## October NHS Newspaper Vol. 22 Issue 2

## Future important dates:

Oct 21 Early Dismissal/Parent Teacher Conferences
Oct 25 No School
Oct 29 Halloween Parties 1:15-2:00pm
Oct 29 Chili Supper 4-7pm

## Kindergarten Halloween Costumes By Kamryn Bourbon

I got the opportunity to talk to some kindergarten students and ask what they are going to be for Halloween this year. I talked to five students from each class. I heard of some pretty cool costumes, but some I hadn't heard of before. I talked to Mrs. Schlosser's class first and Josie Michel said she was going to be a mouse. Avayah Price said she was going to be a superhero, and JD Headrick said he was going to be a mummy. Kamdin Davis is going to be Link from Zelda. Marley Hollis is going to be a roller coaster rider. I guess she's going to walk around with her hands up all night.

Mrs. Conklin's class said some pretty cool stuff, too. Cash Rougly is going to be Batman, and Cameron Moore is going to be Marshall from Paw Patrol. Savannah Sitzes is going to be Jasmine from the movie Aladin. Last but not least, Jade Farrow is going to be a cougar, and Miles Pekios is going to be the raptor Blue from Jurassic Park.

All of these kindergarteners are planning on having a very fun Halloween. I was super excited to hear what they were going to say, and I got some pretty cool results. I hope you make sure to watch out for these kids around your neighborhood. Have a Happy Halloween, and don't eat too much candy!

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## BETA by Paisley Eyler

Objective
BETA is a national honors' society. It allows students to participate in various activities that they are gifted in. BETA's goal is to allow children to become successful in life. It gives students a creative outlet for their intelligence.

## Officers

Officers are hoped to be elected in the next month. Officers in BETA help teach leadership and organization. The positions that are to be elected are as follows; President, Vice President, Secretary, and Chaplin. There can be separate Junior High and Elementary BETA Presidents and Vice Presidents. How to be elected is still up for discussion.

## Leadership Summit

There was a Leadership Summit on Wednesday and Thursday September 29th and 30th. There were two activities during after school hours which students could attend if they had a parental guardian. The competitions were Collaboration Connection and Project Proposal. There were two speakers, one set for each day. Ronnie Sydney spoke on September 29 and Harriet Turk spoke on the 30. On Thursday there was another activity that took place. Lead Outside The Box occurred from nine thirty to ten thirty a.m.

Fundraisers
A meeting will take place to discuss fundraising and convention. The money from the fundraisers will go towards conventions and other activities that BETA members will participate in.

State Convention

State convention will take place on December 8 and 9. It takes place in Springfield, Missouri. It will be held virtually and on site. It is not mandatory to participate, however it is encouraged.

Cheerleading<br>Coaches: Mrs Koch and Oliva Koch Sixth Grade<br>Acasia Mosley<br>Kaya Salentine<br>Kaitlynn Smith<br>Breanna Mathes<br>Seventh Grade Eighth Grade<br>Shaylee Mathes Trinity Wallace<br>Briley Hollis<br>Presley Sumner<br>Alexis Craft<br>Ella Sparkman<br>Natalie Hahs<br>Willow Broshuis<br>Addison Hensley

Here comes another great year for NHS cheerleading. I interviewed Mrs. Koch and asked what are your expectations for cheer this year? She said, "For us all to have a great time and work as a team and build friendship. I also asked how does she feel about having thirteen cheerleaders this year? She said she's so excited to have all thirteen girls, and they're super awesome girls. She also wants the girls to learn all the cheers, support each other at the practice and games, and also build lasting friendships with each other.

I asked Mrs. Koch what expectations she has for the team and she said, "During practices the girls need to use loud voices, be safe during stunts, work as a team, and learn all the cheers. Something the cheerleaders are excited about is new uniforms and pom poms. I asked her about being on time, and she said the girls must attend all practices and keep their grades up to be in cheer.

I interviewed three girls from the sixth grade: Kaya Salentine ,Kaitlynn Smith, and Breanna Mathes. I asked them what is their favorite part of being a cheerleader and Kaya Salentinesaid doing stunts, Kaitlynn Smith said having Mrs. Koch as the coach, and Breanna Mathes said doing stunts and cheering for each other. When asked how long have you been in cheerleading, Kaya said two years, Breanna said "This is my first year at school doing cheer, but I cheered somewhere else before." Kaitlynn said this is her first year as well. Also I asked the girls what their favorite things to do in cheer wer. Kaya said tumbles, Breanna said tumbles and backhand overs, and Kaitlynn said the pyramid

To be a cheerleader you can't have bad attitudes, must be ready to work as a team, have positive attitudes, and attend all games. Cheerleading started in the beginning of October the last throw is mid January.

## Let's Go Girls!!!!

## Science Fact of the Month by Mark Richey

The weight of a normal cumulus cloud weighs the same amount of 200,000 elephants.

That's right, those fluffy clouds above us weigh the same as two hundred thousand elephants! All those water droplets in the sky combined add up to a massive amount of weight.


## History Fact of the Month by Mark Richey

Paul Revere actually never yelled "The British are
 coming."

A wide misconception is that Paul Revere yelled to the patriots that the British were coming, but his most famous quote is actually not as mighty as it seems. Factually, Paul Revere really told the patriots about the British's plans quietly and stealthily.

## Mystery Student and Teacher by Paige Rice

## Mystery Student

The mystery for this month is a female. She loves the color black, and favorite food is spaghetti. She likes to play Minecraft and watch tv. She also likes the song Perfume by Lovejoy. Her favorite animal is an arctic wolf and she is in junior high.

## Mystery Teacher

The mystery for this month is a female as well. She loves the color light blue, and favorite food is pasta. She likes to read or be outdoors. She likes the song Blank Space by Taylor Swift. Her favorite animal is a dolphin and she is a great teacher.
(Answers are on the last page!)

## Youth Coding League By Paisley Eyler

Youth Coding League is an introductory program to computer programming. It is targeted towards 5th through 8th grade students. It helps give students a head start on jobs such as app and software development.
Our Youth Coding League meets every Tuesday from 2 to 4 pm. Students can work independently if they choose. The fall season is the first season that takes place from Labor Day to mid-November. The spring season runs from January to mid-April. After each season there's a regional competition. Students can participate in groups or individually in final projects for the regional competitions. The organization has different themes every season and participating students are eligible to win prizes for different competitions, such as laptops and money. Some of the competitions are Most Improved, Technical Merit, and Community vote.

We usually have about ten to twenty students participate but we would love to see you there next season!

Idiom of the Month by Kendall Bourbon Scared Stiff- This terrifying Halloween idiom means to scare someone so badly that they can't move.

## Halloween Candy Preferences by Kendall Bourbon

NHS Birthdays

| August | September | October |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2 Josie Blair | 1 Liam Schmidt | 1 Lillyan Conklin |
| 2 Jaselyn Blair | 1 Thomas Griffaw | 4 Presley Stephens |
| 2 Gracie Blair | 2 Audrey Moore | 4 Felicity Lee |
| 3 Andrew Yarbro | 4 Tyler Craig | 5 Tomas Sosa |
| 7 Aspen Dewrock | 4 Michael Hager Jr. | 6 Cody Sullinger |
| 7 Evan Farrow | 4 JaKylynn Harvey | 7 Kylie Craiglow |
| 8 Jace Kirchhoff | 5 Charlotte Stovall | 7 Tess Merritt |
| 8 Lewis Monroe | 5 Asher Williams | 10 Jaxstyn Hale |
| 8 Khyden Cissell | 5 Kamdin Davis | 10 Trinity Wallace |
| 9 Alton Clark | 9 Joshua Reeves | 13 Annabelle Wheat |
| 11 Corben Irving | 9 Annabel Brewer | 17 Eli Gean |
| 11 Alexander Wybert | 10 Kobie Moore | 18 Liam Biri |
| 11 Karsun Tucker | 11 Hayden Schenimann | 22 Levi Monroe |
| 14 Kinley Vines | 22 Wyatt Wheat | 24 Arianna Milner |
| 17 Kaegen Long | 24 Mylez Garms | 24 Isabella Barton |
| 19 Eli Craiglow | 24 McKinley Campbell | 30 Shaylee Mathes |
| 20 Tahyri Harvey | 26 Tessa Flieg |  |
| 21 Bruce Seng | 26 Ayden Crossen |  |
| 22 Brady Brewer | 28 Ali Moore |  |
| 24 Ally Vandeven | 28 Jacob Seay |  |
| 24 Kamden Johnson | 29 Ireland Hunter |  |
| 26 Allison Langston | 30 Paige Rice |  |
| 26 Kyndall Fisher | 30 Jazmyn Brown |  |
| 28 Lincoln Biri |  |  |
| 28 Cooper Watson |  |  |
| 28 Kendall Bourbon |  |  |
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