasper High School students and their friends came to the Community Room in hopes of donating blood to the Indiana Blood Center. Some were turned away, but most, a total of 57, were able to donate. The Community Room was full of students comforting

their friends before, during, and after donating by holding their hands to calm their nerves, holding their phones and scrolling through their social media feeds, and holding their gauze before the nurse wrapped their arms. Students who didn't plan to donate or found they were unable to, still stuck around to make sure their friends made it through their donations comfortably. True friends are the ones who stick together! Those 57 students and teachers who donated potentially saved the lives of 171 people.



Nick Freyberger, junior, and Garrett Armstrong. sophomore, link arms during the game elbow tag.

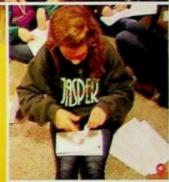




All Tangled Up Taylor Johnson, junior, attempts to untangle the string, with the help of sophomore Rachel Moore, that was later used for human faceable on Bosco's Neon Night.







O Lending A Hand Sydney Traylor, sophomore, helps label boxes full of envelopes that were mailed to members of each parish that monetarily donate.

On Wednesday nights, current and former high those churches are welcomed and are encouraged to school students gather in a house across the street from St. Joseph's church known as the Bosco House for music, games, and religious education. Although Bosco is a Catholic organization affiliated with St. Joseph's, Holy Family, Precious Blood, and St. Mary's churches, students who do not attend any of

come to Bosco. Bosco allows students to learn about God with their friends. It is also a time to let loose, have fun in the middle of the week, and practice leadership by occasionally organizing fun activities for middle school students. As junior Taylor Johnson says, "Once you come (to Bosco), you will be hooked for life!"



was tagging with labels.



Senior Lauren Hildenbrand Evett Cruz, junior, asks a question while Sophomore Kyle Mehringer sits shows off her envelopes that she helping label envelopes that were to be sent out to donors.



quietly and pays attention to the lesson.



## WILDCAT WEEKLY

The students behind the yearbook are also responsible for keeping the school news website, Wildcat Weekly, up to date with the latest stories about what is happening in and around JHS. If you happened to miss a story or two throughout the year, we've got you covered with a few of our top articles of the 2014 - 2015 school year.

#### Story by Travis Love & Jasper Wildcats Take Home Another Win

Jasper Football took home a win Friday night, shutting down Southridge 43-14. Even though this was an away game, that wasn't



stopping the students. The student section for Friday's game was almost as full as any home game. Every game at Jasper comes with a theme, bringing out everyone's spirit and creativity. The theme for last Friday's game was 'America'. The Jasper High School football team isn't letting anyone win, even though they have only played two games they have won both of them. The game that was played on August 22 at Evansville Memorial was won by the Cats with a score of 45-14 against Evansville Memorial. Of course, at that game the students came along in their black and gold attire. This coming Friday, Jasper will play Boonville at 8:00. This will be the first home game this year for the Jasper Wildcats. Be sure to come down to Alumni Stadium and watch the Cats battle in their third game this season.

Serving Up Sportsmanship & Story by Angel Lee

Sportsmanship has come a long way in Jasper, Indiana. Jasper is generally known for the polite words offered by all students,

including the kids in sports. The boys on the tennis team are no exception. They were all smiles and high-fives during their hot matches on August 29th. The boys got slightly aggravated with themselves when missing a ball, but their teammates did not hesitate to slap their backs and show support. Freshman, Park Worester piped up when asked how they were so confident. "We never lose because we have each other's backs," Worester said. All of the boys ranging from tiny freshman to experienced seniors know how to brighten up their mate's mood if one is feeling down. "We all like to crack jokes," recalls Noah Luebbehausen. "We don't take each other too seriously sometimes." The team was not shy towards the other teams either as they shook hands, exchanged a few hellos, and got to their match. They offered plenty of warmup time, asking the opposing team if they were ready. When doubled up, nobody complained, and they quickly positioned themselves in smiles and jokes. The guys never once stabbed any mean comments to one another, or the "enemies". The Jasper boys shook hands whether they won or lost, and offered



their thanks for playing. There was no shortage of sportsmanship on the Jasper Middle School tennis courts on August 29th.

#### Jasper Volleyball on the Way to a Conference Championship

Story by Sophie Weidenbenner



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On Tuesday, September 9th, Jasper volleyball picked up its fourth win in the Big 8 Conference Tourney. So far this season, the team has faced Princeton, Mt. Vernon, Washington, and Vincennes from their conference. They have successfully taken down three out of the four teams they've faced with 3-0 victories. The only exception has been Washington, who they knocked out 3-1. Jasper Volleyball now only has two games left in their conference tourney: Boonville and Mt. Carmel.

Head varsity coach, Liz Milligan, says, "I believe the girls have a very good chance of winning the last two games and picking up a Conference Championship." This is especially exciting since Jasper Volleyball has not been bestowed the title of Conference Champs since 2008. Milligan says that she is fully prepared to celebrate with her team at Los Bravos upon winning their conference. The team's next conference

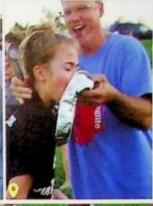
game will be here at Jasper High School against Boonville on Thursday, October 9th. Be sure to save the date and come on down to show your support!

You've Got A Little Something Right There
Freshman Jessica Mehringer and
sophomore Sydney Traylor participate in
the ice cream eating contest. Sydney was
the only one of the four contestants who
was actually eating frozen mayonnaise
instead of ice cream.

#### Brain Freeze

Hailey Hurst, a freshman, gets a pan full of ice cream shoved in her face during the relay race by Kevin Messmer, a current Younglife leader.











Fully equipped with 200 Dairy Queen sundaes, three gallons of Libby's Gourmet Ice Cream, six more gallons of ice cream, a little bit of frozen mayonnaise, rainbow sprinkles, and a few bottles of chocolate syrup and whipped cream, Jasper Young Life started its first club of the year with a bang—the loudest bang it's ever produced. This event was so huge that it welcomed over 175 high school students, the largest crowd attending in history. Upon arrival at the Jasper Engines soccer fields, students were assigned to random teams and were prepared to take on the first competition of the night. Each team was told to spin in a circle with a bat, run to the

center of the field, and try to eat ice cream from a pan without their hands. The next two competitions had four competitors. In the first, students chose a leader who made an ice cream sundae onto their faces from the top of a ladder. The second competition was the ice cream eating contest where students had to eat a pan full of vanilla ice cream without using their hands again. The night came to an end with an epic ice cream battle. When the students finished throwing their Dairy Queen sundaes at each other, they received a handful of chocolate syrup and a cup of sprinkles to top off their human ice cream cones.

September 15, it was noted that the

On September 15, it was noted that the chlorine levels in the city's treated water was dropping below its normal level. It was also noted that the water had turned cloudy for no apparent reason the next day. A boil order was put into effect on September 17 and lasted until September 21.





PTO Cook-Out & Story by Taylor Kleinhelter

For many years it has been a tradition for the Parent Teacher
Organization (PTO) to cook a meal for the students and staff of Jasper
High School. The PTO is an organization made up of parents of
students that attend Jasper High School. The weather couldn't have
been nicer for the students, staff and volunteers. The students enjoyed
a cheeseburger or hamburger, a bag of chips, two cookies and a bottle
of water. The students enjoyed their lunch sitting outside in the
sunshine. The students and staff would like to thank the PTO for all the
hard work they do throughout the year. To the left seniors Bailey
Wigand and Morgan Kissel are outside enjoying their lunch given to
them by the PTO. Bailey says she loves the lunch and atmosphere of
being able to eat outside."I just wish we could have this opportunity
more often," said Morgan.

## The Marching Wildcats Kick Off Their Season & Story by Travis Love

It was a late night for the Jasper High School Marching Wildcats on Saturday, September 13. They competed in class 5A against Castle at Evansville Central High School. They began their competition at 10:00pm, the time most of



people are headed to bed. Competition days are stressful for the Marching Wildcats. They began practicing for the competition at 9:30 in the morning and practiced almost all day before departing for Evansville. In a regular competition Jasper competes in class B and castle competes in class A. Classes are based on the size of the school. Class A being the highest has the most students. The Jasper Marching Wildcats placed second against Castle. Lindsey Welp, a Senior at Jasper High School won the best soloist out of all the bands competing this past weekend. She was playing on the Soprano Saxophone. This coming Saturday (September 20) the Marching Wildcats will be competing at Paoli. Their performance will begin at 9:21 in the evening.

## Matre Dei Went Down on Boxing Night & Story by Mila Vernon

On September 23, the Jasper High School varsity volleyball team faced off against Evansville's Matre Dei. The team played three games against Matre Dei. As the varsity game began, the Jasper High School students all came together to cheer the varsity team on! The student section was buzzing with energy, and the energy continued to buzz throughout the three games. The theme of the night was officially "dress like a boxer" or "cat fight". Although the theme was "dress like a boxer" almost no one went as an actual boxer, but the team spirit was still strongly in the air! The positivity and the energy was welcomed into the gymnasium with open arms! With the students support behind them the varsity volleyball team proceeded to win all three games!





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Lincoln Football (Ocho Cinco Remix)

September
The Vincennes Lincoln football team

on YouTube. The video was locally famous and mentioned Jasper's 'dirty water' as well as the game played on September 19. The the Wildcats in overtime, and made

sure to include highlights of their victory in the video.

Here are our favorite highlights from their video, in order of appearance.



1. The pan shot of the (empty) weight room.

Either they genuinely felt the need to show that they have a workout facility in their school, or they just had no content to fill the space in the video. We're not sure. Did we mention it's empty?



2. When the team had "girls all on them in the school hall." Twice!

This is a creative use of a rhyme on their part, but there was a rumor that a few of the girls were related to the players. Not sure how much of a feat that is anymore.



3. "You know we made them cats purr."
Very clever, and also very flattering. At least

Very clever, and also very flattering. At least a minute of the video was dedicated to us, so they must think we're pretty special. No other team got a shout out!



4. When they tried to get a sweet tea, but our water was too dirty.
Really? You're bringing our water into this?



When they told us they wear Gucci, not that off brand. Because of course they do.

## A STROKE PAST SECTIONALS

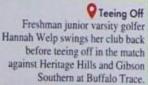
With two weeks left in the regular season, coach Phil Olinger had his top four golfers set, but he still had not decided on a fifth. Seniors Annika Harmon and Catherine Bell, junior Sarah Ackerman, and freshman Maddie Wagner were clear choices, but choosing between the consistently equal Taylor Stilwell, junior, and Mady Horney, sophomore, wasn't easy. All of the girls, even those in question for the final sectional spot, had a strong mental game as the season came to a close. The girls placed second in the Big 8 Conference Championships, losing for the first time in 6 years, but they didn't let that discourage them. The next week, they took first place at sectional with Mady Horney in the fifth spot and Annika Harmon as the individual first place medalist. The

girls placed 8th out of 18 teams at the regional competition the next week, cutting their season short.



#### Hole-In-One at Buffalo Trace

Maddie Wagner, a four-year golfer and a freshman on the Jasper High School girls golf team, will always remember her first high school season as the year she sank a hole-in-one. "It was pretty shocking at first, and then I was full of excitement," Maddie said in regards to her hole-in-one a few days following the feat. The match against Bedford North Lawrence took place on September 9, 2014, on Jasper's own Buffalo Trace Golf Course, and the girls came out as victors, making it an overall incredible night for the JHS girls golf team!



#### Preparing for a Putt

Sophomore Mady Horney attempts to hit the ball onto the green on hole 18 at Buffalo Trace Golf Course. Mady went on to play in both the sectional and regional competitions at the end of the







#### **Q** Bunker Shot

Sarah Ackerman, junior, attempts a bunker shot at Buffalo Trace's second hole.

#### Accomplished Career

Senior Annika Harmon takes a practice swing at the sectional competition at Buffalo Trace. Annika had an impressive season and career, becoming a medalist at the last two Big 8 Conference meets as well as placing first at sectional this season.



## Senior Spotlight

Now that their final high school golf season has come to a close, seniors Annika Harmon and Catherine Bell reflect on their golf careers.



#### HOW DO YOU FEEL NOW THAT YOUR SEASON IS OVE

CATHERINE BELL: "[Being finished] is kind of sad because I miss my coach. He was really fun! And I miss all of my teammates and being with them every day."



#### WHAT IS THE BIGGEST OBSTACLE YOU'VE HAD TO OVERCOME DURING YOUR GOLF CAREER?

ANNIKA HARMON: "Having to play this past year with a torn ACL [was my biggest obstacle], because I had to change my swing mechanics in order to be able to swing without feeling pain."



## RESULTS

#### AUGUST

Vincennes Rivet | L Tell City, Heritage Hills, Springs Valley | W Boonville, Pike Central | W Washington | W

#### SEPTEMBER

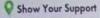
Tell City | W
Castle | W
Southridge | W
Bedford | W
Heritage Hills, Gibson Southern | W
Boonville, Evansville Central | W
Heritage Hills | L
Sectional | 1st of 9
Regional | 8th of 18



Row 1: Sarah Ackerman, Annika Harmon, Catherine Bell, and Natalie Hopf. Row 2: Hannah Erny, Gillian Blessinger, Mady Horney, Coach Phil Olinger, Taylor Stilwell, Hannah Welp, and Maddie Wagner.

#### Shake It Off

Tania Ramos, senior, sings and dances along to an Enrique Inglesias song at the homecoming dance.



The student section, dressed as superheroes, cheer to show their excitement as a cameraman walks by. Each football game has a theme that is decided by Team Tailgate, a student-run organization dedicated to bringing students together to support school sporting events.









**Q** Fire Up

Sophomores Rilyn Rusher, far left, Paige Green, and Sara Carpenter, members of the dance team, pump up the crowd with cheers at the homecoming game.



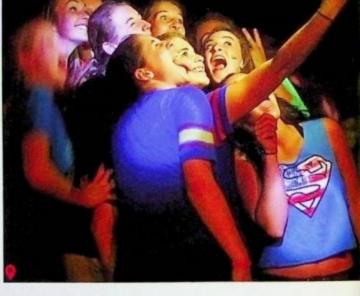
Change of Plans

Alexis Harltey, senior, looks up at her flag as homecoming candidates pass through the tunnel of color guard girls. Homecoming generally takes place on the football field, but it had to be moved to the track this year due to the field being muddy.

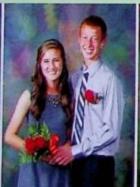
OLet Me Take A #Selfie

Reagan Otto, sophomore, takes a selfie at the Homecoming Dance (during the song #Selfie, of course) with a group including seniors Elisabeth Ahlbrand and Emma Stout, sophomores Kathleen Messmer and

Mallory Ahlbrand, and freshman Chloe Berger.

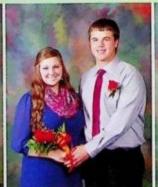




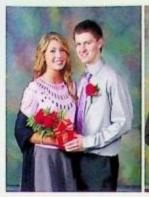


















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Despite the frigid temperatures
and wet, muddy field, the
football team dominated in the
homecoming game against
Mount Carmel. The game was
exciting despite the lack of
scoring by the Aces. In one
particular play, senior Nolan
Ahrens threw a pass to junior
Grant Theil for a 75 yard
touchdown. This pass broke the
school record for career passing
yards, formerly held by Austin
Ahrens.



year.

Each year on a certain chilly Friday in October, the parking lot at Jerry Brewer Alumni Stadium and Fifth Street School overflows with cars and traffic. People of Jasper come early and stay late, enjoying a meal of chili with a hot dog and dessert at Fifth Street's annual Chili Supper before one of the most crowded football games of the season, hoping to see the Wildcats dominate while also celebrating homecoming. The Cats did dominate, defeating Mt. Vernon with a score of 47-0, despite a sloppy mess of a field. The state of the field did change the homecoming celebration, forcing the ceremony to be held entirely on the track instead of the field itself.

Of the three senior couples who had been nominated for homecoming king and queen, Rachel Sternberg and DaKota Brewer, who had been dating for nearly two years at the time, took the crown. Following the football game, students gathered at Cabby O'Neill gym for a homecoming dance put on by the JHS Student Council and DJ'ed by students in Mr. Elrod's classes. The dance, full of students dressed as superheroes from the football game, was more of a success than in years past and will likely be more of an annual occurrence, making this Friday night in October one of the busiest nights of the

## KICKING IT UP A NOTCH

The Girls Soccer team had an outstanding season. They finished their season with a record of 13-4-1. Although the season was brought to an end in the first round of the sectional, when they were defeated by Castle 1-0, they were the champions of the Big 8 Conference. They also accomplished many things, such as being the first team in Jasper girls soccer history to win 12 regular season games. Out of all of those wins, all 12 of them were shutouts. The members of the all conference team were sophomore Anna Charron, junior Brittany Haskins, senior Elizabeth Day, sophomore Annie Stout, and junior Elizabeth Verkamp. Lexi Mehringer, a junior, received the award for most

improved. Elizabeth Verkamp was awarded with the title of Most Valuable

Player.

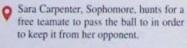


Above: Junior Brittany Haskins fights to get the ball back from her Washington opponent.

Far Left: Freshman Olivia Ruckriegel lines up a kick to pass it down the field to her teammate.

**Left:** Sophomore Anna Charron passes the ball to her teammate.

Right: Sophomore Sara Carpenter power kicks the ball down the field in an attempt to make it into the goal.



Mallory Ahlbrand, Sophomore, recieving the ball from her teamate at their game against Washington that ended in a 1-0 Lady Wildcat win.







#### Field Fury

Elizabeth Day, Senior, dribbles the ball down the field attempting to keep it away from the opposing team. Elizabeth won the mental attitude award for the season. This was Elizabeth's last year playing for the Jasper High School Girls Soccer team.

#### Front And Center

Sophomore Amanda Ackerman steals the ball from a player on the Washington team. The Lady Wildcats won that game 1-0.



#### OUR GOAL IS STOPPING YOURS

After the winningest regular season in Jasper Girls Soccer history, Sophomore Anna Charron wraps up her season while senior Elizabeth Day wraps up her career.



#### WHAT WILL YOU MISS MOST ABOUT SOCCER

ELIZABETH DAY:"I am going to miss being with my team every day. We always laughed and had fun together when we were with each other. I am never going to forget all of the fun times we had together."



#### WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE MEMORY FROM THIS YEAR?

ANNA CHARRON: "Setting the record for most wins, it really shows us how much we have improved and how we can improve in the coming years."



## RESULTS

#### AUGUST

Evasville Central | L Princeton | W Boonville | W Evansville Harrison | W Corydon Central | W

#### SEPTEMBER

Floyd Central | W Plainfield | W Bloomington North | W Evansville Mater Del | L Mt. Vernon | W Northeast Dubois | W Heritage Hills | L Vincennes Lincoln | W Washington | W Gibson Southern | W Evansville Reitz | W

#### OCTOBER

Forest Park | T Castle | L



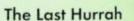
Row 1: Kendra Bielawa, Nicole Nord, Maggie Getzin, Emily Kuhlman, Marissa Schnell, Elizabeth Day, Brittany Haskins, Addie Bueltel, and Agnes Doh. Row 2: Kayla Thimling, Chloe Smith, Anna Charron, Reagan Otto, Annie Stout, Elizabeth Verkamp, Lauren Schnell, Lexi Mehringer, Peyton Ahlbrand, Hallie Bawel, and Miranda Durcholz. Row 3: Amanda Ackerman, Sara Carpenter, Olivia Ruckriegel, Jordan Mehringer, Hannah Love, Mallory Ahlbrand, Ashley Haskins, Summer Herzog, Lexi Korn, Samantha Kabrick, Nicole Hentrup, and Erin Leinenbach.

## KICKING IT TO REGIONALS

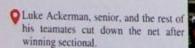
The boys soccer team dominated the field and made history on it too. The team, ranked 19th in the state, finished its season with an 18-game winning streak, the longest in Jasper soccer history. The team won the Big 8 Conference Championship for the eighth year in a row and advanced to the regional championship for only the third time in program history. The boys put up a fight in the regional championship game against Evansville Memorial, going into double overtime before the Tigers scored the first, and last, goal of the game. The Cats scored their 101st goal of the season in the regional games and became the first team in Jasper soccer history to reach 100 goals. Their final record was 18-2. Their Senior Night was

full of emotion from everyone. It was a challenge for the seniors to come to a realization that this was their last year with the team. But they finished strong and they definitely left their mark.





Senior Tyler Haskins, the top defensive player on the varsity team, became a decorated soccer player. Tyler ended in final season with awards including Al Conference Award, Top Team Player All Academic Award, and the Wilder Award. He also won the Booster Clu Scholarship. Tyler's final year on the Jasper High School soccer team was incredibly successful, and he was filled with emotion with the thought of high school soccer career ending when he shed a few tears on the team's Senion Night.



Angelino Dubon, freshman, playing on the Junior Varsity team at a home game against Washington.







#### Mid-Field Madness

Angel Hernandez, senior on the varsity soccer team, kicks the ball to Cris Menjivar in their game against Washington on Senior Night. That game ended in a win for Jasper with a score of 4-0

#### Pre-Game

The Jasper High School Soccer team gathered together before their game against Bloomington South.





Wrapping up a successful season as regional runners-up, junior Jace Englert and senior Caleb Hurst share how it felt to be sectional champions.



JACE ENGLERT: "Winning sectional was an unreal feeling. All of us worked so hard to get to that point and it was a great feeling."



CALEB HURST: "We won freshman year, but it didn't really mean much [to me] because I wasn't on the team. So, winning our senior year was pretty awesome. We were really pumped after winning."



RESULTS (Varsity)

CENTEM

AUGUST
Memorial | L
Boonville | W
Harrison | W
Mount Vernon | W

SEPTEMBER

Lexington Dunbar | W
Henderson County | W
Western Hills | W
Vincennes Lincoln | W
Heritage Hills | W
Princeton | W
Mount Carmel | W
Forest Park | W
Mater Del | W
Washington | W
Castle | W

OCTOBER

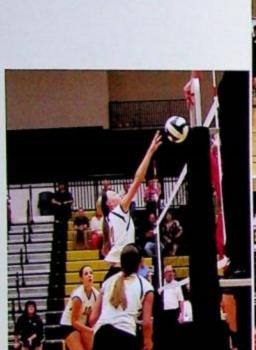
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Row 1: Kyle Hollinden, Brandon Mair, Henry Sandaval, Josh Tuell, Quintin Gordon, Andrew Gadlage, Gerardo Serrano. Ethan Wigand, Josue Dubon, Carson Vaal. Row 2: Ryan Hopf, Drake Lechner, Kyle Mehringer, Corbin Kaiser, Ashdon Donato, Johnny Verkamp, Andrew Jespersen, Brian Chevez, Angelino Dubon, Milton Garcia, Branton Abbett, Rod Fortwendel. Row 3: Jeremy Schnaus, Reed Stetter, Collin Schwenk, Eirik Steine, Noah Farmer, Heath Gudorf, Garret Jespersen, Austin Horsting, Elliot Prange, Ian Guthrie, Jace Englert, Kyle Kendall. Row 4: Peyton Gentry, Jack Mendel, Stephen O'Connor, Cris Menjivar, Tyler Haskins, Luke Ackerman, Mitchell Flynn, Angel Hernandez, Caleb Hurst, Cordell Durcholz, Cayden Willliams, Luke Fleck.

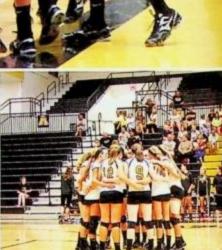
## JV Dedication

Playing tough and fighting back: two things that these junior varsity girls definitely showed they were capable of doing. Through the thick and the thin, the hard losses and the sweet victories, these girls showed they had the spirit to persevere. On top of the dedication they showed to the sport, perhaps even more prevelent was their dedication to each other. Fighting through match after match, pushing through to a third set, all for the good of the team. And the outcome of all this hard work and dedication was something everyone was able to enjoy: fantastic games of volleyball and one memorable season. Job well done on a fantastic season!









#### Warm-ups Sophomore Corrin Krapf

focuses on digging a hit during the pre-game warm-ups

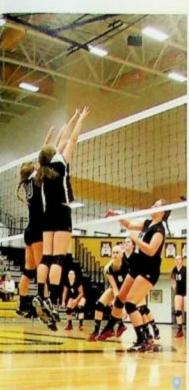
#### **O** Defense

Sophomore Maria Gobert keeps the ball in play, passing it to an outside hitter.

#### JV Team

Front Row Elizabeth Bell, Katheryn Bell. Row 2 Paige Green, Maddie Edwards, Avery Bell, Jocelynn Morrow. Row 3 Coach Gina Schuetter, Alyssa Collignon, Maria Gobert, Jillian Seger, Corrin Krapf, Kinsey Bromm, Hanna Braunecker, Alexa Stenftenagel, Coach Rebecca Hutton, Coach Liz Milligan.





#### Double Block

Freshman Kymber Schwenk and Jaydan Bonifer set up a double block in an attempt to stop the opponents attack.

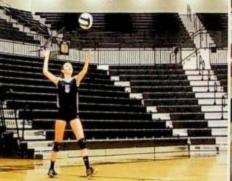


Freshman Breanna Bounds, Libby Bell, and Jaydan Bonifer come together after a great point, all smiles and cheers.

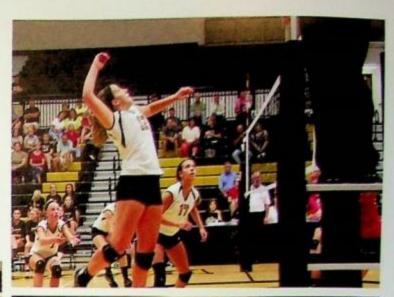


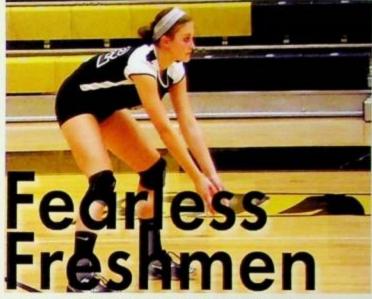












It's never easy being the new kid, but these freshmen showed they weren't scared of being labeled "new." Together, they were able to overcome their freshman status and prove they had game. These girls fearlessly battled out an amazing season and are ready to face any challenges that may come their way in future seasons.



#### Freshmen Team

Front Row: Mariah Seifert, Anna Moeller. Row 2 Elizabeth Bell, Olivia Wells, Jaydan Bonifer. Row 3 Coach Liz Milligan, Katheryn Bell, Jocelynn Morrow, Kymber Schwenk, Adi Welp, Breanna Bounds, Coach Rebecca Hutton, Coach Gina Scheutter.

## Learning Lessons Many players picked up more than just football

skills during this year of JV football.

#### What have you learned this past year?

"With all the coaches, all the players, I've just had great experiences and key moments this past year. They've all taught me a lot, and I'm grateful."

-Adam Hedinger, 10th Grade



#### What have you taken from this year?

"I've learned to never give up on a game this past year. If you don't give up there's a chance you can still win, and when you give up there's a 90% chance you won't."

-Justin Rottet, 10th Grade



#### Reaching for Success

Junior, Aaron Farr, #38, reaching in an effort to catch the ball before a Princeton Tiger had the chance at a home JV game.

#### **₩** Tackling

Sophomore, Reece Kleinhelter, defensive back, takes down his opponent at a home game. Reece also plays as a wide reciever.



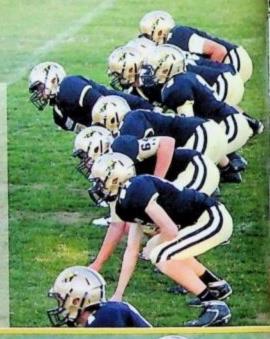


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#### SEPTEMBER

Boonville | W Heritage Hills | W Vincennes | W Princeton | W





Junior Varsity players, Luke Wagner, #87, Blake Leinenbach, #52, and Lane Crutchfield, #73, watch a home game against Princeton in hopes that their winning streak would not come to an end. The three boys anticipated a clean season, and their wishes came true when they went to beat Mount Carmel 40-7 on their home turf in their last game.





#### Heads-Up

Jacob Lents, #22, defensive back, searches for the football in a hurry during a home game against Gibson Southern.

#### Sneaky Moves

Justin Persohn, #10, grips the football and looks at his teammate for a handoff. Nolan Harmon, #68, holds off an opposing player along with Marcus Page, #71, and Luke Jarboe, #58.



## **Taking Over**

Hardwork and dedication will eventually pay off for the new generation of JHS football.



#### How do you feel about your position?

"I wouldn't choose a different postion to play. The quarterback knows every play, every move. It's incredibly tough sometimes, but incredibly rewarding."

-Justin Persohn, 9th Grade



#### What was the most memorable game?

"My favorite game of the season was beating Southridge. They had a winning streak going, and we ruined it. It's one of the best feelings to want something so bad and actually get it."

-Samuel DeWitt, 9th Grade

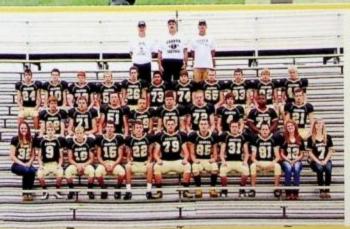


#### (Freshman)

SEPTEMBER
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Heritage Hills | W
Vincennes | W
Boonville | W



Matre Dei| L Gibson Southern | L Southridge | W



Row 1: Samantha Schuetter, Zach Schneider. Logan Niehaus, Eric Nordhoff, Jacob Lents, Addison Hoffman, Jake Ruxer, Zach Weisheit, Breanna Truesdale, Samantha Schuetter. Row 2: Nolan Harmon, Marcus Page, Luke Jarboe, Alex Lawyer, Jordan Ely, Damon Hayes, Nyle Burger, Hakeem Wharton, Ryan Ewing. Row 3: Sam Williams, Justin Persohn, Christian Stemply, Anthony Kluemper, Sam DeWitt, Eric Monge, Nick Mendel, Seth Mendel, Adam Jaent, Garrett Jacob

#### Story by Sophie Weidenbenner Leukemia Night at JHS

Come one, come all! October 6th is Jasper Volleyball's annual Leukemia Night. The night will feature plenty of great



opportunities to help fund the fight against cancer. For example, there will be a plethora of pumpkins which have been hand decorated by the volleyball team themselves. Also, several local businesses have donated items such as gift cards and gift baskets which will be given away in a raffle. All proceeds will be donated to the Lange-Fuhs Cancer Center.

On top of making contributions to the fight against cancer, you can also come and support the cats as they battle it out against Forest Park, a team who is coached by a cancer survivor. The freshman game will begin at 5:30 in the main gym, followed by JV, and then followed by varsity. There will be a short video honoring cancer patients (past and present) before the start of the varsity game.

## The Managers Behind it All & Story by Mila Vernon

On Thursday, October 9, the Jasper High School boys freshmen football team played a tough game against Mater Dei, losing 34-14. Although they lost, the atmosphere of the game was intense and kept you on the edge of your seat. The managers of the freshmen football team (Breanna Truesdale, Samantha Schuetter, and Kate Schuetter)



help with the football team. Although they have their own jobs the girls all pitch in to help the team.

"I love the game of football and all the guys that play are awesome and treat you like family," says Samantha Schuetter, a freshman a Jasper High School.

The girls film, get the battle jackets out, make sure that all medical supplies are ready, clean, refill water bottles, help with the footballs, and cheer for the team throughout the game. The three girls all differ greatly, whether it be their

personality or

appearance,

but you can see that they all really enjoy being the managers of the freshmen football team.

"You get to hang out with the guys that are like brothers to you," says Breanna Truesdale, "I love football and taking care of them." Breanna also helps with the varsity football team, and is the only freshman that helps with the varsity team.

The football team, managers, and coaches all make up a big family that love and respect each other. All three girls plan on continuing their jobs as managers of the football team next year!









Crutching for a Cause Senior Nicole Hopf leans on her crutches as she greets an excited dog that ran out of a nearby residence. Hopf participated in the evening's activities despite being on crutches. "I wanted to do it so I could help kids in need," she explains. "Some people don't even have clean drinking water so I figured I could crutch around for a few hours to help out."



## TRICK OR CHANGING

UNICEF (United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund) is a club dedicated to making a difference. Each year around Halloween, the members of UNICEF gather in some of the wackiest costumes they can gather and put in some good quality community service hours. This year, 21 students attended the event to show their support for UNICEF dressed in various types of attire ranging from a banana to a doctor and everything in between.

Once the members gathered, they then split off into groups and journeyed into the neighborhoods surrounding the high school. They went door to door asking for spare

change. Though "spare change" may not sound like it will make any difference, it can actually have a huge impact. For example, just \$1 is enough to provide a child with 40 days of clean drinking water. Also, gathering \$10 can vaccinate 280 children. The money the club members gathered was sent off to several countries all around the world to help children everywhere. After the students were done with the collection part of the evening, they headed back to the school to count the change, the night was a ton of fun for everyone involved and a 27

huge success for a great cause.

## SLAMMING IT TO STATE

This year's tennis season was colored with a vast amount of success. The team accomplished everything from winning the Big 8 Conference to smashing out victories in their post-season all the way to the Final Four. In fact, junior Logan Mathies was able to snag a victory while competing in the Final Four. The team, overall, finished with an outstanding record of 19-4. A highlight worth mentioning from this season is the varsity players who achieved spots on the All Conference team: senior Grant Weaver along with juniors Logan Mathies, Joe Kemker, and Alex Allen. Grant Weaver was also bestowed with the Most Valuable Player award as well as an award for having the best winning

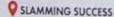
record. All in all, 2014 was a great year for tennis.



Above: Daniel Eby, senior, smashes the dust from the ball as he hits it back to his opponent.

Far Left: Hudson Schmidt, junior, concentrates on returning the ball over the net. Left: Joe Kemker, junior, contorts his face as he takes a forceful swing at the ball.

Right: Brandon Sizemore, junior, concentrates on his toss prior to slamming his serve over.

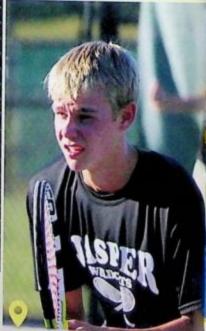


Junior Logan Mathies, Jasper's number two singles player, makes solid contact with the ball, slamming it over the net for his opponent to deal with. Logan won his match against Floyd Central.

#### GAME FACE

Andrew Schmitt, sophomore, zones in on his opponent as he waits for the ball to return to his side.







#### BACK-HANDED

Alex Allen, junior, follows through on a back-hand swing after returning a volley. Alex and his partner Joe Kemker, also a junior, won their match against Floyd Central.

#### CHEESIN'

Freshmen Noah Luebbehusen and Dawson Hopf pose for a picture after one of their matches.



## The Path to Victory

After making it to the final four at state, seniors Nick Monesmith and Grant Weaver look back on their successful season.



#### What is your favorite memory from the season

NICK MONESMITH: "I think it would have to be Grant's first round at state against Jeffersonville. He got down at first, but he came back and won. Our whole team was around to watch and it was just amazing."



#### What will you miss most/least about tennis?

GRANT WEAVER: "What I'll miss most is having a group of people you can hang out with that have the same goal as you. And I guess I'll miss Yardy a little too. What I'll miss least are the 6 hour practices and having to wake up early."



#### AUGUST

Princeton | W Jefferson Invite | 2nd Terre Haute South | W Jasper 4 Team Invite | 2W, 1L

#### SEPTEMBER

Mt. Vernon (Posey) | W New Albany | W Jasper 8 Team Invite | 1st Evansville Memorial | W Bloomington South | W Washington High | W Vincennes Lincoln | W Center Grove Invite | 1W, 2L Floyd Central | W

#### OCTOBER

Sectional | W Regional | W Semi-State | W State | Final Four



Back Row - Scott Yarbrough, Nicolas James, Josias Kemker, Grant Weaver, Hudson Schmidt, Nicholas Monesmith, Henry Love, Logan Mathies, Alex Allen, Daniel Eby, Brandon Sizemore, Dan Fair

Front Row - Park Wurster, Bryce Siegel, Dawson Hopf, Noah Luebbehusen, Andrew Schmitt, Noah Mendel, Nathaniel James, Andrew Hochgesang, Cameron Egler, Noah Schum, Lucas Eby

## RACING TO SEMI-STATE

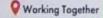
The Varsity Cross Country Team "kicked it in" during the 2014 season. The wildcat runners clawed their way to 6 consecutive invitational titles before bagging the Big 8 Championship at VUJC, the Wildcats home prowl. After that they placed 2nd in Sectionals and 4th in Regionals before their State Championship hopes were scratched after a 12th place finish in Semi-State. Including regular season, Big 8, Sectionals, Regionals, and Semi-State the Wildcats captured 149 victories and suffered 31 losses. The Junior Varsity team's season was not too shabby either, as they grabbed 8 invitational titles before taking home the Big 8 Championship as well, to finish with a

30-4 record. Jasper High School would like to thank Seniors: Jason Buechlein, Donald Bough, Jordan Seifert, and Clayton Traylor for all their hard work on a great season.









Junior Zach Lofton, sophomore Matt Head, junior Caleb Dosch, and freshman Christopher Backer stick together in a race at the Forest Park Invitational.

#### **Pushing Through**

Senior Jason Buechlein pushes himself up a small hill on his second lap of the Heritage Hills course.







#### BACK-HANDED

Clayton Traylor, senior, stays in the middle of a small group of runners at the Heritage Hills Invitational. Clayton has been a standout runner since he joined cross country in middle school.

#### Steady Pace

Tyler Dorsam, junior, runs the course at VUJC at the Jasper Invitational in October.



### At the Finish Line

Senior Donald Bough shares his favorite part about cross country after finishing his final season.



Donald Bough: "I liked all the funny conversations we had on our long runs during practice."





North Harrison Invite | 22-3 KY/IN Border Clash | 18-12 Terre Haute North Invite | 9-10 Tri County Invite | 6-0 Heritage Hills Invite | 5-0 Princeton Invite | 10-0 Crawford County Invite | 27-0 Barr Reeve Invite | 12-0 Jasper Invite | 11-0

#### OCTOBER

Big 8 Conference | 6-0 Sectionals | 5-1 Regionals | 5-1 Semi State | 8-11



Front Row Chris Brake, Tristan Backer, Joey Wallace, Kelby Uebelhor, Ryan Miller, Cale Killian, Jeff Bateman, Jared Doersam, Kyle Knies, Chris Backer, Cody Schnell, and Alex Wigand. Row 2: Assistant Coach Kathy Overton, Carly Merder, Clayton Traylor, Matt Head, Noah Mehringer, Caleb Dosch, Donald Bough, Jason Buechlein, Zach Lofton, Tanner Lamkin, Nolan Kiefer, Austin Hopf, Jordan Seifert, and Coach Kevin Schipp.

## SOLE SISTERS

In many sports, there are rivalries between teams. But when it comes to cross country, your best friend may be your top competitor from another school. Maybe that's because the only people who really understand you are the ones who are just as in love with something as you are. If there was anything special about this year's girls cross country team, it was the love they shared for the sport. The work ethic. The teamwork. The passion. The girls pushed each other in practice and in meets and the end result was one personal record after another. For such a highly individual sport, it's incredible how much teamwork is involved. Throughout their run to a

23rd place finish at state finals along with the title of Big 8 Conference champions, the girls never had a teammate left unsupported. The times after the final race at state showed improvement from past years, and it's easy to attribute that to the best support system there is: the ones who feel your pain and understand you: Your sole sisters.







#### Hearing the News

Senior Madeline Hurst, junior Rachael Welsh, sophomore Tara Cassidy, and junior Hannah Welsh begin to celebrate after hearing that they advanced to state finals in Terre Haute. The girls, who made it to state in the 2013 season by only five points, advanced to state ahead of Evansville Memorial by nearly 40 points this year.







#### Halfway There

Junior Rachael Welsh passes the finish line in her first lap of the course at the Forest Park Invitational.

#### Final Showdown

Sophomore Tara Cassidy runs in front of a crowd at state finals. Tara placed first for Jasper and 65th overall with a time of 19:20.



## Friendships & Championships

Senior Madeline Hurst and sophomore Chloe Burger share their favorite aspects of their final season as teammates.



Modeline Hurst: "Getting to make friends and getting to know the whole team were my favorite parts of this season. Making it to state was an awesome experience too."



Chloe Burger: "I loved being with my awesome teammates and cheering each other on in every race."



## RESULTS

AUGUST Farest Park Invite 1:3-0 KY/IN Border Clash 20-0

#### SEPTEMBER

North Harrison Invite | 18-0
Terre Haute North Invite | 12-2
Tri County Invite | 6-0
Haritage Hills Invite | 4-0
Princeton Invite | 9-0
Crawford County Invite | 22-0
Barr Reeve Invite | 12-0
Jasper Invite | 11-0

#### OCTOBER

Big 8 Conference | 5-0 Sectionals | 6-0 Regionals | 8-1 Semi State | 14-5

#### NOVEMBER

State | 1-22

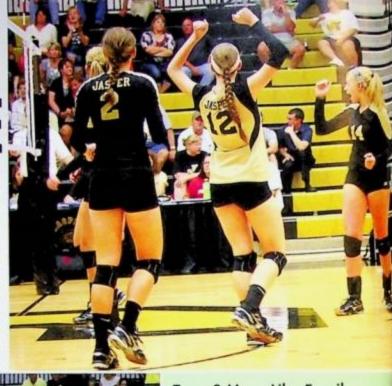


Front Row Rachel Welsh, Hannah Welsh, Laurem Rennie, Sydney Traylor, Mary Lechner, Noelle Weyer, and Tara Cassidy. Row 2 Assistant Coach Kathy Overton, Katelyn Fuhs, Abby Simone, Luci Hulsman, Lina Mowat, Carly Merder, Chloe Berger, Madeline Hurst, Jessica Hurst, Grace Mehringer, and Coach Kevin Schipp.

# SETTING UP SEMI-STATE

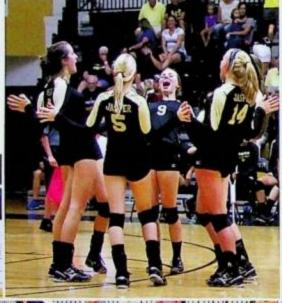
Through early morning conditioning to late night team bonding, the Wildcats grew an unbreakable bond. The team learned to lean on each other through the good times and the bad. That's why the girls take away not only several admirable victories, such as the Jasper Invitational and Big 8 Conference champion titles, but also an everlasting friendship with their teammates. This year's seniors, affectionately called the 'Super Seven', instilled the idea of strong friendships throughout all of the teams as the way to be most successful on the court. This way of thinking definitely paid off for the Wildcats this season. After falling

to the Brebeuf Braves in the semi-finals of semistate, the team can reflect back on an incredible season. In their regional game against the Evansville Memorial Tigers, the Cats made an unbelievable comeback from two sets behind and won the match 3 sets to 2. Their final record was 26-12.



#### Team? More Like Family

Teamwork is a very important key to any team sport. Elisabeth Ahlbrand, senior, was asked what she learned from working with the girls all four years. She says "All of us really learned the importance of teamwork. Even if the other team is better than you, if you play together as a team and put all your heads together then you can beat anyone." Teamwork defines a team. It creates long lasting friendships that are built on the principle of teamwork. The volleyball girls are a good example of wonderful teamwork. Playing a sport with teammates brings you closer to one another. Year after year with the same teammates makes you more than just a team, it makes you a family. With the volleyball team playing over 35 games together, you better believe each girl beside them on the court is considered family.





#### Head in the Game

Abby Libbert, senior, walks onto the court with full concentration for her serve.







#### Preparing to Serve

Michala Flamion, junior, looks up into the air and prepares herself. She gets ready for the ball to descend. Michala smacks the ball over the net to the other team.

#### Waving Luck

Luke Foster, junior, supports the varsity volleyball team on September 23. The team played three games against Evansville Mater Dei. With the students' support in the crowd, the team was able to beat Mater Dei in all three games.



Digging Deep
Seniors Sophie Weidenbenner and Lydia Schmitt

Seniors Sophie Weidenbenner and Lydia Schmitt reflect on their volleyball careers and leave behind some wise words for their teammates.



low were your expectations different from the reality of

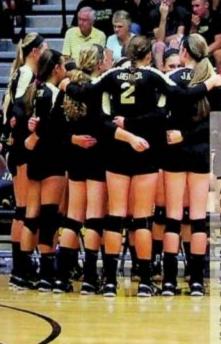
Sophie Weidenbenner: "Going into our first season, I didn't expect to end up being such good friends with people on the team. By the end of our senior year, we were like a family."



What life lessons did you learn from volleyball?

Lydio Schmitt: "I learned that you have to be able to find the good in bad situations.

Otherwise you're just going to have really bad time, and nobody wants that."



#### AUGUST

Princeton | W Heritage Hills | W Floyd Central | L

SEPTEMBER Mt Vernon TW

Washington ( W Cathedral | t Columbus East | L Shelbyville | W Seymour | L

#### SEPTEMBER (CONT.)

Vincennes | W Gloson Southern | W Barr Reever | L Dubois | W Jeffersonville | W

Columbus North | L New Albarry | W Silver Creek | W Mater Dei | W Southridge | W

Seymour | W

#### SEPTEMBER (CONT.)

Harrison | W Central | W Sullivan | L Castle | W

#### OCTOBER

Perry Central | L Forest Park | W Tell City | W Boonville | W Avon | L

#### OCTOBER (CONT.)

Franklin
Community | L
Muncie Burris | L
Martinsville | W
Mt. Carmel | W
Castle | L
Southridge | W
Heritage Hills | W
Vincennes | W
Memorial | W



Brebeuf Jesuit L



Front Row: Maria Gobert, Kinsey Bromm, Abby Libbert, Layne Sermersheim, Hanna Braunecker, Alexa Stenftenagel. Middle Row: Rachel Sternberg, Anna Edwards, Teyah Leinenbach, Michala Flamion, Lydia Schmitt, Maddie Edwards. Back Row: Coach Liz Milligan, Elisabeth Ahlbrand, Emma Stout, Sophie Weidenbenner, Alex Krapf, Reagan Hochmeister, Alyssa Simmers, Coach Becca Hutton, Coach Gina Schuetter









#### Why So Serious?

The drumline gathers in a circle for a per talk before the finals performance at South Oldham and ends up having a dance competition.

#### Perfect Performance

Lindsey Welp, a senior drum major, was a soloist on the soprano saxophone for the show Celtic Dances. Lindsey won the award for Best Soloist at multiple contests throughout the season.

@ IndianaMarching: What a show of musicianship by this soprano soloist for Jasper today! WOW! #ISSMAStateFinab\*



# REMEMBER

Director Mr. Goodhue looks around from the top of his ladder, as if to see if anyone important is watching, before tearing the state finals score sheet to shreds. The band and supporters cheer as he says, "The results from today do not define our season." It was one of the easiest groups Mr. Goodhue had ever worked with, and he told the band all the time throughout the season. By the end of the season, the 2014 Marching Wildcat band was ahead of former Jasper High School marching bands in nearly every aspect.

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They had learned the show and were performing it incredibly well with a week or more to go before state finals, allowing them to practice in more fun ways that Mr. Goodhue had never had time to try in past years. The band was able to return to Murfreesboro, Tennessee to compete in the Contest of Champions and placed second overall, just like they had in the 2012 championship season with their show *Trinity*. The band was hopeful leading up to their final competition at Lucas Oil Stadium, but they knew they had to work in order to get there. Although they had placed first at the semi-state competition and played one of their best shows at state, the judges placed the Wildcats at fifth overall on November 8th.



#### Biggest Influence

Ellen Backer, a senior, was the band's head drum major alongside senior Lindsey Welp and juniors Antoinette Birge and Mira Vonderheide. Ellen played the flute for two years in the marching band before being chosen to be a drum major her junior year. Although Ellen's main responsibility was conducting the band, her emotion and different gestures on the drum major podium greatly influenced the way the band played their music during their performances.

#### Full Circle

The Marching Wildcats ended their third song with a bang-literally. The entire band was in the front of the field playing the loudest note of the show before turning around and marching back to where the show had started. Making a show start and end in a full circle is one of the things the Jasper band is known for.



### Month in Review



#### **Battling Adversity**

October 11, 2014

Inclement weather led to the annual Jasper band invitational being moved from Jerry Brewer Alumni Stadium to the Jasper High School parking lot used by the band as a practice field.



#### Earning our chance

October 18, 2014

The band's performance at regional at Center Grove High School earned them a spot in the Semi-State competition.



#### Reigning Runner-Up

The Wildcats were invited to play at the Contest of Champions in Murfreesboro, Tennessee. The band moved on from the preliminary round to earn the second place trophy.



#### Cause for Celebration

November 1, 2014

Although the results are not openly announced, Jasper band director Mr. Goodhue informs the Wildcats that they placed first, followed by Greenwood. Concord, and Northview respectively.



#### Ultimate Upset

November 8, 2014

The Marching Wildcats end their 2014 season with a fifth place finish behind Floyd Central, Northview, Concord, and Greenwood, despite their first place finish in music.



@IndianaMarching: This show from Jasper is one of the most mature sounds in the Indiana activity. Just delightful. #ISSMAStateFinals\*

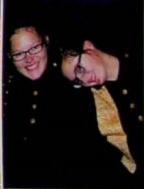


was injured for state and couldn't march, that did not stop her from playing. The tubas changed their Gina played from the front sideline.



Although sophomore Gina Stone Rochel Kreilein is a talented mallet player Freshman Courtney Obermeyer, in her senior year of high school. While many who plays the saxophone in band, past seniors in the front sideline have played does body movements and plays large marimba, nicknamed the Beast, with color guard members doing coordinates to fill her spot while Rachel played the xylophone and fellow flag work behind her. senior Julie Weyer played the vibraphone.







Kelly Keeley, junior, waits for her flag as she just tossed it into the air during their routine with the band.

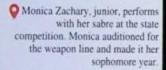
The flag line warms up in Lucas Oil Stadium before their state performance.

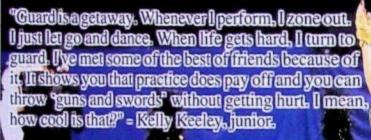




























## Story by Amy Wright & Gettin' Jazzy Up In Here

On October 28, 2014, Mrs. Fleck, one of the art teachers at Jasper High School, got to experience the jazz player,

Wayde Baker, along with Jasper High School senior Lindsey Welp. play jazz music for the art class students while they were drawing their projects. "It was very different from what a lot of our students have experienced." She then said the jazz music that was being played made her very happy and that many of her students enjoyed the performance. Wayde was once a JHS student and graduated a few years ago. "Jazz is just a different form of music," he says.

Adam Cashmore, a current Freshman at Jasper High School, got the privilege to experience the music played. He stated that he greatly enjoyed the jazz music that was playing. He then said it made him feel awkward, considering jazz music is not quite what he is used to. Although he is not used to the music, he was still very interested in it. "I wish I was him, I wish I was the guy playing the music."



# la de los Muertos

Jasper High School Spanish students celebrated Dia de los Muertos, or Day of the Dead, on November 1. Each year, the celebration includes trying traditional Day of the Dead foods,



such as Day of the cookies. guacamole, or salsa. traditional The dishes were made by the students in order to earn points in Spanish their classes. Learning about the



included watching informative, yet entertaining videos that taught everyone about this interesting Spanish holiday. Students said they enjoyed learning about a holiday that is not traditionally celebrated in our culture.

### Story by Makayla Neukam **Let's Be V-I-C-T-O-R-I-O-U-S**

Spell Bowl has an upcoming competition on November 3 at Heritage Hills High School. Spell Bowl is hoping to dominate the

other schools and return home victorious. The members on the small team have to remember how to spell 3,232 words. The list includes some French words, and it is a written test.

Senior Abby Gress is a first-year member of the spell bowl team. She also participated in spell bowl she was in eighth grade. When asked if she thinks they will win she said, "It's hard to tell with so many words,



because you could get ones that you don't know very well and then get ones you do know very well, so I just think it kind of depends on your luck." Her favorite word on the spelling list is 'beaux arts'. When asked how to spell the word, she responded, "It starts with a B." Mrs. Schnell and Abby had a good laugh out of that.

Brianna Tumbleson, junior, was having fun balancing a dictionary on her head at spell bowl practice.

Brianna Tumbleson, junior, is another one of the few members on the spell bowl team. This is also Brianna's first year in spell bowl. She was in spelling bees back in middle school. but her vocabulary has grown since then. She has high hopes of winning this competition. "I'm kind of ready for this. Spelling is really easy. It's not that hard." Brianna's favorite word is also the same as Abby's, 'beaux arts'. We wish everyone luck on Monday!









SADD

Every year, SADD (Students Against Destructive Decisions) take one week out of the school year and dedicate that as "Orange Ribbon Week". Orange Ribbon Week is a week where students recogonize the dangers of alcohol and underaged drinking. SADD also organized "Red Ribbon Week" which advertised the dangers of drug abuse. During both weeks, ribbons (color according to that week) were placed on students' and teachers' cars to support the cause. On a random day during Red Ribbon Week, SADD members dressed up as Grim Reapers. They crept around corners and through

the halls. When they saw students, they would target one, and go after them. If a student was "the chosen one", they had to wear a shirt that had the word 'dead' on it. Those who wore the shirt were not allowed to talk for the rest of the day.

Each "dead" person represented a victim of a drug overdose.













# What Did You Get Me? Prench Club was having their Christmas party, where students brought in gifts to exchange with others.







One club. Two friends While watching The Grinch two friends bonded together and took a selfie.

French Club joined together as a family for their Christmas party. Although only eight people showed up, everyone still made the most of it. They enjoyed eating Christmas treats that Mr. Rottets' fiance made, watching The Grinch, and playing Kahoot. This is a website where you can do different types of quizzes against each other.

Le Cercle Français a fêté le Noël en famille. Il y a eu seulement huit membres qui y ont participé, mais tout le monde a eu un bon temps! Ils ont mangé les biscuits que la fiancée de M. Rottet ont fait pour eux en regardant "The Grinch that Stole Christmas" en français et en jouant Kahoot. Kahoot est un site où on peut jouer n'importe de type des interros différentes contre ses amis.













Chase Wagner, senior, takes a break from testing a formula car.

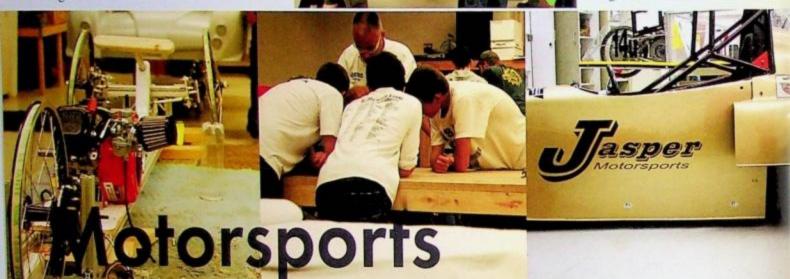
#### In The Works

The car below has been in the works since the 2013-2014 school year. Many members hope to finish it this year.





Seniors Noah Whalen and Blake Knies tape up some key components during a work session.



Motorsports has always been a way for students to learn just about the cars and engineering. It's also all more about motors, how cars work, and of course, about teamwork. Without teamwork, the engineering. In Motorsports, there are two different motorsports members wouldn't have the three kinds of cars that are worked on. One type is called Formula. The Formula car is built on how much speed While building these cars, the team has no built during the 2011-2012 school year and the other model. "It's a great hands-on experience," says was built the following year. The other type of car is junior JP Luke. Motorsports will always be a known as the supermileage car, which is built on how many miles the car can get per gallon. Motorsports isn't

cars they have now, or the one in the works. it has. There are two Formula cars in the club, one was guidance, so the car(s) is completely their design great door to the engineering world.



Austin Hildenbrand, sophomore, works on a part for the supermileage 42 car.



A Helping Hand Gavin Schmitt and Nathan Wehr help senior Travis Wehr with a part for a car.



Lewi Hulsman works on a part for the supermileage car.

### It's A Love Story & Story by Emily Huddleston

As a freshman, every student has to read Romeo and Juliet by William Shakespeare. If you didn't know, Romeo and Juliet (also known as The Tragedy of Romeo and Juliet) is a play about two teenagers who fall deeply in love, despite the "ancient grudge" their two families have against one another. Of course

upperclassmen have already read the drama, and even most freshmen have, too. However, Mrs. Keusch's English classes, both regular and honors, are now getting a taste of the

love duo. As we read the play, we develop different views on it. "I thought it was quite disturbing." says freshman Caden Dugan. "I think Romeo acts like a stalker." Another freshman, Gabby Eck, had a similar view, comparing Romeo and Juliet to Twilight. "I think Romeo is a womanizer." she says. We don't just develop different views, but we also have fun while reading. On Monday, November 3, Mrs. Keusch's first period class attempted to put an actual balcony in the room for the balcony scene (Fun

fact: there was no balcony in the original balcony scene in the play). Unfortunately, after carrying the balcony from the theatre room to room 202, it did not fit and first period had to return it. As we move forward with the drama, we learn not only about Shakespeare, but a little something about love.

On Friday, the SOFA, or Society of Fine Arts, club had the opportunity to go to VUJC and see the artist Carrie Ann Schumacher and her beautiful art. Carrie creates full dresses entirely out of romance novels!



The idea for the dresses started when Carrie received a box of fifty old romance novels. Carrie shared her story with SOFA club and how she makes her dresses. She also gave a short demonstration on how she made the flowers for the dresses and other decals that get glued on the dress.

Carrie starts by making a frame out of tape and paper. She then tears out pages from the romance novels and cuts them to make flowers, feathers etc. She then glues her decals on the frame to make a full dress. Each dress is beautifully crafted and unique. The cost of one stunning dress is \$2000, but if that seems unreasonable, paper hairpieces can be bought \$15. If you want to learn more about Carrie's work or want to see all the stunning dresses she makes, go to www.CarrieAnnSchumacher.com

First Game, Last Loss Story by Kate Schuetter



The Jasper Lady Wildcats' freshman team faced Heritage Hills on Tuesday night on Jasper's home court. It was their first game to start off the season. The score was 33-24, with Heritage Hills coming out on top. Even though Jasper lost, they had worked hard, had team work, and played a great game! We had time to interview a player and one of the managers about their upcoming games in the season. Samantha Schuetter, center, #43, was asked how she thinks the season will go. "I think the season will go great, but it all depends on how we play," answered Samantha, "The team is going to try its hardest and play for the name on our jerseys because we are the Jasper Wildcats." She was also asked how she thought the first game had went. She said, "I think our first game went fairly well based on the outcome. We

all have things to improve on and we will do exactly that. We are thankful for everyone that comes out to support our games, and all the managers and upperclassmen." Madison Cooley, manager, was asked if she enjoyed managing the games. Madison said, "I love being manager for the girls basketball team! Every practice is really fun and the team is like my family. Even though I don't get to play, I'm still part of the team and it's fun."

### LGBTQ+ Safe Place

Story by John Lee

Graham Brinklow, a staff member of the Indiana Youth Group, came to Jasper High School on Monday, November 3. Graham spoke about the Indiana Youth Group and being a part of the LGBTQ+ community and its struggles. He works to help the LGBTQ+ youth and their straight allies learn to make things better for themselves and future generations. Doing this isn't just his job, its his life ambition and professional passion. He believes that working for IYG is sincerely a blessing. Graham travels to many after-school Gay-Straight Alliance clubs and is in charge of setting up GSAs all



over Indiana. The real purpose of GSA is to be a safe place for the LGBTQ+ community and to talk about homophobia and transphobia. Research shows that schools with a GSA have less verbal and physical harassment by peers, less depression and suicide, less teens skipping school, lower dropout rates and higher graduation rates, less use of drugs and alcohol, and more teens choosing to continue with school after they graduate. GSA is a great way to make schools a safer place for the LGBTQ+ community.



## "Alex from Target" Makes Headlines

Alex Lee, now 17 years old, became an internet celebrity after a photo of him bagging groceries at a Target in Texas was posted on Twitter. The photo went viral with the hashtag '#alexfromtarget" in early November. Alex was interviewed by Ellen Degeneres and has since quit his job at Target. He is now touring with other teen celebrities with DigiTour. He is planning to begin releasing music and has been cast in an upcoming film. Alex has 2 million instagram followers, 720 thousand Twitter followers, and 454 followers on Vine.



# NOVEMBER 10 UPTOWN FUNK! IS RELEASED. IT SPENDS 14 WEEKS AT #1 ON THE BILLBOARD HOT 100 CHARTS



Spelling It Out

The entire team made an effort to spell out Spell Bowl' with their hands before leaving for their competition at Heritage Hills.

Adding to the Score

Maeve Wurster, senior, raises her hand to signal that she spelled the word correctly







On November 3, the Spell Bowl team the spelling of 3,232 words, the team was traveled to Heritage Hills for their put to the test against schools like South competition. In a spelling bee, the words are Spencer and Perry Central. The team of spelled aloud by the contestants, while in ten Jasper High School students placed spell bowl, the words are written out by the fourth overall. contestants. After attempting to memorize

# THANKS TO STUCO

Helping Others

Olivia Ruckriegel, a freshman, helps serve dessert at the student council Thanksgiving









The Student Council is responsible for dances, of the student council members participated in fundraisers, and events like homecoming, and they helping with the feast, serving and cleaning up after student council members participate in a student the student body desserts and drinks. The special exchange program for a day. This year the student treats were offered on the Friday before council also continued the tradition of making Thanksgiving break. It was a special treat for all of

never fail to impress with all they do. Each year, the students. With smiles on their faces they offered Thanksgiving dinner for the students at lunch. All the students given to them by their fellow classmates.

#### What is your favorite memory from student council?

Vanessa Hickman: "My favorite part about student council, the best part, is all of the networking and the opportunities you have. You get to meet a lot of people, especially at state convention."





Emily Cushman: "Our Thanksgiving dinners are pretty interesting because everybody's pretty crazy. and Mrs. Ferguson is going nuts with us, and it's fun to watch her go crazy."



"Family." The word that, to a large but very close group of boys, describes more than just your parents, grandparents, and siblings. To these 'boys of fall', the word family describes the one next to them while on the field, or the one 75 yards away catching the pass that breaks a school record. As a family, the boys helped senior and starting quarterback Nolan Ahrens break his older brother's school records for career passing yards and touchdowns. As a family, the boys played their way to the sectional championships, where they put up a fight against Evansville Reitz and scored the most points in any postseason game in Jasper history (38 to the Panthers' 45). As a family, they supported each other through their ten wins and two losses until the very last game they would ever play together as a team.



For the Ahrens Family, football has always been a fundamental part of life. T began playing football as a freshman in high school, became an assistant coach at Jasper at the age of 25, and took over as head coach in 2003. Austin held records as the starting quarterback for the Cats in his years at JHS—records that his youngest sibling.

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Nolan, has now claimed for himself. By the end of
the Cats' shutout against Mount Carmel on October

3rd, Nolan had broken both of his brother's former school records. recording 4,558 passing yards and 49 touchdowns. And with a month left in the season, Nolas would only keep tacking on more yards and scoring more touchdowns with the help of his teammates, to whom he give credit for his records. At the conclusion of his senior year and third year as starting quarterback Nolan recorded a total of 5,219 passing yards and 54 career touchdowns. Nolan was chosen by the National Football Foundation as one of the eight 2015 Scholar-Athletes from Southern Indiana in March and will be attending IU in the fall.













#### Shutout

Junior Grant Theil runs the ball in for a touchdown against Mt. Vernon on Homecoming night. The Cats defeated Mt. Vernon 47-0.





# First and Ten

We ask Wildcat players questions to find out a little more about what makes them so successful



#### Do you have any pre-game rituals?

"I get Subway before every game, I know that, but I don't really change up anything else."

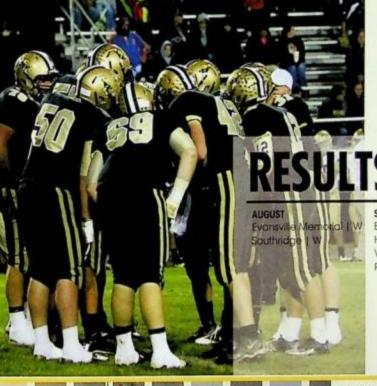
-Nolan Ahrens, 12



#### Why did you start playing football?

"Growing up, I always liked football.
I always kind of liked the contact of
the sport."

-Cal Krueger, 11



#### SEPTEMBER

Boonville | W Heritage Hills | W Vincennes Lincoln | L Princeton | W



Mt. Carmel | W Washington | W Mt. Vernon | W Silver Creek | W Evansville Central | W Evansville Reitz | L



Front Row: Samantha Schuetter, Austin Hopf, Tia Reutepohler, Keighan Wagoner, Grace Werner, Hailey Hurst, Emma Caive, Morgan Kissel, Kiersten Lorey, Julia Ariens, Bailey Wigand, Kylie Seibert, Jessica Mehringer, Lydia Shepherd, Claire Mathies, Jordan Fischer, Reece Beckman, Kathryn Schuetter Row2: Ben Moore, Nolan Ahrens, Austin Alles, Cameron Libbert, Cody Jacob, Gavin Lorey, Tim Rohlman, Reid Milligan, Patrick Meinng, Ben Popp, Mitchell Lindauer, Beau Buettel, Cole Krelein, Breanna Truesdale Row 3: Christopher Ruxer, Ian Songer, Trent Smith, Brett Hopf, Noah Whalen, Dustin Persohn, Dylan Persohn, Scott Varner, Dillon Hurst, Kyle Foerster, Collin Bowlin, Samuel Weidenbenner, Alex Kuhlman Row 4: Matthew Britzman, Lane Cruschfield, Hayden McCune, Cal Krusger, Aaron Farr, Hunter Gossett, Boone Jahn, Tate Blessinger, Carson Englert, Conner Benston, Levi Eckert, Luke Sermersheim, Zachery Freson Row 5: Victor Aleman, Jace Durchotz, Ben Wendholt, Grant Theil, Adam Betz, Nick Day, Brandon Jochim, Justin Rottet, Noah Seibert, Seth Hill, Rock Uebelhor, Jack Heischelbech, Reece Kleinhelter, Ian Jahn Row 6: Larry Burgess, Alec Wallace, Ben Schuetter, Justin Goebel, Geordon Terviske, Blake Leinerbach, Leo Magana, Joey Moorman, Luke Wagner, Tanner Egbert, Lucas Lehane, Adam Hedinger, Luke Rihm Row 7: Coaches, Joe Shelton, Chris Tucker, Craig Schneider, Nick Eckert, Jarrod Land, Tony Ahrens, Ben Mundy, Row 8: Zach Beckman, Coaches; Jace Rasche, Dean Jerger, Aaron Hohl, Luke Keller, Jason Lichlyter, Geoff Mauck

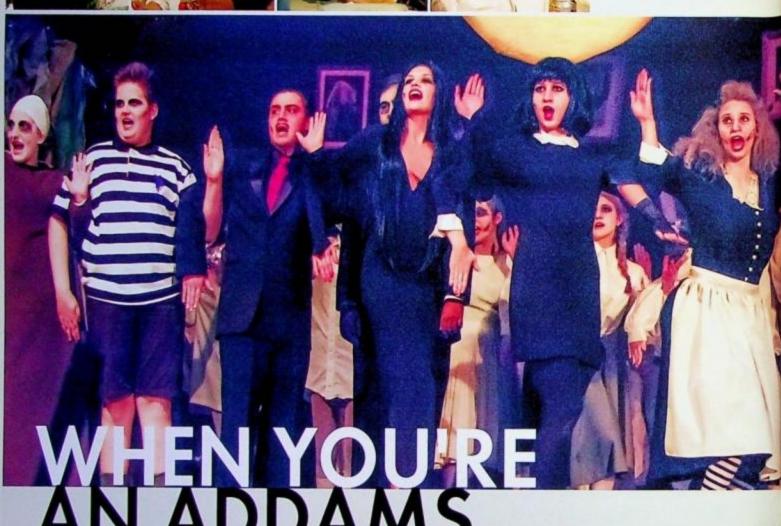






#### Makeup and Costumes

Piper Keusch, Bennett Nolan, Simeon Harris, and Nicole Kress were only a few of the cast members that spent time learning how to apply makeup at workshop a few days before opening night. Piper Keusch, sophomore, played Wednesday Addams in her this high school production. Bennett and Simeon, juniors, along with Nicole, sophomore, all played ancestors.



The Addams Family is a group of fictional characters created by Charles Addams, an American cartoonist. The Addams are like a flipped version of a regular family, they don't care that others find them frightful. This show was about a young girl named Wednesday Addams who falls in love with a boy named Lucas. The difference is Lucas is just a regular boy from Ohio. The two fall in love and Wednesday's family isn't very enthused to hear about their recent engagement. The two families meet up for the first

time, but things don't go exactly the way things Wednesday hoped for. She only wishes for her family to be normal for just one night, but is disappointed. Her brother, Pugsley, wants his demonic sister back so she can torture him again and steals his grandmothers potion, but Wednesday isn't the one that drinks it. By the end of the performance though, the family accepts the two being together and they end up happily married to each other. All three shows sold out and were filled with great audiences. To prepare for their performance, students worked hard on their makeup and costumes to make it look as best as possible. A makeup artist came in just to teach cast members how to make their makeup look flawless and what their routine should be. This show proved to be fan and cast favorite.



#### In The Spotlight

Simeon Harris, junior, and Andrew Schmitt, sophomore, carry senior Kelsey Graman during a dance in the show. Simeon and Andrew played ancestors in The Addams Family, and Kelsey played Morticia.



#### Vocal Warm Up

Choir members sang songs celebrating Halloween in the Jasper High School atrium before the final performance of The Addams Family. Cast members came to the choir concert dressed and ready for the show in their costumes and makeup.

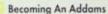






#### Being an Ancestor

Junior Elizabeth White, far left, along with seniors Anna Flick, Shandra Wilson, Taylor Kleinhelter, Elizabeth Ahlbrand, and Makalyn Hurm joined hands to bow at the end of the show. The girls all played ancestors in the sold out shows.



Junior Kelly Hughes and sophomores Ashley Weiseit and Melanie Patterson apply makeup at the makeup workshop a few days before the show.

#### O Crazier Than You

The dark setting and wild makeup helped make The Addams Family one of the craziest plays the Jasper High School Performing Arts Club has ever put on. Sophomore Priscilla Olson, who played the grandmother in the show, did not wear a wig—she had to tease her hair for every performance.



Freshman Emma Grow sings her solo *The Moon and Me* as the many of the Addams family ancestors surround her.



Freshman Ethan Seger and seniors Kaylee Miles and Travis Onyett pose for a picture before the performance.



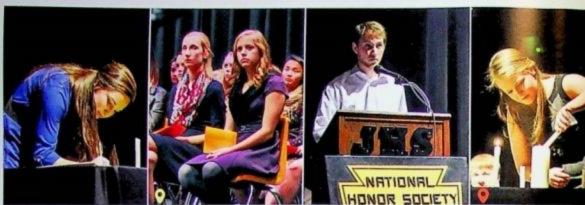
Seniors Diego Espinosa & Kelsey Graman glance at sophomore Piper Keusch.

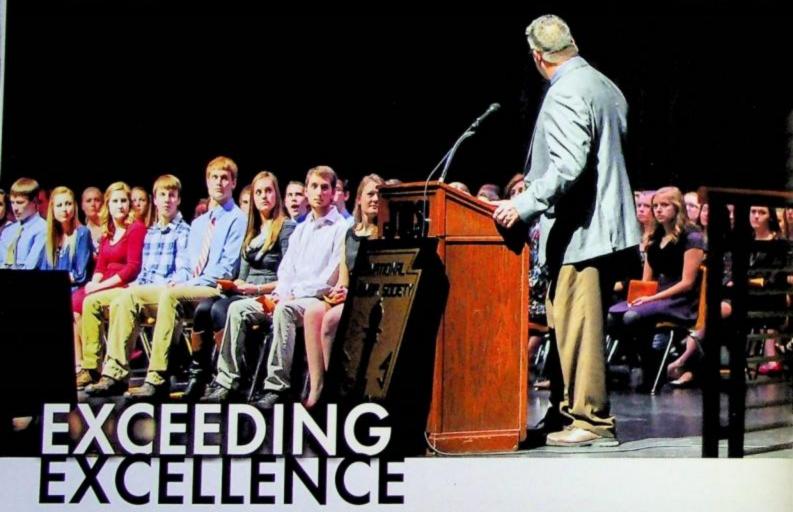
#### Q LIGHT 'EM UP

Senior Abby Gress lights a candle representing one of the four principles that NHS prides itself on. Abby was voted on as president of the JHS chapter of this organization for the 2014-2015 school year.

#### **NEW ARRIVALS**

Junior inductees Natalie Hopf and Melinda Hopf listen intently to Dr. Gordon's speech before being formally accepted into the organization. Natalie and Melinda were among the 60 newly inducted members this year.





On November 18th, nearly 60 juniors/seniors gathered in the auditorium to undergo the National Honor Society's (NHS) induction ceremony. The night commenced with an inspiring yet entertaining speech from the guest speaker, Dr. Gregory Gordon. Gordon took the time to share some of his life's knowledge with the group. The optometrist reminisced, in a pretty humorous manner, of how he gained recognition from one of Indiana's well known political figures all resulting from his impressive ability to wash car tires. "Little things can lead to big things," he stated wistfully. He went on to share a few other nuggets of wisdom such as, "Be where you are, your presence is a gift," and, "Don't ever make anybody feel dumb, because that's

not smart," and possibly the most important for high school students, "Where the needs of this world and your individual talents and interests cross is where you will find happiness and joy."

After Dr. Gordon's inspirational speech, current NHS board members Makalyn Hurm, Andy Gutgsell, and Abby Gress lit candles representing each of the four principles that the organization prides itself on: scholarship, leadership, character, and service. Students are appointed for membership to the organization by faculty that have witnessed these honorable characteristics in action. To be eligible for induction, students must have a 4.0 GPA based on the school's weighted scale along with leadership qualities, an exceptional character, and service hours. The students that were inducted recited a pledge promising to uphold the four principles and then finalized their membership by signing their names into the book of membership.

# With Heavy Hearts, We Wear White



On the evening of Sunday, November 23, at the height of the day's rainfall and grueling wind speeds, a Jasper High School senior was lost in a fatal car accident. At 5:53 PM, Ted Boeglin's vehicle struck a utility pole and landed on its driver's side. Ted, 18, was announced dead at the scene. Justin Wright, a passenger, was taken to Memorial Hospital and later transferred to a Vanderburgh County hospital. A second passenger, Logan Williams, fled the scene on foot and was later identified by police. Wright sustained injuries to his left wrist and right leg, but is in good condition. Williams was not injured in the accident.

Following the news of the accident Sunday night, friends of Ted gathered at St. Joseph's Church in Jasper to celebrate the life of Ted, despite the inclement weather, by sharing fond memories and stories. Ted can be remembered as a smiling face, who always brightened the day of anyone he passed. Senior Catherine Bell led a prayer as everyone, atheists and believers alike, held hands and came together as one. "[Seeing everyone together] was really moving," says senior Travis Love, who attended the event.

At school today, students wearing white, in celebration of Ted's life, gathered in the main gymnasium while Father Gary Kaiser spoke about the process of grieving. Local religious organization leaders such as Young Life leader Alie Messmer and

Bosco leader Carly Knapp stuck around during first period in order to be there for anyone who needed someone to talk to. Normally loud classrooms were quiet. Many teachers canceled their plans for the day. Students exchanged hugs and made sure to tell each other how much they were loved, as many of them realized they could be taken at any moment.



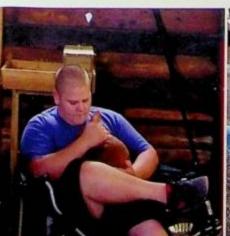




The Jelly Belly Roll was a move Ted was known for that always put a smile on friends faces. That phrase is on the bottom of a memorial located close to the north east parking. A tree was also planted in Ted's memory by this years senior class.



Theodore Boeglin Motorsports 9, 10, 11, 12 Wrestling 9, 10 Football 9







Band 9

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Since mid-October, the Jasper High School choir and theater classes have been preparing for the Christmas concert. With many preparing for the big day and making sure everyone is on note, it's been very chaotic. However, the choir was very optimistic leading up to the performance. Before school, on December 9, choir periods 3 and 6 rehearsed for the first time since the Veteran's Day Program. For one, 20 minute rehearsal (not to mention that it was 7:30 in the morning), the choir sounded extremely professional. It could've been because the choir has more men in it then it has had in 22 years. Or maybe it's the fact that the choir is directed by S.J. Burns, the longest tenured choir director the school has ever had. On December 9, the auditorium was full. The theatre class opened the show with a skit based on the classic, A Christmas Story. The skit performance was great, with the audience's laughs chiming in, making the performance that much better. The theatre class also performed a Russian dance (pictured above) and wowed the crowd with their moves. The choir was

also magnificent, singing classics such as *Silent Night* and having their own take on *Deck the Halls*. The whole night was a success and everybody was 'jumping for joy' at the end of the night.



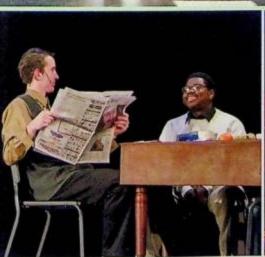
"The arts make us good human beings. It doesn't matter what race you are or what religion you're involved in. It takes all of us to make music. And that's why it's so amazing." - S.J. Burns, choir director



Oh, Christmas Tree
Jalyn Brown, Kara Skorge (back row), Simeon Harris, and Josh
Dewitt (front row) drive to find a Christmas tree in A Christmas Story.



The Bully
Junior Matthew Miller and
Chase Thornsberry perform in A
Christmas Story.







# HOSA Hopes for the Holidays & Travis Love



Monday morning, the school was plastered with flyers informing students on the upcoming 'ugly sweater day' on Wednesday. To some, probably including your grandma, ugly sweaters aren't so ugly. But to students, ugly sweater day is a day to show your Christmas spirit in the form of a sweater. This year, the ugly Christmas sweater contest was hosted by the HOSA class. HOSA stands for Health Occupation Students of America. This class is particularly for students interested in entering the medical field following high school. On Wednesday morning, students that are in the HOSA classes went around to each classroom to collect a dollar from everyone that wore an ugly sweater. The money raised in the contest will go to a family in need. During homeroom everyone nominated a student to represent their homeroom. All of the nominees then gathered in the HOSA room. A few of the lunch ladies were in the room to judge all of the nominees. The winner of the prize would receive a \$25 gift

certificate to Libby's and the winner's homeroom gets dilly bars.

The HOSA class not only does the ugly sweater contest. Last year, they started a charity called 'Ho Ho Ho'. 'Ho Ho Ho' stands for HOSA Hopes for the Holidays. They raise money for families in the surrounding area that are in need. Last year they raised \$1,500, and this year they hope to raise even more. The students of that class get the opportunity to vote for the families that they help. Ho Ho Ho is also selling first aid kits for the charity. On Saturday, they are also hosting a donation-only baseball camp. All of the money raised in the charity will go back to Ho Ho Ho and they will give the money raised to families that are in need during the holiday. This year, Nick Elliot was the winner of the ugly sweater contest chosen by the lunch ladies. He won a \$25 gift certificate to Libby's and his homeroom will receive free dilly bars. HOSA does not know how much money they have raised this year at this time. They will know after they have sold their first aid kits and after the baseball camp is over.



informative," said freshman Breanna Hughlett. "I'll be able to use it when I'm babysitting. I now know how to save omeone's life!" While students are not officially certified in CPR, they know what to do when disaster strikes.

# ECK THE ROOFTOP







"Deck the halls, he's up on the rooftop," sang the cast of Glee as members of the high school dance team danced with young girls of all ages at Cabby O'Neill gymnasium on Saturday, December 13, 2014. The young dancers have the opportunity of learning a dance from the high school girls around the same time each year at the Dance Team's dance clinic. The girls spend the day learning the dance to the Jasper High School Fight Song and another dance to a Christmas

song and get to perform their newly learned dances that night at the varsity boys basketball game. The dance clinic is a great way for the young dancers to have fun with the girls they look up to while also learning things from the dancers as well. This year, the song performed was Deck The Rooftop from Glee. The girls were split into age groups to learn dance and had occasional breaks from practice throughout the day to have snacks and play games with high dancers such as the popular game I Spy. The fun day of dancing ended with a successful school performance that night at the game.

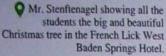
# Dancing Queen & Story by Emily Huddleston

Dancing isn't easy for everyone. For others, it comes naturally. Theatre and choir classes received an opportunity to enhance their moves. Due to the absence of choir director Mrs. Burns, the classes were accompanied by 2013 Jasper High School graduate, Shalyn Grow. Though Shalyn has moved on from high school productions, she has pursued bigger, greater projects in college, such as choreography.



She was more than happy to teach the classes a thing or two about dancing. The classes learned how to loosen up and relax, along with learning the dance steps to two songs from the broadway musical, Mamma Mia! Monday, December 15, choir and theatre students were taught the dance steps to the song "Dancing Queen". "It's supposed to look silly, but it's going to look silly and bad if you don't try." says Shalyn to the students. The next day, students learned the dance number "Voulez-Vous" With complex and quick-thinking steps, the choir got quite a work out. "I thought it was a lot of fun!" says freshman, Melanie Patterson. Melanie also plans on auditioning for the 2015 spring musical, Mamma Mia!

O Dylan Klem, freshman, Amy Stork, junior, and Frank De La Cruz, freshman, in the lobby at The Dome.

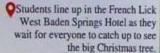














In December, Life Skills went on a fun filled at the shops, and take a look in the library room French Lick West Baden Springs Hotel to see the big Christmas tree and explore the big dome. After that, they went to The Springs Valley Hotel. In the Springs Valley in the lobby, around the hotel to look

trip to French Lick, Indiana. They visited the as well. They also took a visit to the basement of the hotel and played around in the arcade room. When they were all done with their adventurous day, the Life Skills students sat down and had a tasty, hot lunch at Chicago Pizza! After all this Hotel, the Life Skills students walked around fun, the students took a drive past the house Larry Bird grew up in.

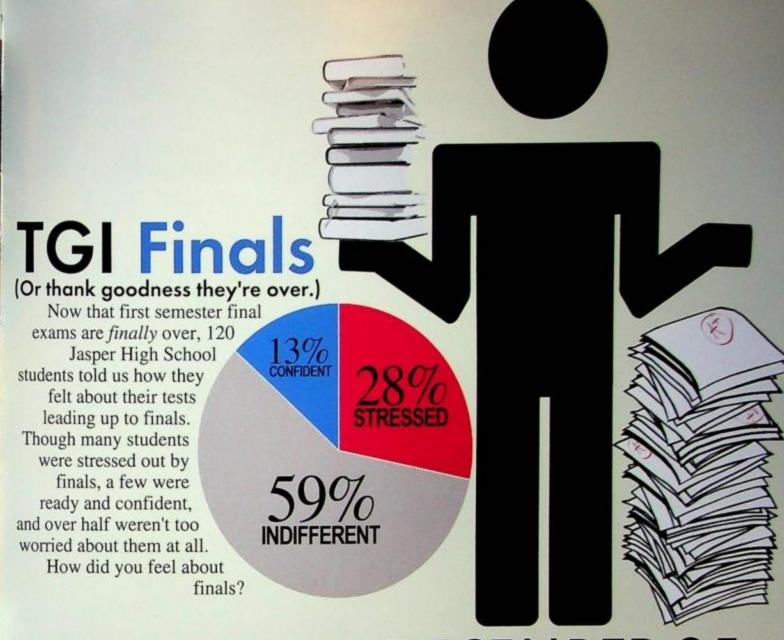


Ingrid checking out everyone in the arcade under the French Lick Springs hotel.



sophomore, Alex Britzman, sophomore, and Antwan Erin O'Neil, freshman, looking Chatman, freshman, putting quarters in down the fairway in the arcade the Guitar Hero to rock out against each of the Springs Valley Hotel other.







INTERVIEW

# **DECEMBER 25**

The release of the movie The Interview was controversial, to say the least. After hearing about the movie's plot, which consists of assassinating the North Korean supreme leader Kim Jong-un, North Korean representatives began speaking out against the release of the movie. Sony changed the release of the movie from its original date of October 10 to Christmas Day in August. In November, Sony was hacked, although North Korea claimed to have nothing to do with the hack. Sony was hacked again in early December and again nine days before the release of the movie. The hackers, using the name 'Guardians of Peace', threatened movie goers in New York, telling them not to attend the premiere of the movie, with a reminder of September 11, 2001. The movie was released in independent theaters across the nation. Of approximately 5,500 theaters in the United States, only around 300 showed the movie on December 25. Of those theaters was the Jasper 8 Theater. ple traveled to Jasper to see the movie on opening night. The movie was released on Google Play, Xbox 57

video, and YouTube as well as iTunes and Netflix.

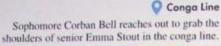




# Heating up WINTER













Front of the Crowd

Seniors Julia Ariens, Shandra Wilson, and Morgan Kissel smile and laugh as they dance with fellow seniors Tessa Wohlberg. Elisabeth Ahlbrand, and Abby Libbert.

Fergalicious Seniors Tyler Begle and Zach Keusch celebrate after the crowd convinces Mrs. Ferguson to dance to the song Fergalicious by Fergie. Although she only danced for a few seconds, all of her students enjoyed the moment.



HEATING UP Jasper High School School Students made the normally chilly cafeteria a hot and loud party at the school's fourth annual Winter Formal dance. The dance, put on by the student council, is a fun excuse for students to dress up and have a good time with their friends at school on a Saturday night. This year, the dance's theme

students to wear a mask with their representative Mrs. Ferguson, dresses or bowties. The Boogie Tunes nicknamed Fergie by the DJ service was happy to please the students, to dance on stage to students and played almost entirely the song Fergalicious by the requested songs. Nearly half of the real Fergie for a few seconds, dance floor turned into a large conga despite her protesting. line for a song or two in the middle of the dance. The students even convinced

Masquerade, which allowed teacher and student council

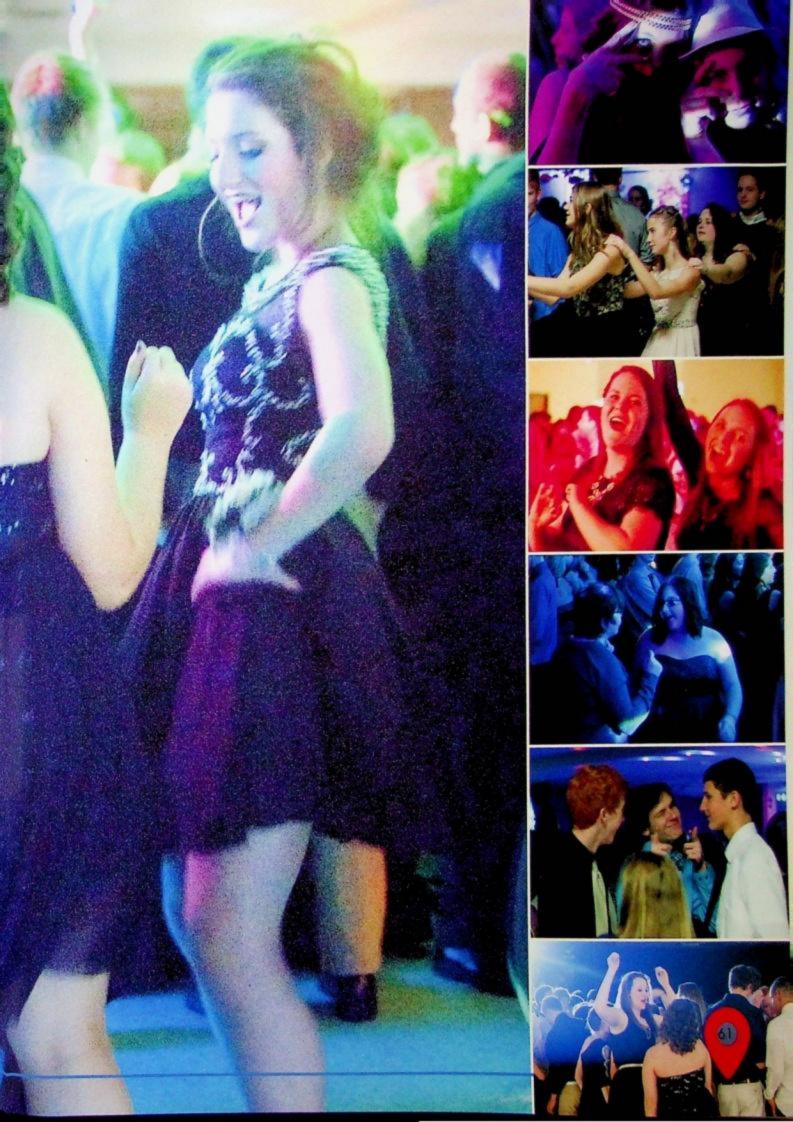












Final Countdown to Competition & Story by Weidenbenner



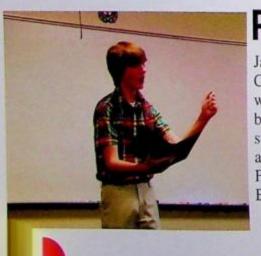
On Saturday, January 10th, members of Business Professionals of America (BPA) will be heading to Ivy Tech in Evansville for the Indiana District 10 Leadership Conference—their first competition of the year. BPA is an organization that prepares students for real-life experiences by teaching necessary business and problem solving skills. The organization has 43,000 members that partake in one of the 2,300 chapters located in one of the 23 participating states. Our very own chapter here at JHS holds 133 members, which is the largest the club has ever been. The members of this club join for a multitude of reasons. For example, freshman Mila Vernon recounts, "It was one of the clubs I came across at the beginning of the year when I was deciding which clubs to sign

up for, and it sounded very promising."

While another freshman, Angel Lee, admits, "My cousin made me join, she just spoke very highly of it." Whatever their reasons for joining the club, each member has ample opportunity to find and prepare for a contest that best suits their preferences. There are 72 different competitions that competitors can choose from. These competitions can be broken down into five categories: finance, business administration, management information systems, digital communication & design, management, and marketing & communication. Students have been preparing for these competitions on their own and in their business classes during the school day. Some members have been doing work for their chosen contests since the beginning of the school year. As their first competition draws near, the members are sprucing up their skills and putting the final touches on their projects. The video production team is one of the most anticipated contests this year for JHS seniors Mariah Thewes, Adam Fierst, Vanessa Hickman, and junior Aaron Farr. Last year, this team made it to nationals, but never got call-backs. This year, however, they're back and ready to go even further. "We took a different path with our video this year and we are very pleased with the outcome. We have confidence that we will advance to State and hopefully to Nationals," Adam reports. Though Mariah



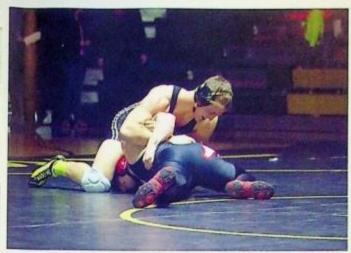
shares, "There are around ten teams competing at District and only the top two advance to State." However, despite the heavily packed competition Mariah is also hopeful for what this year's contest will bring. It's sure to be a year of great achievements for the 133 members of our BPA chapter here at JHS.



### Poetry at its Finest & Story by Amy Wright

Jacob Barry, freshman, traveled with the JHS Speech Team to Floyd Central High School early Saturday morning, January 17, to compete with three others in the poetry category. Points in this competition are based on how well the competitor executes his speech, using guidelines such as how loud the speaker is, the speaker's eye contact and gestures, and how clear the speaker's words are. Jacob recited poems; "I Heard A Fly Buzz"by Emily Dickinson and "Gee, I Like to Think Of Dead" by E.E. Cummings. Jacob placed first in one round and placed fifth overall.

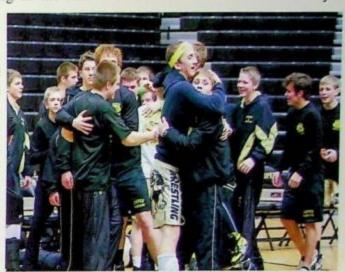
### Wrestlers Bring it Home on Senior Night & Story by Maeve Wurster



Last night, January 20, was the Jasper High School wrestlers' senior night. Our boys wrestled against the Southridge Raiders, our county rivals. The boys knew that the Raiders had a really great team and winning would take everything they had. Everyone fought hard, especially the seniors. Winning against Southridge was a momentous occasion, seeing as this was one of their biggest nights of their wrestling careers. The rivalry between Southridge and Jasper brought in a large crowd. The atmosphere was exhilarating as the fans and teammates cheered on the boys.

Several matches had people on the edge

of their seats, such as the match between Jasper senior Travis Smith and Southridge's Brandon Oxley that tied the team scores at the end of the meet. Travis had been unable to wrestle for the past week due to an illness. "It was emotional," Travis said in regards to winning his first match back. "[Winning on senior night] was awesome. You only get one shot." After a tie breaker, the Cats were announced the winners, with a final score of 32 to Southridge's 31.



Gods Among Us & Story by Osmaro Ramos



Mrs. Keusch's Honors English classes are participating in a project where they dress up as Greek gods in order to teach the rest of the class about Greek mythology. Two of the outstanding performances were by Hannah Welp and Alexa Hopf; both were deeply in character and had outstanding knowledge of their god/goddess. Mrs. Keusch says in regards to

the project, "I believe [the students get a lot out of this project] because it makes

mythology come to life. It makes it fun and relatable to them more so than if I was to stand in front of the class and tell them all of it. It's a little bit more fun this way." Mrs. Keusch also said Hannah Welp's Narcissus was the best performance she has seen within the years that this project has been going on. Everyone did great this year, making it a successful year of Greek gods.



A Helping Hand

The dance girls help out the cheerleaders by cheering with them at one of many basketball games

Let's Get This Thing Storted
Junior Carsyn Wessel and Senior
Vanessa Hickman get ready to start a
dance clinic where they learned new
dance routines and techniques







The dance team often performs at half time shows during basketball season, giving the fans something to watch while the players take a break to strategize.

# SO YOU THINK IN YOU CAN DANGE

From hip hop to pom, the dance team has it all. The girls danced in many competitions and did their routines for the student body during half time of some of the sporting events. The girls placed fifth in the Pom competition and fourth in the Hip Hop competition. At state, we asked freshman Emma Grow what her favorite part of being on the dance team was.

"I love that everyone's constantly pushing each other to do their absolute best while still having a blast!" Our girls' spirit on stage and their group dynamics make for a great dance team.













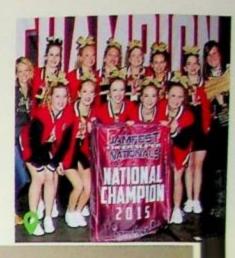
#### Having a Jam

The girls are in the middle of performing their routine at Jamfest in the picture to the left.

#### One Big Family

Right, the National Champs are all smiles, complete with their trophy and medals.

Below, the girls prepare to perform one of their routines at a competition. They get each other psyched and ready to go before each performance.



# NOW WE'R HERE

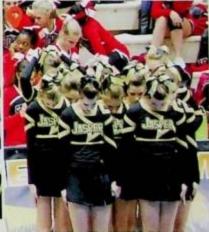


Story by Maeve Wurster
Give me a C! Give me an A! Give
me a T! Give me an S! What's that
spell? CATS! Our lady cats did
amazingly well this season, both
the junior varsity and varsity
teams. The girls competed in
Jamfest, a national Cheerleading
competition. They competed
against teams from all over the
country, and came out of the
competition with a National title.
"It was such an indescribable

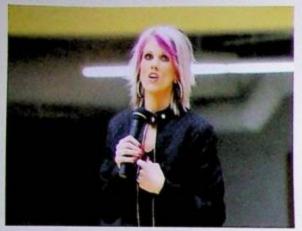
feeling I was just really happy and excited," says senior Julia Ariens. "It was awesome to reach that accomplishment in my last year here!"



Expectations are high as Grace Werner and Lydia Shepherd, freshmen, await the teams scores during State (above). To the right, the girls get in formation before beginning their routine.



# You Are Your Decisions



Wednesday, January 28, the entire JHS student body and staff gathered in the gymnasium to hear a moving story from a recovering addict, Janie Burkett. Growing up in small town in Texas and a pastor's home, Janie started suffering from bulimia and drug addiction at the age of 16. "I had a lot of insecurity issues growing up," says Burkett, who was bullied in school. "I thought that if you weren't skinny, you weren't pretty." By the age of 19, Janie had done drugs: marijuana, cocaine, and heroin; and had became an alcoholic. By the age of 22 she had several charges against her. Though Janie has made these mistakes, it is not what defines her. "Your life is what

really matters." she says. Later, Burkett served time in prison, with her eating disorder putting her life on the line. When she was let out, she weighed 90 pounds. "The only thing I could keep down was baby food and applesauce." says Janie. After 2 weeks of being let out of prison, Janie was back to old habits again. Though she didn't speak of it, Janie was raped. In 2008, at 84 pounds, she almost died, being hospitalized for her bulimia. Her parents, who always stood beside her despite anything she had ever done and believed in change, begged her to enter Teen Challenge, a

Christ-centered, faith-based solutions for youth, adults, and families struggling with life-controlling problems, such as addiction. Though at first Janie was against the fact of entering a faith-based facility, she later faced the facts and admitted that she needed help. "I had to find the truth about myself." With her parents beside her, Janie went on an 8 month trip to recover and find herself and God. She graduated in March of 2010, weighing 130 pounds. "Now I'm just trying to be the voice of hope," says Burkett, who has been from counselor to counselor and may still have problems dealing with what she's gone through. "If you fall, dust yourself off, get back up, and stand tall," she says as a word of advice to everyone. "Keep moving forward." After Burkett's



speech to the school, she allowed anyone who wanted to, to come talk to her one-on-one or to just get a picture. Students lined up to meet her and take pictures. Student after student, tear after tear, and hug after hug (and there were plenty hugs), it took nearly an hour for Janie to get to every student that wanted to tell her their story. Students say Janie is "inspiring and strong", and she is. Burkett has written a book titled Unshackled, A Road To Freedom, which was published in 2012. She even got to sell a couple during the one-on-ones to students. A copy was donated to the school library as well. She will also have Janie's House of Hope, a thirteen month faith-based recovery center to help those struggling with addiction, opening in East Texas. Janie has been through a lot and has made mistakes, but those mistakes didn't stop her from moving forward, becoming the author, speaker, and life coach that she is today. "Your decisions will follow you for the rest of your life. Make them good."



#### Warming Up

Senior Ellen Backer plays the electric piano while the oys basketball team runs out for their warm-up.



#### Better Together

Senior Lindsey Welp and sophomore Tristan June play a duet part in a song playing their saxophones loud to keep the crowd entertained just before the game begins.







Keeping a Beat

Brayden Gehlhausen, a junior, plays the drumset for a song to keep the band on beat during one of the Varsity games.

In order to keep the crowd pumped up and interested in of songs ranging from the classic 'Final Countdown' by the game, the Pep Band plays a variety of upbeat songs at every home boys basketball game with the occasional girls varsity game. The Pep Band consists of dedicated students from all grades in either the Concert Band or Symphonic Band. Throughout each game, the members play a variety

Europe to new hit songs like 'Uptown Funk' by Bruno Mars to keep everyone entertained. To do so, the Pep Band comes an hour and a half before each game and rehearses as many songs, out of the near 100, as possible. Because of the Pep Band's hard work, there is never a dull moment during games.



her french horn during a song before the Varsity game began.



Mira Vonderheide, junior, plays Juniors Morgan Wigand and Seth Heim, Adam Fierst, senior, plays the along with sophomores Zach Jones, Kyle trombone throughout a popular Mehringer, and Garret Armstrong, all play their trumpets loud during a selected song. the game was about to start.



song, Uptown Funk, just before



#### final score

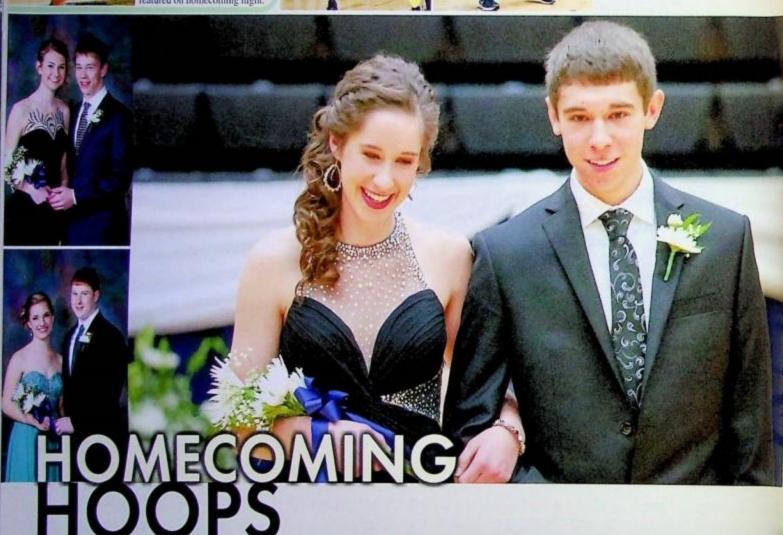
JASPER 59, Borr Reeve 62
Though the Jasper boys fought hard all throughout this well-matched battle, they were not quite able to come out victorious. Despite the ending results, the game was still one to be remembered and looked back on with pride. The boys gave the crowd a seat-clenching night that filled the gym with a mixture of energy ranging from anxiousness to excitement. It was a worthy game to have been featured on homecoming night.





#### Offensive Takedown

Senior Tyler Begle works on getting past the Barr Reeve defense. Tyler went from crowning the newest basketball homecoming queen to scoring 11 points against Barr Reeve



On Friday, February 6th, Jasper fans piled in the gymnasium to await the much anticipated crowning of this year's homecoming king and queen. The student section was sure to get everyone in the mood for the royal announcement by dressing up as kings and queens in honor of the big night. As each couple sashayed down the court, fans erupted with cheers. One of the most popular, crowd-pleasing couples of the

Alex Korn. Amy was nothing but grins all night as she soaked up the crowd's ovation.

The revealing moment finally came as seniors

Tania Ramos and Tyler Begle brought out the crown and scepter. As the announcement was made, Jasper students and fans ecstatically welcomed their newest king and queen: Daniel Eby and Elisabeth Ahlbrand. The game that followed the crowning was a neck-and-neck duel that had the crowd on the edge of their seats. Throughout the entirety of the well-matched battle, Jasper and Barr Reeve kept the score close.

Another feature of the night was an astounding hip hop proformance by the JHS dance team.



#### Going for the Goal

Senior Rhiley Eckert makes a move to go around the Barr Reeve defense and towards the basket.



#### Pop Lockin'

Sophomore Kathleen Messmer uses animated facial expressions as she goes through the hip hop dance routine.







#### From Ear to Ear

Junior Amy Stork grins from ear to ear as the crowd gives her a warm round of applause. Amy was escorted by fellow Junior Alex Korn.

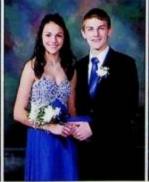


Senior Hannah Hilgediek strikes a pose over the rest of the team on the last beat of the song. Hannah is the only senior that competed with the dance team this season.

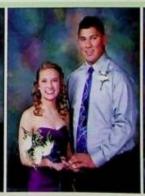


homecoming king Daniel Eby.













# FINGERTIP

For the Jasper girls swim team, success is nothing new. Whether they're winning races or winning meets, they always seem to be standing on the top of the podium with blue ribbons or big trophies. But it doesn't always come easy. With grueling practices before and after school as well as on Saturday mornings and nearly every day of Christmas vacation, the team doesn't catch much of a break. They say swimming is your life, and they aren't kidding. This year, the team of only twelve girls proved that it doesn't take numbers to win a sectional title. With sophomore diver Taylor Gehlhausen swimming, the team had no divers to get them points in the event. Even without those points, the

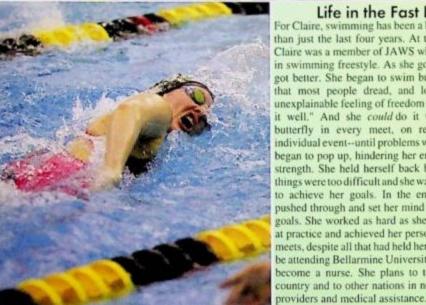
girls still finished sectional with 471 points, the second place Vincennes Lincoln, having lost only three of the twelve events including diving. A newly-formed relay team used their intense training to break not only a school record, but also the sectional record

formerly held by their coach Jenae Gill, in the first

five minutes of the sectional meet. The relay team, which includes juniors Cady Mehringer and Payton Painter, sophomore Emma Hopf, and freshman Lindsey Mehringer, advanced to state in the event. along with 8 other events, with senior teammate Claire Egler. Although the team did not advance past the preliminary rounds at state, they finished their season feeling proud and excited for the future.



in swimming freestyle. As she got older, she only got better. She began to swim butterfly, an event that most people dread, and loved it. "It's at unexplainable feeling of freedom when you can do it well." And she could do it well. She swam butterfly in every meet, on relays and as an individual event--until problems with her shoulders began to pop up, hindering her endurance and her strength. She held herself back by telling herself things were too difficult and she wasn't good enough to achieve her goals. In the end, however, she pushed through and set her mind on achieving her goals. She worked as hard as she could every day at practice and achieved her personal best times in meets, despite all that had held her back. Claire will be attending Bellarmine University and studying to become a nurse. She plans to travel around the country and to other nations in need of healthcare



155 points more than

Fresh off the Block

Freshman Lindsey Mehringer swims the 100 meter butterfly in sectional finals. Lindsey placed first overall in the event, scoring 20 points for the team and advancing to state. At state, Lindsey placed 29th in the butterfly and 27th in the 200 freestyle.

#### Take Your Mark

Junior Rachael Welsh prepares to swim the 100 backstroke at sectional. Rachael has been swimming this event since her freshman year.







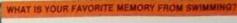
#### Back On Top

Junior Cady Mehringer swims the backstroke in the record-breaking 200 medley relay. The relay team broke last year's school record, along with coach Jenae Gill's sectional meet record, with a time of 1:51.33.



### Moving Up & Moving Out

Senior Alex Mehringer and sophomore Brea-Anna Mullen share a few of their favorite things about swimming.



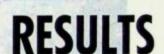


ALEX MEHRINGER: "My favorite memory was last year when we were all at practice, and Emma [Hopf] got up on the block. She goes down to do her start, and her suit just rips."



WHAT WAS YOUR FAVORITE PART OF THIS SEASON?

BREA-ANNA MULLEN: "My favorite part of this season was finally knowing all of the words to Wattachoo!"





Tell City Relays | 2nd Mt. Vernon Invitational | 2nd



Bosse/Tecumseh | W Vincennes | W Tell City | W Evansville Memorial | W Memorial | W Wildcat Invitational | 2nd Southridge | W

#### **JANUARY**

BNL | W Jeffersonville | L Boonville/Wood Heritage Hills/Pike Central | W

Castle | L



Big 8 Conference | 2nd Sectional | 1st

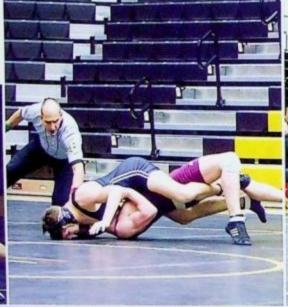


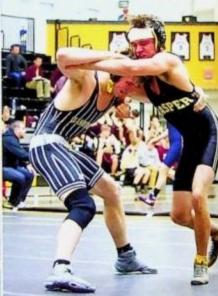
Front Row Cady Mehringer, Alex Mehringer, Brea-Anna Mullen, Rachael Welsh, Kate Weaver, and Claire Egler. Row 2 Coach Jenae Gill, Taylor Gehlhausen. Payton Painter, Emma Hopf, Lindsey Mehringer, Rhegann Weisheit, Olivia Krodel, diving coach Kristy Vaughn, and assistant coach Kristin Gutgsell.

# BLOOD, SWEAT, & TAKEDOWNS

It wasn't unusual to see a timeout due to a bloody nose or an open wound on the mat-sometimes multiple timeouts in one round. But the blood and the pain and the sweat never hindered the Wildcat wrestlers will to win. The team snagged an exciting victory against Southridge on Senior Night, after a tiebreaker improved its score one point to 32 over Southridge's 31. Although they placed second as a team in the conference, seniors Cole Kreilein, Ian Songer, and Dillon Hurst were individual champions of the meet. The team came back and was victorious at sectional, placing first with five individual champions, advancing the team to regionals. At the regional meet, the Cats placed second and sent seniors Dillon Hurst, Ian Songer, Cole Kreilein, and

Trent Smith along with juniors Tommy Brock and Reid Eckert to the semi-state competition. The Cats ended their season at semi-state.







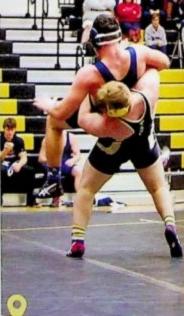


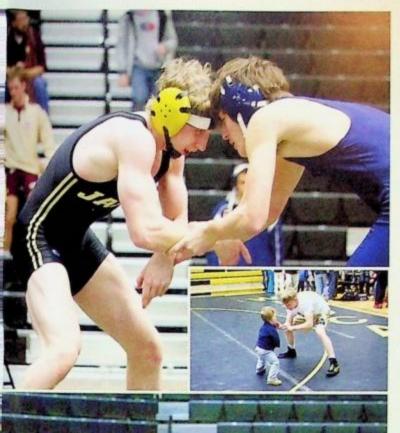
Seniors Travis Smith, Dillon Hurst, Scott Varner, Cole Kreilein, Trent Smith, Noah Collon, and Ian Songer take a group photo with gifts they received from Ted Boeglin's mom Mary Sue. Ted was a wrestler his freshman year of high school and created the famous 'jelly belly roll'.

#### Takedown

Senior lan Songer lifts an opponent from Heritage Hills off of the ground for a takedown. Songer was an individual winner at sectionals and regionals and advanced to semi-state.

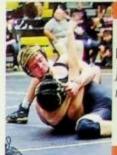




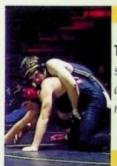


## Senior Spotlight

Seniors Dillon Hurst and Travis Smith share their favorite memories from their wrestling careers.



Dillon Hurst: "My favorite memory from Jasper Wrestling is winnging regionals my junior year."



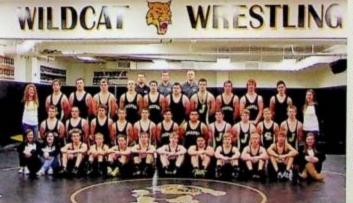
Travis Smith: "Winning my match on senior night was awesome. You only get one shot. It was probably my favorite memory."





#### JANUARY Tell City | W

Princeton | W
Bedford NL | W
Corydon | W
Washington | W
Heritage Hills | W
Gibson Southern | W
Southridge | W



Front Row Hannah Erny, Andrea Cashmore, Geordon Terwiske, Austin Hildenbrand, Ethan Wigand, Dillon Hurst, Tommy Brock, Logan Smith, Skylar Byrd, Noah Heim, Corbin Kaiser, and Ali Brescher. Row 2 Ian Songer, Trent Smith, Holden Weidenbenner, Justin Rottet, Nick Day, Cameron Sanders, Leo Magana, Travis Smith, Corey Gould, Logan Niehaus, and Max Otto. Row 3 Breanna Truesdale, Jefferson Tunks, Luke Jarboe, Cassius Dugan, Cole Kreilein, Reid Eckert, Mason Thewes, David Derr, Noah Collon, Scott Varner, Ryan Gunn, and Erin Bonifer. Row 4 Coaches Greg Brescher, Jace Brescher, and Sean Brescher.

# Girls Basketball

This year's Lady Cats had a very successful year that was full of improvement. The varsity and junior varsity girls finished their season positive by ending it at regional. The freshman girls had a successful season playing at the high school for the first time. The Jasper Lady Cats hosted senior night against Castle High. JV defeated Castle 33-27. The night quickly morphed into a ceremonious night. Underclassmen hand roses to the their fellow seniors. Once the game began, the seniors quickly changed from the emotional night to a night full of aggressive plays. Junior Kirby Ruhe drained

several crucial three-pointers, helping Jasper pull ahead winning with a

score of 57-53.





Girls Unity
The Freshman Girls all came together
before their first game. All freshman are
excited, yet nervous, to play their first
high school game. They discuss their
plans for the season and the first game.

#### Passing it Forward

Grace Harmon, Grade 9, prepares to pass the ball in bounds to her teammates after the crossover.







#### Head in the Game

Raelyn Brosmer, Grade 9, waits as the ball goes out of bounds. She prepares to receive a pass from anyone of her teammates. She waits on the other side of the court blocking the other team from receiving the ball.

#### Blocking the Path

Nicolette Eckert, Grade 11, puts a hand on defense early on in the game. Nicolette fought back against the aggressive Castle defense and was a crucial component in breaking through the challenging full-court press.



## Ladies on the Court

Layin' up some Quotes.



#### WHERE WILL THIS SEASON GO?

TAYLOR UEBELHOR: "I think our first season at JHS will go well. We have improved a lot since 8th grade. We have an amazing coach and he has taught us so much"



#### HOW DID THIS SEASON GO?

ANNA MUNDY: "I felt like this season was good. We won sectional which was awesome. Our most exciting game was against Princeton during regional even though we lost by eight."



# RESULTS Varsity

November & December
Vincennes Rivet | W
Southridge | L
Evansville Memorial | L
North Harrison | L
Bloomington North | W
Heritage Hills | W
Vincennes Lincoln | L
Mt, Carmel | W
Washington | W
Northeast Dubols | W

January
Carmei | L
Seymour | L
Bedford North L | L
Barr-Reeve | L
Evansville Mater Dei | L
Gibson Southern | L
Pike Central | W
Jeffersonville | L
Boonville | W
Castle | W

January & February Mt. Vernon | W Princeton | L Forest Park | W Mitchell | W Pike Central | W Washington | W Princeton | L



Front Row Kirby Ruhe, Nicolette Eckert, and Regan Hedinger. Row 2 Katelyn Hedinger, Elisabeth Ahlbrand, and Maddison Ubelhor. Row 3 Manager Katie Stemply, Allison Reckelhoff, Alex Krapf, Manager Carly Merder, Anna Mundy, Reagan Hochmeister, and Manager Madison Cooley.

# AIMING HIGH

During this year's basketball season, the boys junior varsity basketball team played their absolute strongest. A majority of their games ended in high scores and they finished it all off with a total of 13 wins. The team, however, also suffered 8 losses. Throughout their season, each player fought long and hard to be their very best, making the team difficult to beat. Each member played their hardest and took their fair share of falls and dives on the court, but continually got right back into the game with the help of their teammates. Not only did they help their fellow teammates, but they also had great sportsmanship when it came to the

opposing teams. They lended their hands to any fallen opponents.

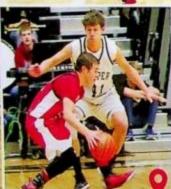
Overall, the team stuck together through thick and thin and came out victorious.



#### **Bringing it Back**

Sophomore Andrew Schmitt manages to snag the ball from an opponent trying to score and dribbles it down the court to the Wildcats scoring side Schmitt, after much struggle to get away from an opposing player, passes the ball to number 3, Connor O'Brien. O'Brien ended up scoring shortly after, allowing the Wildcats to catch up Unfortunately, the team fell short of the New Albany Bulldogs with an ending score of 59-47.







#### **O**Defense

Evan Aders, sophomore, helps guard a Southridge player from passing the ball to a teammate and scoring.

Searching For An Opening Sophomore Elliot Prange blocks off an opponent and looks for an open teammate on the court.







#### Laying Up Wins

Jacob Lents, freshman, makes an outstanding lay up with the assistance of Noah Luebbehusen during a home game against Princeton High School. Jacob Lents made multiple shots throughout the game with the help of some other players.

#### Assisting

Freshman Noah Luebbehusen obtains the ball from Chris Backer and sprints toward the Wildcats' scoring side. He passes the ball to Austin Simmers who scored and added to the final score of 41-22 against Barr Reeve.





#### **Upping the Score**

Tristan Backer, 25, steals the ball away from an opposing player during a home basketball game against Princeton High School. After retrieving the ball, Backer looks for an open teammate and lays his eyes on Johnny Verkamp (pictured above), who he then passes the ball to. Verkamp was able to make an outstanding 3 point shot just as the buzzer went off before half time, upping the Wildcats score. Other players who contributed to the score of 48-32 that night were Austin Simmers, Jacob Lents, and Andrew Hochgesang.



## ON THE COURT

Freshman Andrew Hochgesang and sophomore Johnny Bounds answer a couple questions about their season this winter.

What was your first year like?



ANDREW HOCHGESANG: "It was a great learning experience. Mr. Dahl taught us a lot about the game itself, and I definitely plan on continuing next year."



What was the best part of your season?

COURSE, being able to play the sport I love, but also just being around such a great group of guys throughout the season!"

# JUST AROUND THE RIM

The boys freshman basketball team gave it their all and played an outstanding season this year. Throughout the season, the wildcats obtained 14 victories which happened to double the amount of losses they had. The team did so well that they earned their label of Jasper Freshman Invitation Champions this past year.



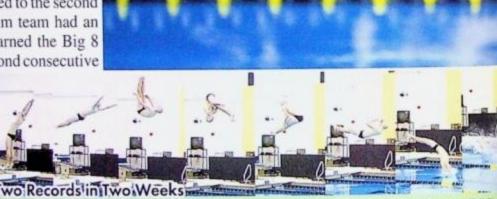
Front Row Eric Nordhoff, Noah Luebbehusen, Ben Elliott, Jacob Lents, Andrew Hochgesang. Row 2 Coach Eric Dall, Johnny Verkamp, Christopher Backer, Cameron Pfister, Austin Simmers, Tristan Backer, Adam Jaent, Assistant Coach Adam Block.

# YEAR OF THE DIVERS

Last year's dream team was gone, but the boys were still making history. It was an exciting year of record-breaking swims and dives in the Jasper High School Natatorium. Mitch Mehringer, senior, broke his own record in the 100 breaststroke for the fourth time by the end of his final season, and senior Austin Young broke two diving records within two weeks of each other. Before Austin and fellow senior Luke Hoffman, Jasper's boys swimming and diving teams hadn't seen great divers for years. This year, Luke and Austin both advanced to regional and Austin advanced to the second last round of state finals in diving. The swim team had an incredibly successful season as well, and earned the Big 8 Conference and sectional trophies for the second consecutive

year. The swimmers also sent Mitch Mehringer, Bennett Nolan, Josh DeWitt, Matt Head, and Nick Pieper to state.

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diving since his freshman year. When he first joined, he was also a member of the wrestling team. After trying to juggle wrestling and diving for a season, Austin decided to quit wrestling and continue diving. In his junior year, Austin became the first male diver from Jasper to advance to the regional diving competition in 20 years. At regional, he placed 5th with a score of 350.35 points and advanced to state where he placed 30th. Austin was on the road to be just as successful as last year. Then he broke two school records. The first record, the 6 dive record of 251.75 points that belonged to Tommy Berger for 30 Austin plans to dive for IUPUI in college.

Austin Young, a senior at Jasper High School, has been years, was broken by over 20 points at the annual Tell Cay meet. Less than two weeks later, Austin was completing his 11th dive at the Wildcat Invitational, just five minutes after another diver had hit his head on the board. The dive added 29 points to his final score, putting him over the previous record, held by former coach Heath Hanselman, by 29.90 points. Austin placed second in sectional behind BNL's Aaron Embree by less than a point. He still advanced to the regional competition where he placed 5th place, allowing him to advance to state. Austin ended his season with a 17th place finish in the second round at state.



Mitch Mehringer, senior, swims the breaststroke in the medley relay and as an individual event. Mitch broke the school record for the 100 meter breaststroke his sophomore year and has broken it again four times since then. Mitch has advanced to the state competition for the breaststroke all four years of his high school career.

Just DeWitt

Josh DeWitt, junior, swims the 50 freestyle at his second sectional finals meet where he finished sixth overall. Josh still advanced to state, swimming freestyle in the 200 medley relay alongside relay team members Matt Head, Mitch Mehringer, and Ben Nolan.





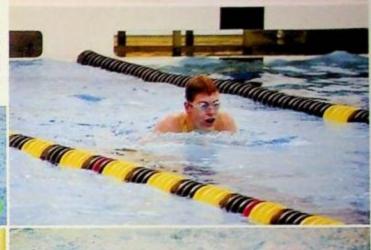


#### A Strong Start

Junior Matt Head starts the 200 medley relay, swimming the backstroke, in the triangular meet against Bosse and Tecumseh. The medley relay team placed first in the event, starting off the night on a high note, and the boys went on to defeat both teams in the meet.

#### **7** Threepeat

Junior Ben Nolan swims the 100 butterfly in the dual meet against Bedford North Lawrence and Jeffersonville. The boys defeated BNL but fell to Jeffersonville in the annual meet. Ben advanced to state in the 100 butterfly for the third consecutive year and placed 32nd overall.







DECEMBER
Bosse/Tecumseh | W
Vincennes | W
Vincennes | W
Jeffersonvi
Tell City Relays | 2nd
Tell City | W
Evansville Memorial | L
Wildcat Invitational | 2nd
Castle | L

JANUARY
BNL | W
Jeffersonville | L
Boonville/Wood Memorial | W
Southridge | W
Heritage Hills/Pike Central | W
Castle | L
Big 8 Conference | 1st | - 8





Front Row Robert Mercer, Chase Thornsberry, Nolan Henke, Lewi Hulsman, Ryan Miller, Luis Lopez, Quintin Gordon, Max Henke, Nick Pieper, Cordell Durcholz, and Trey Mathies. Row 2 Coach Jenae Gill, Aiden Kay, Harrison Seng, Luke Hoffman, Austin Young, Josh DeWitt, Mitch Mehringer, Matt Head, J.P. Luke, Bennett Nolan, Brett Louviere, diving coach Kristy Vaughn, and assistant coach Kristin Gutgsell.

# ON THE ROAD TO VICTORY

The boys basketball team had a remarkable season. Although it may not have ended the way they wanted when they lost to Vincennes for the second time this season in the second round of sectional, the boys had an incredible run as a team. The basketball team saw many exciting games this year, from their game against Princeton, where they were neck and neck the entire game and Jasper barely pulled through for the win, to their game against Southridge where the Cats were down 21-12 in the first half and came back to win 57-43 in the second half. For many players, their most exciting memory was defeating all other basketball teams from Dubois County in the first annual Dubois County Classic tournament. During the tourney, all of the Dubois County cheerleaders merged their routines together to make one big routine. This was a big accomplishment for Jasper because they got to play all of the basketball teams in Dubois County, including Southridge, our county rivals. Seniors Nolan Ahrens

and Tyler Begle were named All Conference players. Tyler Begle also received the Most Valuable Player award. Jasper finished their season with a record of 16-7.



Since he started playing for the varsity team his junior year, Tyler Begle has been a standor player. Tyler has made an impact on the team and many of the players and was named the Mot Valuable Player of the Wildcats. Tyler will be attending college at Indiana University next yez





Junior Alex Allen prepares to pass the ball to senior Nolan Ahrens in their game against Southridge. The Wildcats defeated the Raiders with a score of

Sophomore Tyler Nottingham travels down the court while dribbling the ball. The game against Bedford ended in a win for Jasper with a score of 73-61.







#### Hoop, There It Is

Senior Rhiley Eckert shoots the ball into the basket earning yet another 2 points for the Wildcats on December 12 in their game against Bedford that ended in a 73-61 win for the Jasper Wildcats.



## **BASKETS OF FUN**

Senior Nolan Ahrens shares his favorite memory from his final season on the basketball team.



IAT IS THE MOST MEMORABLE THING FROM THIS SEASO

NOLAN AHRENS: "I would have to say, winning the Dubois County Tournament. Our team was excited to be able to beat the surrounding schools in Dubois County."



## RESULTS



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#### ECEMBER

Mt. Carmel | W Evansville Memorial | W Bedford North | W Northeast Dubois | W Southridge | W

#### JANUARY

Evansville Central | L Pike Central | W Vincennes Lincoln | L Washington | L Southridge | W Forest Park | W Boonville | W Northeast Dubois | W

New Albany | L

#### FEBRUARY

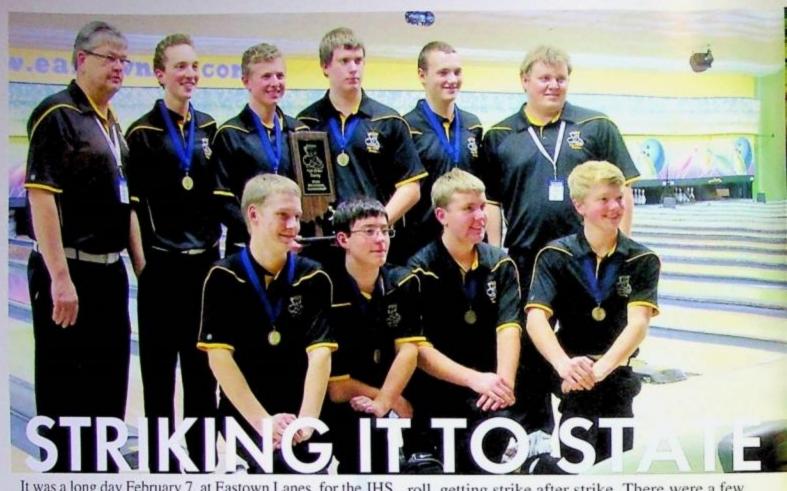
Barr Reeve| L
Heritage Hills| W
Evansville Mater Dei | W
Mt. Vernon | W
Floyd Central | W
Princeton| W

#### MARCH

Mitchell | W Vincennes Lincoln | L



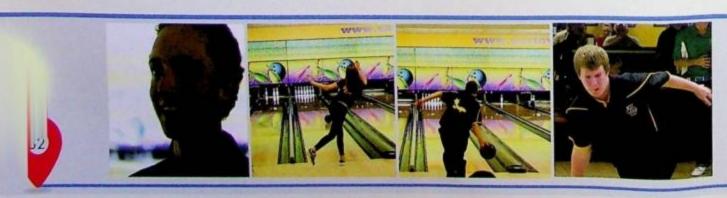
Front Row Jordan Fischer, Adam Schwartz, Tyler Begle.
Nolan Ahrens, Austin Alles, Rhiley Eckert, Austin Hopf, and
Levi Eckert. Row 2 Coach John Goebel, Craig Shepherd,
Hunter Gossett, Grant Theil, Luke Foster, Peyton Gentry,
Alex Allen, Justin Goebel, Tyler Nottingham, and Coach
Jeremy Wolf. Row 3 Coach Jason Ahlbrand, Connor O'Brien,
Johnny Bounds, Adam Hedinger, Jared Sermersheim, Elliot
Prange, Justin Pershon, Evan Aders, Andrew Schmitt, and
Coach Eric Dall.



It was a long day February 7, at Eastown Lanes, for the JHS bowling team. Though the regional tournament didn't start until 9 a.m., bowlers and the crowds were getting to the lanes at 8, maybe even 7 in the morning. JHS didn't leave until 7 at night. First in line at regional was the individual tournaments. 37 boys and 22 girls went head to head to compete for the top spots so they could advance to semi state. Jasper bowlers Patrick Huebschman, Nolan Kiefer, Alec Erny, Hunter Richardson, Megan Berg, and Ashley Whitsitt all were competing in the regional championship. In the end, Nolan and Patrick were the only two that made it to semi state. Patrick placed ninth, while Nolan placed first over all the boys in the competition. Though Nolan placed first over all boys, the top four bowlers had to compete so the individual regional champion could be awarded. Nolan competed and placed second overall. After the individual tournaments, regional team tournaments began. The teams were introduced over the intercom, and when Jasper was called, the crowd went wild. The teams received 10 minutes to practice, then the competition began. Bowlers bowled two normal games and then five bakers games\*. Jasper was on a

roll, getting strike after strike. There were a few setbacks, but it never discouraged the team. First Jasper was in seventh place. Four games later they were in fifth. By the end of the last baker game, Jasper had placed third. The top five teams would advance to semi-state, so that is exactly where Jasper headed. By the end of the last baker game, Jasper had placed third Jasper easily managed to move up to second place and went against Madison Consolidated, who was in first place. Unfortunately, Jasper fell short, but it still kept them in second place. Though Jasper placed second in both individuals and team tournaments, it didn't stop them from having fun. They bantered with each other, shared plenty of high fives, and laughed all night. Ever if they didn't get first place, they left champions, like Jasper always does. Jasper finished their season with a 10th place finish at state.

\*Baker game- Each bowler bowls one frame at a time, regardless of the number of pins on the lane (i.e. if Player A throws a strike, he/she complete the frame. Then Player B bowls the next frame)





Front Row Killian Maher, Faith Sendelweck, and Sarah Reckelhoff. Row 2 Megan Berg, Ashley Whitsitt, Coach Chelsea Lemond, Brooke Perkins, and Kaitlynn Timm.



Front Row Alec Erny, Andrew Gadlage, Logan Pinkstaff, Tyler Richardson, and Hunter Richardson. Row 2 Coach Steve Kieser, Nolan Kiefer, Patrick Huebschman, Zach Buechlein, and Coach Lemond.

# **RESULTS**

#### Sectional

Boys Singles

1. Patrick Huebschman: 647

- 3. Nolan Keifer: 645
- 4. Alec Erny: 623
- 6. Hunter Richardson: 610
- Girls Singles
- 5 Megan Berg: 493
- 6. Ashley Whitsitt: 490

Jasper: 3032

#### Regional

**Boys Singles** 

1. Nolan Keifer: 640

9. Patrick Huebschman: 586

#### Boys Team

3. Jasper: 2647

#### Semi-State

Boys Team

1. Jasper: 2858



#### **O** Final Season

Seniors Killian Maher, Faith Sendelweck, and Sarah Reckelhoff pose with Coach Chelsea Lemond.

#### Fun For All

After taking their "serious" team photos, the bowling teams decided to take a few goofy ones for fun. These show just how much the teams have become a family over the years.





The boys' bowling team went to state on February 21. Though the boys gave it their all, they placed 10th out of the 12 teams that competed. "It's nice to play teams." says Kaitlyn Timm, member of the girls' team. "You can look at Jasper as a team, not just an individual."











Spanish Club Selfie

Some of the students on the Chicago trip take a selfie in the elevator of the

Willis Tower.

Dance With Me

Anna Charron, sophomore, dances at the dance clinic while on a spanish club trip to Chicago.



Spanish Club is a club designed for students that are interested in learning spanish and for students who want to learn about the culture of spanish speaking countries. Spanish Club does many activities throughout the school year such as cooking spanish foods. This is where everyone in Spanish Club gets together in the nutrition and wellness classroom during an evening and they cook an ethnic spanish meal. Also, the Spanish Club takes a trip to Chicago each spring. This is by far the biggest thing

that the Spanish Club does. This year they left early on a Sunday morning and returned late on Monday. In Chicago, the students do many activities such as eating to a medieval themed restaurant called Medieval Times, learning to dance at a dance clinic, and visiting murals around the city. Medieval Times is a favorite each year, because the students get to watch actors joust at the restaurant. While everyone is watching the jousting, they are treated with a 4-course, utensil-free meal. The students also visit the Willis Tower, formerly known as the Sears Tower. Spanish Club members always look forward to the annual trip to Chicago.





#### Feast at the Schnitz

Members of the German Club stop eating to take a group photo at the Schnitzelbank.









#### German Trivia

Sophomores Tyler Richardson and Kevin Mcinerney warm up for a hardcore game of trivia about German History at the Schnitzelbank.

Die Sekunde when you start denken auf zwei Sprachen at the same Zeit.

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#### The Power of a Voice

Kira Cantu, freshman, sang "Listen" by Beyonce at the "Anything Goes" show on April 13. She was a bit shy at first, but after a few chords, there was no stopping her and her voice from filling up the auditorium.

#### Someone Like You

Catherine Bell, senior, sang "Somrone Like You" by Adele on November 10 at the first "Anything Goes" show of the year.



# TO THE WORLD

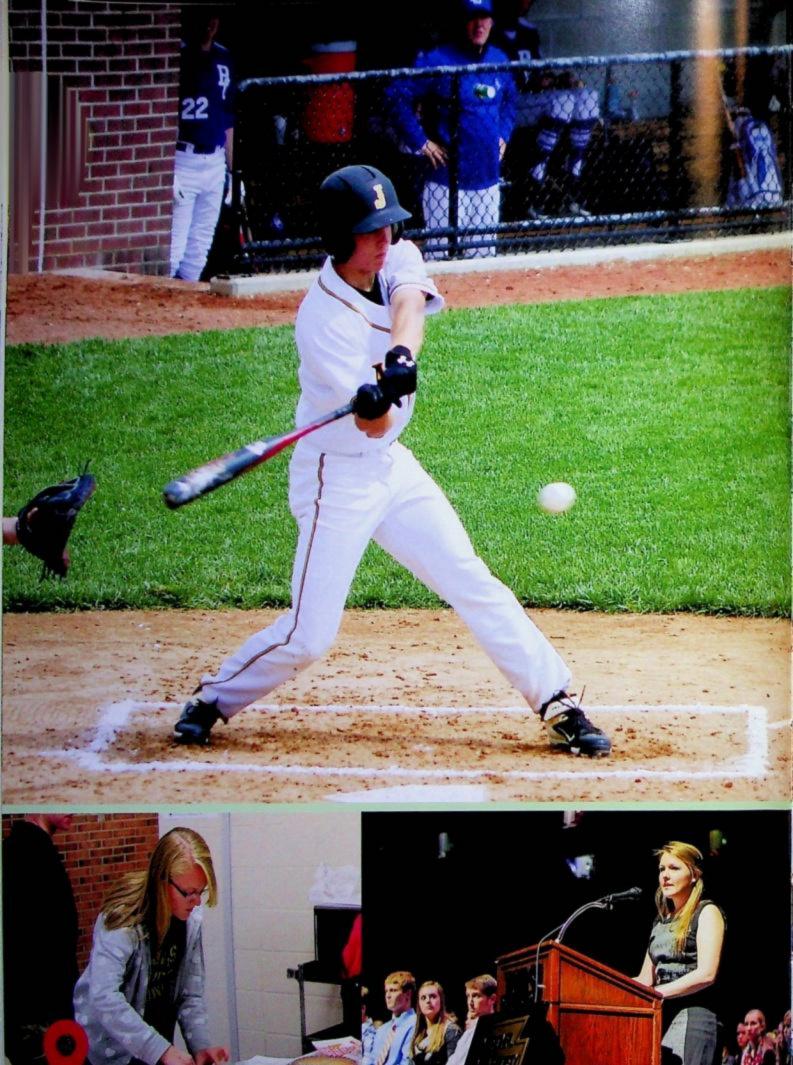
Walking into the choir room on the first day of school is always a bit intimidating. First there are the warm ups. Most choir members know the order of the warm ups, where as the freshmen are clueless as to what is even happening. Then the songs come along. There are plenty of songs that come around throughout the year. From singing a complex version of "Jingle Bells" at the Christmas concert, to singing a heart-warming medley on

graduation night, the choir has a wide range of songs for everyone. After every performance, no matter if it's an Anything Goes talent show, a concert, or even just five minutes to sing the National Anthem, the choir always receives and abundance of compliments regarding their voices. Every year, the choir hosts a banquet, known as the "Oscars". On this night, choir members receive awards, mainly senior members. This year, the banquet was May 12. Most seniors were honored with awards such as "Best Actress Award", which went to Catherine Bell, and "Directors Award" which was given to Vanessa Hickman. The night was full of awards, songs, and laughter that will live on with the seniors forever.





show in April.

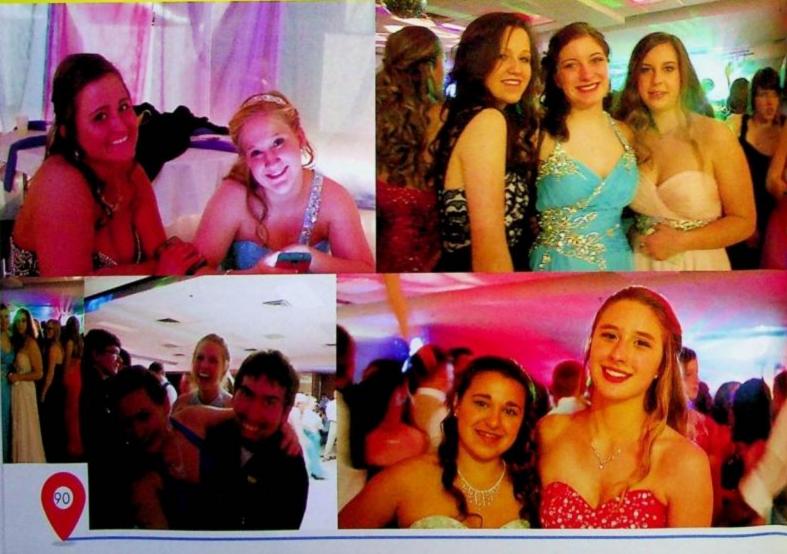


# Springing into SPRING













# Academic Bowl

over to their next competition. About a month prior to this date, the team had already won their area competition James to end their Academic Bowl careers. in every category. The next step in their journey was the Big 8 competition.

The night of the Big 8 competition was an eventful one to say the least. It was a competition just like any other, including thought provoking questions and smart students going head to head--or more suitably: brain to

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brain. All of the hard work paid off in the end. The Jasper students ended up victorious yet

On a Tuesday afternoon in late April, the Jasper High again, taking home first place. It was a great way for seniors School Academic Bowl team hopped in a bus and headed Lydia Schmitt, Tania Ramos, Irvin Orellana, Madison Cornetet, Catherine Bell, Queanna Gentry, and Nicolas

> However, winning the competition was not the only excitement of the night. On the way home, there was a little mishap with the bus and some mud. At one point, the driver realized they were headed down the wrong road, but when they tried to turn around the bus got stuck in the mud on the side of the road. Eventually, a tractor came to the rescue and the team was able to return home safely.



The Junior Achievement (JA) company program at JHS is a student-run business in which they decide on a product, manufacture the product, and sell. The business is made up of five teams; management, supply chain, marketing, sales, and finance. Each team is responsible for doing what they need to get the company up and running. This year the company designed, priced, and manufactured J-Kuzis; customizable sleeves that keep your drink hot or cold. They worked long and hard hours to get everything finished before they had to liquidate the company. There is also a national competition held every year in Washington, D.C., which consists of only fifteen chosen teams from around the country.





Thomas Peters made it look easy and had fun while doing so,



Pinning was said to be the hardest Working hard to get things done, At the JA luncheon, junior part of making these, but junior freshman Amber Leinenbach (head of Sales) uses a sewing machine to piece together a J-speaks in front of a daunting



Melanie Stone (head of Finances) crowd about her department's financial progress.











#### Solo & Ensemble

Max Otto, freshman, plays his trombone solo for a judge at this year's District Solo & Ensemble, Max played 6 sonatas receiving a gold rating at both district and state.

#### **Dreaming Big**

Madison Cornetet, senior, sings the song I Dreamed A Dream during the annual People's Concert. Madison is well known for her vocal and musical talents in band.



# CONCERT BAND

The Concert Band is a class full of students from all grade levels that have an interest in creating wonderful music. Students from this class are under the direction of Mr. Keeley with the help of Mr. Goodhue and Mr. Coller. Each director pushes each and every student to play to the best of their abilities by challenging them with certain musical pieces. These pieces are later played in concerts held by the band such as the People's Concert or contests that the

band attends. In preparation of these events, the concert band spends countless hours practicing every day in sixth period and multiple after school practices. Throughout the year, the band has participated in many events such as District and State Solo & Ensemble, People's Concert, Competition at Castle, Band Auction, Kentucky Derby Parade, Band Banquet, and even played during this year's Graduation ceremony. At the annual contest in Castle, the band played three songs; Avalanche, Wild Dances, and King Cotton. They received a gold rating by the three concert judges as well as the sight reading judge. The concert band was one of few bands within the state of Indiana to even earn a gold rating with distinction.

#### Jazzin' It Up

Three-time member of the Indiana All-State Jazz Band Lindsey Welp (Senior) plays a saxophone solo at the 2015 Garden Gate Festival, with the rest of JHS's jazz ensemble behind her.

#### Bach Lives On

Freshman Jacob Barry, one of the few his age to be in this band, plays his vibraphone part in the percussion ensemble's chosen piece; Brandenburg Concerto No. 2 by Bach.









at the two possible contests this year; a state qualifier at Evansville Central and state competition at Lawrence Central in Indianapolis. The band plays more difficult songs than most bands at the high school level, such as their opening song 'Invocation and Toccata' by James Barnes. Out of the 16 bands at state competition, Jasper placed 9th, which is something this group can be proud of because the competition is tough at this level. Members of this band are chosen based upon History Comes to JHS principles such as their musicianship, work ethic, and mental Philip Paul came to the high school to give a private drum set clinic to attitude, all qualities that can be seen in each member at to remember. Who wouldn't love hanging out with the drummer behind practices and competitions.

James Brown's "The Twist"? Here's Nick Freyberger, junior, learning one of his beats



The Jasper High School BPA (Business Professions of America) had their first competition, the Indiana District 10 Leadership Conference, on January 10 at the Ivy Tech in Evansville. There is more than 72 competitions, broken into 5 categories, that competitors can choose from. The BPA team (a team comprised of 133 members) was excited and nervous as they made their way to competition. That night, Jasper won the Sweepstakes Award for earning the most points out of all teams in District 10, along with the honor of sending 59 students to state.

BPA went to state on March 14. Everybody gave it their all. By the end of the competition on March 17, Jasper had won 8 chapter awards and it was announced that 12 members of the BPA team would be heading to nationals in May. Among those 12 members was Vanessa Hickman, who entered the candidacy race for BPA National Office. Vanessa ended up as the National BPA Secretary. All in all, BPA had a fantastic year bringing home awards like they do every year. They never hesitate to be the best of the best.





#### Winners at Western

Seniors Noah Rydberg and Derek Beckman after winning Best Documentary for their film 'Enabled'.



#### First Year, First Place!

In JHS's first year as member of the IASB, Nolan Uebelhor took home third place in Cinematography and Corporate Video, Noah Rydberg (not pictured) won the highly competitive category of Cinematography.







Calling the action

Austin Hopf (11) and Derek Beckman (12) with exciting live play by play action of a basketball game proadcasted on 93.7 The Scratch.

The JHS media program keeps growing and growing. This year was no exception with the start of the new 93.7 The Scratch. On August 13th at 3pm, WJWS-LP officially signed on at 100 watts broadcasting to all of Jasper and beyond. With this power upgrade came many other changes such as; a full time student staff and mmanagement sports play by play, and underwriting support from many great local businesses. The year also saw some of its most successful video productions ever, and sadly said "good-bye" to an extremely talented senior class. Seniors Nolan Ubelhor and Noah Rydberg were the first students at JHS to ever place in the highly competitive Indiana Association of School Broadcasters contest. JHS also had the second most nominated films of any school at the 2015 WKU film fest. Seniors Noah Rydberg and Derek Beckman took home one of only five top place honors, for Best Documentary.

Wildcat Weekly also saw a monumental shift with the ability to broadcast their student news and entertainment program live to throughout the school and online during homeroom. So even though "that's a wrap" for 2015, the JHS media program will "keep on rolling".



radio stations in the US. The Scratch is 'live' on the stage during lunch with giveaways on HSRD.



High School Radio Day is an Tour of Mass Media building at Western Testing their home made Dolly annual celebration of high school Kentucky University during their film fest.



Seniors Nolan Uebelhor and Christian May put their creation to use in the classroom.



# Story by Amy Wright #Soup-er Bow 2015

The Nutrition and Wellness class was preparing for the annual Soup-er Bowl held today, February 12 during first, second, third, and seventh period in Beier's room, 509. The students were judged based on how well their groups soup tasted by some of the Jasper High School staff. First period



students were divided into five groups based on their decision. The students worked hard to impress their judges and they were happy with



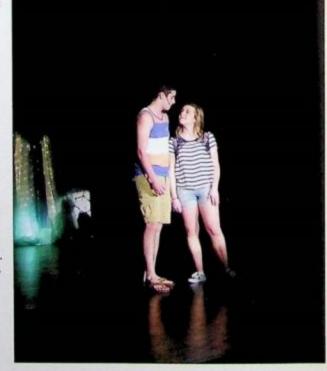
the way their soups looked and tasted. A lot of preparation was needed to accomplish their goal, to impress the judges. Not only did their soups have to taste good, they also had to be healthy in some kind of way.

## Here We Go Again # Story by

Maeve Wurster

Mamma Mia is now under full swing and the cast is getting very excited. These past three days have been what's known as tech week, or "Hell Week" by the cast. Hell Week is comprised of dress rehearsals, microphone checks, and fixing the little imperfections. The cast has been preparing for these performances for months. They have practiced their lines, songs, and dances constantly, with practices during class and after school on Tuesdays and Thursdays. The realization that the first show is tonight is finally setting in, and nerves are running high. Senior Vanessa Hickman plays one of the main roles in the show, Donna, the mom. "Honestly, I'm really nervous but also really sad," she says. "This is my last show at the high school, and it's made me not only fall in love with theatre but with the people in it. My mentors, Mrs. Burns and Mrs.

Luebbehusen have helped me grow with



positive feedback while allowing me to go reach out to new dimensions. I can't even begin to describe the awesome feeling I am going to get when I walk on the stage because I'll know all my hard work has paid off."

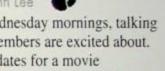
# Story by Hope for the Senior Class

Every year, the senior class participates in a senior project for underclassmen to remember them by after they graduate. Last year, the class of 2014 landscaped a portion of lawn outside of the athletic complex and put a bench out

with all their signatures on it. The year before that, the class of 2013 made a ceramic mosaic with bottle caps outlining it, as part of a service project. And the class of 2012, the year the senior projects began, also built a mosaic, where each senior was given a tile to decorate as they pleased. This year, the class of 2015 will be participating in a service project called Sole Hope. Sole Hope is a group that makes shoes for children in Africa who don't have access to them. Children without shoes are susceptible to diseases that they can contract through jiggers, a type of bug. The group wants to give relief to the children. educate those who don't know about the problem, and create sustainable skills that people can use. The seniors will participate in the making of shoes, and will also do an art project.



# Book Club Movie Marathon Story by John Lee



The Jasper High School Book Club has met and discussed many times over the past few Wednesday mornings, talking about their books and talking about T-Shirt designs. But there is one that many book club members are excited about. Since a few members haven't watched the Harry Potter Series, they have discussed various dates for a movie marathon. One book club member, Melissa Carnahan, Grade 9, got very ecstatic for this marathon. She says, "Harry Potter was and still is the greatest book series I have ever read. I love Harry Potter so much that I read fanfiction of it



on Wattpad all the time." Other book club members like Jalyn Brown, Grade 11, and Andrea Cashmore, Grade 10, are happy to spend a weekend watching a movie series together. This marathon will be taking place on April 18th and 19th and is open to the whole student body. Book Club has spoken to the office about where the marathon will be. They haven't found a place to have it yet. They have talked about being in the auditorium, but stay tuned to the announcements to find out where the marathon will be for sure.



## Story by Travis Love Cupcake Wars at JHS

The end of March means one thing for Jasper High School's Nutrition and Wellness class, or better known as foods Cupcake Wars is one of the most exciting times for the students. It is a way for them to bring out their creativity in cupcakes. Each kitchen gets to choose what type of cupcake to make and the design that they put on it. This is the second year for the contest, and Mrs. Beier hopes to see even more creative cupcakes this year. Beier got the idea for the contest from Food Network's show, Cupcake Wars. Although, the cupcakes may not be up to par with some of the

shows cupcakes, everyone is still excited to see what everyone can come up with. Cupcake Wars is even an exciting time for the teachers as they are the ones that get to judge the cupcakes and choose the best ones. "The teachers love to judge the cupcake wars because ,for one, they love to eat cupcakes. But what they really like is that they can see what the students can come up with and they can see what kind of creativity the students have," stated Mrs. Beier. This contest lasted all week, beginning on monday, the classes watched an episode of Food

Network's, Cupcake Wars, to try and get some ideas for their cupcakes. On Tuesday, the students gathered in the computer labs to come up with their ideas and make an ingredient list for Mrs. Beier. On Wednesday, the students were back in the kitchen where they made the batter and the icing for the cupcakes. On Thursday, they



baked the cupcakes and then on Friday they finished up their cupcakes by putting the designs on them, then they took them down to the teachers lounge to be judged. The competition will be going on throughout Friday and the winners will be announced on March 30, when everyone returns from spring break.



Story by Junie B. Jones Coming 500n!

The theatre has put on many shows this year already. They had The Addams Family in October, The Christmas Story in December, and Mamma Mia! in February. They also made an appearance in the Anything Goes choir talent show, dancing to "Footloose" last November. Now they're back with Junie B. Jones: The Musical. This musical is directed by a theatre class student, senior Kelsey Graman, with senior Catherine Bell on set design, and freshman Emma Grow teaching choreography and music. The play is a compilation of four Junie B. Jones books by Barbra Parks. When Junie B. Jones heads into the first grade, she finds that she can't read the blackboard in class and that her best friend Lucille (played by freshmen Morgan Decker) doesn't want to be her friend anymore. With Junie B. needing glasses and a fierce kickball



tournament, the play is full of surprises, dances, and musical numbers. "I'm really excited for it," says Emma Grow. "I'm sitting down in the pit playing the music, so it's a different experience than being on the stage." It's the first grade like nobody has ever seen it!

## Senior Service Saturday Story by Sophie Weidenbenner



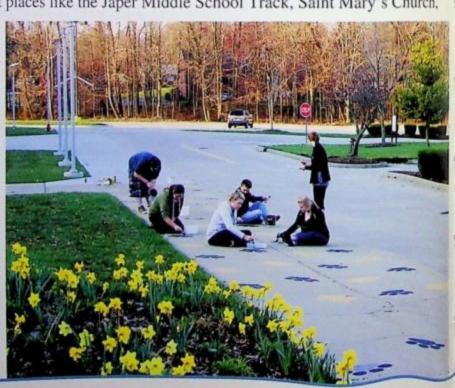
Saturday, April 4th, the Jasper High School Seniors dragged themselves out of bed for a day of community service. This day of service was a result of an excess of snow days that occurred this winter. With graduation set for May 22nd, the seniors needed one more day to complete the requirement of 180 days of school. The date for this "extra" day for the seniors was set for April 4th, while the rest of the student body will be coming back to school the Tuesday after Memorial Day. Seniors were able to sign up for a variety of different service activities. There were opportunities to help out at the different nursing homes throughout town. The senior choir members, for example, sang for the patients of Northside, Brookstone, and The Timbers

of Jasper. Other seniors gathered to help clean up at places like the Japer Middle School Track, Saint Mary's Church,

Precious Blood, Tenth Street, and the Jasper High School.

One particular group of 20 students gathered in the LGI for a shoe cutting party. Sponsored by the organization Sole Hope, these students took the time to cut donated jeans and milk jugs into three different pattern pieces to be made into shoes. The goal of this organization is to help protect and educate African children on the dangers of jiggers, parasites that lodge themselves into the bare feet of said children. The senior group that participated in this activity was able to cut out pieces for 45 shoes in just over two hours. The participation in

this organization is going to be part of the Class of 2015's senior project.



# Story by A Night They Will Never Forget

On Saturday evening, Jasper High School celebrated prom. It's been a day that students have been anxious and ecstatic about for months. Everyone had to make sure everything was perfect for this evening. Students had to find the 'perfect' dress and suit for the evening. Many also had dinner plans with their dates or friends to attend along with pictures taken by family members before they left to attend prom. The theme this year was Arabian Nights. As you entered the school, the Aladdin soundtrack was playing on the TVs. Once you entered the cafeteria, there were so many smiling faces on the dance floor having a great time, while the DJ played some music. Teachers who were there were also



dancing and talking to each other on the sidelines. The DJ played some classic dancing songs like 'Love Shack' and 'The Cupid Shuffle' along with some modern songs that have hit the charts like 'Sugar' by Maroon 5 and 'Fancy' by Iggy Azalea. Students and teachers also received refreshments such as a chocolate fountain that they could dip strawberries in, cookies, lemonade, water, and more. Ceremoniously, they of course announced prom king and prom king. Prom king was DaKota Brewer and prom queen was Rachel Sternberg. At about 11pm, prom ended. It wasn't exactly the end for most, because it was only the beginning for post prom. Post prom lasted three hours but it went by fast. Everyone will cherish the memories that were made during prom 2015 for years to come.

# A Party After Prom Story by Travis Love

Students of Jasper High School piled back into the school after prom had ended. After prom, everyone went home to change out of their sweaty dresses and tuxedos and then returned a half hour later for even more fun. Post prom is help by the JHS PTO, which is run by the parents of students at the school. Although many students are already physically drained from all of the dancing at prom, they still come to post prom for some more fun. There are many different activities at post prom such as glow in the dark volleyball, blow up slides, and a casino. As you walk in, the PTO had decorations everywhere. The theme was A Magic Carpet Ride to go along with the prom theme, Arabian Nights. In the auxiliary gym were all of the blow up rides and some other



games. There was a blow up game called the meltdown where you had to jump over a spinning structure to avoid falling off of your platform. If you fell off of your platform, you were out of the game. There was also tug of war basketball, tricycle races, foot volleyball, blow up slide races, and ping pong. Once you win any of these events you received a ticket. That ticket then granted you to enter a small blow up room filled with money. Then they turned on a big fan and you had to try to catch as much money as you can. In the main gym was where all of the black light activities were at, which was volleyball and 9 square. They were both set up as tournaments. In the cafeteria was where they were giving out food and prizes, so this was pretty full for most of the time since everyone loves food and prizes. The LGI, or the study hall, was set up like a casino, you could play casino games, and cards and win money and prizes.



Post prom lasted from 11:30pm-3:00am As you can imagine, everyone was pretty drained by the time 3:00 rolled around. But you were not allowed to leave, because if you left then you were not eligible for any of the big prizes such as TV's, Keurigs, and cash prizes. Post prom was a huge success and was a great night for the students of Jasper High School



The Junior Achievement Company Program out of JHS is an educational program for high school students that allows them to organize and operate a real business. This year, the group is selling J-Kuzis. These are adjustable, customizable, and insulated sleeves that will keep any drink hot or cold. Seven colors are available: purple with white polka dots, mint and white chevron, blue, red, black, gold, and white. You will also be able to recycle your old t-shirts and turn those into J-Kuzis instead of using the cotton fabric, as well as purchase iron-on letters. These are now up for sale for \$7 individually and \$5 in-bulk.

On Wednesday April 15th, the Arnold F. Habig Community Center hosted the JA Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon at 11:30 am. Lunch was catered by the always delicious Grandy's. The JHS group sent five of their department heads to speak at this luncheon about the product and their company itself. This group of students is made up of (in speaking order): senior David Thyen; management, senior Mariya Merkley; marketing, freshman Amber Leinenbach; sales, junior Lauren Vogler; supply chain, and junior Melanie Stone; finance. They all did very well, so well that they were able to make some of their first sales. If interested in

purchasing one of these custom J-Kuzis, you can talk to one of the five department heads as well as any member of JA! They will be happy to answer any questions you may have. Order yours today!



Caring Cats Story by Amy Wright Today, April 16th, tragedy occurred to two fellow students early morning in Ireland. Liam Byrne, Junior, and Saoirse Byrne, Sophomore lost everything they owned in a house fire at the residence they were currently renting that occurred at about one in the morning. All residents got out safely and are now staying with relatives at this time. Fortunately, to help with the tragedy, JHS is asking students and teachers to make donations to help the Patrick Byrne family. Tomorrow, April 17th, turn in any donations you think would help the family cope with what happened.

A big thanks to two Dubois County deputies for making sure the family was safe, and the fourteen total fire fighters that assisted the family in getting the fire put out safely.



# Story by When Catastrophe Strikes



As many people know, two Jasper High School students, Liam and Saoirse Byrne, suffered from an immense loss early this Thursday. They lost everything in a catastrophic fire that broke out overnight. After hearing the astonishing news, the student body and faculty of Jasper High School knew they must take action to help the out the family. This is exactly what they did. Students and faculty came together and held a fundraiser for the Byrne family. Before school today, the caring cats

flooded the LGI to help their fellow students with their previous catastrophe. They purchased donuts, orange juice, and chocolate milk with all of their money going to the

family. Extra donations were also accepted at this time and will continue to be accepted. If anyone has any other donations they

would like to give to the family, they can send any items or money with their children to be turned into the main office.



On April 17, students in concert band traveled to Castle High School to participate in their annual competition. For preparation of the contest, the band has spent countless hours, both during and after school hours, practicing their music to be as close to perfection. The band even held a concert the night before to practice. According to the judge's scores at Castle, the band's performance was spectacular. Each judge provided the band with a gold rating in both the concert and sight reading portion. To obtain a gold rating, bands must receive a score of 9, for a perfect score, to a score of 13.5, for the lowest gold rating. The three judges in the concert room gave the band the scores of 10, 10, and 10.5 while the sight reading judge gave them a score of 9.5, almost a perfect score. Jasper's



concert band is the only concert band to have ever scored as high as they did. Overall, the band played exceptionally well and even gained a distinction which is given to very few bands within the state of Indiana.

# Saturday Softball Soirré Story by Sophie Weidenbenner





Saturday, May 2nd, the JHS softball girls gathered on a beautiful spring morning and geared up for a double header against South Dearborn. Before the games started though, Youth Recognition Day was celebrated with a grillout featuring free burgers. After the grill-out, youth teams from both Ireland Youth Sports and Jasper Youth Sports were called onto the field to be recognized. After the Recognition, the first game began. South Dearborn started things off by scoring a run in the top of the first inning-the only inning they were able to hold a lead over the Jasper girls. The first game was full of great plays and hits that earned the team yet another victory to add to their record. The game ended with Jasper holding a two run lead, 7-5. The second game played out a little rougher than the first. Though the Jasper girls fought hard and stayed competitive throughout, they fell a little short in the end. The girls were able to walk away with one win and one loss from the day.

## An Explosive Learning Experience

After an entire year of learning chemistry concepts like the periodic table, atoms, stoichiometry, and chemical reations, students were ready for "the big bang". Mrs. Theising and Mrs. Elrod took their chemistry classes out for a



demostration of what liquid nitrogen can do when its gases build up too much pressure. "It's a really 'cool' demonstration", Mrs. Elrod says with a smile on her face. "We try to reward students towards the end of the year. They've worked really hard throughout their first year of chemistry, and they always ask if they can see us blow

stuff up! And while chemistry is much more than that, it's kind of fun to see an explosion every once and a while."



# BRINGING IT HOME

Just as the Varsity team brought home an astonishing amount of wins, so did the boys Junior Varsity team. The JV team won a total of 17 games. Along their season, they also accepted minimal losses.















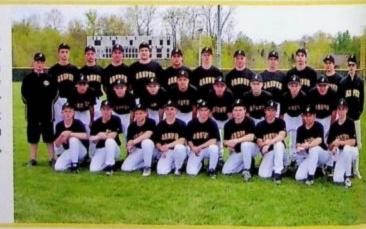


# Freshman, Adam Hedinger, is preparing to bat near the end of the game.

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Jared Sermersheim, sophomore, is eyeing the batter to make adash towards home plate.

Front row Noah Heim, Nolan Henke, Logan Niehaus, Dawson Hopf, Noah Weidenbenner, Reece Kleinhelter, Cameron Heeke, Ethan Wigand, Seth Mendel. Second row Christian Stemply, Austin Simmers, Max Henke, Quintin Gordon, Johnny Verkamp, Noah Luebbehusen, Andrew Hochgesang, Noah Mendel, Mason Thewes. Third row Jacob Lents, Tanner Egbert, Jared Seemersheim, Jack Heichelbech, Connor O' Brien, Justin Persohn, Adam Hedinger, Ethan Schroeder, Eric Nordoff, Cameron Pfister, Kenny Korthaus.





Three Up, Three Down

Freshman Eric Nordoff strolls off the mound after an inning full of strikes.



Painting The Black







Ready, Set, Steal

Freshman Noah Heim takes a big lead off before making a big run.



How do you think the season went?

Noah Heim, 9: "I thought it went really well, and we had fun all season long."



# **Fantastic** Freshman











## 2 TEAMS, 1 WINNER

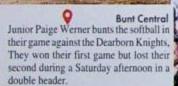
The girls softball team had an outstanding season. From the beginning of the season all the way to the end of the season. This was the first time in 7 years that the team won sectional. All their hard work and dedication to the team paid off. Everyone was filled with excitement after the 3rd out was made in the sectional championship against Southridge. They beat Southridge by run ruling them 10-0 in the 5th inning. The next stop was regional for the cats. The girls played their all but were not able to pull through. The game ended 1-0 against Gibson Southern. The game actually ended on a pretty controversial call. It was a very close call at home plate and the runner was called safe. A Herald photographer actually snapped a picture of the call that was

ruled safe, and the photo showed that it should have been called out. The girls were pretty upset the end it about this call, but that's part of the game too.



#### Senior Spotlight

Most players stick to a certain position throughout the season, or a few different positions. But senior Erin Terwiske could play at almost every position that the coachs put her. I don't really care what position I play. Wherever coach tells me to go, I go. And I go there with a smile on my face", says Erin Terwiske. Erin can be heard from the stands in every game. She is always heard encouraging the team and making sure the opposing team is frightened by her fearlessness. Erin is an asset to the girls softball team and she will definitely be missed next year.



#### Watch me catch

Katelyn Hedinger throws the ball to Nicolette Eckert after a catch that was called out in their sectional opener against Vincennes. They won that game 5-0.







#### DOUBLE PLAY

Freshman Grace Werner throws the ball to the second baseman to make it a double

#### PREGAME PHOTO

Paige Werner and Erin Terwiske take a quick picture before they take infield in a game at home.



### DIAMONDS ARE A GIRLS **BEST FRIEND**

Junior, Paige Werner and Bailee Seifert reflect on their season.

PAIGE WERNER: "My most favorite memory from this season was winning sectional because our parents did crazy stuff for us and we worked really hard for it."



#### What was it like after winning sectional?

BAILEE SEIFERT: "It was amazing, our biggest goal this year was to win sectional and we worked so hard to achieve it."



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Front Row: Jessica Mehringer, Kennedie Margarita, Paige Werner, Olivia Burger, Lindsay Mehringer, Lexie Rohlman, Emma Hopf, Nicolette Eckert, Grace Werner. Back Row: Anna Edwards, Maria Gobert, Alexa Stenftenagel, Katelyn Hedinger, Erin Terwiske, Bailee Seifert, Hannah Colvin, Colleen Hopf, Abby Libbert, Allison Reckelhoff, Kathryn Wigand, Olivia Knies.

# Speed & Strength

The Boys track team had a very successful season, going undefeated until conference. 15 Wildcats went to Regionals, which took place at Harrison, and sent 2, Reid Milligan and Corbin Kaiser, to the state meet in Bloomington. At regional, Kaiser broke his own school record in the 800 Meter run with a time of 1:58, coming in third when he was seeded ninth. Milligan also broke his own record in the 300 meter intermediate hurdles, finishing in 39.6 seconds. End of Season awards were: MVP-Reid Milligan Newcomer of the year-Corbin Kaiser Mental Attitude award-Donald Bough and Most improved-Caleb Dosch.



#### Record Setting Year.

After hurdling past his own school records, senior Reid Milligan won the team MVP award for the fourth time in his final season. Reid cemented his place in JHS history by setting, and beating his own 300 hurdles record by 0.12 seconds and placing 15th in this years state finals. Milligan finishes an illustrious career, while another JHS record setter is just getting started. Sophomore Corbin Kaiser is just in his first year on the track team, but was still able to finish third and set the school record in the 800 meter during regional. That's a record he hopes to reset next year as well.





In Sync Sophomore Cale Kilian and junior Henry Love in a familiar spot as they hit their stride together while distance running.

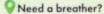






#### Senior Strides

Jason Buechlein, Senior, finishes his race during a JHS home meet.



First year record breaker Corbin Kaiser, sophomore, takes a breath after his state performance.

Photo courtesy of The Herald











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Tell City | 1/0 Pio
Forest Park | 1/0 Big
Heritage Hills | 1/0 Set
Gibson Southern | 1/0
Dubois Pike | 4/0
Boonville | 1/0
Vincennes/Washington | 2/0
Southridge | 1/0
Princeton Invitational | 10/1



Pioneer Invitational | 3/1 Big 8 Conference | 5/1 Sectionals | 8/1



Front row Collin Newkirk, Patrick Meiring, Tim Rohlman, Austin Schmidt, Kyle Foerster, Jason Buechlein, Henry Love, Sean Woodard, Joey Mormon. Row 2 Caleb Dosch, Cale Kilian, Aaron Farr, Willie Burnett, Elliot Prange, Hunter Gossett, Carson Englert, Luke Foster, Kelby Uebelhor, Matt Head. Row 3 Tanner Lamkin, Anthony Kluemper, Chase Noggle, Noah Mehringer, Jacob Small, Brandon Wildman, Corbin Kaiser, Jace Englert, Robert Mercer, Ryan Miller, Tristan Backer. Row 4 Damon Hayes, Hunter Mccune, Ryan Ewing, Addison Hoffman, Ruben Sedeno, Bryce Siegel, Jordan Ely, Josh Dewitt, Brett Hopf, Chris Backer, Sam Dewitt, Dawson Shively. Row 5 (coaches) Aaron Hohl, Joe Shelton, Cole Mehringer, Kevin Schipp.

# GOING THE DISTANCE

The Girls Varsity track team pushed the limits and finished with 33 wins along with 1 loss. During their outstanding season, they took home every 1st place title up until their big 8 conference. At the big 8 conference, they earned a strong 2nd place. A week later they kicked it up a notch and placed 1st at sectionals. Unfortunately, the following meet they fell behind placing 10th qualifying only three girls to state. The state qualifiers were Melinda Hopf for pole vault and Hannah Welsh for 3200 meter run, along with Annie Stout for high jump and 400 meter dash. Throughout their season, the girls showed their strengths earning many

awards. Some of the JHS award winners were Madeline Hurst, Erin Leinenbach, Hannah Welsh, Melinda Hopf, Tara Cassidy, and Annie Stout.



#### Distance Is Everything

Since Kayla Mehne was in the first round of students competing in discus, she had to get the best of scores. This is exactly what she did. After obtaining a scratch, sophomore the sophomore threw only her best for the following throws to come. During their Triangular meet against Vincennes and Washington, Kayla threw her discus a length of 81 feet and 6 inches. Shortly after, she launched her final throw. On her very last try she flew the discus an astonishing 88 feet even. Kayla threw the furthest in her round and out of all the Jasper students who also participated.





Madeline Hurst, senior, passes the baton to the finishing runner, junior Tara Cassidy during the Invitational against Dubios and Pike. They participated in the 1600 meter relay race.

#### Jumping To Victory

Junior Hannah Sibrel competes in long jump with her fellow students junior Kirby Ruhe and freshman Amanda Ackerman.







#### Breaking The Time

Hannah Welsh, junior, competed in the mile run against Northeast Dubois. She finished with an outstanding time of 5:38 snatching first place. This contributed to the overall score which ended as a victory for the cats.

#### Getting A Good Start

Sophomore Annie Stout gets ready to participate in the 400 Meter Dash during her meet against Heritage Hills while Erin Leinenbach assists her take off.



### IN THE RING

Hannah Hilgediek, senior, and Sasha Heeren, junior, answer a few questions.



#### What was your favorite part of the season?

"My favorite part was getting to know all of the new girls on the team this year and make new memories with them!"

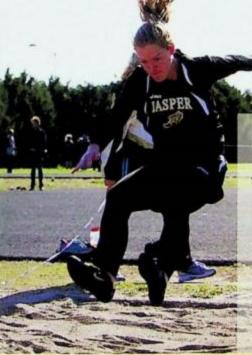
-Hannah Hilgediek, 12



#### What are you expecting for next year?

"I hope that next year we become sectional champs again, and that we get the title of conference champs!"

Sasha Heeren, 11



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#### APRIL

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Dubois | 1st
Tell City | 1st
Forest Park | 1st
Heritage Hills | 1st
Gibsan Southern | 1st
Dubois/Pike Inv | 1st
Boonville | 1st
Washington/Vincennest 1st
Southedge | 1st

Pioneer Relays | 1st 8ig 8 Conference | 2nd IHSAA Sectionals | 1st IHSAA Regional | 10th



Front row (left to right): Priscilla Olson, Hannah Hilgediek, Savannah Kerstiens, Makalyn Hurm, Madeline Hurst, Hannah Sibrel, Annie Stout, Reagan Otto, Alyssa Collignon, Shelby Sunderman, Melinda Hopf, Second row (left to right): Kirby Ruhe, Hannah Welsh, Erin Leinenbach, Rachel Welsh, Kayla Mehne, Lauren Schnell, Nicole Hentrup, Andrea Rillo, Chloe Berger, Taylor Small, Eva Van Den Bos, Third row (left to right): Tara Cassidy, Madisyn Hunt, Lindsey Aders, Emmi Gramelspacher-Zehr, Chloe Smith, Abigail Simone, Amanda Ackerman, Luci Hulsman, Breanna Bounds, Jaydan Bonifer, and Hannah Love. Fourth row (left to right): Kim Skibicki, Madalyn Jones, Erin Lyons, Emily Kuhlman, Adeline Bueltel, Olivia Ruckriegel, Sophie Ball, Steff Wood, Kate Weaver, and Jessica Hurst. Top row (left to right): Coach Kayla Beier, Coach Erin Spellmeyer, and Coach Dean Jerger.

## TAKE IT ALL THE WAY

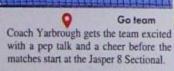
From their first meet at home against Mount Vernon to their last at IHSAA state, the Jasper girls' Tennis team gave it their all. Their goal for the team this year was to make it all the way to state. They ended the season with 15 wins and 5 losses. They won the Big 8 Conference, Sectionals, Regionals, and Semi-State. During State, they became finalists. The team has practiced tirelessly to get to state, and all their hard work paid off. "We had a great season because we made it to state," says senior Anna Flick. "We played really tough teams and beat a lot of the top twenty teams in the state. We ended up in sixth place at state, which was awesome."











On the Courts Junior Maria Lucken prepares for her match versus Castle high school. Jasper won the match 4-1.







#### Mental toughness

Freshman Sarah Monesmith serves during a match against Evansville Memorial.

#### Whice One!

Doubles partners Elizabeth Ahlbrand and Emma Yarbrough go for a high five after Elizabeth served during a match at



### Senior Memories

What was your favorite part of being on the tennis team through the years?

> ELISABETH AHLBRAND: "My favorite part of being in tennis is the bond the team forms through things like sleepovers and over night trips to tournaments with everyone."



ANNA FLICK: "I loved hanging out with the team. We [were really close] this year and we hung out all the time. We would hang out after invites and on the weekends, too."



## RESULTS

#### APRIL

Mt. Vernon | W Bloomington South | W South Bend St. Joe | L McCracken County | L Center Grove | W Floyd Central | W North Central | L Guerin Catholic | W Boonville | W Washington | W

#### MAY

Avon I W Penn I L Princeton | W Vincennes | W TH South | W Castle | W Gibson Southern | W Forest Park | W Southridge | W

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Front Row Aubrey Williams, Olivia Yarbrough, Caroline Theil, Averie Himsel, Sarah Monesmith, and Maggie Getzin. Row 2 Claire Egler, Anna Flick, Elisabeth Ahlbrand, Emma Seger, Emma Yarbrough, and Maria Lueken. Row 3 Kathleen Messmer, Mallory Ahlbrand, Coach Wilson Coach Yarbrough, Coach Hayes, Jillian Seger, and Ashley Hale.

# Aiming For Victory

Boys' golf had their invitational May ninth. They had a close match, but came out in second place. But that didn't stop them from making a strong comeback. On June fifth, the IHSAA Sectional match began. With schools all over the area coming to Sultan's Run, there was no doubt the day would be a long one. Sectionals started at eight, but due to all the schools competing, Jasper wouldn't start until 10:30. Stationed at different holes around the course, the boys were off to a great start. Though Reid Lorey, senior, had trouble at the first hole, it didn't discourage him from being the best. Lorey was one of the strongest golfers on the

course that day. He was willing to do what it takes to make his coach, Steve Milligan, proud. The boys brought home 2nd place in IHSAA Sectionals.



#### A Phenomenal Shot

Reid Lorey, senior, (pictured left) made quite the scene at the IHSAA Section match, June 6. As he first hit the ball, he wasn't expecting it to land in the edge of the woods next to the course. He approached the leaf covered ball. He practiced his swings, and walked around the scene, trying to find a view and a spot to hit the ball back onto the course. A few moments passed, and Reid chose a position. He swung back, hit the ball, and everyone stared as the ball flew back to course. "Nice!", "Good job, Reid!", and claps were heard from the audience. It was quite the phenomenal shot.



Joshua Krempp, junior, putts the ball forcefully, allowing it to slightly raise off the ground, letting it fly over the tiny hill he needed to get over, on May 9th.

Right On Point

Junior, Reece Beckman took his time and focused all his attention on getting the golf ball in the hole, on May 9th.







Nolan Harmon, freshman, takes a swing at Buffalo Trace, on May 9.

#### Special JHS Award Winners

#### All Conference:

Reid Lorey, Bryan Hagan, Joshua Krempp, and Carson Pierce

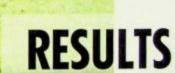
#### Most Valuable:

Reid Lorey

#### Mental Attitude Award:

Reid Lorey







Seymour Invite | W Evansville | W Boon/Tecumseh | W South Spencer | W Southridge | W Bud Bennet Memorial | W Tell City/ P.C. | W

#### May

BNL Invitational | W
Wildcat Invitational | W
Washington High School | W
Springs Valley HS | W
FP/South/P.C. | W
Big 8 | W
Heritage Hills | W
Boon/FP/SS | W
Southridge High School | W
Legends Of Providence | W



IHSAA Sectionals | W IHSAA Regionals | L



Front Row Max Otto, Evan Wolfe, Nolan Harmon, Reece Beckman, Willie Giesler, Matthew Lottes, Bryan Hagan, Evan Gress, and Connor Fritch. Row 2 Coach Steve Milligan, Joshua Krempp, Carson Pierce, Lucas Lehane, Reid Lorey, Nicholas Monesmith, Austin Kleiser, Aaron Persohn, and Alexander Korn.

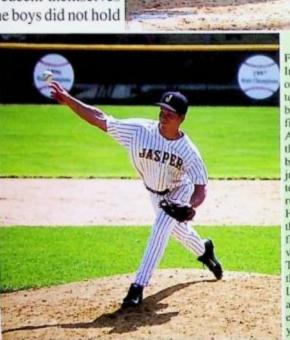
## THE HEART OF A CHAMPION

The boys started off their season right--by defeating the 2014 Class 1A State Champions, Shakamak, with a score of 7-3. It was a rainy season up until the very last game against the Andrean 59ers; a total of five games were rained out (including the annual Hall Of Fame Classic) and the state championship game was delayed twice. The rain delays or cancelations never seemed to affect the Wildcats, however, and they finished their season with an incredible record of 30 wins and 2 losses. Coach Gobert was able to win his 700th game in 28 seasons as the head coach. The Cats' one loss in the regular season came from a 12-inning game at Mt. Vernon, where Jasper was defeated 0-1. When given the chance to redeem themselves in the regional game against Mt. Vernon, the boys did not hold

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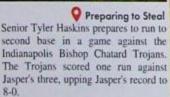
back, defeating them 6-2 to advance to semi-state. The boys defeated West Vigo 6-0 at semi-state but fell to the Andrean 59ers 1-2 at Victory Field. Senior Ben Moore was named the L.V. Phillips Mental Attitude Award winner at state. Despite their loss at state, these boys will go down in history as one of the hardest working teams in Jasper Baseball

history.



#### "Moore" than enough

Five years old on a baseball diamond in Avon. Indiana. At such a young age, no one could be certain of what was to come for Ben Moore, but he could tell you that baseball was his favorite sport from the beginning. Ten years later, Ben was taking on a new field in Jasper, Indiana. He and fellow senior Austin Alles were sophomores playing on Ruxer Field with the varsity team, a feat most freshmen and JV baseball players only dream of achieving before their junior year. In his first year on the varsity team, the team played their way to Victory Field but fell one run short of a state championship against Norwell. His junior year was a different story, with a loss in the second round of sectional against Southridge. His final season was full of fantastic plays and exciting victories, ending with another visit to Victory Field The Cats fell to the Andrean 59ers by one run, ending the season with a 30-2 record. Ben was named the L.V. Phillips Mental Attitude Award winner and accepted his plaque with tears in his eyes. "Enjoy every moment of playing sports," Ben says, "because you can never get them back.



#### Designated Hitter

Senior Austin Hopf, widely known by his nickname 'Squirrel', sprints home and scores a run for the Wildcats on senior night. The Cats defeated Bloomfield with a score of 12-2.







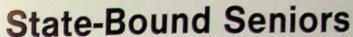
#### Game Face

Junior Cal Krueger pitches in the regional game against the Mt. Vernon Wildcats. Mt. Vernon was Jasper's only loss in the regular season, but the Cats successfully defeated them 6-2 in the regional game to advance to semi-state against West Vigo.

#### Regional Champions

Junior Grant Theil makes his way to third base while junior Craig Shepherd is up to bat in the regional championship game against Mt. Vernon. The Cats defeated Mt. Vernon 6-2 after defeating South Dearborn 14-1 earlier that day.





Seniors Austin Alles and Tyler Begle share their favorite memories from baseball following their state appearance.



Tyler Begle: "Playing with the seniors and just playing for Jasper one last time. I wouldn't want to do it with any other team. The work ethic on this year's team was amazing."



Austin Alles: "My favorite memories from baseball would be debating things with my teammates before and after practices. Several times we debated whether Lebron James or Michael Jordan was the best basketball player ever."



Shakamak | W
Evansville Memorial | W
Evansville Central | W
Mt. Carmel ( W
Pike Central | W
Shakamak | W
Castle | W
New Albany | W
Indianapolis Bishop
Chatard | W
Heritage Hills | W

#### APRIL (continued)

Princeton | W Washington | W Vincennes Rivet | W Bloomington South | W Northeast Dubois | W

#### MAY

Jeffersonville | W Cathedral | W Forest Park | W Southridge | W

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Shakamak | W
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Mt. Vernon | L
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#### JUNE

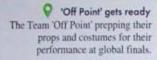
Vincennes Lincoln | W South Dearborn | W Mt. Vernon | W Semi-State | W State | L



Front Row Austin Hopf, Cameron Mendel, Larry Burgess, and Craig Popp. Row 2 Assistant Coach Phil Kendall, Ben Moore, Craig Shepherd, Tyler Haskins, Zach Keusch, Cal Krueger, Brandon Bayer, Gavin Lorey and Head Coach Terry Gobert. Row 3 Tate Blessinger, Cody Jacob, Austin Alles, Evan Aders, Logan Mathies, Grant Theil, and Tyler Begle.

#### Behind the scenes

Jason Buechlein was working on a prop for their project to use in the structural competition.









Enjoying nature
Kade and Bryce are enjoying the outdoors before their competition.



Destination Imagination is an educational non-profit organization whose purpose is to inspire and prepare them to become the next generation of innovators and leaders. These students compete in different types of competitions. Some competitions include, structural, improvisational,

technical, theatrical, and service. They can compete at regionals, state, and nationals. A lot of people worldwide participate in this organization. Noah Rydberg and his team competed in the structural competition.





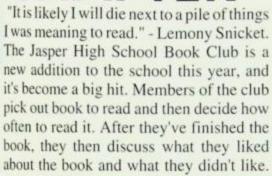


Throughout the competitions, both teams became more emotionally amd physically close together. Bonds were created that would forever be carved into their souls, and the memories will last for a lifetime.









During the year, they also hosted a Harry Potter movie marathon where they asked for donate books as an admittance fee. They donated the books to Better World Books, a charity that decided to change the world and help impact the world literacy rate. They also made paper wands and had Harry Potter themed desserts at the marathon.



#### © Expelliarmus!

Freshman Becca Keaton makes a paper wand at the Harry Potter movie marathon in April. The club raised over two hundred books for Better World Books



















Team Ts

Senior Ryan Fritz, a co-founder of the Knitting Club, helps organize club t-shirts to hand out to members.



# A STITCHIN'

This year has marked a new beginning for many clubs and activities at Jasper, including the knitting club. The knitting club was founded by senior Reagan Moorman. During their meetings, the members teach themselves and each other how to knit. They make a wide variety of items, from scarves to bracelets.

The knitting club brought together a diverse group of high school students at Jasper High School. The members gathered every Wednesday and Friday to learn how to knit as well as create.

Qunbelievable Moments
Being in Key Club gives
others an opportunity to
make new friends and the
chance to create memories
they will never forget.











Key Club teaches students about leadership by helping others in many different ways and doing good for the community. They build themselves as respectful and independent individuals by helping society and being good role models to kids and other individuals. On April 18th, members fixed the landscaping at the Jasper River Walk, as pictured above. They put in fresh mulch and also got rid of any weeds, twigs, or leaves. It's little things like this that make Key Club members feel good about themselves.

On April 24th, JHS held a Key Club banquet for the members and were awarded for their hard work and dedication to the community. On March 27-29, few members traveled to Indianapolis to meet other Key Club members in Indiana. They got to meet many other people and some even made new friends in the process.







On April 17th, many GSA students participated in the Day Of Silence.

Final Meeting of the Year
Tuesday, May 12th, GSA had their last
club meeting. They invited a 2011
graduate, Kurt Lechner, to talk about
his experience of being gay at Jasper.
He had numerous tips and help for all
members of GSA.



# Gay Straight Alliance

A Gay Straight Alliance is a student-run club that provides a safe place for LGBTQ students in high school and middle school. It gives a place for straight activists to support other students and fight homophobia and transphobia. Research shows that schools with a GSA club report less depression and suicide, less use of tobacco, drugs, and alcohol, less skipping school and better grades, less incidents of verbal and physical abuse, and higher graduation rates. One of

the main events in GSA is the conversations helping and talking to LGBT members. Every year at Jasper, GSA members participates in the Day Of Silence. The Day of Silence was founded in 1996 at University of Virginia. This national day asks students across the country to vow to take a form of silence to call attention to the silencing effort of anti-LGBT bullying and harassment in schools.



#### The Fine Paint

Senior SOFA member Nicole Hopf zones in on the finer details of the mural, filling in the stripes on Doc McStuffins' shirt.

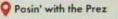


#### Under the Sea

Reagan Moorman, senior at JHS, wo on putting the final touches on the majestic ocean scene mural Sunday morning.







Lydia Schmitt, senior, takes from the tedious mural paint pose. Lydia is the current pro SOFA.

February 27 through March 1st, the Society of Fine Arts Club was hard at work painting the wall of the Memorial Hospital. The members were more than willing to give back to their community with this work of art. One of the hospital's pediatricians, Dr. Michael Ruff, has been a tremendous force in helping support the club's annual Fun Run. This run has been held at the Jasper Middle School for the past couple of years and has been a great success. Because of Dr. Ruff's generosity, the idea came about to

show appreciation for his kindness. What better way for an art club to do this than by painting? The club worked out two designs for two different murals. The first is located in the waiting area and features an ocean scene. The second is located in Dr. Ruff's office and, fittingly enough, depicts the popular children's cartoon Doc McStuffins. To go alongside Doc McStuffins and her animal friends, senior Alana Rasche designed a cartoon version of Dr. Ruff that was incorporated into the mural.









Pictured below is the team; of from left to right: Curtis Hagan (J), Trevor Goeppner (J), Mitchell Schitter (Sr), Garrett Armstrong (Soph), ?, Brayden Gehlhausen (J), Bryan Hagan (F), Nathaniel James (Soph), Kyle Schmitt, ?, William Schmitt, Back row: their instructor Fred Routson



Meeting on Monday nights nearly all year long and almost everyday in January and February, the Thundercats of the JHS Robotics Team build and brand new robot to participate in the FIRST Robotics Competition. This year the robot was nearly five feet tall and weighed more than 100 pounds. It was designed an built to pickup and stack storage totes and place them on scoring platforms. They named it Velociraptor.

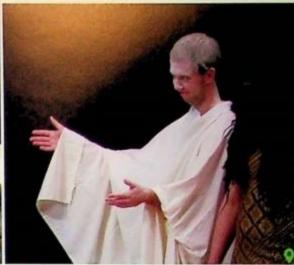
The robotics team competed in two state district events this year.

The first was at North Lawrence High School in Indianapolis where the team placed in the top ten and was an alliance captain. The second was at Purdue University where the team did well enough to end the season ranked 33rd in the state just missing the 32 team cut-off for the state competition. Well done Thundercats!

The robotic



Senior Austin Alles, dressed as Juliette, leans over a dead Romen, played by senior Cameron Libbert.



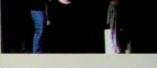
Who Wants A Hug?

Senior Kyle Foerster, dressed as a ghost from Macbeth, attempts to hug senior Daniel Eby during their game show-themed Shakesfest skit.









### SHAKESFEST

Through teachers' neverending attempt to make learning fun, one of the most anticipated events of the school year was created. Each year, the senior class must read

a few of the works of the world-famous William Shakespeare and interpret his plays. Near the end of the school year, the students are asked to plan a skit, write a script, memorize lines, and perform in front of the student body. All of these skits are related to Shakespeare's plays in some way, such as Romeo & Juliet, A Midsummer Night's Dream, and Hamlet. Many boys wear wigs and dresses while a few girls throw on their most masculine clothes and pretend to be the boys. This year, there were epic fight scenes and even an epic dance routine. But most importantly, as in all of the years before, there was tragedy and there was love.

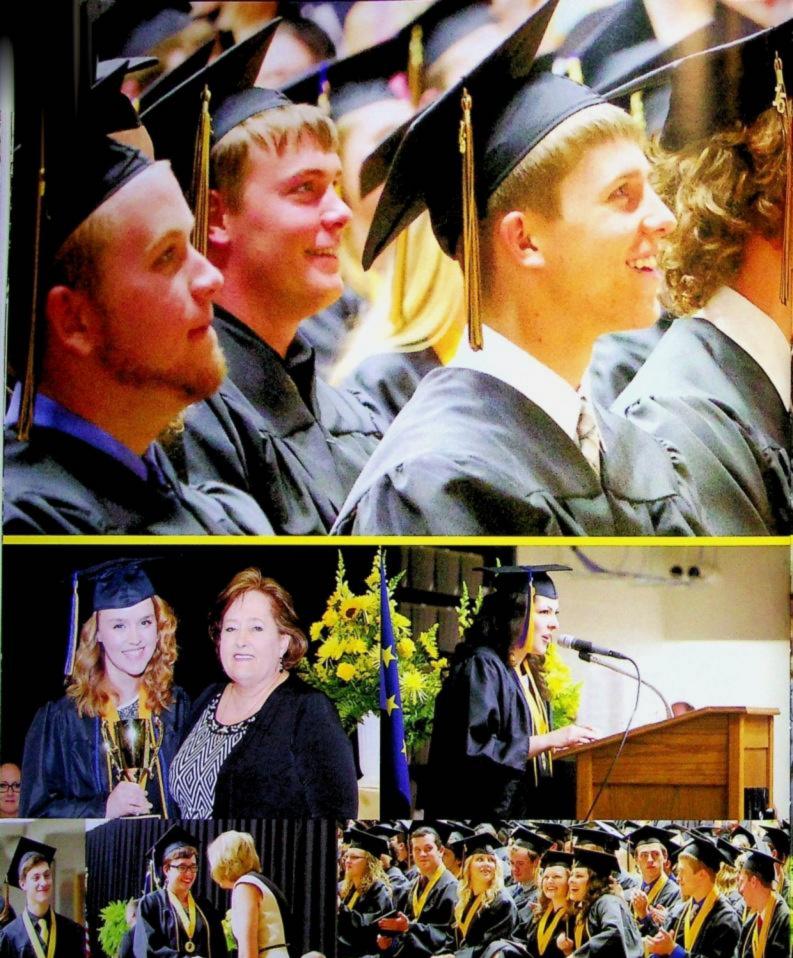




















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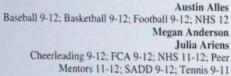
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Elisabeth Ahlbrand

Volleyball 9-12; Basketball 9-12; Tennis 9-12; Student Council 9-12; SADD 9-12; FCA 9-12; Spanish Club 9-10; Key Club 9; Peer Mentor 11-12; Younglife 9-12; NHS 11-12; Circle of Concern 9-12

Nolan Ahrens

Basketball 9-12, Football 9-12, National Honor Society 11-12, Young Life 9-12









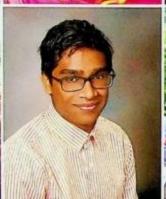






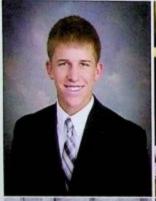








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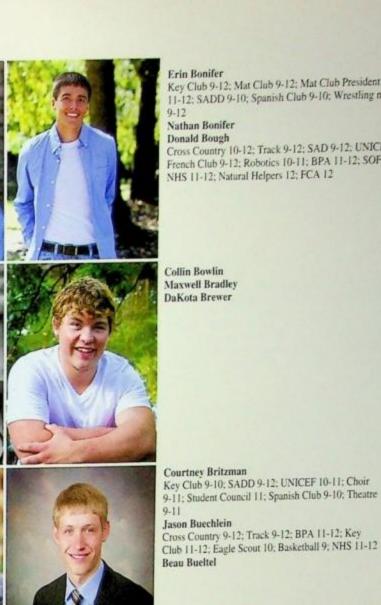
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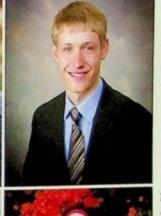










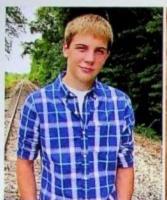


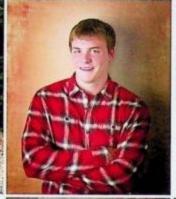
Nicholas Burke Alex Cassidy GSA 9-12; Marching Band 9-11; Symphonic Band Darian Chatman



Amy Chevez Chandra Cissell Joseph Cleveland

Noah Collon Trey Collon Motorsports 10-12; Track & Field 11-12 Hannah Colvin Key Club 9-10; SOFA 11; Softball 9-12; Swimming 9







Madison Cornetet Academic Bowl 10; Band 9-12; Choir 9-12; GSA 9-12; German Club 9-11; Speech Team 10-12; Spell Bowl 10; Theater 11 Alexis Crabtree **Emily Cushman** Band 9; BPA 10-12; Key Club 9-12 (Secretary 11, Vice President 12); NHA 11-12 (Vice President 12); Student







Elizabeth Day Christian Deleon Breanna Dillon NHS 11-12; Girls State 11; SADD 9-11; Spanish Club 9-10; 4-H 9-12







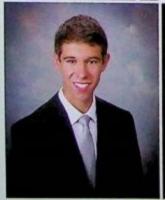
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Daniel Eby Isaac Eckerle Rhiley Eckert



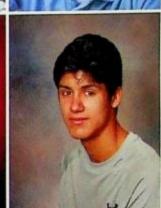












Adam Fierst Jazz Band 9-12; Marching Band 9-12; Pep Band 9-12; Symphonic Band 9-12; BPA 9-12 (Vice President 10-11, President 12); Key Club 9-12; NHS 11-12; Natural Helpers 12; SADD 9-12; Spanish Club 9-12

Diego Espinosa
Track and Field 9; Marching Band 9-12; Concert Band 9-12;
Motorsports 9-10; Speech and Debate 10; Theatre 11-12

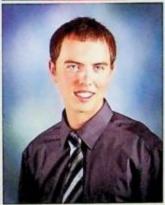
Basketball 9; BPA 1 year; NHS 11-12; Eagle Scout Troop 185

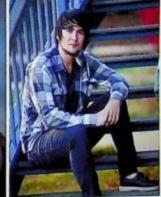
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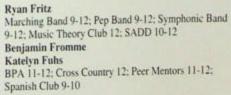


Mitchell Flynn Kyle Foerster Malcolm Foster















Raul Garces Martin Garcia-Dixon Ross Gehlhausen

Queanna Gentry SADD 9-12; BPA 10-12; Spell Bowl 11-12; French Club 10-11; Spanish Club 9; Peer Mentors 12; Younglife 9-12; Wyldlife 12 Nicholas Goeppner Emma Gollehon







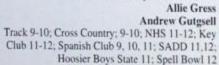
Lucas Gonzalez Kelsey Graman SADD 9-12; Choir 9-12; Performing Arts 9-12; French Club 9-11; Yearbook 9; Dance Team 9 Cassandra Gregory







Abigail Gress
Bat Girl 9-10; Concert Band 9-10; Marching Band
9-10; BPA 10-12; D.A.R.E. Teacher 11; Key Club
9-12; Mat Girl 9-10; Natural Helpers 11-12; NHS
11-12, President 12; Peer Mentor 11-12; Peer Tutor
11-12; SADD 9-12; Spanish Club 9, 11, 12; Spell
Bowl 12; Student Council 10-12, Class Vice
President 12; Wyldlife Leader 12









Devin Haas Annika Harmon Alexis Hartley





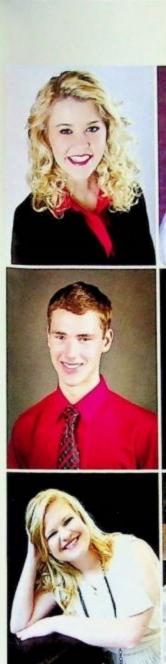


Tyler Haskins Meylin Hercules Angel Hernandez











Vanessa Hickman Lauren Hildenbrand Hannah Hilgediek Dance Team 9-12; FCA 9-10; Hoosier Girls State 11; Mat Club 9-12; Motorsports 9-12; NHS 11-12; Peer Mentors 11-12; Track & Field 9, 11, 12



Luke Hoffman Diving 9-12; NHS 11-12 Austin Hopf Baseball 9-12; Football 2 years; Basketball 2 years Colleen Hopf Basketball 9; Softball 9-12; Key Club 9-12; SADD 9-10; NHS 11-12; Wyldlife 11-12; Younglife 9-12; BPA 9-12; FCA 9







Nicole Hopf Full Out Tumble & Cheer 10-12; Mat Club 9; NHS 12; SADD 9-11; SOFA 10-12 (Secretary 11, Vice President 12); Spanish Club 9-10; UNICEF 10-12 (President 10 & 12, Vice President 11) Cameron Humbert Makalyn Hurm















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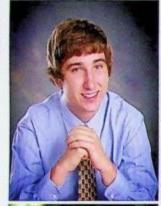
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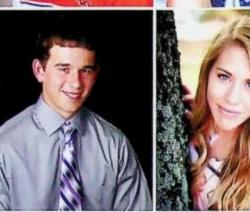






Ty Keusch Football 9; Track 9 Zachary Keusch Morgan Kissel







Taylor Kleinhelter BPA 3 years; SADD 2 years; Bat Girls 9-12; Key Club 2 years; Yearbook 12; Peer Mentors 2 years Austin Kleiser Golf 10-12 Blake Knies Basketball 9; Key Club 9-12; Motorsports 9-12; NHS



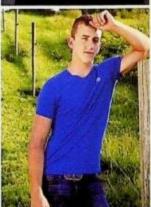




Alexandria Krapf Volleyball 9-12; Basketball 9-2; NHS 11-12; IHSAA Student Advisory Committee 2 years; Peer Mentor 1 year; Student Council 9-12; Spanish Club 3 years; Wyldlife Leader 11-12; Brooke Kreilein Cole Kreilein





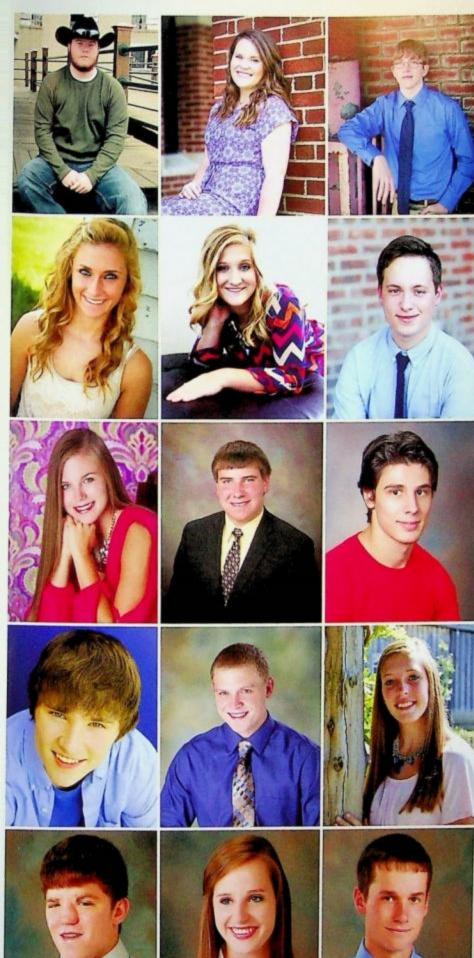


Rachel Kreilein Marching Band 9-12; Symphonic Band 9-12; Jazz Band 12; NHS 11-12; SADD 9-12; Spanish Club 9-10 Alex Kuhlman **Jackson Land** 









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Kaitlyn Leistner Jenna Letterman Trevor Leuck BPA 10, 12; Key Club 11-12; Motorsports 9-12; NHS 11-12; SADD 9-12; Spell Bowl 12; Spanish Club 9-11; SOFA 10-12; Student Council 11-12; UNICEF 10-12

Abby Libbert FCA 9, 12; Key Club 9; NHS 12; Peer Mentors 12; Softball 9-12; Student Council 11-12; Volleyball 9-12 Cameron Libbert Carter Light

Evan Lindauer Mitchell Lindauer Student Council 1 year; Baseball 2 years; Football 3 years; Ski and Snowboard Club 9-12 Mackenzie Loomis

Gavin Lorey Kiersten Lorey Reid Lorey

Travis Love Spanish Club 9-11; Natural Helpers 10-11; SADD 9-12; Yearbook 10-12 Cameron Luther Elizabeth Magee



Killian Maher Bowling Club 9-12; Theatre 9-12 Shalyn Major Dance team 9; SADD 9, 11, 12; BPA 11-12; Spanish Club 9-10; French Club 11-12; UNICEF 11-12; Peer Mentors 11-12; Natural Helpers 12 Juan Martinez







Leah Mauder Marching Band 9-12; Symphonic Band 9-12; Pep Band 9: Key Club 9-12: BPA 9-12; Student Council 10-12; NHS 11-12 Christian May Alexis Mehringer Bat Girl 10-12; BPA 11-12; Mat Club 10-12; NHS 11-12; Peer Mentors 11-12; SADD 9-12; Spanish Club 9-10; Student Council 9-11; Swimming & Diving 9-12; UNICEF 11-12; Young Life 9-12







Carrie Mehringer Key Club 9-12; Mat Club 9, 11, 12; NHS 11-12; Natural Helpers 12; Peer Mentors; Spell Bowl 10-12; Student Council 10-12 Dylan Mehringer Key Club 9; Younglife 9-12 Makenzie Mehringer BPA 12; NHS 12; SADD 9, 12; SOFA 12; Spanish Club 9; UNICEF 12



















Cameron Mendel Basketball 9-10; Baseball 9-10; Key Club 9-12; SADD 9-12; FCA 10-12; BPA 12; NHS 11-12; Younglife 11-12 Phylicia Mendel Andrew Meneilly Concert Band 9-10; Marching Band 9-10; Bowling 9-11







Cristopher Menjivar Carly Merder Mariya Merkley Marching Band 9-12; Concert Band 9-10; Symphonic Band 11-12; Swimming & Diving 9-11; French Club 9-12; NHS 11-12; Yearbook 9-12







Kaylee Miles
Theatre Arts 9-12; GSA 10-11; Choir 9-12; Game
Club 11
Reid Milligan
Football 9-12; Track 9-12; NHS 11-12; Natural
Helper 10-12; Spanish Club 9-10
Nicholas Monesmith
Concert Band 9; FCA 9-12; Golf 9-12; Hoosier Boys
State 11; Key Club 9-12; Motorsports 10, 12; SADD
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Class President 10; Tennis 9-12







Benjamin Moore Baseball 9-12; Football 9-12; NHS 11-12 Reagan Moorman Cassidey Morrison

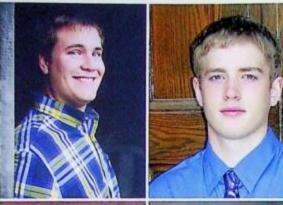




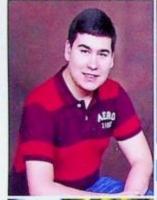


Lina Mowat
Cross Country 9-12; Key Club 9-12; BPA 9-12;
Spanish Club 9-12; SADD 9-12; UNICEF 11-12; Spell
Bowl 11-12; Spell Bowl 11-12; Student Congress 1-12
Taylor Moya
Anna Mundy
Basketball 9-12; Circle of Concern 9-12; FCA 9-12;
Key Club 9-10; NHS 11-12; Natural Helpers 10-12;
SADD 9-12; Spanish Club 9-11; Wyldlife Leader
11-12; Young Life 9-12

Ryan Neuhoff
Collin Newkirk
Stephen O'Connor
Destination Imagination 10-11; FCA 9-12; Key Club
9-12; NHS 11-12; Peer Mentors 11-12; SADD 9-12;
Soccer 9-12; Spanish Club 9-12; Student Council
10-12; Wyldlife Leader 12; Young Life 9-12



Travis Onyett Irvin Orellana Haley Perkins



Dustin Persohn Dylan Persohn Benjamin Popp







Carson Popp Craig Popp Baseball Manager 9-12; SADD 12; FCA 9, 12; Basketball 9; Basketball Manager 10; NHS 11-12 Garrett Powell





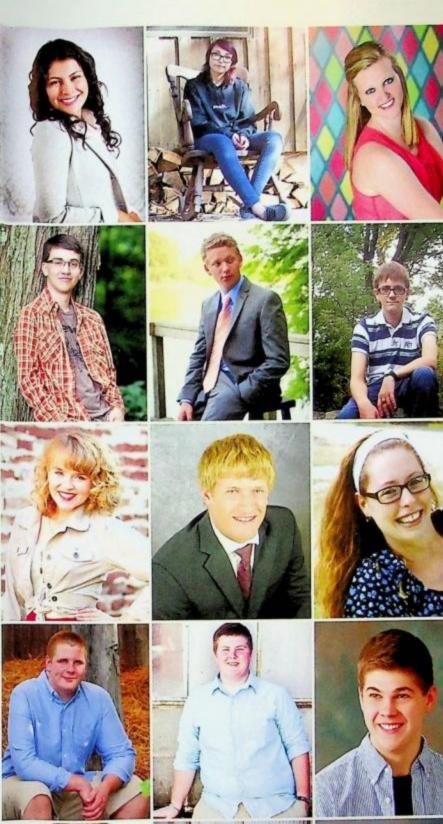


Sarel Pretorius Steven Quick Ethan Rademacher Soccer 9-10; BPA 11-12; Key Club 9; Track and Field 12; Student Manager 11









Tania Ramos
Academic Bowl 10-12; SADD 10-11; SOFA 10-12; Student
Council 9-12 (Class President 12); UNICEF 10-12; Wyldlife
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Sarah Reckelhoff

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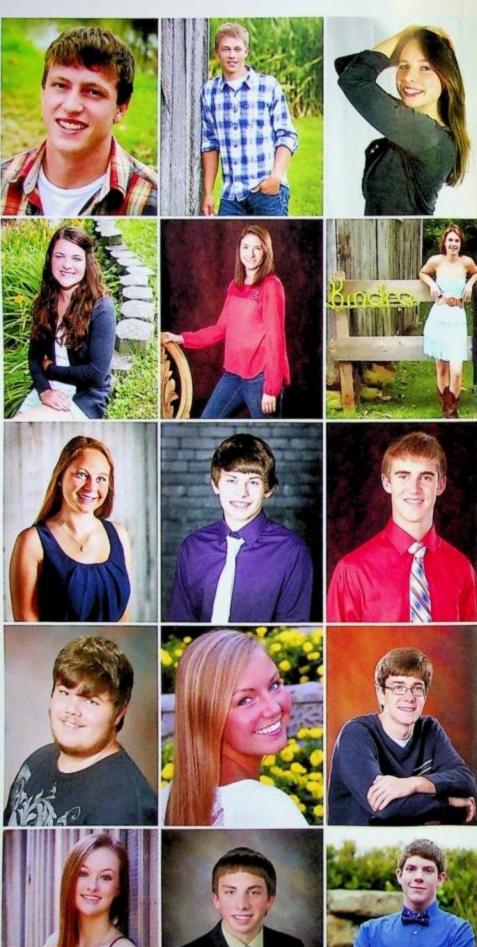
Madeleine Robling Timothy Rohlman Football 9-12; Track 9-12; BPA 12; Cooked his own dinner 12 Desiree Royer

Christopher Ruxer Noah Rydberg Marching Band 9-12; Junior Achievement 3; BPA 12; Destination Imagination 9-12; Younglife 11-12; Bosco 2; Eagle Scout Asher Saare

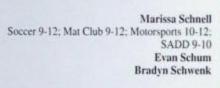


Clara Sander Mitchell Schitter Ashley Schloesser

Austin Schmidt
Dylan Schmidt
Lydia Schmitt
Lydia Schmitt
Volleyball 9-12; SOFA 9-12; Spanish Club 9; LYO
9-12; Academic Bowl 10-12; UNICEF 10-12; NHS
11-12; FCA 12; Wyldlife Leader 12; Aspire Volleyball



Sydney Schmitt
NHS 11-12; Peer Mentors 11-12; SADD 9-12; Student
Council 2 years
Mallory Schnaus
Marching Band 9-12; Key Club 9-12; French Club 3
years; SADD 2 years; Bosco 2 years; MAT Club 3
years; BPA 3 years
Kindra Schnell

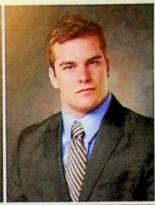


Jacob Scott Bailee Seifert SADD 9: Softball 9-12; Volleyball 9 Jordan Seifert

Faith Sendelweck Jason Sermersheim Travis Smith Track & Field 9-11; Wrestling 9-12







Trent Smith Football 9-12; Team Tailgate 11-12; Ultimate Frisbee Club 11-12; Wrestling 9-12 Alec Sollman Ian Songer





Brett Stemle Rachel Sternberg Basketball 9; Circle of Concern 9-10; FCA 10-12; Key Club 9-10; NHS 11-12; Student Council 11-12; Volleyball 9-120 Emma Stout Volleyball 9-12; Basketball 9-11; Key Club 9-10; SADD 9-10: FCA 9-12; SAAC 10-12; NHS 11-12; Peer Mentors 12; Student Congress 11-12; Spanish





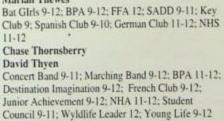


Olivia Tanner Karlee Tarvin Erin Terwiske BPA 10; NHS 11-12; Natural Helpers 10; SADD 9; Softball 9-12















Michaela Tinker Clayton Traylor Cross Country 9-12; FCA 9-12; French Club 9-12; NHS 11-12; SOFA 10-12; Track & Field 9-11; UNICEF 11-12; Wyldlife Leader 11-12; Young Life

Maddison Ubelhor Basketball 9-12; SADD 12

Nolan Uebelhor Scott Varner Chase Wagner Concert Band 9-10; Marching Band 9-10; Pep Band 9-10; Motorsports 11-12



Tiffany Warner Grant Weaver SOFA 10; Tennis 9-12; Young life 10-12 Travis Wehr Motorsports 9-12; 4H 9-12

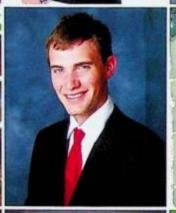






Sophie Weidenbenner
FCA 10-12; NHS 11-12; SADD 10-12; SOFA 10-12;
Spanish Club 9-10; Track & Field 9; UNICEF 10-12;
Volleyball 9-12; Yearbook 10, 12
Adam Weinzapfel
Kinsey Weisensteiner
Cheerleading 9; SADD 9-12; SOFA 10-12; UNICEF
12







Amanda Welp
Jared Welp
Basketball 9: 4-H 9-12
Lindsey Welp
Symphonic Band 9-12; Marching Band 9-12; Drum
Major 11-12; Pep Band 9-12; JazzBand 9-12; Music
theory Club 12; SOFA 9-12; SADD 9-12; Key Club
9-11; NHS 11-12







Spanish Club 11-12; SOFA 9, 11, 12; UNICEF 9-11;
Key Club 1-12
Julie Weyer
DI 9-12; Marching Band 9-12; Pep Band; 9-12;
Concert Band 9-11; Symphonic Band 12; IMEA AllState Band 12; Internediate Choir 9; Advanced Choir
10-12; ICDA All State Honor Choir 12; Performing
Arts Club 9-12; Book Club 12
Noah Whalen
Football 9-12; Motorsports 10-12; NHS 11-12

DCA Dance Team 10-12; JHS Dance team 9; BPA 12;

Kayla Werner







Bailey Wigand Jerod Williams Carter Wilson



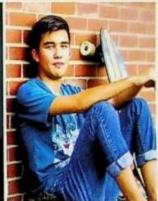




Grant Wilson Shandra Wilson Tessa Wohlberg







Maeve Wurster

Maeve Wurster
Book Club 12: Choir 9-12: NHS 11-12; Peer Mentors
12: Performing Arts 9-12; Spell Bowl 11-12;
Swimming & Diving 9-10
Austin Young
Wrestling 9; Swimming and Diving 9-12; Robotics
9-12; Cross Country 10-11; Track 9-11; Motorsports
11-12
Alex Refugia



Matthew Mcdaniel



Most Dependable

Anna Mundy & Tyler Haskins

Anna Mundy & Tyler

Worst Driver Austin Ruxer Best Driver

# SENIOR

# LATIVES

Most Likely to Hest a Daytime Talk Show

Most Likely to Heinhelter & Derek Beckman

Most Likely to Win an Olympic

Most Likely to Win an Olympic Medal

Julia Ariens & Mitch Mehringer

#### Most Likely to Brighten Someone's Day

Most Likely to be Featured in the Louvre

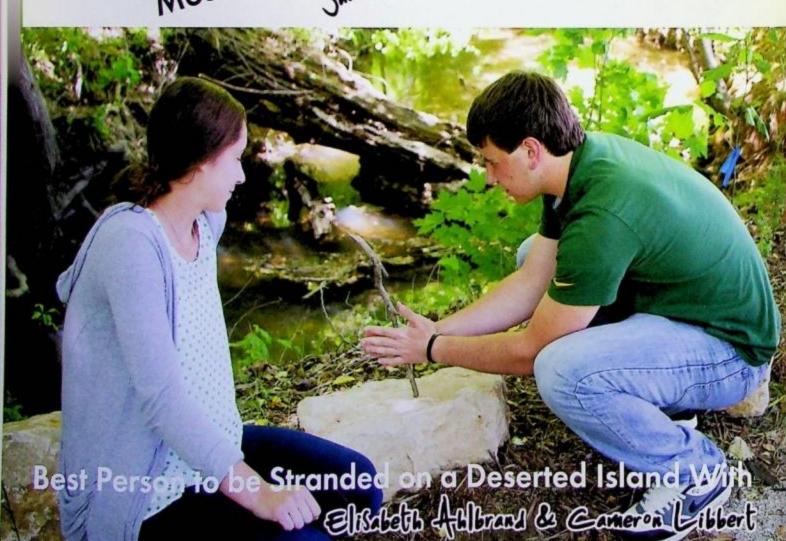
Queanna Gentry & Ted Boeglin

First to Move Out of Jasper

Reagan Moorman & Clayton Traylor

Most Likely to Win a Grammy/ scar/Tony

Vanessa Hickman & Diego Espinosa With Anything
With Anything
Most Likely to Get Away Wilson & Donald Bough
Shandra Wilson & Donald Bough









Most Likely to Travel the World

Tania Ramos & Adam Fierst Worst Case of Senioritis

Mary Lechner & Grant Weaver

Most Dependable

Most Dependable

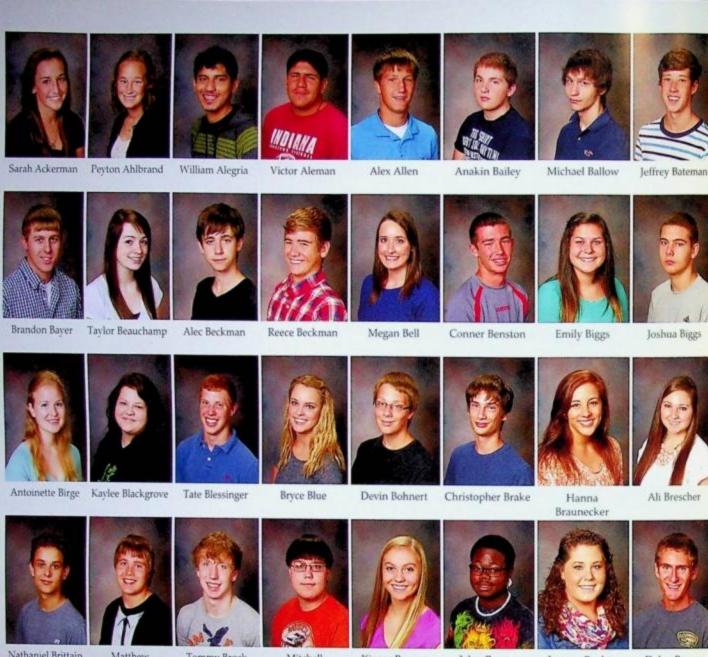
Tyler Haskins

Anna Mundy & Tyler Haskins

Likely to Live Happily Ever After

Best Bromance

Nolan Ahrens & Rhiley Eckert





Britzman

Tommy Brock

Mitchell Brockman

Kinsey Bromm

Jalyn Brown

Lauren Buchta



Dylan Burger



Olivia Burger



Lawrence Burgess



Willie Burnett



Liam Byrne



Christopher Clark



Heather Conrad

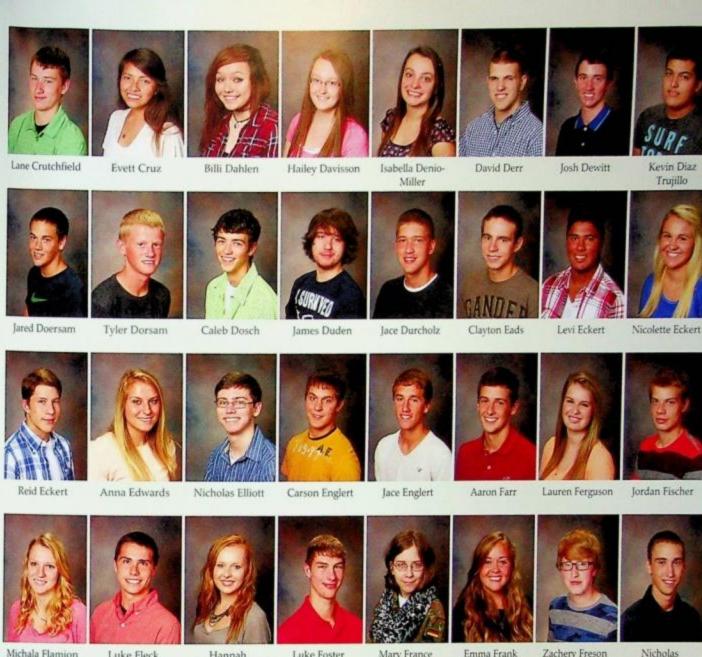


Alexis Crabtree



Tabitha Crockett

### Juniors





Michala Flamion

Luke Fleck

Hannah Fleetwood

Luke Foster

Mary France

Emma Frank

Zachery Freson



Nicholas Freyberger



Tyler Gagnon



Ashton Gehlhausen



Brayden Gehlhausen



River Gehlhausen





Peyton Gentry

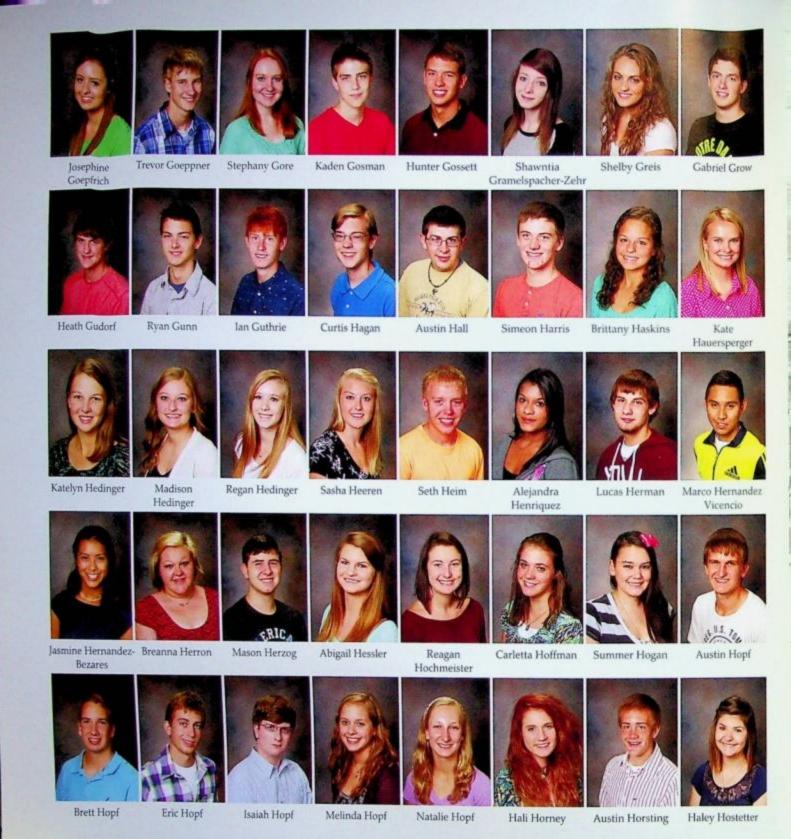




Monica Giesler Anniken Gjaerum



Justin Goebel



#### Juniors





Alexander Korn



















Joshua Krempp













Teyah Leinenbach

Zachary Lofton

Auriel Long

Jennifer Lopez

Mendy Lopez

Oldin Lopez

Perlita Lopez

Henry Love









Megan O'Brien



Luis Oceloct



Olivia Otto



Payton Painter



Mikaela Palmer

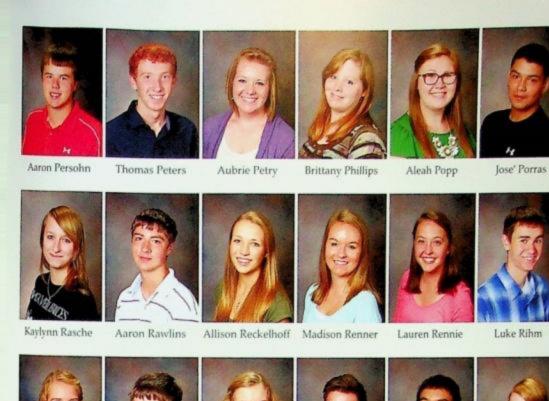


Savanna Parr



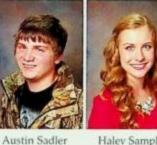
Melissa Perez

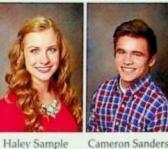
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Jade Rohlman

Brielle Prange



Camille Ruff

Nazarena Ramos













Schepers





















Noah Schroering

Collin Schue

Benjamin Schuetter

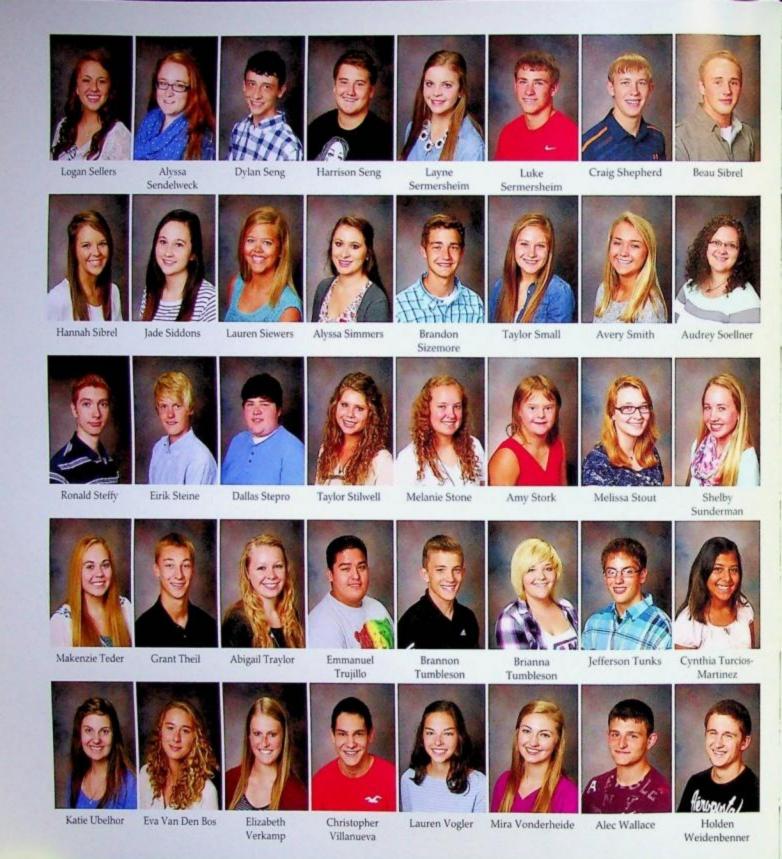
Collin Schwenk

Molly Schwenk

Tanner Scott

Emma Seger

Logan Seger



### Juniors



Rylee Weisheit



Madalyn Weisman



Sabrina Wells



Hannah Welsh



Rachael Welsh



Ben Wendholt



Paige Werner



Carsyn Wessel



Kiersten Weyer



Clarissa Whitaker



Elizabeth White





Morgan Wigand Cayden Williams Emily Wininger





Allison Wood



Philip Wood





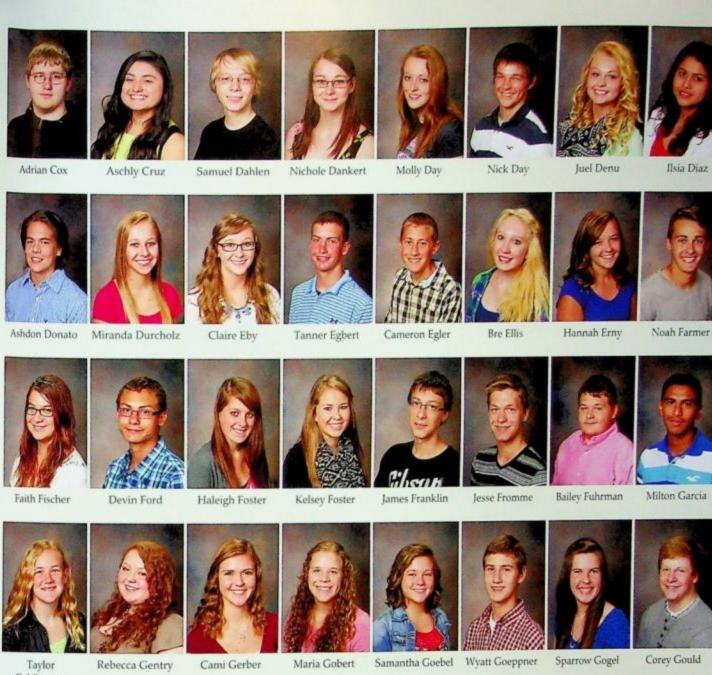


Beatrice Woolsey Emma Yarbrough

Monica Zachary



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Paige Green



**Emily Haas** 



Braden Halcomb



Kaylee Halcomb



Ashley Hale



Kennedee Hart

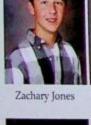


Matthew Head



Adam Hedinger









Joshua Kiefer



Cale Kilian



Casey King



Levi King



Reece Kleinhelter



Hannah Knies



Olivia Knies



Kenny Korthaus

# Sophomores





Luebbehusen



Alyssa Lueken



Emma Luker



Leo Magana



Daisy Magee



Brandon Mair



Brett Louviere



Abigail Loya

Samuel Lehmkuhler

Emma Martin



Trey Matheis



**Emily Mathies** 



Mackenzie Mathies



Kayla Mehne





Grace Mehringer Hailey Mehringer Jordan Mehringer





Kyle Mehringer



Lindsay Mehringer



Molly Mehringer



Noah Mehringer



Yesica Mejia Morales



Robert Mercer



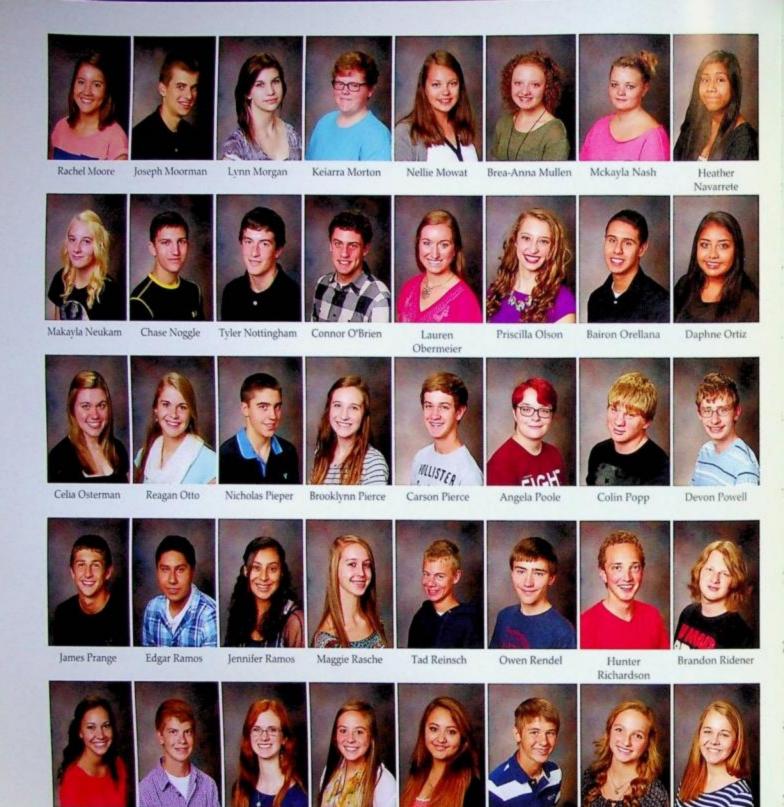
Kathleen Messmer



Cody Mills



Drew Moore



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Justin Rottet

Hannah Rydberg

Rilyn Rusher

Andrea Rillo

Luke Robling

Allison Rogers

Lexie Rohlman

Maria Rosales





Kyle Schmitt



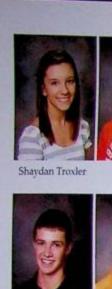
William Schmitt

Claire Schotanus

Jared









Josh Tuell



Kelby Uebelhor



Roc Uebelhor



Manuel Valtierra



Luke Wagner



Emma Watson



Madison Weidenbenner



Weidenbenner



Samuel Weidenbenner



Logan Weisman



Cassi Weitkamp



Hanna Werner



Noelle Weyer



Alex Wigand



Ethan Wigand



Kathryn Wigand Brandon Wildman Wyatt Willoughby









Noah Wright



Leanna Zehr

# Sophomores





Dylan Achbach



Maura Acosta



Lindsey Aders



Kimberly Aleman



Alex Arthur



Rilee Arvin



Christopher Backer



Tristan Backer



Sophie Ball



Faith Barnett



Jacob Barry



Brandon Bauer



Hallie Bawel



Dustin Bayer



Chance Beck



Avery Bell



Katheryn Bell



Megan Berg



Gillian Blessinger



Karah Bohnert



Jaydan Bonifer



Breanna Bounds



Raelyn Brosmer



Austin Buechlein



Zachary Buechlein



Adeline Bueltel



Kelsey Burgdorf



Nyle Burger



Skylar Byrd



Ricardo Calderon



Ben Campbell



Lydia Cantner



Kira Cantu



Casey Carnahan Melissa Carnahan Adam Cashmore







Carlos Castillo



Stacy Castillo



Cristian Castillo Dominguez

# Freshmen







Rachael Fleck



Connor Fritch



Jay Fritch



Andrew Gadlage



Kaitlynn Garland



Sydney Gehlhausen



Patrick Gentry



Maggie Getzin

# Freshmen



Noah Giesler



Emilio Gonzalez



Quintin Gordon



Emmi

Jack Greener



Evan Gress



Emma Grow



Bryan Hagan



Grace Harmon



Nolan Harmon



Ashley Haskins



Damon Hayes



Nicholas Hedinger



Noah Heim



Max Henke



Nolan Henke



Anahi Hernandez



Summer Herzog



Jacob Hessler



Averie Himsel



Andrew Hochgesang



Addison Hoffman Jacob Hollinden





Alexa Hopf



Christian Hopf



Dawson Hopf





Emily Huddleston BreAnna Hughlett Lewi Hulsman





Rachael Hundley



Hailey Hurst



Jessica Hurst



Tyler Jackson



Garrett Jacob



Adam Jaent



Luke Jarboe



Andrew Jespersen



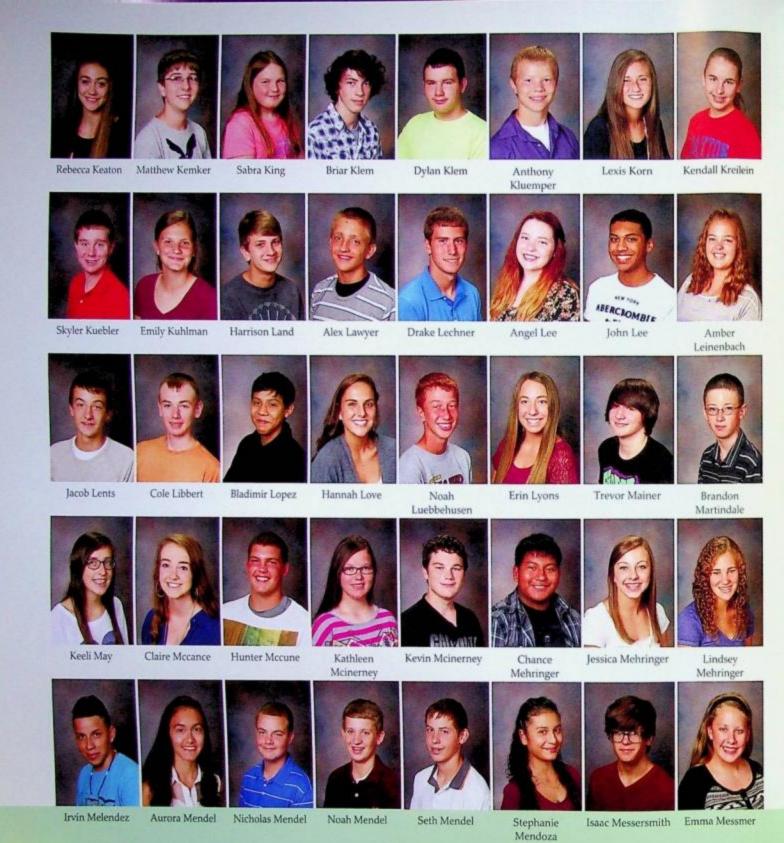
Steven Johnson



Madalyn Jones



Reves



# Freshmen





Justin Persohn



Cameron Pfister Stephanie Pierick-



Lewis



Adonis Pineda



Logan Pinkstaff



Kathryn Popp



Evan Porter



Faith Pyle



Osmaro Ramos



Viviana Ramos



Carissa Rasche



Tia Reutepohler



Angel Reyes



Tyler Richardson



Jesse Ridener



Bravdon Riley







Gerardo Serrano Dreghan Shelton



Lydia Shepherd



Dawson Shively



Austin Simmers





Emma Stallings



Mariah Seifert

Katelyn Sander

Samantha

Schuetter

Madeline Steffy



Christian Stemply



Katie Stemply



Kailyn Stilwell



Zackary Stoll



Caroline Theil



Kelsey Thomas



Kaitlyn Timm



Yazmin Torres Pulido

## Freshmen



Alexandra Truelove



Breanna Truesdale



Maria Uebelhor



Taylor Uebelhor



Carson Vaal



Carly Vaught



John Verkamp



Mila Vernon



Andy Voelkel



Logan Vogler



Anna Wagner





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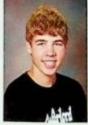




Tyler Ward



Kate Weaver



Nathan Wehr





Rhegann Weisheit Zachary Weisheit Cassie Weisman Shalynn Weisman







Olivia Wells



Adi Welp



Hannah Welp





Hakeem Wharton



Ashley Whitsitt



Aubrey Williams



Samuel Williams



Lucas Wininger



Evan Wolfe



Estefaní Wood



Sean Woodard



Park Wurster



Olivia Yarbrough



Logan Young



Michael Zachary



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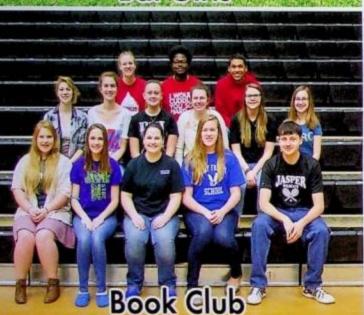
Brian Wilson

Barbra Young

Scott Yarbrough



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Not pictured: Jacob Barry







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## 2015 Senior

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#### Anna Mundy

Anna, you are such a blessing to us! You are an amazing pereson who continues to make us very proud. Love Mom. Dad, and Wherever you go, go with all your heart"

**Confucious** 



#### **Blake Knies**

Congratulations Blake! We are so proud of the young man you have become. Continue to allow God to lead you. and you will accomplish much.

Love.

Mom, Dad, and Lee



#### Lydia Schmitt

Lydia, you have been our blessing and our delight. We look forward to watching your life unfold.

Love Dad, Mom, and Will

Be on your guard, stand firm in faith. Be courageous. Be strong. Do everything in love.

1 Corinthians 16: 13-14

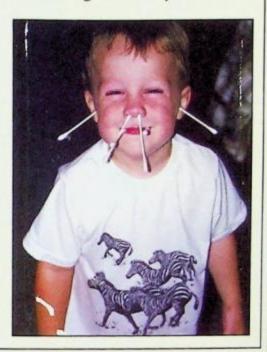


#### Stephen O' Connor

Congratulations Stephen! We are so proud of the amazing young man you've become. This is just the beginning of great things in your life. Dream big!

Wishing you love and laughter always!

We love you, Mom and Dad



#### Kaitlyn Leistner



Congratulations Kaitlyn! So very proud of you. I've watched you grow into a beautiful young lady. Always believe in yourself and keep God first.

Love, Mom

# Dakota, We are so proud of the young man you have become. You have a bright future ahead of you. May everything you want in life happen for you. Love you so much! Dad, Mom, and ShyAnne



#### Hannah Hilgediek



It has been a joy to watch
you grow into such a
beautiful and intelligent
young lady. You've had a
heart for others since you
were little. Always helping
and never wanting
someone to be left out.
May God use these traits
as He guides you along the
next step in your journey.

#### Erin Terwiske

God knows the journey you need to take before you do. Listen for his voice and follow Him. He will always lead you in the right direction. We are very proud of you!

Love, Mom, Dad, Miranda and Ryan.



#### **Madison Cornetet**

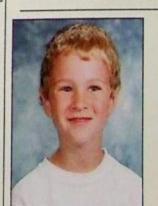
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Madison! We are proud of you. Love, Mom, Dad, Candice, and Emily



#### Derek Beckman



Congrats Derek!

We are proud of you. Good luck next year!

#### Trent and Travis Smith



Congratulations Trent and Travis!

We are so proud of you and hope all your dreams come true.

Love Mom, Dad, Laci, and Logan

#### Maeve Wurster

Maeve,

We are so proud of the beautiful young lady you have become. Continue to keep your faith, family, and friends close to you as you begin the next chaoter in your life. Remember, 'She is clothed in strength and dignity, and she laughs without fear of the future." – Proverbs 31:25.



Love, Mom and Dad

#### **Austin Alles**

Congratulations Austin!
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man you have become.
Follow your dreams and
make the most of every
experience.

Love Mom, Dad, Mallory, and Matthew

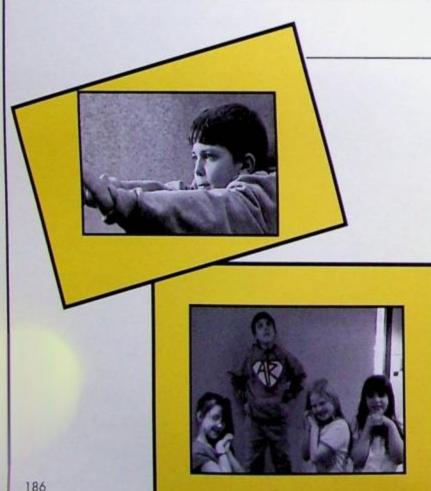


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Congratulations Rachel!
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special young lady. What a
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Mom, Dad, and Megan



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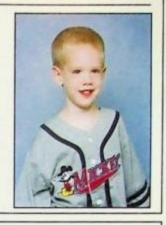
You will always be our super hero, Lincoln.

> Love you, Mom and Dad

#### **Adam Fierst**

Congratulations
Adam! We are
proud of you and
we love you!

Mom, Dad, and John



#### Ty Keusch

Congratulations Ty! We are so proud of the young man you have become. Life has so many wonderful things ahead for you. Remember to live, laugh, and love every day.

Love you lots,

Mom, Dad, and Piper



#### Madelyn Keller



Congratulations, Madelyn! We are proud of you and the wonderful young woman you have become. Keep your faith believe in yourself, and stay true to your heart.

Love you! Mom, Dad, and Grant

#### **Nick Monesmith**

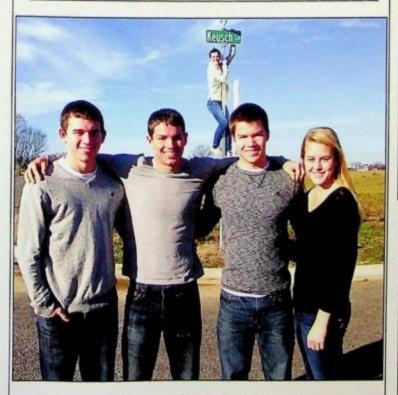


Congratulations, Nick! We are so proud of you, your accomplishments, and the incredible young man you have become. Always a great plan for you! never forget how much we love you!

Love,

Mom, Dad, Caitlin, Lauren, and Sarah

#### **Keusch Cousins**



The Keusch cousins and the long lost Keusch cousin. Congratulations to you all and good luck in the future.

#### **Abby Gress**

"Though she may be little, She is fierce." -Shakespeare

Abby.

We are so proud of the faith-filled young woman you have become! Keep working hard and you will accomplish your dreams! Love

Mom, Dad, Emily, Evan, and



#### Alex Mehringer



Congratulations Alex! Dream big and remember these words from Dr. Suess: You have brains in your head. Feet in your shoes. You can steer yourself any direction you choose.

With much love and pride, Mom, Dad, and Grace

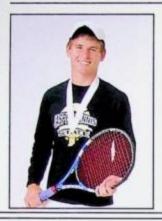
#### Alex Krapf



So proud of all your accomplishments in the classroom, on the court, and in life. Let your Faith guide you always and you will be successful.

Love Mom. Dad. Corrin. Trevor, and Grandparents

#### **Grant Weaver**



Congratulations Grant! We are so proud of you. Thank you for all that you are and all that you continue to be. Keep shining your light wherever you go!And never give up! Love. Mom, Dad, and Kate

#### **Erin Bonnifer**

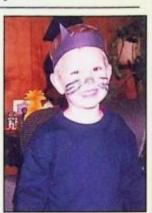


Continue to follow your dreams and reach for the stars.

Love you to the moon and back. Mom and Dad

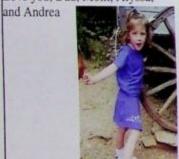
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Congratulations Clayton! We are so proud of you and all you have become. We can't wait to see whre God takes you in life. Always remember to hold close your faith, family, and friends! We love you! Mom, Dad, Sydney, Kendal, and Zach



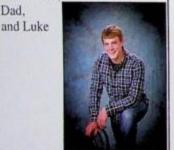
#### Mallory Schnaus

Ready or not, as the door to your future opens, make memories, be open to the possibilities, and make the most of each day! Love you, Dad, Mom, Alyssa,



#### **Trey Collon**

Congratulations Trey! We are so proud of you! Always follow your dreams and believe in yourself We love you! Love Mom.



#### Hannah Colvin



Congratulations Hannah! We are all so proud of you. Keep your faith strong, always keep smiling for your journey is long but will be well worth the time traveled. Always remember how much we love you and that we are so proud of you. Love, Mom, Dad, and Grace

#### Katelyn Fuhs

Dad.

Congratulations Katelyn! We are proud of you!

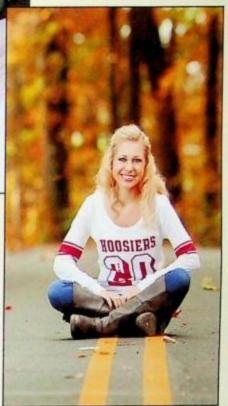
#### Marissa Schnell

We are very proud of the person you are becoming. Have fun and remember you will do great things if you stay true to yourself. We love you



#### Mackenzie Mehringer





Congratulations
Mackenzie! We are very
proud of everything you
have accomplished.
Continue to do your best
and always believe in
yourself. We love you!
We wish you much
happiness and success in
all you do.
Love,
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Kaven, and "Foxy"



#### Mitch Schitter

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#### Makalyn Hurm



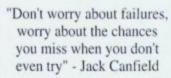
Max, May your hard work and persistence pay off in your future as you strive to reach your goals. We have faith that you will attain them. Proud of all of your accomplishments!

Love, Mom, Dad, Alex,
Kadon, and Kendalyn

## Awards Day

#### Kelsey Graman

Congratulations on your accomplishments! We are so proud of the wonderful young lady you have become, beautiful on the inside and out. You are about to start of a new era in your life, with many more achievements ahead of you.



Continue to follow your dreams and never be afraid to try!

We love you! Mom, Dad, and Camden





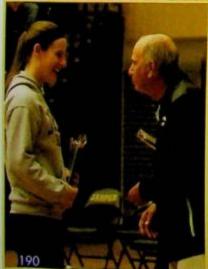






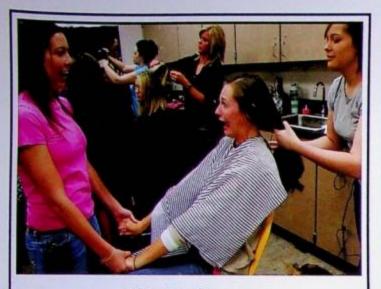






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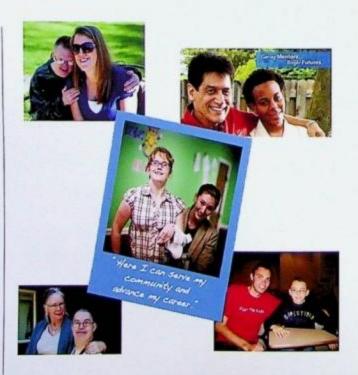






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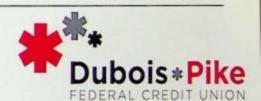
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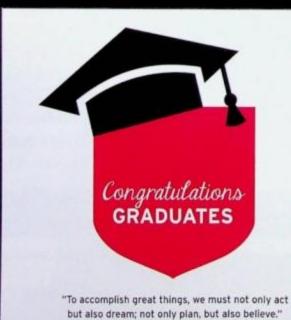
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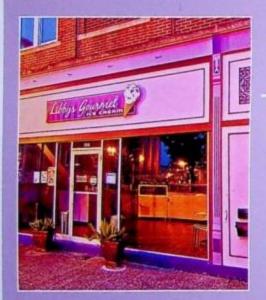
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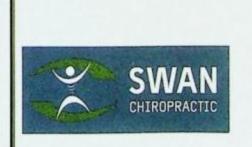


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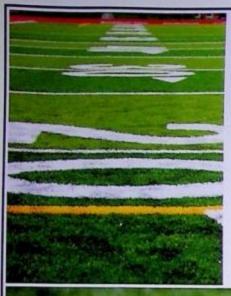
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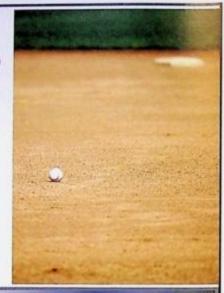




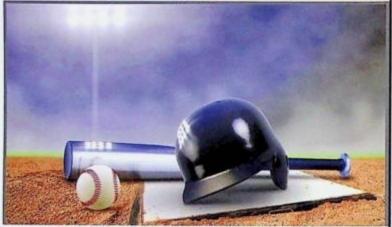


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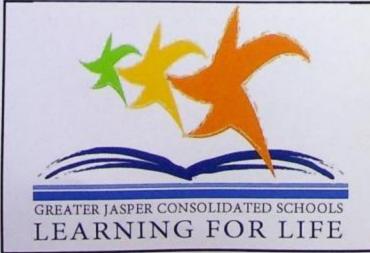


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Zachary, Michael 25, 173 Zachary, Monica 38, 159 Zehr, Leanna 95, 166, 180 During the last week of school, Seniors were asked where in the world they want to go in life. Some wrote down vacation travel spots, others wrote down life goals. Some just wanted to be as far away as they could possibly go! Below is a map of the world with a sampling of of the 2015 senior class's destination goals. Good luck on your aspirations, and we hope you travel where ever life takes you.



# Where in the world will 90?













Hard at work Juniors Melanie Stone and Taylor Johnson along with Senior Maeve Wurster may have joined second semester only, but were still valued members of the yearbook staff.



This 2014-2015 yearbook is the result of a year full of hard work, dedication, creativity, and responsibility. First time yearbook advisor, Mr. Elrod salutes this year's yearbook staff on a job well done. A special thanks goes to our "senior leadership." Editor in Chief, Mariya Merkley and assistants Travis Love and Sophie Weidenbenner all played a pivotal role in a year long journey. Also, farewell to other senior staff members Maeve Wurster and Taylor Kleinhelter. Good luck to next years staff and leaders including 2015-16 Editor, Megan Schmitt.



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