Falcon Focus Hustisford Jr/Sr High School Mini Newsletter



Upcoming Events

Report cards were handed out to the students on Friday, November 10th.

Thanksgiving Break: Nov 22-24

The first round of Senior Project Presentations will take place Wednesday, December 3rd.

Parent and senior student informational FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) meeting will be held on December 4th at 6:30pm in the Horicon High School cafeteria.

Youth Ag Summit: Wednesday
Dec 6th

Athletics Calendar <u>here</u> 23-24 District Calendar <u>here</u>

Classroom Spotlights

Students in Ms Essock's agriculture classes have been busy with hands-on labs and activities throughout quarter 1! 7th & 8th graders in Intro to Ag were able to extract DNA from wheat and brainstorm ways to enhance our wheat crop. Vet Science students completed a physical exam on Kooper, the 5 month old Red Heeler puppy, as well as built animal skeletons out of noodles! Ag Business designed their own cooperative, "L+L Grains". Animal Production frosted beef cow cookies to learn about different breed characteristics. Food Science made homemade pizzas while learning about yeast and beef jerky when learning about dehydration. Ecology went outside to analyze a mini wetland near the school.

Business: Students learning code just finished designing their web pages and now we will be learning how to create interactive animations and games. If you have a son/daughter in Personal Finance, ask them about different types of investments, retirement plans, or credit available to consumers. From what Mrs. Jaeck heard at conferences, some students may be asking you the questions which definitely makes for good dinner conversations. With Halloween, Entrepreneurship students did a quick project about dead companies, or companies that no longer exist or filed bankruptcy. Sometimes learning from mistakes keeps us from making them ourselves. If you have a son/daughter in Computer Concepts, we just finished learning how to format letters and address envelopes. Students are hoping for some fan mail to be returned after mailing to some favorite celebrities. We also took the time to write thank you letters to teachers.

6th grade Social Studies has just finished up their unit of Mesopotamia. We looked at several empires of this region and how they met the requirements of a civilization, food supply, government, religion, written language, social structure, arts, and technology. The students were then asked to create a display of their empire to teach others about these important topics. Students worked on being specific and writing in complete sentences and were very creative with the pictures they chose to enhance their displays.

Important Information

- Check out the NFHS Flyer to be able to watch sporting events online. NFHS FLYER
- Don't forget to sign up for Device Coverage for your child's computer. Information to sign up can be found here. The enrollment period for this coverage will be ending this month.
- Reminder Daily Announcements are posted on the <u>School District Website</u>.
- 8th Grade Washington D.C. trip fundraiser for those students signed up will begin November 7th and run through November 28th. Order sheet must be returned by November 30th. Product delivery date will be December 7th.
- The Washington D.C. trip deposit was due Tuesday, November 14th.

Educator & Students of the Month

Please give a Husty welcome to Jamie Hess. On October 16th, Jamie became the new K-12 Art Instructor. Welcome Jamie!



Kristen Anglemyer was selected as the November Educator of the month. Miss Spanish is the epitome of a caring, passionate, hard-working, and quality teacher for the Jr. / Sr. High School. She works very hard to provide the best learning environment and engaging experience for students in her classroom. Her lessons provide students with real world applications and challenges them to work outside of their comfort zone with their second language. She is always there for students and staff whenever they need someone or something. Kristen is the foundation of many committees in the school and

she can be counted on to step up when needed. She leads by example; she has a quiet way about her but her leadership skills are exemplary. Kristen is a true asset to our students and district.



Each month the Jr. / Sr. High School staff select one student that exemplifies the Falcon Way and growth. The students and a description of why they were selected is presented each month to the school board.



Hailey Pieper has a great attitude towards everything that she does. She's respectful of others and helps them out when they need it. Hailey is active in a variety of activities, including Student Council, FFA, and sports, and brings a positive energy and dedication to all of

them. She always shares her contagious smile and laugh in the classroom and hallways. The staff is proud to have a student like Hailey in our building.

Everett Ottery is a hard worker that is dedicated to getting his assignments in on time and doing his absolute best. He is not afraid to speak up if he is not understanding something and does what it takes to better understand the



material. He has a great sense of humor and personality and always has a kind word to say to staff and students. Everett, keep shining and being who you are!

Club Corner

FFA - The December meeting of the Hustisford FFA will be Monday 12/11 at 3:15. Fruit Sale delivery will be December 12th. FFA members are responsible for delivering items to all customers - no individual orders should be picked up from the school unless previously arranged.

NHS - Congratulations to Izzy Burback and Andy Maas for being inducted into the Hustisford High School National Honor Society. Both students have proven that they possess the traits of scholarship, leadership, character, and service throughout their high school career. They will be great additions to the current group (including Colter Sliper and Koal Her)!



Student Council - Student council is raising money in the month of November for Diabetes Awareness Month. All money raised will be going to Children's hospital in Milwaukee. They started out with a penny war and will have some opportunities at basketball games to donate. If you would like to donate please send money to the office by November 30th.

Yearbook - Jr/Sr High Yearbooks are on sale for \$60. You can order through their <u>website</u> or by dropping off a completed form with the payment at the HS office. Senior Pictures and Baby Ads are due by December 22. If you have any pictures you'd like to submit to the yearbook, you can use the following QR Code or this <u>Link</u>. If prompted for an ID please use ID #: OUS9_hk1hFF-LjuwgAbQkQ

Attention Husty 6-12th Graders!

Do you need...caring motivators? ... extra space to spread out? ... a place to work on a group project? ... some extra educational support? ... a calm place to work? If any of these apply to you, check out HOMEWORK HANGOUT! Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays from 3:15- 4:00 p.m. in the Library with Miss Spanish and Mrs. Maas.

Recent Opportunities Recap



On October 10th, 16 students from College 101 class toured UW-Oshkosh at Fond du Lac and Moraine Park Technical College. (pictured above) The students learned what it takes to be a first year college student and the difference between the two campuses.





On October 19th, 7th graders and high school career class students took part in a Manufacturing & Trade Career Expo at the Washington County Fairgrounds. Over 60 companies were represented. Students were able to see machines carve their names in wood, taste the difference in Jolly Good Soda, sit on a SCAG lawn mower, and many more opportunities. The students left with bags full of great swag. The Gehl company provided nachos for the students. They also left with a great knowledge base of what jobs are offered in the area and how to gain employment in those jobs. Some of the student quotes were: "This was awesome," "Can we stay longer," "I didn't know robots could do that."

November 1st - 3rd, six FFA members attended the National FFA Convention along with Pardeeville, Fall River, and Randolph-Cambria-Friesland FFA Chapters. Members toured Fair Oaks Farm, participated in the career expo and general sessions, and watched the rodeo.

Opportunity Outlook

The Hustisford School District is proud to announce the addition of a Spring Sport for our Middle School! The Hustisford Board of Education graciously approved Middle School Girls' Softball to be played in the Spring of 2024. This is for John Hustis Elementary girls currently in grade 5 and Hustisford Jr High girls who are currently in grades 6-8. Any parents interested in learning more should attend a meeting on December 12th in High School room 110 at 6pm to meet the coaches, hear about different opportunities, and learn about the season!

Falcon Future Talks

A very big thank you to these three individuals that came in to discuss career pathways with our students during our Wednesday Academic and Career Planning period. Falcon Future Talks occur once a month with four different career fields presented to the students. Students have the opportunity to select which presenter they would like to attend. So far we have been very fortunate to have 31 professionals come in to speak to our students. If you would like to participate in showcasing your field to our students, please contact Clint Bushey at (920) 349-3261 or email busheyc@hustisford.k12.wi.us

Car Salesman - Paul Essock
US Marine - Sgt. Connor Hanson
Mid-State - Bryan Hanson

Husticon Football

Congratulations to the Husticon Football Team on a great season!



Congratulations to the Husticon football team for an outstanding season! In what year did Hustisford field the first 11-man football team?