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Four-Year-Old Kindergarten Registration

The school district of New Holstein is currently accepting applications for the four-year-old kindergarten program for the 2010-2011 school year. Students entering the four-year-old program need to be four years of age by September 1, 2011. Registration packets were mailed out December 15, 2010 to residents in the district whose children are eligible to attend the program. **Please contact New Holstein Elementary School at 898-4208 if you, or someone you know, did not receive the registration packet in the mail.**

If you would like to learn more about the four-year-old kindergarten program, or would like to meet the district's 4K team, please plan to attend our open house on Wednesday, January 19, 2011 from 3:00 – 6:00 p.m. This is a great opportunity for you and your child to visit our 4K program, explore the classrooms and have any questions answered. The 4K classrooms are located in the elementary school. We look forward to meeting you and your child.

~ submitted by NHES 4K Team

Financial Aid Night at NHHS

New Holstein High School counselors are planning a financial aid night on Monday, January 10, 2011, at 7 p.m. in the high school cafeteria. Melissa Luedtke from UW-Fond du Lac will conduct a general session.

The meeting will be held to distribute financial aid forms and to give information, answer questions and explain procedures involving financial aid to parents of students who plan on attending a college or technical school after graduation. Anyone in the community who needs this information is invited to attend.

Parents should bring a pen or pencil and, if possible, students should attend with their parents. In the event there is a storm, we will have the meeting on Tuesday, January 18. Any questions about this meeting can be addressed to Jane Lefebber, financial aid coordinator at the high school.

~ submitted by Mrs. Nancy Stephanie

School Closings or Delays

WBAY-TV – Channel 2 – Green Bay
WFRV-TV – Channel 5 – Green Bay
New Holstein Cable TV – Channel 98
WLUK-TV Channel 11 – Green Bay
NBC26 TV Channel 26 – Green Bay

FM Radio

WZOR 94.7 FM – Green Bay
WKSZ 95.9 FM – Green Bay
WAPL 105.7 FM – Appleton
KFIZ 107.1 FM – Fond du Lac

AM Radio

WHBY 1150 AM – Green Bay
WHBL 1330 AM – Sheboygan
KFIZ 1450 AM – Fond du Lac

**All school delays and closings will also
appear on the school web site at:**

www.nhsd.k12.wi.us

Ice Fishing Club

On January 9th the Ice Fishing Club will visit Kettle Moraine Lake near Dundee, Wisconsin. Ripon High School Sportsmen's Club will join New Holstein High School's Ice Fishing Club for an outing that should be an exciting day on the ice. The new solar panel and battery set up should keep the burger shack running all day without the need of a loud generator.

Let the fun begin for the IFC on Sunday, January 9th
7:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

~ submitted by Mr. Ted Bonde

Baker Scholarship Information

Applications for the Harvey G. Baker Memorial Scholarship Program will be available in the high school guidance office starting December 15. Mr. Baker, a lifetime resident of Calumet County, established a generous scholarship fund to benefit graduates of Brillion, Hilbert, Kiel, New Holstein and Stockbridge high schools who have resided in Calumet County for their entire high school education. Mr. Baker's brother had previously established a similar scholarship program for Chilton High School.

To receive a Harvey G. Baker Memorial Scholarship, applicants must meet the following criteria. (There is no limit to the number of times a student may apply and receive a scholarship.)

- Reside in Calumet County for entire high school education.
- Attend, or plan to attend, the fall semester at a four-year or greater UW system institution as a full-time student. Students who plan to attend a UW two-year college are eligible with the understanding that they intend to pursue a four-year baccalaureate degree.
- Have ambition and ability to attain a higher education.
- For reapplication: Undergraduate students must be full-time students (12 credit minimum) and have a 2.5 cumulative GPA; graduate or professional school students must provide a letter from the school confirming that they are full-time students in good standing.

To apply, high school seniors and other applicants entering college for the first time must submit the completed application to the guidance office by Feb. 14, 2011.

Undergraduate students must submit the application form and have an official transcript, including fall semester grades, sent directly from the college they are attending to the high school. Transcripts issued to students will not be accepted. Graduate and professional school students must submit the application form and a letter from their school indicating that they are, or will be, full-time students in good standing. All materials are due in the guidance office by Feb. 14, 2011.

If you have any questions about the Harvey G. Baker Memorial Scholarship, please call Mrs. Lefeber at the high school.

~ submitted by Mrs. Nancy Stephanie

Project Citizen Thank You

Thank you to everyone in the community who volunteered their time to be interviewed by a 7th grade student working on Project Citizen. If anyone else in the community has special knowledge on any of the following topics, and would like to be interviewed or talk with the entire class, please contact me, Mrs. Heather Tomchek at htomchek@nhsd.k12.wi.us

This year's topics include:

- School Calendar – creating a calendar to fit student lives
- Educational Technology – moving toward a paperless school
- Smoking around children
- Illegal drugs in our community

~ submitted by Mrs. Heather Tomchek

Salvation Army Kettle Drive

Students in the New Holstein Elementary School Safety Patrol volunteered to help the Salvation Army Kettle Drive at New Holstein's Piggly Wiggly store. A total of 16 students volunteered to ring bells, sing music and share holiday cheer after school on December 9th and 14th. The students enjoyed giving back to the community and encourage others to do the same.



NHES students volunteer for the Salvation Army's Kettle Drive.

~ submitted by Mrs. Tammy Richter

Movin' and Munchin'

Thank you to all the students, staff, and community members of New Holstein School District for participating in the 2010 Movin' and Munchin' Program. We stayed true to our philosophy which was to increase physical activity and encourage healthy nutrition in our community.

Although we did not make it around the world in six months, we did travel 13,055 miles. Our efforts have been sent to the Department of Public Instruction which will recognize us and determine our award eligibility. Happy New Year!

~ submitted by Mr. Troy Wusterbarth

Youth Apprenticeship Information Night

CLEVELAND —The Lakeshore Area Youth Apprenticeship Consortium will hold an Information Night on Jan. 24, 2011 at 7:00 p.m. at Sheboygan Falls High School for Sheboygan County high school students interested in the 2011-12 Youth Apprenticeship program.

Youth apprenticeships offer students the opportunity to explore future careers while they are still in high school and get paid for their time working at area employers. Youth Apprenticeship offers one- and two-year programs in fields like Health, Hotel and Hospitality, Finance, Mechanical Design, Welding, Manufacturing and Auto Technician. At the Information Night students and parents will hear from former youth apprentice students, talk with employers and receive applications for the program. No registration is necessary. For more information contact Mrs. Sabel at 920-898-4769.

~ submitted by Mrs. Trisha Sabel

NHES Battle of the Books

Some of the third, fourth and fifth grade students are getting ready for battle; Battle of the Books that is! In November, students were able to sign up and form teams. Each team reads selected books and then participates in the competition during the last week of February. Team members decide among themselves who will read the preselected books and then prepare to answer questions at the competition. Middle school students will read the books and help develop questions for the teams.

Battle of the Books is a time to make reading fun and develop reading comprehension skills at the same time. Every other week, students meet in the library during their lunch break to get their books and make sure their team members are reading the selected books. In the beginning of February, students will be able to practice their comprehension skills with sample questions from the books.

So, Battle of the Books students, put on your armor and get ready for battle. Let the games begin!!

~ submitted by Mrs. Nan Minster

Elementary School Concert

This year, New Holstein Elementary School's concert theme was Holiday Celebrations Around the World. The students took the audience on a journey through songs from different countries and holiday celebrations including Christmas, Kwanzaa, Hanukkah and Las Posadas. All of the students in grades Kindergarten through fifth grade did a wonderful job of singing, playing instruments and doing movement. We also used the stage for the concert, which was a big hit because all of the students could be seen.

Fantastic job to every student at New Holstein Elementary!
~ submitted by Ms. Melissa Konik



Ms. Melissa Konik conducting the 4th grade students playing their recorders for the song *Ding Dong! Merrily On High*



Mrs. Karren Cobble conducting the second grade students for the song *O Christmas Tree*

Corner a r t i s t o n

~ submitted by Karley Krupp

