



# the MUSTANGER

## March was Reading Month!



### A Look Ahead

- April 3: Lockdown drill
- April 5: Preschool Screening
- April 9: school begins at 8:20
- April 11: Long range planning board mtg @ 7:00 PM in library - regular mtg to follow.
- April 14: Small groups @ Edgeley
- April 16: State Acalympics
- April 25: Best of Class
- April 26: Art Show in Aberdeen
- April 27: NO SCHOOL
- April 30: MCT auditions at 3:30 in gym

*“You have brains in your head. You have feet in your shoes. You can steer yourself any direction you choose.”*

*~ Dr. Seuss*

**NOW HIRING**  
APPLY TODAY

Volleyball coaches for varsity, junior varsity, and C-squad



The State of North Dakota requires schools to make up missed time due to the late starts or missed days for winter weather. Ashley Public School will make up missed time by starting classes at 8:20 beginning April 9 through April 26.

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## THE ACA WHAT?

The area of biology devoted to the study of fungi is known as? Or, which of the Great Lakes has the largest surface area? If you can answer these questions, then you could be a member of the Acalympics team at Ashley Public School! What exactly is an Acalympics team? The Acalympics team is a group of students from grades 7-12 who have been selected by staff members representing top

academic grades in various areas, expertise in a certain subject area, and/or the ability to work well in a group. If you've ever played Trivial Pursuit, that would give you a good idea of what an Acalympics competition is like.

Linton held the Region V Acalympics March 13, hosting 22 teams from around the state. There were

two divisions: Junior Division, made up of the following students - Darrell Eddins, James Schumacher, Colton Martz, Alexis Kempf, Nicole Schmidt, and Hunter Gallagher. High School Division - Bryce Goettle, Katie Schmidt, Nic Paulsrud, Sean Fuchs, India Bender, and Addie Schnabel. Ashley's Junior Division team was in the lead going into the final round before ending with 4th place. The High School Division brought home the gold and will advance to the State Competition in Bismarck held April 16. It most certainly is impressive to see what our students know! The next time you're in a Trivial Pursuit tournament, be sure to call on one of these folks!



ONWARD  
— and —  
UPWARD





## THE PARADE OF CHAMPIONS!

Ashley was well represented at the Parade of Champions held in Bismarck March 17th & 18th. Emily St. Aubin was recognized for her athletic excellence as the girls' golf state champion, the wrestling team for their victory as state dual champions, and Katie Schmidt for making the Academic All State Bronze Team. A lot of dedication and hard work goes into becoming the best of the best. Congratulations to these students for their academic and athletic excellence!



## STUDENT OF THE MONTH

Danielle Gilstad, daughter of Clarence and Lisa Gilstad has been selected for March Student of the Month. Dani's positive attitude adds greatly to her class and the school. She is consistently thorough in her work and puts the extra effort forth in every project, assignment, or task. She demonstrates great respect to her peers, teachers, and staff. She willingly helps out where she can and takes the leadership role both in and out of the classroom. She is very dependable and is a student who wants to see her classmates and peers succeed. Congratulations, Dani! Keep up the great work!

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## FUTURE BUSINESS LEADERS OF AMERICA



Thank you to the community members & teachers who helped proofread projects, do mock-interviews, sit in as mock-judges, and act as testing facilitators for pre-conference exams. Also, thank you Warren Martz for chaperoning & overseeing testing, and to Mr. Jason Schmidt for driving bus.

Members of the Ashley Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) chapter attended the 51st annual ND FBLA State Leadership Conference in Bismarck, March 25-27, 2018. Over 60 FBLA chapters from across the state participated in this conference, where approximately 1,300 students had the opportunity to test their business skills against other students from around the state. Twenty-one members from Ashley FBLA represented our chapter. The participating members successfully completed all required tasks, including BAA, which were given to them at the beginning of the school year. Students attended workshops, opening & closing ceremonies, wrote letters to the military & veterans, participated in a March of Dimes "Miracle Minute", and played BINGO.

### 2018 State FBLA Leadership Conference



**Chapter Gold!**  
**Ms. Sathre – 5 year service recognition**  
**Who's Who: Abby & Alexis**

### National Qualifiers

- Accounting II – Katie – 3rd
- Introduction to Business Procedures – Caitlin – 3rd
- Job Interview & Personal Finance – Addie – 3rd
- Local Chapter Annual Business Report – Collin – 3rd
- Introduction to Business Presentation – Alexis – 2nd
- Introduction to Business Procedures – Emily – 1st place

### Competitive Events

- LifeSmarts – Addie & Katie – 10th
- Business Calculations – Bryce – 10th
- Introduction to Business – Hunter – 10th
- Graphic Design – Faith & Tiffany – 9th
- Public Service Announcement – Rachel – 9th
- Health Care administration – Katie – 7th
- Business Law – Andreas – 6th
- Public Speaking – Bryce – 6th
- Introduction to Information Technology – Noah – 5th
- Chapter Scrapbook – Tiffany & Alexis – 2nd



## Region IV Vice President - Abigail Petersen!

Congratulations on running a successful campaign and being voted in as the next VP for Region IV. Abby will start her officer training in June and serve as VP until next year's SLC. Best of luck to Abby!







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## **Auditions:** Missoula Children's Theatre

Monday, April 30<sup>th</sup>

**Who:** All Interested Students

Grades Kindergarten-12<sup>th</sup>

**Time:** 3:30-5:30

**Place:** Ashley School Gym



**Information:** The audition for the Missoula Children's Theatre production of **Treasure Island** will be held on Monday, April 30<sup>th</sup> at Ashley Public School from 3:30-5:30. There are roles for students in grades Kindergarten through twelfth grade. Approximately 50-60 local students will be cast to appear in the show with the MCT Tour Actor/Director. Students wishing to audition must arrive by the scheduled starting time and stay for the entire two-hour session. The first rehearsal begins approximately 30 minutes after the audition.

This is a group audition - **no advance preparation is necessary**, but a smile ☺ never hurts. Students should just be ready to come and have a good time!

Right after school on Monday, 30<sup>th</sup> your child should go to the gym. There will be adults there to supervise and teachers available to help with any homework before the auditions begin. After the auditions your child will know what part he/she has been given, and they will receive a detailed rehearsal schedule for the week. Supper will be provided at 5:30 for the students who begin rehearsal on Monday from 6:00-8:00! Remember there is no cost for your child to participate in Missoula Children's Theatre! They just need to have a smile and positive attitude!

**There will be one performance on May 5<sup>th</sup> at 3:30.**

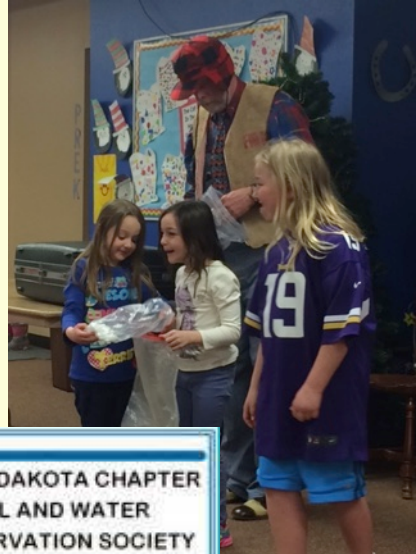
After the performance there will be a pop float fundraiser to help with the cost of MCT. If you would like to help with the fundraiser, or if you have any questions please feel free to contact:  
Jessica Schmidt 288-3456

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## Introducing Sam Ting and Darren Ewe...

Thanks to the Ashley Soil & Water Conservation Department for sponsoring Tom Gibson to speak to our elementary students about different conservation topics! He was very entertaining, got the students involved, and we learned a lot!



**4<sup>th</sup> Grade**  
*I teach*  
*what's your*  
**superpower?**

March has kept us pretty busy. National Pig Day was March 1. Dr. Seuss's birthday was March 2. We celebrated Reading Month with a variety of activities that not only got us thinking, but also had a great time working with the older students on Wacky Word Wednesday!

Our favorite project was making CHOOSE KIND tshirts after reading the book WONDER!

Our 4th grade career is coming to a close, but we know we still have lots to do and learn! Mother Nature is helping so we haven't gotten Spring Fever... YET!



*Mustang*



pride

### 3.5 - 3.99 Average

**Keeda Beach-7**  
**Marshall Lindgren-7**  
**Kathryn Schneider-7**  
**Damian Bender-8**  
**Darrell Eddins-8**  
**Dani Gilstad-8**  
**Colton Martz-8**  
**Jackson Meidinger-8**  
**Blake Meyer-8**  
**Trey Haugom-9**  
**Nathan Schauer-9**  
**Sean Fuchs-10**  
**Christina Kloster-10**  
**Abby Croker-11**  
**Jacob Entzie-11**  
**Riley Molter-11**  
**Nick Paulsrud-11**  
**Matthew Schlichting-12**

### 4.00 Average

**Christopher Pfeifle-7**  
**James Schumacher-7**  
**Zach St. Aubin-7**  
**Hunter Gallagher-9**  
**Alexis Kempf-9**  
**Nicole Schmidt-9**  
**Emily St. Aubin-9**  
**Faith Dockter-10**  
**Caitlin Molter-10**  
**Grant Schneider-10**  
**India Bender-11**  
**Bryce Goettle-11**  
**Tanner Kempf-11**  
**Collin Martz-11**  
**Abby Petersen-11**  
**Tiffany Engelhart-12**  
**Rachel Rueb-12**  
**Katie Schmidt-12**  
**Addie Schnabel-12**

### 3.00 - 3.49 Average

**Aaron Fuch-8**  
**Gracie Hoffman-8**  
**Baxter Sand-8**  
**Hannah Schauer-8**  
**Jacey Lippert-9**  
**Nelson Meidinger-9**  
**Kebba Beach-10**  
**Kylee Thiery-10**  
**Sara Melom-11**  
**Andreas Neu-11**  
**Thea Entzie-12**

# April 2018



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 No School	3 Elem VB @ Linton	4	5 Developmental Screening V/JHTR @ Linton-3pm State Science Fair	6 @ Grand Forks	7
8	9 JHTR @ Washburn-4pm VTR@Lisbon or Washburn School starts 8:20am	10 Elem VB @ Napoleon VTR @ Hazen School starts 8:20am	11 Progress Reports Long-term planning meeting- 7pm School board meeting to follow School starts 8:20am	12 Golf pictures @ Ashley after school School starts 8:20am	13 School starts 8:20am	14 Small group music @ Kulm
15	16 School starts 8:20am	17 VTR @ Fessenden-3:30 VB Golf @ Milnor-10am	18 School starts 8:20am	19 Elem VB @ Kidder Co JHTR @ Underwood-3 VG Golf @ Milnor-10am	20 JHTR @ Eureka-3:30 VTR @ Washburn-4 Dual Golf @ Napoleon- 4:30	21
22	23 School starts 8:20am	24 JHTR SCC @ Linton VTR @ Lisbon School starts 8:20am	25 School starts 8:20am	26 JHTR @ Underwood-3 SCC VB Golf @ Linton- 10am	27 No School JV/PW B/G Golf @ Ashley-10am	28 VTR @ Ellendale-11am VB/G Golf @ Ashley- 10am
29	30 MCT auditions—3:30 V B/G Golf @ Dakota Winds-10am					



# April 2018 Menu

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 NO SCHOOL	3 Chicken/Beef Fajita Vegetable Fruit ----- Cereal Breakfast cookie Fruit Juice Milk	4 Hotdogs Vegetable Fruit ----- Cereal Pancakes Fruit Juice Milk	5 Tator Tot Hotdish Dinner roll Fruit ----- Cereal Cheese Omelet Fruit Juice Milk	6 Creamed Chicken Over Rice Vegetable Fruit ----- Cereal Toast Fruit Juice Milk	7
8	9 Pizza Vegetable Fruit ----- Cereal Breakfast taco Fruit Juice Milk	10 Meatballs/Gravy Noodles Vegetable Fruit ----- Cereal Cinnamon Johns Fruit Juice Milk	11 Chicken Strips Knepfia soup Vegetable Fruit ----- Cereal French toast Fruit Juice Milk	12 Crispito Vegetable Fruit ----- Cereal PB&J Rounds Fruit Juice Milk	13 Burritos Spanish Rice Vegetable Fruit ----- Cereal Scrambled eggs Fruit Juice Milk	14
15	16 Lasagna Vegetable Fruit ----- Cereal Combo bars Fruit Juice Milk	17 Hot Ham&Cheese Vegetable Fruit ----- Cereal Eggwraps Fruit Juice Milk	18 Chicken Chow Mein Rice Chinese Vegies Fruit ----- Cereal Toast Fruit Juice Milk	19 Barbecue Vegetable Fruit ----- Cereal Tornadoes Fruit Juice Milk	20 Popcorn Chicken Seasoned Noodles Vegetable Fruit ----- Cereal Muffin Fruit Juice Milk	21
22	23 Chef Salad Breadstick Fruit ----- Cereal Bacon Fruit Juice Milk	24 Hamburger French Fries Fruit ----- Cereal Belvita wafers Fruit Juice Milk	25 Tacos Vegetable Fruit ----- Cereal Ham patty Fruit Juice Milk	26 Chicken/Rice Casserole Vegetable Fruit ----- Cereal Egg Biscuit Fruit Juice Milk	27 NO SCHOOL	28
29	30 Orange Chicken Rice Vegetable Fruit ----- Cereal Toast Fruit Juice Milk				Served Daily: PB&J or cold meat/ cheese sandwich Carrots, Cucumbers, Broccoli, cauliflower, Celery Choice of 1% white or chocolate skim milk	

# Tractor Safety School

Learn to safely operate farm equipment!



**MAY 29, 30, 31**

Cost : \$135.00

**ND 4-H CAMP  
WASHBURN, ND**

At Tractor Safety School youth ages 14-15 will have the opportunity to learn rules of the road, how to read an operator's manual, operating a tractor, safety around farm equipment, and ATV certification.

For more information on Tractor Safety School or to request a registration form. Contact the Oliver County Extension office at 794-8748.

[www.ag.ndsu.edu/olivercountyextension](http://www.ag.ndsu.edu/olivercountyextension)

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seeing, doing, applying"*

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