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NORTH HARRISON R-III SCHOOL DISTRICT—12023 FIR STREET—EAGLEVILLE, MO 64442

**NORTH HARRISON**



## BOARD ELECTION SET FOR APRIL 7

Three candidates have registered for the April 7 North Harrison Board of Education election to fill two, three-year terms. The terms of Rob Washburn and Allen Thomsen will expire at the April meeting. Michelle Welton, Rob Washburn, and Kara Craig will be the names appearing on the ballot. The Harrison County Clerk's office, located in the courthouse in Bethany, is open 8am to 4:30pm each Monday through Friday for citizens to register to vote, or to update their address and voting precinct. (They are closed noon to 1pm for lunch.) The final day to register for the upcoming election is Wednesday, March 11. For questions regarding registering, contact Jackie Deskins at 425-6424. The polls will be open 6am to 7pm on Tuesday, April 7.

**North Harrison**

**Board of Education**

**Kirk Emig, President**

**Joyce Lighthill, Vice-President**

**Allen Thomsen, Treasurer**

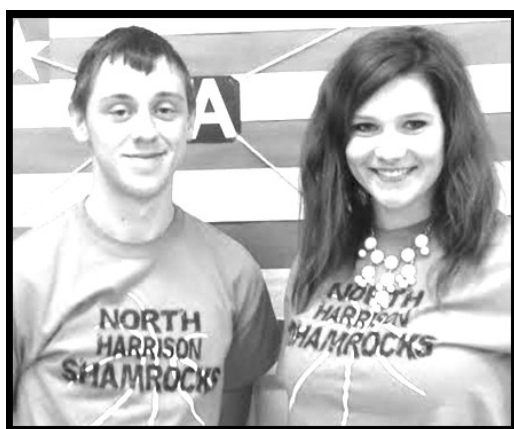
**Kyle Breshears, Member**

**Garret Robertson, Member**

**Jim Sadowsky, Member**

**Rob Washburn, Member**

## Hallock and Sadowsky Named Mr. and Miss Shamrock



Reed is the son of Richard and Michelle Hallock. Cooper is the daughter of Jim and Teela Sadowsky.

The honor of "Mr. and Miss Shamrock" has been bestowed upon selected Senior students since 1969. The criteria used by the faculty to make the selection is 1) Cooperation in class, school organizations, and extra-curricular activities, 2) Leadership that enlists the support and talents of others, 3) Willingness to give of time and energies unselfishly for the good of NHHS and of others, 4) Average or better scholastic attainment.

This year's recipients, Reed Hallock and Cooper Sadowsky, are excellent role models! Both Reed and Cooper are heavily involved in school and community activities as members of 4-H, FFA, National Honor Society, and basketball teams, as well as raising and exhibiting livestock.

Reed plays softball and has served on the Student Council for multiple years, this year as President.

Cooper takes part in band, choir, the Junior Angus Association, and public speaking contests. Cooper is active in church activities and is an outstanding artist. She was recently selected as North Harrison's "Daughter's of the American Revolution Good Citizen", based upon Leadership, Dependability, Service, and Patriotism.

## 2015 HOMECOMING COURT

*Freshman Candidates—Hannah Whitmire and Brennan Gilliland*

*Sophomore Candidates—Carli Brenizer and Randy Rinehart*

*Junior Candidates—Alyssa Wynne and Cory Thurman*

*Senior Candidates—Betsy Smith and Damion Sturdevant*

*Softball Team Candidates—Haley Craig and Blake Emig*

*Basketball Team Candidates—Cooper Sadowsky and Reed Hallock*

*2014 Homecoming Queen—Bailey Perkins*

*2014 Homecoming King—Luke Stanley*

*Flower Girl and Crown Bearer—Lani Briggs and Wyatt Maize*



The Lady Shamrocks stellar defense holds SH's leading scorer Hunter Purdun down to only 8 points and takes NH to Tourney Championship!

## Class Assignment Results in Book Drive and Youth Center

Students enrolled in the Dual Credit Speech class were given an assignment by instructor Tammie Wiebers to come up with a project to benefit their community, plan, and carry out the project. The class of juniors and seniors divided into two groups. One of the groups chose to do a new and used book drive acquiring books that elementary students could have at home. Over 200 books were donated by students, community members, and local businesses. They set up the Scholastic Book Fair and had a donation spot located within, had a book drive that lasted about two weeks, and had a coin collection contest in the elementary and high school classes, too. The books went to kids that didn't have books at home, and into elementary classrooms that needed some more books. The donations that were collected went to the librarian, Mrs. Percell, and she bought new books for the library.

The second group coordinated the renovation of the recently vacated Baptist Church into a Youth Center. The students cleaned and painted the entire facility and collected furnishing donations. The building is now equipped with a billiards table, ping pong table, air hockey, and much more! It is available for community use for birthday parties, receptions, or hundreds of other needs by contacting Pastor Jason Laxton at the First Christian Church.

These students should be commended for creating a lasting impression on their community and school.

Members of the Book Drive team were Shelley Rucker, Addison Leeper, Breann Bennett, Sara Campbell, MacKenzie Bonine, and Jayse Cracraft. Pictured is Jayse and Shelley organizing books donated by Gumdrop Books and Breann and Addison preparing the book fair's poster display.



Pastor Jason introduces the students participating in the Youth Center project during their Open House.

Pictured is Betsy Smith, Samantha Rinehart, Cooper Sadowsky, Reed Hallock, Pastor Jason, Haley Craig, and Allie Stanley.



## Family and Consumer Science Classes

The FACS class students are BUSY...as usual! The Foods and Nutrition class wants to thank everyone who purchased apple crisp and caramel corn from them. We hope to use some of the proceeds to buy or build a cabinet in the FACS room and for a field trip this spring. The F&N class is currently learning about the importance of vitamins and enjoy playing a vitamins game on the Kahoot website. Some of the classes are busy designing rooms and houses using the floorplanner.com website. They are having a lot of fun with this. Anyone can get a free account and try it! The Clothing and Apparel classes are off to a good start. Many are nearly finished constructing a pillow and are planning their next project. The class is also planning a trip to Joann's Fabric Store where they will have a wide choice of fabrics, patterns, and notions to choose from. It promises to be a very educational and fun filled afternoon!



Krissi Cox, Kiley Gibson, and Carli Brenizer show off their finished quilt style pillows while Emily Briggs grits her teeth taking OUT some of her stitches!

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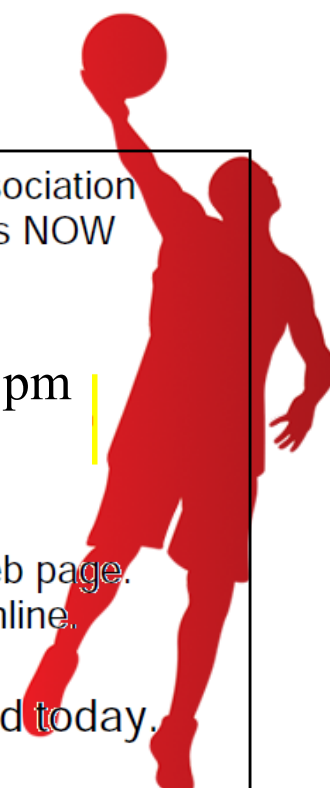
Our school is proud to partner with the American Heart Association to help kids with special hearts! Mark your family calendars NOW for our upcoming **Hoops For Heart** event taking place on:

Event Kick-Off Assembly—February 13 at 12:15pm  
**HOOPS for HEART EVENT—TUES. FEB. 24**

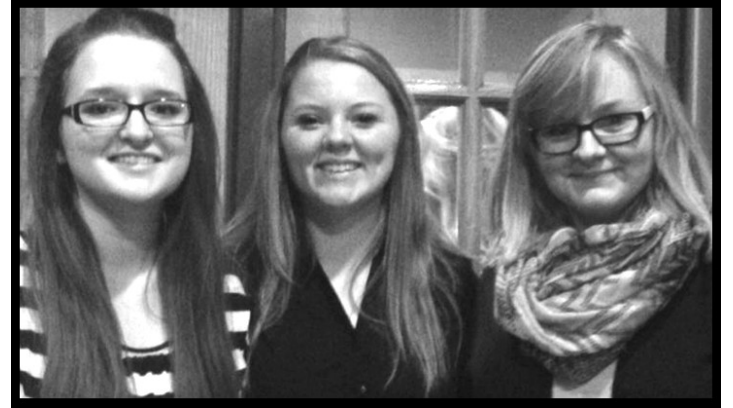
You can help the American Heart Association by helping your child make a web page. It's **safe, effective and saves YOU time** by raising life-saving donations online.

Visit [www.heart.org/hoops](http://www.heart.org/hoops) and click on **Register Now** to get started today.

*The American Heart Association's Mission: To build healthier lives, free of cardiovascular diseases and stroke.*



Over 220 students from 37 different schools were nominated for the 2015 Northwest Four-State Honor Band. Three students were selected to represent North Harrison's band. Bobbie Moore was chosen for the Flute section, Audry Briggs on Clarinet, and Kelly Briggs was selected for Bass Clarinet. The Honor Band event was held at Maryville. We left early on January 24th. We practiced our pieces all day and performed a concert at 5:30 the evening in the Ron Houston Center for Performing Arts in the Mary Linn Auditorium.



## National Guard Experience by Andrew Jalas

National Guard is an armed military force, partly maintained by the states but also available for federal use. National Guard is part of the reserved Military Force's mostly used for state-wide issues or overseas wars if active. National Guard was founded in the 1700's. The National Guard consists of one weekend a month Basic Combat Training and two weeks in the summer. There are a lot of different jobs and rankings in the National Guard. There is diesel mechanic, military police, truck driver, and lots more. Each job takes different skills. There are different ranks such as Private 1 and 2, Private First Class, Specialist, Sergeant, Staff Sergeant, Sergeant First Class, Master Sergeant, and so on. The National Guard is a great experience and a great life choice and they offer a lot of benefits such as full paid tuition to college. National Guard is another military way for protecting our freedom. I am proud to have joined the National Guard in September of 2014. I will train to become a Transportation Specialist.

### **HOMECOMING 2015 — "WE WILL ROCK YOU"**

Monday, February 2—"Mangled Monday"  
(Dress with a fake injury.)

4:45pm—Boy's JV Basketball vs Lamoni HERE  
6:00pm—Varsity Basketball vs Lamoni HERE

Tuesday, February 3—"Transformation Tuesday"  
(Dress to impersonate a teacher.)

6:00pm—Varsity Basketball at Jefferson C-123

Wednesday, February 4—"Walt Disney Wednesday"  
(Dress like any Walt Disney character)

4:00pm—Junior High Academic Meet HERE

Thursday, February 5—"Throwback Thursday"  
(Dress from your favorite time period.)

**Friday, February 6—"Fan Friday"**  
(Dress in your **GREEN** and **WHITE** attire.)

2pm—Pep Assembly (Community members welcome to attend!)

5:50pm—Alma Mater and The National Anthem  
led by Kimberly (Boothe) Guilford (Class of 1984)

Colors Presented by Army National Guard Specialists  
under the direction of Sgt. Clint Bain (Class of 2006)

6pm Girl's Basketball Game vs North Mercer  
Girl's Half-time Performance by Color Guard

Boy's Basketball Game vs Cardinals  
Boy's Half-time Performance by the Cheerleaders

Following the Game—Performance by the Drum Line and  
Recognition of North Harrison's 1,000 Points Club

Coronation Ceremony

Dance hosted by Student Council with DJ Ed Ury (Class of 1988)  
\$2 Couple and \$1.50 Singles

(Those 7th grade and older are welcome to attend until 11:30pm).

Photos will be by Thomsen Photography—  
Allen and Autumn (Stapel) Thomsen (Class of 1993)

### Homecoming 2015

Friday, February 6

we will honor the

North Harrison 1,000 Points Club—  
Those who we have record of scoring

1,000+ points in  
their varsity basketball career,  
listed by graduation year.

1972 Cynde Wilcoxson

1976 Carol Saling

1994 Dava Nelson

1997 Jill Wilcoxson

2002 Jenny Coulson

2011 Rachel Thomsen

Haley Craig

1972 Roe Cox

1974 Don Edwards

1974 Dana Wilcoxson

1976 Mike Elliott

1977 Jeff Pierson

1979 Wes Darnell

1982 Stan Coulson

1988 Alan Francis

1992 Shane Skinner

1997 Jason Lisle

2004 Josh Smith

2010 Ryan Cox

2011 Aaron Thomsen

2013 Garren Gibson

# HDC Band Day by Ashlynn Niffen and Kenna Slaughter

The North Harrison band kids went to the HDC Band Conference on Saturday, January 10. First the band students went into different rooms, according to sections, and did blind auditions. After auditions the judges seated each person in a “chair”. First chair being the best! There were five of the HDC schools and around 50 students participating. We performed that night at the North Mercer School. On Tuesday, January 13 we performed at the North Harrison School and toured to Cainsville to perform there. We all had a great time and couldn’t have done it without Mrs. Betts!

Flute

- 1st Chair—Bobbie Moore
- 2nd Chair—Hannah Whitmire
- 3rd Chair—Ashlynn Niffen
- 4th Chair—Olivia Babinski
- 7th Chair—Kenna Slaughter
- 8th Chair—Sally Briggs
- 9th Chair—Melissa Ward

Clarinet

- 1st Chair—Audry Briggs
- 3rd Chair—Tyler Lundy
- 5th Chair—Addie Slaughter
- 6th Chair—Hunter Stevens
- 8th Chair—Naomi Thomsen

Bass Clarinet and Tuba  
Kelly Briggs

Alto Saxophone

- 1st Chair—Audry Briggs
- 6th Chair—Preston Trusty

Tenor Saxophone

- Audry Briggs

Trumpet

- 1st Chair—MacKenzie Bonine

Baritone

- 1st Chair—Ryan Thomsen

Percussion

- 1st Chair—Emily Briggs
- 2nd Chair—Gavin Garrett
- 3rd Chair—Lane Huitt
- 4th Chair—Trey Gilliland



Pictured playing in the Flute section is Hannah Whitmire, Ashlynn Niffen, and Olivia Babinski.

Olivia was awarded the first-ever HDC Musicianship Award. It was chosen by the clinician who based the presentation on attentiveness, focus, and ability.

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(March 1, 2015 the price will increase to \$37 each)

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Eagleville MO 64442

**SENIOR PARENT FINANCIAL AID and FAFSA NIGHT**

Wednesday, February 11                      6:30pm                      in the ART Room

All SENIORS and their PARENTS are invited to learn about completing the FAFSA!

Financial Aid and Scholarship QUESTIONS will be answered!

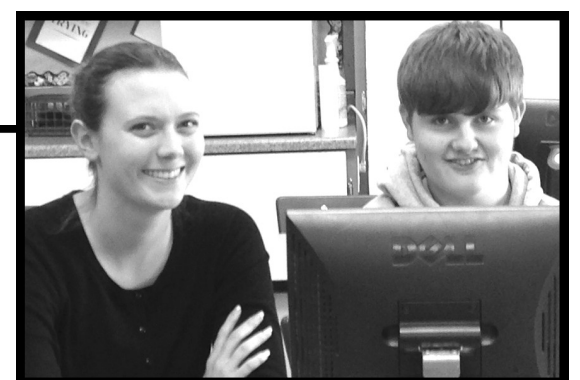
## Student Teachers Join NH Team (Mr. Stevenson covered by Nick Bears)

North Harrison School District is fortunate to have outstanding, experienced teachers for those entering the teaching field to observe.

Two students from Graceland University spent three weeks in January observing and will do their student teaching for the remainder of the school year.

Miss Dani Thorngate is from Kearney, Missouri and majoring in high school mathematics. In high school she was involved in volleyball, band, academic and Science Olympiad teams. She is working with Ms. Rivet and Mr. Mecca.

Mr. Vernon Stevenson lives in Lamoni. He is a veteran who served two years in Iraq and one year in Afghanistan. He is helping Mr. Claycomb and Mrs. Percell. He has given me a vast amount of knowledge of the Middle East because he was a soldier there. He has also given me useful information about many historical figures. When he graduates from Graceland he will become a great history teacher and he will be able to pass down vast amounts of history facts to his students.



Miss Thorngate assists Bobby Hutton with a math problem.



Mr. Stevenson helps Andrew Jalas with an assignment.

Check us out at [www.nhr3.net](http://www.nhr3.net)

**College Rep Visit Dates**

**Missouri Western State University 11:15am Mar. 2**

**(Interested Juniors and Seniors may sign up to visit with the rep. If there is a college your student is interested in please ask Mrs. Smith to set up a school or campus visit.)**

North Harrison School District  
Calendar of Events  
2014-15

Jan. 26-31	Gilman City Basketball Tourney		
Jan. 28	2015-16 FCCLA Regional Officer Screening		
Feb. 2	JV Girl's, JV Boy's and Varsity Basketball--Lamoni	HERE	5:00pm
Feb. 3	Varsity Basketball--Jefferson	There	5:00pm
Feb. 4	FCCLA STAR Events		
Feb. 4	Junior High Academic Meet	HERE	4:00pm
Feb. 6	Varsity Basketball--North Mercer --HOMECOMING	HERE	6:00pm
Feb. 7	ACT Test Date		
Feb. 7	Men's Alumni Basketball Games	Gymnasium	1:00pm
Feb. 7	Pops Concert and Pie Auction	Gymnasium	6:00pm
Feb. 9-13	National FCCLA Week		
Feb. 9	Little Rocks Cheer Camp		3:20-4:30
Feb. 10	Little Rocks Cheer Camp		3:20-4:30
Feb. 10	Varsity Basketball--Pattonsburg	HERE	6:00pm
Feb. 11	FCCLA STAR Events Alternate Date		
Feb. 11	Little Rocks Cheer Camp		3:20-4:30
Feb. 11	Junior High Academic Meet	Gilman City	4:00pm
Feb. 11	Senior-Parent FAFSA Night	Art Room	6:30pm
Feb. 12	Harrison County Spelling Bee	SH--Little Theatre	1:00pm
Feb. 12	JV Basketball at Worth County	Grant City	6:00pm
Feb. 12	5-6th Grade Basketball at Ridgeway	Ridgeway	6:00pm
Feb. 13	American Heart Association Assembly (grades 7-12)	Gymnasium	12:15pm
Feb. 13	Dismiss at 12:45 Teacher In-Service		
Feb. 14	Truman Honor Band		
Feb. 16	SCHOOL WILL BE IN SESSION FOR WEATHER MAKE-UP DAY		
Feb. 16	Varsity Basketball--Worth County (Sr. Recognition Night)	HERE	6:00pm
Feb. 16	Little Rocks Cheer Camp Performance		
Feb. 17	Middle School Solo and Ensemble Preview Night	Cafeteria	
Feb. 18	Junior High Academic Meet	Winston	4:00pm
Feb. 18	Board of Education Meeting		7:00pm
Feb. 19	Varsity Basketball--Winston	There	6:00pm
Feb. 21	MS Solo and Ensemble Contest	NWMSU	
Feb. 22	FCCLA After Church Dinner	Community Room	
Feb. 22-28	National FFA Week		
Feb. 23-8	District Basketball Tournament		
Mar. 2	Missouri Western State University Rep Visit	Guidance Office	11:15am
Mar. 3	Norborne FFA Leadership Development Event	Norborne	
Mar. 3	Sectional Basketball Game		
Mar. 4	FCCLA Region 1 2015-16 Officer Installation		
Mar. 6	Brunswick FFA CDE Day	Brunswick	
Mar. 7	Missouri Department of Agriculture Judging and Grading Contest	MU	
Mar. 7	HDC Choir Day	North Mercer	
Mar. 7	Quarterfinal Basketball Game		
Mar. 9	HDC Choir Day Tour (Mercer, Newtown-Harris, Grundy)		
Mar. 9	Varsity Academic Meet	North Mercer	4:00pm
Mar. 10	Hamilton FFA CDE Day	Hamilton	
Mar. 10	End of Third Quarter		
Mar. 11	2015-16 Area 2 and State FFA Officer Interviews	Gallatin	4:30pm
Mar. 12-14	State Basketball Tournament	Columbia	
Mar. 12	Drum Line Performance at State Basketball Tournament	MU Arena	12:00pm Half-time
Mar. 13	Dismiss at 12:45 Teacher In-Service		
Mar. 13	Registration Deadline for April 18 ACT Test		
Mar. 14	Northwest Missouri Regional Spelling Bee	St. Francis Xavier Parish-St. Joe	1:00pm
Mar. 16-20	Spring Break		
Mar. 16	Savannah CDE	Savannah	
Mar. 16	Varsity Academic Meet	Tri-County	4:00pm
Mar. 18	Area 2 FFA Contest	Gallatin	4:30pm
Mar. 18	Board of Education Meeting		7:00pm
Mar. 19	NCMC FFA CDE Day	Trenton	
Mar. 22-24	FCCLA State Conference	Columbia	
Mar. 23	Lathrop FFA CDE Day	Lathrop	
Mar. 23	Varsity Academic Meet	HERE	4:00pm
Mar. 24	Joint Music Concert with Winston High School	Winston	6:00pm
Mar. 26	Varsity Track at Worth County		3:30pm
Mar. 26	Pre-Contest Concert (HS Band and Choir)	Gymnasium	6:00pm

As per Board of Education policy adopted October 17, 2012 applicants for admission and employment, students, parents of elementary and secondary students, employees, sources of referral of applications for admission and employment and all unions and professional organizations holding collective bargaining or professional agreements with North Harrison R-III School District are hereby notified that this institution does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, or handicap in admission/access to, or treatment/employment in its programs and activities. Any person having inquiries concerning North Harrison R-III School District compliance with the regulations implementing Title VI and Title IX is directed to contact Mr. Rick Johnson, Title IX Coordinator, 12023 Fir Street, Eagleville, Missouri 64442 or 660-867-5221 or compliance with the regulations implementing Section 504 is directed to contact Ms. Patty Stark, 12023 Fir Street, Eagleville, Missouri 64442 or 660-867-5221. These employees have been designated to coordinate this institutions efforts to comply with regulations implementing Title VI, Title IX, and Section 504. Any person may also contact the Assistant Secretary For Civil Rights, U.S. Department of Education, regarding the institution's compliance with the regulations implementing Title VI, Title IX, or Section 504.

Mar. 27-28	North Harrison Elementary Basketball Tournament		
Mar. 28	HS Solo and Ensemble District Contest	Central HS	
Mar. 30	JH Track at Worth County	Grant City	3:30pm
Mar. 30	Varsity Track at South Harrison		3:30pm
Mar. 31	District FFA CDE Contest Day 1	NWMSU	
April 1	District FFA CDE Contest Day 2	NWMSU	
April 3	NO SCHOOL--Easter Break		
April 6	NO SCHOOL--Easter Break		
April 6	Varsity Track at Albany		
April 7	JH Track at Putnam County		4:00pm
April 8	Area 2 FFA Awards Night	Chillicothe	6:30pm
April 9	Varsity Track at Stanberry		4:00pm
April 10	Dismiss at 12:45 Teacher In-Service		
April 10	Large Group State Music Contest	NWMSU	
April 11	Harrison County Band Performance	South Harrison	
April 13	JH Track at South Harrison		3:30pm
April 14	JH Track at Lamoni		4:00pm
April 14	Varsity Track at Rock Port		
April 15	Board of Education Meeting		7:00pm
April 16-17	State FFA Convention	Columbia	
April 16	Stanberry		4:00pm
April 18	ACT Test Date		
April 21	Varsity Track at Worth County		1:30pm
April 21	Elementary Art Show	Hallway/Café	5:30pm
April 21	K-4th Grade Musical and Booster Dinner	Gymnasium	6:00pm
April 23	JH Track at Albany		4:00pm
April 25	Varsity Track at Albany		10:00am
April 25	Junior-Senior Prom	Gymnasium	
April 27	MS Music Awards Night (5th Band, 6th Band, Ele Choir, World Drumming)	Gymnasium	6:00pm
April 28	Statewide ACT Exam		
April 28	Varsity Track at Stanberry		4:00pm
April 29	HDC Conference Junior High and Varsity Track Meet	Bethany	10:00am
April 30	JH Track at Worth County		3:30pm
April 30	Varsity Track at South Harrison		3:30pm
April 30	High School Art Show		5:30pm
April 30	HS Music Awards Night (HS Band and Choir)		6:00pm
May 1	State Music Festival	Columbia	
May 1	FFA Banquet and Awards		
May 4	Varsity Track at Northwestern		1:30pm
May 8	Registration Deadline for June 13 ACT Test		
May 9	District Track Meet	South Harrison	
May 9	North Harrison Alumni Banquet		
May 10	Graduation	Gymnasium	2:00pm

## FFA by Blake Emig

The FFA members are approaching the busiest time of the year! We are working on Proficiency and State Degree applications. Next, we will work on contest teams (Career Development Events). The CDE's we usually have are livestock, horses, dairy cattle, poultry, meats, agronomy, floriculture, and entomology. In livestock, horses, dairy cattle, and poultry have to give oral reasons over a class of four animals. The other teams don't have oral reasons but they will have a written test. Most teams have a right or wrong answer like in meats, but in the livestock contest there is not a right or wrong answer because you are judging four animals in a pen. Some of the biggest contests coming up are at Hamilton, Trenton, Lathrop, and Districts! Our annual banquet and awards will be Friday, May 1.

## LADY SHAMROCKS TAKE SH TOURNEY TITLE by Cooper Sadowsky



The final buzzer of the championship game sounds and the crowd erupts. The varsity girls' basketball team is heating up in the midst of a very successful season. After claiming the championship in the South Harrison Invitational Tournament, the Lady Shamrocks are pushing forward with great intensity. "We just have to take it one day at a time. One practice at a time, one game at a time," says Coach Aaron Long, "We focus on improving ourselves each day." The most surprising aspect of this state ranked team is their age. Eight girls of the eleven girls on the team are underclassmen. This is promising for the future of the women's basketball program at

North Harrison. Senior Cooper Sadowsky reports, "This is a great group of girls. Every single one is talented and works hard. This is a team that wants to win, and we intend to do that." The team will have to maintain this tenacious attitude as they face challenging opponents in their upcoming schedule. The Lady Shamrocks thank the community for supporting them at their games and encourage everyone to attend in the future. As they work hard to win each day in practice and in games, there is no doubt they will continue to be successful as a team.



**North Harrison Varsity Basketball  
2014-15**

Feb. 2	Lamoni (JV Girls, JV Boy's , V Girls, V Boys)	HERE	5:00pm
Feb. 3	Jefferson	There	5:00pm
Feb. 6	North Mercer --HOMECOMING	HERE	6:00pm
Feb. 10	Pattonburg	HERE	6:00pm
Feb. 12	Worth County JV	There	6:00pm
Feb. 16	Worth County (Sr. Recognition Night)	HERE	6:00pm
Feb. 19	Winston	There	6:00pm
Feb. 23-8	District Tournament	NE Nodaway	
Mar. 3	Sectional Game		
Mar. 7	Quarterfinal Game		
Mar. 12-14	State Basketball Tournament	Columbia	
	Admission \$3 Adults \$2 K-12th Grade Students		

**North Harrison Junior High Track  
2014-15**

Mar. 30	Worth County	3:30pm
April 7	Putnam County	4:00pm
April 13	South Harrison	3:30pm
April 14	Lamoni	4:00pm
April 16	Stanberry	4:00pm
April 23	Albany	4:00pm
April 29	HDC Conference Track Meet at Bethany	10:00am
April 30	Worth County	3:30pm



**North Harrison Varsity Track  
2014-15**

March 26	Worth County	3:30pm
March 30	South Harrison	3:30pm
April 6	Albany	
April 9	Stanberry	4:00pm
April 14	Rock Port	
April 21	Worth County	
April 25	Albany	10:00am
April 28	Stanberry	4:00pm
April 29	HDC Conference Track Meet at Bethany	10:00am
May 9	District Track Meet at Bethany	
May 16	Sectional Track Meet	
May 22-23	State Track Meet	Jefferson City

**SHAMROCKS WIN SH CONSOLATION GAME by Blake McBroom**

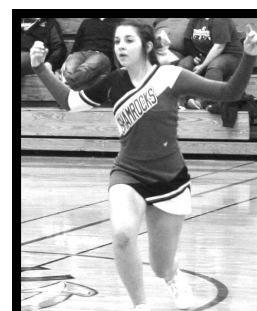
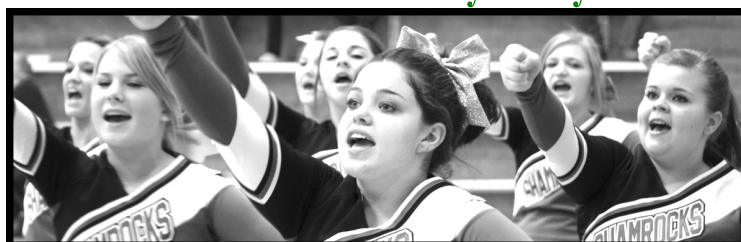
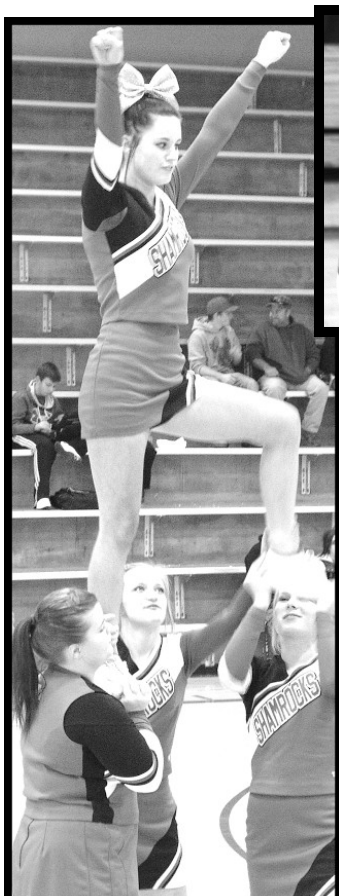


2014-15 Shamrocks—Manager Tyler Lundy, Collin Castleberry, Shawn McChesney, Cameron Hamaker, Derek Adcock, Drew Parkhurst, Reed Hallock, Colton Castleberry, Blake Emig, Randy Rinehart, Preston Trusty, Blake McBroom, Jack Hutton, Connor Stobbe, and Kevin Owens.

The 2014-15 basketball season has been extremely fun so far. The team has been getting better and better with every game that we play, and altogether we have been growing as a team. At this point we are 6-9 this year, but hope to improve our record as the season goes on. We plan to work hard and improve our team even more. This year we beat our biggest school rival, East Harrison, twice out of the three times we've played them. Beating Ridgeway is always difficult, but we've been able to come out on top twice this year. I was asked to provide a senior quote, and when I asked Reed Hallock for one, he simply said "Buckets." Keep cheering us on as our season continues, we appreciate you all!

**Senior Recognition Night will be Monday, February 16 honoring the SENIORS and their PARENTS— Betsy, Melissa, Cooper, Reed, Blake, Colton, Blake, and Drew!**

**CHEER-leaders by Betsy Smith**



With basketball season in full swing, the cheerleaders' lives are hectic! We performed at half-time routine for the crowd at the Holiday Hoops Event at North Central Missouri College during the holiday break. We are busy preparing for Homecoming! We plan to perform a competition style routine at the half-time of the boy's basketball game, which was choreographed by Missouri Western's Cheer Coach, Mandi Davis. The routine is full of stunting sequences, jumps, tumbling, and dancing. We are also excited about Little Rocks Cheer Camp. Practices will be February 9-12. The Little Rocks will learn new cheers, a dance, and stunts. They are to perform on Senior Night, Monday February 16<sup>th</sup>. We would like to encourage everyone to come out and help us cheer on the basketball teams! We want to thank you the fans for their continued support.



**SATURDAY, FEB. 7**

**Watch some of our  
Shamrock  
talent from the past!**

**The gym will open at 11:30am.**

**Games beginning at 1pm.**

**NH Drum Line Scheduled for State Basketball Performance**

The Shamrock Drum Line was selected to perform a half-time routine during the State Basketball Tournament in Columbia. They will perform during the half-time of the 12pm game Thursday, March 12 in MU Arena. This will be a Class 2 Boy's Semi-Final game.

**North Harrison Music Department's**

**2nd Annual**

**Pops Concert and Pie Auction**

**Saturday, February 7**

**6:00pm**

**North Harrison Gym**

Come join us for a night of entertainment, great music and delicious pie! All proceeds go to benefit the hard working students of the North Harrison Music Department.



**Physical Development** by Andrew Jalas

Physical development is a muscle, cardio, and also an agility class. We started this class two years ago as an elective class. Since we started this class we have had a lot more students in it. What we do in physical development is running; stair runs, where we go up and down the stairs; we run with medicine balls, which are just balls that weigh different amounts and the color indicates a different weight. We also do the agility ladder, where we strive to proceed and have better agility. We do exercises that stretch you out, like high knees, cherry pickers, rear kickers, and karaoke, which is running sideways scissor steps. We also do crunches and sit ups with medicine balls. We do a lot of push ups, too. This class is very beneficial to everyone in some sort of way, anything from getting better agility and/or bigger, better, healthier muscles.



Lucas McChesney practices jumping from the 18" plyo box to the stair steps, to develop his jump explosion.

By Shelley Rucker

**Valentine's Day Balloons!**

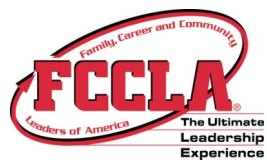
The seniors are selling balloons to raise money for their senior trip! They are \$4 per balloon. You can choose a balloon that says "Happy Valentine's Day" or "I Love You". You can send them to students at NHHS, South Harrison, Lamoni, Ridgeway, or Cainsville.

You also get to include your own personal message!

Contact an NHHS senior,

Mrs. Percell or Mrs. Irvin if interested!

**Order by Feb. 6!** NH elementary balloons will be delivered Thurs. Feb. 12; JH and HS balloons delivered on Fri. Feb. 13)



After-Church Dinner  
Sunday, Feb. 22

FCCLA invites you to an  
After-Church Dinner!

The meal will be served at the Community Room in Eagleville after Sunday Morning Services.

Free will donations accepted.

Dinner is ready at approximately 11:30am.

Treat your sweetheart to a Valentine's Day dinner....or if you already celebrated...just treat them again!

They will love you twice as much!

Our menu is still being developed and we know you will really like it.



**FCCLA**

The members of FCCLA thank everyone who came to the After-Church Dinner in January. Also, thanks to the family and friends who helped the students with the dinner. Our next After-Church Dinner will be on February 22 [due to a conflict on Feb. 15 :)]

Kelly Briggs and Preston Trusty have recently run for regional FCCLA officer positions. This entails taking a knowledge test, giving and short speech, and being interviewed in front of the Region 1 delegates. There are approximately 25 delegates, if all are in attendance. Kelly and Preston are both very active in our chapter with Kelly serving a second term as President and Preston serving as Treasurer. Bobby Hutton served as the voting delegate this year.

**LIBRARY OPEN TO COMMUNITY!**

Community members are  
**WELCOME** to visit the library  
open until

5:30pm each Tuesday.

Stop by and use the computers, look at magazines, check out a book!

The library has a great resource book for those wanting to study for the ACT!

**ATTENTION JUNIORS!**

The state of Missouri is now requiring  
**EVERY** Junior student to take the ACT test.

The **STATEWIDE TEST DATE**  
is **TUESDAY, APRIL 28, 2015.**

Mark your calendar and refrain from scheduling appointments on this date. Let Mrs. Smith know if you have a question!