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Christmas Program '91

Christmas Over But Not Forgotten

by Stefanie Weter

When asked, elementary students will always agree that their favorite holiday of the year is Christmas. And what makes this holiday so special? The presents, of course. But not only that, students also like the break they get from school. The elementary students were asked what some of their favorite presents were.

Eric Seipker said that his favorite gift was a pen that could write in many different colors.

Kendle Walker said that she liked her doll and stroller.

Kayla Jones was very fond of her Baby Alive Doll.

Bridget Walker was most impressed with the camera that she received.

The students were also asked how they felt about returning to school.

Brandy Sisco said that she wanted to come back to school, so she could see Mrs. Pawlowski.

Cody Clevenger said that he didn't like school, he would have much rather stayed at home.

Nikki Sisco was happy to come back, she missed seeing her friends.

Ashley Maggard didn't want to come back, she wanted to stay home and play with her toys.

Kyle Smith was very happy about coming back, he said he wanted to chase the girls.

Cole Ewing said he was bored sitting at home, and was glad to see his friends again.



1992

A New Beginning

by Tina Nalley

Coming back from Christmas vacation was an extremely shocking experience for many CHS students and teachers. Everyone had gotten used to getting up late, watching their favorite soaps, and not doing any homework! Still, many CHS students and teachers are struggling to get back into the daily routine. I asked a few students how they are facing the "after the break blues" and here are just a few responses! Randy Dollarhide was glad to get back to play ball but that was his only reason for coming back.

Getting up after staying up as long as she did on the break is Stefanie Weter's biggest problem.

Micky Walker has been falling asleep in class and dreaming of a far away land! (Ummm.... Mick where would you rather be?)

Mrs. Horton is surviving the blues by eating lots of runts and waiting on the next weather forecast that will take us out of school!

However trying to rekindle the vacation won't bring it back. The new year has started and now is the time to be excited and enthusiastic about it - just think half the school year is gone! Making the new year a better one depends largely upon you and what you put into it.

So how do you start off on the right foot? Here are a few suggestions:

1) Strive for a better G.P.A. Bet with a pal or girl/boyfriend on who can improve the most, put some fun into it! Whether it takes studying a little more or taking better notes, what have you got to lose? Besides maybe paying for say a dinner out!

2) Strive to get to school ON TIME! This is a big one! It could save your Saturdays though! (Right Tonya R., Tina N., Kathy A.) Ha! Ha! I'm sure Mr. Long agrees with this!

3) Start or finish your Science fair experiment, Industrial Arts project, Art project, or the Home Ec assignment! (yes, you know the one due three months ago!)

4) Avoid getting a severe case of "senioritis", "junioritis", "sophmoritis", "freshmanitis", "jr. hightis", or "elementaryitis". Remember this only causes impatience, longer days, and unbearable bad moods!

5) Don't Procrastinate! WHY? Because it doesn't make any task go away. It looms over your head like a ton of bricks. Every time you put it off you feel like you haven't accomplished a thing! It can cause lost opportunities or missed deadlines. It can cause guilty feeling and blows to the ego! So boost that EGO don't blow it!

6) Always be Enthusiastic! Look on the bright side! Remember the only way to have a good time is to have a positive personality! Don't get the Bummer Blues!

7) Reserve time to spend with special people whether it be your family, buddies, or boy\girl friends! Some how they always make things better!

8) Set a goal and work to achieve it. Whether it be getting that ball scholarship you've always wanted or aceing that terrible math test next week! You'll be surprised about how much this will better your chances of accomplishing everything!

9) Don't suffer from burnout! Even when summer sensations strike or frustration sets in don't throw away what you've earned!

10) Be a risk-taker! Taking risks is the only way to prove to yourself that you can make 50 points in one game or type 80 words a minute! Remember its better to try than never have tried at all!

GOOD LUCK ON MAKING THIS THE BEST YEAR YET!



RESOLUTIONS

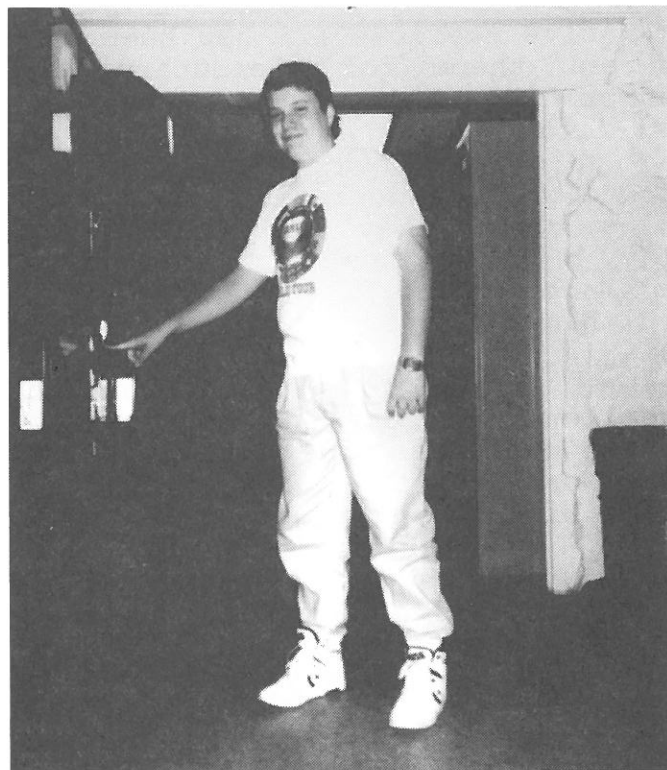
by Misty Fintel

As 1992 starts many people are making plans for the coming year and some have made New Year's resolutions. Some CHS students were asked what their New Year's resolutions were. Raymond Stevens had a resolution to quit chewing tobacco, but that only lasted three days. William Peak said he would like to have a wreck free year. Kevin Jackson said he'd like to get straight A's. Mrs. Henderson's resolution was to loose 30 pounds. Sara Whitley said she was going to try not to go out with any Sparta guys. Mrs. Snider/Gearing's New Years resolution is to gain weight, exercise less, and eat more junk food. Marsha Ross said she planned on never listening to another guy again. Mickey Walker's resolution is to find a girlfriend and keep her.

No matter what your New Years resolution is, I hope everyone has a Happy New Year!



WELCOME BACK WILLIAM



Everyone at Chadwick School wants to welcome William Peak back to school. William has been out of school for about four months after having a car accident. He returned to school just after Christmas break. He said that he spent most of his time off from school in bed, but he still seemed to enjoy his break from school.



ART NEWS

by Cathy Snider

Native American art has been the current theme for elementary and junior high students. Kindergarten and first grades have been drawing and coloring thunderbird designs. Second grade made indian pinch pots using clay, they also have made clay beads to use in an indian necklace. The Third grade have finished making thunderbird designs using yarn, needles and burlap; these students have done an excellent job "drawing" with yarn. Fourth grade has worked together to make Northwest Coast Indian designs which will be put together in totem poles. The fourth grade also made indian rattles out of clay. The fifth grade also used clay, to make their Native American "storytellers". A storyteller is a grandmother or grandfather surrounded by children while telling them stories. The Sixth grade students are working together to build a teepee. They used heavy brown paper instead of animal skin. Indian symbols are being painted on the paper, willow sticks were brought in from the river. When the teepee is finished, we'll sit inside and tell Native American stories.

The eighth grade made Native American shields. They painted their shield with watercolors and added beads, shells, and feathers.

High school Art I and II students are finishing tribal masks. Some students used clay, some papier mache, and some used plaster. With paint, raffia, shells, and feathers, their masks will have an exciting tribal appearance.

Art II students have finished a graphic design assignment of creating an alphabet using watercolors. They are working in clay now, making a portrait of a recognizable person. To name a

few, Greg Stevens is creating a red fox portrait, Chris Eads is making Reagan, and Melissa Loomis is creating Gorbachev.

The art room is becoming quite a art museum - on display are student works- design, graphic design, clay sculptures, etc. Everyone is welcome to come and see our work at anytime.



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\$50,	Melissa	Loomis	\$25,	and	Mark
Loveland	\$10.				

High School Sports



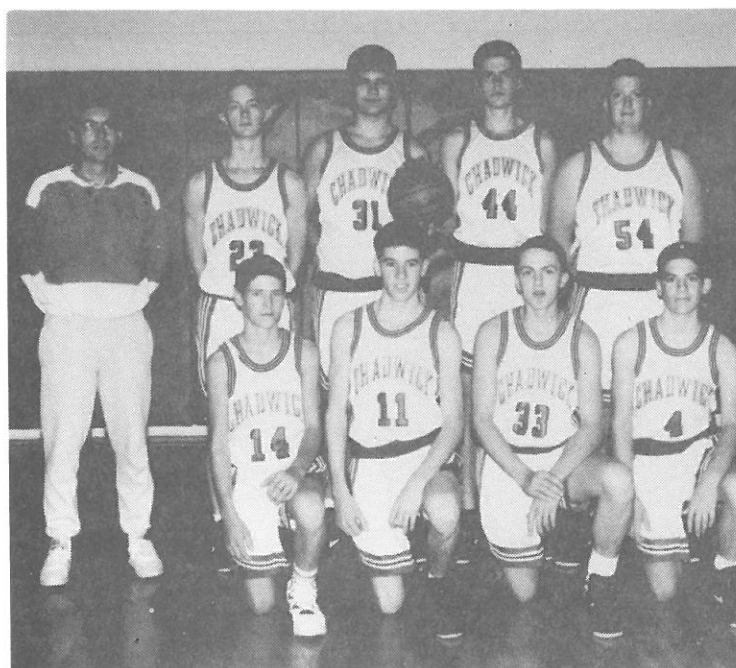
by Julie Coffey

The Chadwick Cardinals Basketball teams are both playing quite well. At this point the Varsity's record is 7-0 and the Junior Varsity's record is 5-2.

When Coach Jester was asked how he felt their season was going, he stated, "We have played pretty good to this point. We have some tough tournaments coming up. Last year we didn't do as well as we would have liked in the tournaments, but hopefully this year our experience will help us turn those close losses into wins. I have been pleased with our team so far, if we continue to play hard and improve our offensive execution we should finish with a good record." Coach Jester also said that the Junior Varsity was playing well also and that he really likes the way both teams are hustling and getting on the floor.

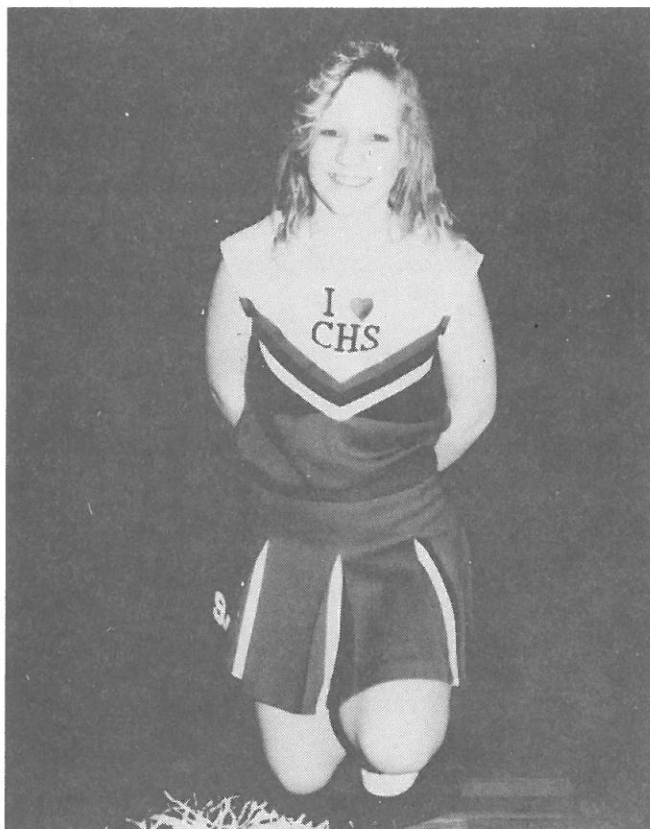
Randy Dollarhide a senior forward and Marvin Kinyon a junior forward said that they're hoping to have a winning season. They both agree that if the team stays together and plays as a team that they will have a pretty good season.

Team members include: Varsity, Randy Dollarhide, Bradley Walker, Raymond Stevens, Marvin Kinyon, Jason Gilbert, Reuben Parker, Marvin Guerin and Terry Mitchell. Junior Varsity, Kevin Jackson, Travis Smith, Marvin Guerin, Jack Guerin, Reuben Parker, Shawn Holland, Mark Loveland, George Dotson, David Wiles, Terry Mitchell and Joey Sartin



Varsity

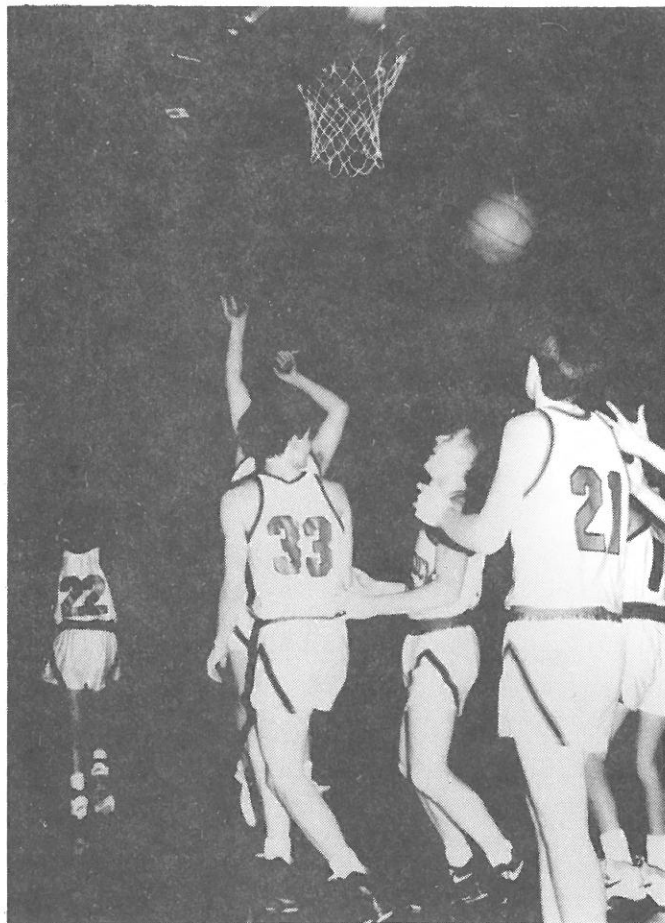
Front row left to right: Marvin Guerin, Rueben Parker, Bradley Walker, Terry Mitchell, back row: Coach-Terry Jester, Jason Gilbert, Marvin Kinyon, Randy Dollarhide, and Raymond Stevens.



Tina Beshirs, Cheerleader



Chadwick Varsity



Chadwick Jr. Varsity



Junior High Girls Basketball

by Julie Coffey

The Junior High girls have finished their basketball season with a 7-6 record. They took third place in the Bradleyville Tournament as well as in the Skyline Tournament.

Ms. Cox, the sixth grade teacher and the junior high basketball coach stated that the girls showed a lot of improvement as the season went on and worked well as a team. She also said that overall the girls were excited and looked forward to every game.

When team members were asked how they thought their season had progressed Tessa Nalley commented that the outcome was pretty good and that they had definitely improved since last year. Cherlyn Burkhart said that she thought they had a pretty good time playing basketball together. As a whole the team members agreed that just being with friends and having fun was the best part of their season.

The team consisted of seventh graders, Tiffany Peirce, Rintha Goin, Tasha Williams, Cherlyn Burkhart and Amber Burkhart. Eighth graders, Tonya Putman, Andi Wilson, Daphne Walker, Melissa Lowery, and Candy Plaster.

FOURTH GRADE

by Stefanie Weter

What does relief mean? What is the definition of snort? These questions are simple to answer for some, but when presented to a young age group, they become a bit more difficult. These two 'simple' questions were asked to the fourth grade students. Below are some of the responses.

What is the definition of relief?

The most logical answer was given by Lillian Soriano. She thought relief would be to lief again.

Cole Ewing thought relief was when he didn't get a whipping.

Candra Jones and Eric Gilbert both agreed that relief to them was when their mothers were not yelling at them.

Lance Clark said that it meant being relaxed after being worried.

To Sabrina Middleton, it meant she didn't have to take the test over.

Relief to Doug Bostwick was not getting in trouble.

Tracy Case thought of it as when someone is in the hospital and you find out that they will be O.K.

What is the meaning of snort?

Jeremy Greer said it is what a pig does when its getting ready to eat.

Jackie Dollarhide thinks of snorting as in a pig.

Candra Jones said it is when someone scrunches up their nose and makes a noise.

This idea also went along with Dale Fisher who thought of snorting as making weird noises.

Buddy Garrison and Sabrina Middleton both said it was a mad bull snorting.

Amanda Loveland said it was something that a pig does.

David Pritchett is either very intelligent or had a dictionary. For relief, he put solving a problem of trouble. And for snort, he put the force of air going through the nose. Good job David!

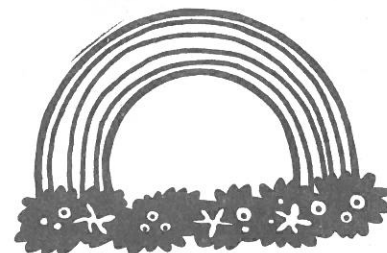
The real answers were as follows:

Relief: the removal or lightening of something oppressive, painful, or distressing.

Snort: to force air violently and noisily through the nose.



Front row left to right: Lillian Aguilar, Doug Bostwick, Dale Fisher, Brigitte Walker, Eric Gilbert and Dianira Villareal. Middle row: Tracy Case, Sara Martin, Candra Jones, Christy Herd, Amanda Loveland and Deena Anderson. Back row: David Pritchett, Jackie Dollarhide, Sabrina Middleton, Lance Clark, Cole Ewing, James Maggard, Michael Fintel, Garry Mitchell, Jeremy Greer, Buddy Garrison, and Missy Smith.





Third Grade

by Sara Whitley

When you ask most people what first comes to mind when you say "Valentine's Day", their response is love. Well Valentine's Day means a lot more than love to the Chadwick third graders. Here is what Valentine's Day means to them.

Leslie Leavitt, Emma Hammons, Vanessa Bostic, Jerry Pellham, and Jessica Spangler all agreed that Valentine's Day is made up of fun, cards, and lots of candy.

Lacey Herd enjoys getting all the cards from her classmates.

All that Kyle Snyder, Arnold Loomis, Dusty Guerin, Lori Johnson, Dustin Burkhart, and Jerry Powell could think of was candy.

Jennifer Adams and Kathryn Guerin think Valentine's Day means to give to people and to love others.

Jennifer Greer thinks people should be nice to other people and their families.

Jeremy Nickols disagrees with everyone. Valentine's Day means nothing at all to him.

As you can see, overall the most important thing on Valentine's Day to the third graders is candy.



THIRD GRADE

1st row: Jeremy Nickols, Vanessa Bostwick, Arnold Loomis, Lacey Herd

2nd row: Emma Hammons, Jessica Spangler, Leslie Leavett, Dustin Guerin, Jerry Pellham, Jennifer Adams

Back row: Lori Johnson, Jennifer Greer, Kyle Snyder, Dustin Burkhart, Jerry Powell

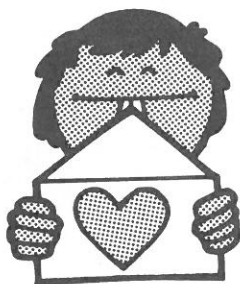
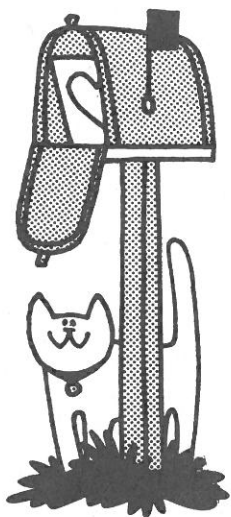
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An "X" for a Kiss: Our custom of putting X's at the end of letters and notes to symbolize kisses grew out of medieval legal practices. In order to indicate good faith and honesty in those days, the sign of St. Andrew—a cross—was placed after the signature of all important documents.

Thereafter, contacts and agreements were not considered binding until each signer added St. Andrew's cross after his name. then he was required to kiss the document to further guarantee faithful performance of his obligations. The cross was drawn hurriedly, often it was tilted and looked much like the letter "X".

Over the centuries, the origin of the ceremony was forgotten. But people still associated the "X" with the kiss instead of the pledge of good faith, and the custom has continued into modern times.



Valentine's Day



Sweet Treats For Valentine's Day

CHOCOLATE PIZZA

- 1 12-ounce pkg. semi-sweet chocolate pieces
- 1 pound white almond bark
- 1 cup crisp rice cereal
- 1 cup peanuts
- 2 cups Kraft Miniature Marshmallows
- 1 6-ounce jar red maraschino cherries, drained, cut in half
- 2 tablespoons green maraschino cherries, drained, quartered
- 1/3 cup flaked coconut
- 1 teaspoon oil

Melt chocolate pieces with 14 ounces almond bark over low heat, stirring until smooth. Remove from heat; stir in cereal and peanuts. Add marshmallow; mix well. Pour into greased 12-inch pizza pan. Top with cherries; sprinkle with coconut. Melt remaining almond bark with oil over low heat, stirring until smooth. Dribble over coconut; chill until firm. Store at room temperature. 20 servings.

Variations: Substitute 1 cup chopped or halved pecans or walnuts for peanuts. For smaller, heart-shaped pizzas, just use a heart-shaped pan, or mold mixture into four 6-inch hearts or twelve 4-inch hearts.

CANDY BAR COOKIES

- 1/2 cup (1 stick) butter, room temperature
- 1/4 cup vegetable shortening, room temperature
- 1/2 cup light brown sugar (firmly packed in measuring cup)
- 1/2 cup granulated sugar
- 2 eggs, room temperature
- 2 teaspoons vanilla extract
- 1 1/2 cups flour
- 1/2 teaspoon baking soda
- 1/2 teaspoon baking powder
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 8 ounces Butterfinger candy bars chopped into 1" pieces

1. Line the baking sheet with aluminum foil.
2. In a large bowl using either a wooden spoon or an electric mixer, cream together butter and shortening until well blended. Add light brown sugar and granulated sugar. Beat until fluffy. Add eggs-one at a time-beating well after each addition. Add vanilla, and beat until well-blended.
3. In a separate bowl, sift flour, baking soda, baking powder and salt together. Stir the flour mixture into the creamed ingredients, blending well. Stir in the candy-bar pieces. Wrap dough in plastic, and chill in refrigerator for at least one hour.
4. Preheat oven to 350 degrees Fahrenheit. Remove dough from refrigerator. Measure dough using a 1/3 measuring cup. Drop on foil with 3" between each cookie. Using the palm of your hand, flatten each mound to a 3" to 3 1/2" diameter. Bake for 12 to 15 minutes. Then, slide the foil off the sheet, and cool cookies for five minutes on foil. Using a spatula, remove cookies and place on wire rack to cool completely. Store in plastic wrap or in an airtight container. Makes eight to ten 6" cookies.



Fifth Grade News

by Jim Fisher
Fifth Grade Student

The fifth grade in science has been studying the weather. In social studies we learned about the first 13 colonies. In math we learned about decimals. In english we have been studying business letters.

Jim Fisher Wins Geography Bee



Jim Fisher, Fifth Grader won a Geography Bee held at Chadwick School. Joe Competed against students in grades 4-8.



SIXTH GRADE NEWS

The sixth grade students began the D.A.R.E. Program (Drug Abuse Resistance Education) January 8. This program is for one hour each week and will last for 17 weeks. Officer Lenny Frank is teaching the lessons. During the first lesson, the students learned about safety. Each sixth grader received a D.A.R.E. ruler, pencil, button, sticker, and booklet. The students are eager and excited about the program.

Welcome New Students

Chadwick Schools enrollment has grown larger since the beginning of the year. We have sixteen new students ranging from grades Kindergarten to Freshmen. The following students have started attending Chadwick within the last four months:

Kimberly Majors-Kindergarten, Leigh Bostwick-2nd, Doug Bostwick-4th, Jackie Dollarhide-4th, Sabrina Middleton-4th, George Andrews-5th, Shawna Eads-6th, Bobby Jackson-6th, Michelle Majors-6th, Jennifer Heyn-7th, Rosanne Abdular-8th, Heather Hollon-8th, Chris Eads-9th, Shawn Hollon-9th, Tim Middleton-9th, Joey Sartin-9th.

Honor Roll • • • Honor Roll • • • Honor Roll

Second Quarter Honor Roll

7th Grade

All A Grades:
Robert Guerin
Justin House
Tyler Walker

A & B Grades:
Amber Burkhardt
Shawn Guerin
Tasha Williams

8th Grade

A & B Grades:
Tessa Nalley
Jeremiah Cummings
Candy Plaster
Beth Whight

9th Grade

All A Grades:
Christal Gilbert

A & B Grades:
Jack Guerin

10th Grade

All A Grades:
Tonya Rozell

A & B Grades:
Marvin Guerin
Terry Mitchell
Tamara Thurman

11th Grade

A & B Grades:
Jason Gilbert
Melissa Loomis
Sara Whitley

12th Grade

All A Grades:
Tina Nalley
Lisa Phillips
Micky Walker

A & B Grades:
Kathy Applegate
Stefanie Weter

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