

April 2015

PONCA PUBLIC SCHOOL

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Information from Joan M. Reznicek, Superintendent of Schools

The 2014-2015 school year is near completion, yet, many important educational days are ahead us with emphasis on the NeSA (Nebraska State Accountability) test dates. The NeSA test scores are publicized in all of the major newspapers in the State of Nebraska during the fall. Not only are the test scores publicized, the test scores can be used as an indicator for the amount of funding Ponca Public Schools receives from the Federal government and the State of Nebraska. As ALL patrons of the Ponca Public Schools District, we want ALL of our students to be well prepared to perform well on those crucial test days. The preparation starts at home with the correct amount of sleep (8 to 10 hours) plus a nutritional breakfast in the morning. As educators, we value our students and will continue to encourage each student to come prepared for the tests and to perform well.

As Prom and Graduation quickly approach, please tell your child how important it is to make good decisions and choices during these end-of-the-school-year activities. We all have such high expectations for our students/children after they have graduated from high school. We just have to make sure they have the opportunity to seek their goals throughout their life.

If you believe your child would benefit educationally by being enrolled in summer school, please consider the possibility because summer school would be a great opportunity. **Summer school is not child daycare;** summer school will assist students to stay familiar with math and reading concepts. The students will also remain focused on a routine schedule and the discipline of completing projects and homework on time.

Also, with the summer vacation months just around the corner, maintain the learning process with your child during the summer months. Elementary parents, please continue to work with your child throughout the summer months with their math facts, reading and spelling. Have your child read during the summer months. By helping your child throughout the summer months, it will help to retain the information they have learned over the present school year, plus your child will have a stronger start to the 2015-2016 school year.

Dates to Remember:

Thursday, April 2nd: 1:10 dismissal for Jackson; 1:30 dismissal for Ponca

Friday, April 3rd & Monday, April 6th: EASTER BREAK - NO SCHOOL

Wednesday, April 29th: Teacher PLC - 1:55 dismissal for Jackson; 2:15 dismissal for Ponca

Friday, May 8th: GRADUATION @ 7:00PM - 1:10 dismissal for Jackson; 1:30 dismissal for Ponca

LAST DAY OF SCHOOL - YET TO BE DETERMINED DEPENDING UPON POSSIBLE SNOW DAYS!!!

AUGUST 13, 2015 - FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL - 2015-2016 SCHOOL YEAR

High School News

Awesome productions of a "Broadway Comedy Show" happen only with the hard work and dedication of the directors, cast, and crew. Once again our music departments put on a stellar production and the best family entertainment for miles around. Hat's off to all those who entertained and made us laugh with their performance in the "Broadway Comedy Show"!

Congratulations to the girls basketball team on an outstanding season and qualifying for the State Basketball Tournament! Talent wins games, but teamwork and intelligence takes you to the top. Because of the dedication and hard work of this basketball team, Ponca School and community once again had the opportunity to compete for the Class C2 Sportsmanship Trophy. We are proud to report we placed second this year. Every person who cheered for the Ponca Indians at the tournament can be proud of the role he or she played in earning this second place ranking.

Our Speech Team has been putting in lots of time preparing for their competitions. Lauren Brickett who performed in poetry and Alexis Anderson and Kari Rooney who performed in duet acting for qualified for State Speech competition! Bravo to these young ladies!

Several band members have also been working hard. Qualifying for Class C All State were Lauren Brickett , Carin Mellic , Emily Salmen, Rachel Bentz , Abby Sullivan, Ethan Swick , Kelsea Fethkenher, Jack Charlson, Jared Ludwig, and Spencer Criddle. We applaud their dedication and hard work to make it to this level!

Before the school year ends, students in grades eight through eleven will be pre-registering for classes for the 2015-2016 school year. Each student is required to show a parent the completed pre-registration form. The pre-registration form must then be returned to the school with the parent's signature before the classes selected by the student will be considered for his/her 2015-2016 class schedule.

Parents and students are reminded that the school only provides for supervision of athletes at track and golf meets. Therefore a student who is not on the team will only be released from school to attend the event if the student is with a parent or guardian. All students must be pre-excused before 9:00 A.M. to attend or participate in a school activity.

UPCOMING CAMPS

Summer will be here before we know it and that means summer athletic camp forms will be sent home with students very soon!!

Please keep your eye open for camp sign-up sheets in your student's backpack.

Camp forms can be found online at www.poncaschool.org as they become available.

If you have any questions, please contact the school at (402) 755-5700.

Notes from Mrs. Hassler..

ACT Test Date

The next administration of the ACT College Entrance Exam is set for Saturday, April 18, 2015. Any student who has registered for this test date is reminded to take time to prepare for the assessment. Tips for taking the ACT include: take a practice exam, "brush-up" on English and Math basics, get a good night's sleep, wear comfortable clothing, be sure to bring your admit ticket (which you should have received from ACT through the mail when you registered), a photo ID (driver's license), and several sharpened #2 pencils. Think "POSITIVE"! Good Luck!!

New Horizon Tutoring Dakota Dunes, SD

My name is Manoj Patil, Chemistry Instructor at Western Iowa Technical College in Sioux City, Iowa, and Owner of New Horizon Tutoring at Dakota Dunes, SD. A little bit about New Horizon Tutoring - We had over 500+ students getting tutored in various courses in ACT, SAT, PSAT, MCAT and other high school courses. We have also collaborated with area high schools for ACT prep courses. Our highest score is 35 and average increase is between 3-4 points.

Please let me know how New Horizon Tutoring can help and enhance students in your school.
My cell phone number is (712) 204-6876.

HUNTER SAFETY COURSE



Please register online @ www.huntsafenebraska.org to attend the Hunter Safety Class. Classes will be held April 6th, 13th, 20th and 27th at the new Martinsburg fire hall.

Students must be 12 years or older to attend.

Students must have the parental release form filled out & bring it to 1st session.

Any questions, please call Monte Roeber 402-635-2334

Doug Smith (office) 402-635-2129 (home) 402-945-2833

Charlie Mahler 402-945-2951, or Bob Kumm 712-253-9807

LIBRARY NEWS.....

Thank you students, teachers, parents, and community members for supporting the Book Fair.



A special thank you to Ponca National Honor Society, Mr. Hayes, Mrs. Wenger, Nikki Carnell, Kathy Adams, Myra Woggen, Pam Schram, Judy Curry, and John Street for providing specialized help.

Thank you to the following people who donated books to the library: Jamie Hamar, Chip Watchorn, Jayna Keller, Staci Fathkenher

National Honor Society

On Thursday, April 9th, 2015 at 7:30 PM, new nominees will be recognized and inducted into the Ponca Chapter of the National Honor Society in a formal ceremony in the Ponca School Fine Arts facility.

Every spring, students have the opportunity to be nominated for induction into Ponca High School's National Honor Society chapter. Selection guidelines and expectations were presented to those eligible 10th, 11th, and 12th grade students who carry a scholastic average of 85 or above and expressed an interest by attending an informational meeting on either February 4th or February 6th. In order to be considered for nomination, students presented their completed information sheets to the NHS advisor by 4:00 p.m. on February 23rd, 2015. A faculty council comprised of five teachers reviewed and discussed each student's information sheet, attendance and discipline records, and teacher questionnaires. Private ballots were cast by the faculty council, and those students receiving three out of five "yes" votes then become new nominees to the National Honor Society.

Elementary News

Spring has arrived which means the end of school is near. The school year has gone so fast, it seems like yesterday we were preparing for the students to walk in the door.

In April the elementary students will be participating in NeSA testing and MAP testing. These tests give us valuable data about the education being provided by Ponca Public School. Please visit with your child about the importance of the testing. Please help your child be prepared for the tests by getting a good night sleep. The school will provide breakfast on the day of the test.

On April 24th we will be having the annual field day at the athletic field. Jackson Elementary will be attending the elementary field day in Ponca. The field day begins at 1:15pm at the football field. The students will participate in a number of exciting events. Parents are encouraged to attend.

Our spring concerts are April 24th at 7:00pm for the Jackson Elementary students and May 11th at 7:00pm for the Ponca Elementary students. Both concerts will be held in the west gymnasium in Ponca. The students have been working hard to make this the best concert ever. Please make plans to attend and see the future stars of American Idol!

Class field trips will be coming up in April and May. Students are expected to be on their best behavior during these trips. Please remind them they are representing Ponca Public School and their actions speak louder than words. Please remind them these trips are a privilege and not a right.

This is the time of year when some students seem to slough off with their school work. The weather is nice and because of daylight savings time the day is longer. Summer baseball and soccer are beginning and outdoor activities increase. Please make sure your child does not neglect their school work and continues to get enough sleep. It is important to finish the school year strong.

The next school board meeting is April 20th in Ponca at 7:30pm.

KINDERGARTEN ROUNDUP

Parents who have children five years of age on or before July 31, 2015, may wish to send their son/daughter to kindergarten during the 2015/2016 school year.

Kindergarten Roundup for these students is scheduled for Friday, April 10th at Jackson Elementary. Parents may register their child for roundup by returning the form below or calling the Jackson Elementary School office at (402) 632-4276. You may also email the information below to sugill@poncaschool.org. More information concerning Kindergarten Roundup will be provided as we get closer to that date.

Please return this form to:

Jackson Elementary P.O. Box 67 Jackson, NE 68743

Child will attend _____ Child will NOT attend _____ Kindergarten in 2015/2016

Student Name: _____ Boy _____ Girl _____

Date of Birth: _____ Phone Number: _____

Parents or Guardian: _____

Address: _____

Lewis & Clark Conference Art Exhibition

Congratulations to all the Ponca High School art students who had artwork selected for this year's Lewis and Clark Conference Art Exhibition at Wayne State College. The following participated and earned a ribbon:

8th Grade

Hailey Bellows- 1st place ribbon
Emma Riedel - 3rd place ribbon
Morgan Swick – 2nd place ribbon
Hailey Zimmerman – 1st place ribbon

9th Grade

Stockton Schroeder – 1st place ribbon, 2nd place ribbon
Hudson Schweers – 3rd place ribbon
Kristie Criddle- 1st place ribbon
Cullen Cook – 2nd place ribbon
Elanna Monk – 1st place ribbon, 2nd place ribbon

10th Grade

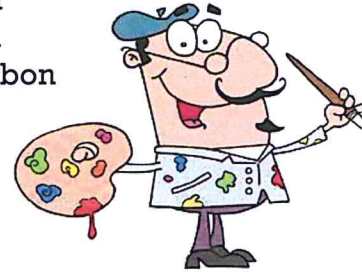
Brinkley Tackett – 3rd place ribbon
Abby Millard- 3rd place ribbon
Madison Niemeier - 1st place ribbon

11th Grade

Kari Rooney- 2nd place ribbon
Nate Bakker- 3rd place ribbon
Brooklyn Lundin- 1st place ribbon

12th Grade

Alisha Sullivan – 1st place ribbon, 2nd place ribbon
Rebecca Meister- 1st place ribbon, 3rd place ribbon
Heidi Beverly- 2nd place ribbon



Attention Juniors, Seniors, and Parents...After-Prom 2015!!!!

The Ponca After-Prom date is approaching quickly!!! This event will be held April 18th at the Ponca Gym. Juniors and Seniors need to register your dates with Julie in the High School office by Friday, April 17th at 4:00 p.m., if you are planning to attend. You must have \$5.00 per person at the time you register.

The prom dance ends at 12:00 and the students need to be at the Ponca Gym and breathalyzed at the door by 12:30 a.m. We need your cooperation & assistance in relating this information to the students to avoid any misunderstandings. There will be inflatables, photo booth, hypnotist, and lots of food and fun!

Parents **WILL BE** notified, if their child registered and did not attend.
The Ponca After-Prom party will end at 5:00 a.m.

Please encourage your son/daughter to attend...we are looking forward to a GREAT NIGHT!!

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The Ponca Public School requests your help in locating handicapped children. The school implements the Federal Handicapped Children's Act (PL 94-142) and Nebraska statute, which guarantees a free appropriate educational program for all children between birth and 21 years of age. If you have students or know of any young person who meets these criteria, please contact Superintendent's office.

MUSIC NOTES

Congratulations to the Junior High Band, 6th Grade Choir, and Junior High Choir for receiving a Superior rating (the highest given) at the Wayne State Middle School Contest!!! Check out the Band page on the website for more results from the Middle School Festival.

Upcoming Music Events:



- April 11th Wayne State Show Choir Competition
- April 13th HS Band and Chorus Concert and Awards @ 7:00
- April 24th District Music Contest @ South Sioux City ALL DAY
- April 24th PreK-2nd Grade Spring Concert @ Ponca 7:00 p.m.
- May 8th Graduation (Chorus and Band)
- May 11th 3-6 Elementary Music and Band Concert @ 7:00

SUMMER DRIVER EDUCATION

Summer Driver Education Sign-up: Driver Education classes will be held at Ponca School starting after school is out in late May. The cost of the class is \$225.00 for students who are residents of the Ponca school District, and \$295.00 for non-resident students. Residence is determined by domicile of the parent with primary custody. Driver Education will be held Monday, June 1 through Friday, June 5. The classes will run from 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. at Ponca School.

Requirements in order to register to take Driver Education for the summer of 2015:

1. Enrollment maximum of thirty-five (35) students.
2. Class signup sheet is located in the High School Principal's Office. Sign up by **May 1st**.
3. At time of enrollment, must pay **\$112.50** as deposit for taking class. Remainder due the first day of class.
4. Students who live in Ponca city limits **MUST** be 15 by August 1, 2015.
5. Students who live 1.5 miles from school need to be 14.
6. Oldest students on sign-up sheet will be given preference to take class.
7. Signing up after May 1st, will put your name on the bottom of the list, regardless of age.
8. Mr. Dan Loofe will once again be the instructor for the class.



10 tips
Nutrition
Education Series

build a healthy meal
10 tips for healthy meals



A healthy meal starts with more vegetables and fruits and smaller portions of protein and grains. Think about how you can adjust the portions on your plate to get more of what you need without too many calories. And don't forget dairy—make it the beverage with your meal or add fat-free or low-fat dairy products to your plate.

1 make half your plate veggies and fruits
Vegetables and fruits are full of nutrients and may help to promote good health. Choose red, orange, and dark-green vegetables such as tomatoes, sweet potatoes, and broccoli.

2 add lean protein
Choose protein foods, such as lean beef and pork, or chicken, turkey, beans, or tofu. Twice a week, make seafood the protein on your plate.



3 include whole grains
Aim to make at least half your grains whole grains. Look for the words "100% whole grain" or "100% whole wheat" on the food label. Whole grains provide more nutrients, like fiber, than refined grains.

4 don't forget the dairy
Pair your meal with a cup of fat-free or low-fat milk. They provide the same amount of calcium and other essential nutrients as whole milk, but less fat and calories. Don't drink milk? Try soy milk (soy beverage) as your beverage or include fat-free or low-fat yogurt in your meal.



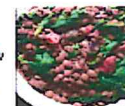
5 avoid extra fat
Using heavy gravies or sauces will add fat and calories to otherwise healthy choices. For example, steamed broccoli is great, but avoid topping it with cheese sauce. Try other options, like a sprinkling of low-fat parmesan cheese or a squeeze of lemon.

6 take your time
Savor your food. Eat slowly, enjoy the taste and textures, and pay attention to how you feel. Be mindful. Eating very quickly may cause you to eat too much.

7 use a smaller plate
Use a smaller plate at meals to help with portion control. That way you can finish your entire plate and feel satisfied without overeating.

8 take control of your food
Eat at home more often so you know exactly what you are eating. If you eat out, check and compare the nutrition information. Choose healthier options such as baked instead of fried.

9 try new foods
Keep it interesting by picking out new foods you've never tried before, like mango, lentils, or kale. You may find a new favorite! Trade fun and tasty recipes with friends or find them online.



10 satisfy your sweet tooth in a healthy way
Indulge in a naturally sweet dessert dish—fruit! Serve a fresh fruit cocktail or a fruit parfait made with yogurt. For a hot dessert, bake apples and top with cinnamon.



INFORMATION AND GUIDELINES FOR PONCA HIGH SCHOOL'S PROM DANCE & AFTER PROM 2015



Parents: Please make sure your son/daughter has purchased a
park sticker prior to the dance date/time!

The purpose of the following information is to familiarize parents, guardians, Ponca students and outside dates with the guidelines and procedures for Ponca High School's Prom and After Prom Party. Our objective is for all of our students and guests to have an enjoyable, drug-free and safe evening.

1. A Prom Dance will be held at Ponca State Park Visitors Center on Saturday, April 18th from 8:00 P.M. to 12:00 P.M. for Ponca students in grades 11 through 12 and for their outside dates whose names are registered in the Principal's office by 4:00 P.M. on Friday, April 17th. A Grand March will be held for Seniors and Juniors and their dates at 7:00 P.M. at the Ponca High School Auditorium and everyone is welcome.
2. The Prom Dance will be chaperoned by the Junior class sponsors, the Principal, and other teachers. A police officer will also be on hand from time to time to check on the Prom Dance. If enough teachers are not available to help sponsor the dance, it may be necessary to ask some parents to help out.
3. A Ponca student who has an outside date will be responsible for explaining the rules to their date, and their date will be responsible for following these rules.
4. Juniors and Seniors and their dates will be admitted to the Prom Dance free of charge.
5. Juniors and Seniors and their dates who attend the Prom Dance are required to wear formal attire or they will not be admitted to the dance. This means a formal or dress for the girls and a tuxedo or suit and tie for the boys. This means no blue jeans, shorts, T-shirts, caps, etc.
6. All students who plan to attend the Prom Dance must be at the park by 9:30 P.M. or they will not be permitted to the dance. Any Ponca student or their date that leaves the Prom Dance before it's over, must sign out before they leave the dance and will not be permitted to reenter.
7. If a Ponca student or their date practices unacceptable behavior at the Prom Dance, their parents will be called, and the offender will be required to leave with their parents. If a student is told to leave the Prom Dance, they will not be permitted to attend the After-Prom Party.
8. Ponca students and their dates attending the Prom Dance will be subject to an alcohol breath test by an off-duty police officer prior to admission to the dance.
9. If any Ponca student and/or their date has been drinking or using any form of drug or tobacco, their parents or guardian will be called immediately to come to dance location to be present for a breathalyzer test on their son or daughter and to take them home if they have been drinking or using any form of drug or tobacco. Any student who tests positive for alcohol or drug use will be subject to prosecution by the law as well as being disciplined by the school for violating school rules which apply to the situation.
10. As of January 1, 1994 a new zero tolerance law went into effect in Nebraska which basically states that any minor who gets caught driving while they are under the influence of alcohol of any amount, can have their driver's license revoked on the spot for 30 days.
11. After-Prom Party will be held at the Ponca School Gym from 12:00 A.M. to 5:00 A.M. for students in grades 11-12 and their dates. Students must arrive & be breathalyzed at the door by 12:30 A.M. A student may attend the After-Prom Party even if he or she does not attend the Prom Dance. All students who plan to attend the After-Prom Party must register and pay \$5.00 per person in the High School Office with Julie Kneifl by 4:00 P.M. on April 17th.
12. Students who plan to attend the After-Prom Party will be given a half hour to change clothes and drive to Ponca School Gym in Ponca, Nebraska.
13. If a student is registered to attend the After-Prom Party, and they do not show, their parents will be notified to let them know that their son or daughter did not arrive.
14. Any student who leaves will NOT be allowed to return, and parents will be contacted.
15. Every student entering Ponca School Gym will be breathalyzed at the door. They will be subject to the same rules, procedures, and prosecution as a person attending the Prom Dance in case of drug, alcohol, or tobacco use or unacceptable behavior.
16. If you have any questions concerning these guidelines, please call Ponca Public School (402)755-5700.

Requirements for Upcoming Kindergarteners, 7th Graders and Graduates

Attention Upcoming Kindergarten and 7th Grade Students

Students entering kindergarten and seventh grade in the 2015-2016 school year must meet the following state requirements;

Kindergarten Students need;

1. A **certified birth certificate**, the one obtained for a fee from the state your child was born in. Generally it has a raised seal and state identification number on it. They are available over the internet or by going to the courthouse in the county your child was born in.
2. A **physical exam**
3. A **visual examination** within six months prior to the entrance of school. This test needs to include testing for amblyopia (lazy eye), strabismus (misalignment of the eyes), as well as external and internal eye health. Reading the eye chart at the doctors office **does not** meet state requirements. Some physicians do not do extensive eye exams, in that case, you will need to make an appointment to see an eye doctor.
4. **Kindergarten shots**. There are several vaccines that your child will need prior to entering kindergarten. They also need 2 doses of varicella if they have not had the chicken pox disease.

7th Graders;

1. A **physical exam**
2. A **tetanus booster**

Attention Senior Parents,

Your child will soon be graduating and several students will be heading off to college in the fall. This is a perfect time to make sure your child's immunizations are current. The two vaccines that are recommended at this age are:

- 1.) **A tetanus booster (Td)**- which contains tetanus and diphtheria. Bacteria cause both tetanus and diphtheria. Tetanus enters the body through cuts or wounds, where diphtheria is spread from person to person.
- 2.) **Meningococcal Vaccine**-meningococcal disease is a serious illness, caused by bacteria. It is the leading cause of bacterial meningitis in children 2-18 years old. Meningitis is an infection of fluid surrounding the brain and spinal cord. Anyone can get meningococcal disease, although college students that live in dormitories are at higher risk of obtaining it.

Many colleges require these vaccines prior to entrance. I strongly recommend your child receive these vaccines, even if they aren't required.

These state required items MUST be handed in by the first day of school or your child will be sent home until we have the records on file.

If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Herfel at the school Tuesday and Thursdays at 755-5700

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Are you new to the Ponca School District or have a new baby in your household?

The school district is required to conduct an annual census every June for children age 0-21. These census numbers are used by the Nebraska Department of Education for state aid and for federal funding. This list is also used to invite children who are at the age to begin school to the Spring Kindergarten Roundup.

Please contact Sue Gill at Jackson School (402) 632-4276 or
Lisa Hohenstein at Ponca school (402)755-5700
with the children's names, birthdates and genders.



April 2015



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			1 Dixon County Health Fair @ Allen 1:00p.m.- 4:00 p.m.	2 EARLY DISMISSAL Easter Break Jackson Dismiss @ 1:10 Ponca Dismiss @ 1:30	3 No School Easter Break (No School Monday, April 6th) Good Friday	4 Athletic Booster Alumni Basketball Tourney
5	6 No School Easter Break	7 Golf Dual @ Ponca vs. Pender 4:00 p.m. Varsity Track Elk Point Invite 3:00 p.m.	8 Post Prom Meeting Ponca School 6:00 p.m.	9 National Honor Society Induction @ 7:30 p.m. Fine Arts	10 Kindergarten Round Up 9:00 a.m. -3:30 p.m. @ Jackson Varsity Track Homer Invite 1:00 p.m.	11 Wayne State College Show Choir Competition
12	13 High School Spring Music Concert and Awards 7:00 p.m. Fine Arts	14 Jr. High Track Dakota Valley Invite @ 4:00 p.m. Hartington/Ponca Golf Triangular 3:00 @ Ponca 4th Grade Field Trip	15	16 Laurel Golf Invite 10:00 a.m. Varsity Track @ Homer 4:00 p.m.	17 3rd Grade Field Trip to Yankton	18 PROM Grand March 7:00 p.m. (Ponca School) Dance 8-12 p.m. (State Park) Post Prom 12:30-5:00 a.m. (Ponca School) Sioux City Relays @ Morningside
19	20 School Board Meeting 7:30 p.m. @ Ponca Jr. High Track Hartington CC Invite @ 1:00 p.m. Ponca Golf Invite 11:30 a.m.	21 Varsity Track Laurel Invite 2:00 p.m.	22	23 Jr. High Track @ South Sioux 1:00 p.m. 9th-10th grade Track Ponca Invite 4:00 p.m. Lutheran High Golf Invite 9:00 a.m. PONCA CLEAN UP DAY	24 District Music Contest @ South Sioux City Elementary Track Meet @ Ponca Sports Complex 1:15 p.m. PreK-2nd Grade Spring Concert 7:00 pm @ Ponca	25 Osmond Golf Invite 9:30 a.m.
26	27 Jr. High Track Crofton Invite @ Hartington @ 12:00 p.m.	28 Hartington Golf Invite 9:00 a.m. Varsity Track Ponca Invite 3:00 p.m.	29 EARLY DISMISSAL Professional Development Jackson Dismiss @ 1:55 Ponca Dismiss @ 2:15 JV and Varsity Golf @ Ponca vs. Laurel 3:00	30 Academic Honors Program 7:00 p.m. Fine Arts 2nd Grade Field Trip to Le Mars	1 Jr. High Track Ponca Invite 1:30 p.m.	2 Neligh-Oakdale 5th and 6th Grade Honor Band Conference Track @ Plainview 9:30 a.m.