



December

High School Newsletter



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Dates to Remember

December 2nd Early Dismissal 1:00

December 9th Early Dismissal 1:00

December 16th Early Dismissal 1:00

December 21st Early Dismissal 1:00

December 22nd - January 2nd No School

Winter Break

Return to School - January 3rd

STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

Student of The Month



Geneva Timmerman

Kiwanis Student's of The Month

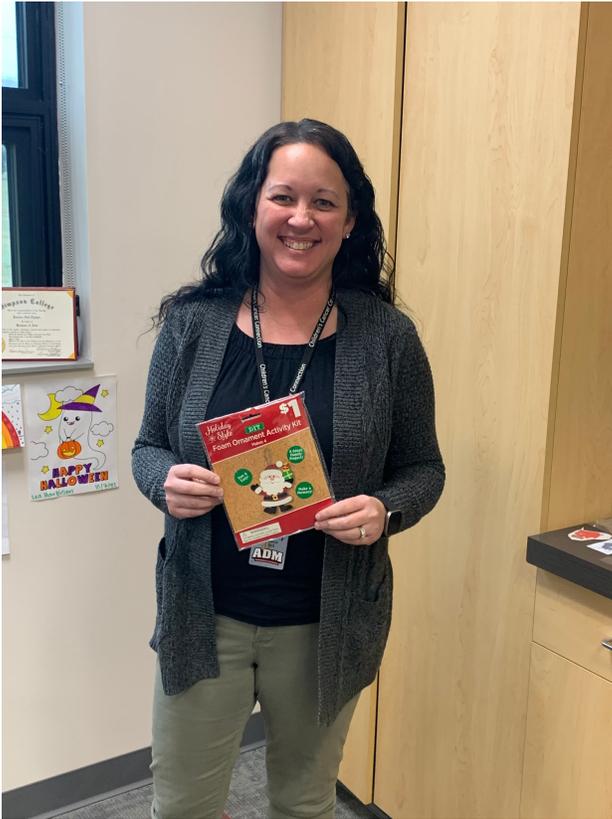


Celia Kreifels



Ella Grossman

TEACHERS OF THE MONTH



**Mrs. Jamaica Reed,
Success Teacher**

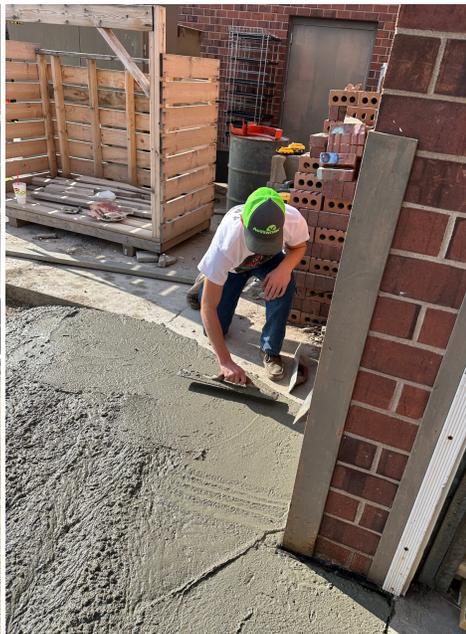
**Mr. Chris Rupe,
Social Studies Teacher**



High School Happenings

Construction Careers Gain Valuable Experiences

It was a busy month for the Industrial Technology Construction Program. Tate Jensen with TJ Concrete graciously donated his company's time and concrete to come in and help students understand the ins and outs of concrete careers. Students helped break old concrete out, form it, lay rebar and pour and finish the new slab by the overhead shop door. Students enjoyed learning a lot from Tate and Trevor about the concrete industry. Our Construction Careers class also got the opportunity to attend the Masonry Institute of Iowa's Masonry Career Day. Students got a lot of hands-on learning with various occupations in masonry and bricklaying. They also got some classroom time with the project estimators and learned how bricks and blocks are made. Pictures on the next page..



National Honor Society Welcomes 20 New Members

The ADM Chapter of National Honor Society celebrated the induction of 20 new members Monday, November 14 with a dinner provided by the induction classes of 2020 and 2021 followed by a ceremony held in the auditorium. The ceremony included 2 keynote speakers; NHS President Geneva Timmerman and keynote speaker Josh Chapman. Mr. Chapman is an alumnus of ADM and also serves as the boys cross country and assistant track coach. In addition, Vice-President Addison Banse and Secretary Tom Hook helped lead the event.

Membership into NHS is determined by several factors including an application, essay, teacher recommendation, interview, and committee selection. NHS is honored to represent all ADM athletic teams, including the inaugural girls wrestling team and 8+ fine arts activities. Every club and organization that ADM has to offer is represented including E-Sports. Members of National Honor Society also have served a combined 1,000+ hours of service work in the community.



New Members Back (left to right): Lucas Nepl, Brevin Doll, Addison Herrick, London Warmuth, Sophia Chesney, Hanna Grossman, Kelli Storck, Kennedy Stanford, Madison Siefken, Bennett Holmberg
Middle (left to right): Taylor Braun, Ella Goodrich, Payton Taylor, Makayla Crannell, Eliana Dohlman, Paige Mattes, Aubrey Winter, Celia Kreifels

2020-2021 Members (left to right): Tom Hook, Addison Banse, Cade Morse, Tess Boom, Ella Grossman, Brylee Person, Avery Miller, Alexa Seidl, Kendal Book, Natalie Mack, Kelsey Dalen, Alexis Nemechek, Callie Moyer, Nicole Storck, Rebecca Yanacheak, Andrew Busch, Logan Krantz, Tate Hook, Geneva Timmerman

Chemistry: Chemical Engineering Project

At the end of a unit about the race to build an atomic bomb, students in Accelerated Chemistry used coded languages, clues, and collaboration to complete a variety of Chemical Engineering Challenges!



Students were also racing to beat the teacher "spies" who infiltrated our classroom.



Student Council November Month of Giving

Student Council sponsored the 2nd Annual November Month of Giving focusing on students giving back to their school and the community. Students participated in several activities including writing letters to active, reserve, and veteran service members through the Million Thanks program during Power Hour. Letters were mailed and will be delivered during the holidays. Student Council members worked to beautify their school by cleaning the outside of lockers in many of the hallways. In addition, the organization sponsored a food drive for the local Adel Food Pantry and sold puppy minutes to raise funds for AHeinz. During Meet the Team Night members collected winter coats and ADM apparel to give back to students in the district. We wrapped up the month with a trip to Meals From the Heartland to package meals for nations struggling with food insecurity. Overall it was an amazing month of giving back!



ADM Thespians to Simpson College Theatre Festival

Simpson College theatre students hosted their 25th annual High School Theatre Festival on Monday, November 21st. Nine members of ADM's Thespian Troupe #6603 got to attend. Students experienced a variety of theater workshops in the areas of reader's theater, stage makeup, playwriting, stage management, sound techniques, etc. They enjoyed lunch on Simpson's campus, and they were treated to an afternoon performance of Theatre Simpson's production of Little Women. It was an entertaining and moving adaptation of the classic story. ADM students enjoyed comparing their approach to a classic novel to our recent similar undertaking with The Secret Garden. The Thespian Troupe would like to thank the ADM Fine Arts Boosters for paying for their registration for this opportunity! Students who attended include Kyler Hegarty, Jude Zeigler, Michael Vandermark, Jeff Warner, Chloe Clarke, Kaylin Dains, Kelby Dimler, Bri McGee, and Josey Pasco.



Counselor's Corner

Scholarship Resource:

The Iowa College Access Network (ICAN) recently held a meeting regarding the scholarship process. They have provided a video recording of the presentation, for those who were unable to attend.

Scholarship Process Webinar- <https://youtu.be/Rpje454BP-o>

RaiseMe:

RaiseMe is the easiest way for students to earn scholarships for everyday things they do while in high school. If your student hasn't created an account yet, we encourage them to do so here

Free Money for College:

Keep an eye on the ADM High School Counseling Center website for information on available scholarships. As we receive information about scholarships, the list is updated. Make it a habit to check here regularly for new scholarship posts.



ADM ACTIVITIES



Tiger Nation,

Thanksgiving break has come and gone, and we hope you had the opportunity to spend time with family and friends. This break was a great opportunity to reflect on the outstanding fall season that has passed and to recharge for the upcoming winter season.

Congrats to Coach Carter, the staff, and the entire football team for a memorable football season. The Tigers finished 10-2 and earned the school's second trip to the UNI Dome to play in the state semifinals. The Tigers capped off a great season by having 8 members named to the IFCA All-State team. Thank you to Tiger Nation for your outstanding support as you packed the UNI Dome and provided a great environment.

The winter season has already kicked off with the ADM girls basketball team winning their season opener against Norwalk by a score of 66-44. The boys team will join them in action by hosting DC-G on November 29th. Both teams are ready to have a great season in a highly competitive Raccoon River Conference.

The ADM boys wrestling team also kickoffs the 2022-23 campaign after Thanksgiving break. They will open up the season at home on December 1st with a double dual against Atlantic and Earlham starting at 5:30 pm.

Numerous ADM students have been participating in the inaugural season of girls wrestling. ADM is part of Raccoon River Girls Wrestling which is composed of ADM, Waukee, Waukee Northwest, and Van Meter students. ADM will host a girls wrestling tournament on Saturday, December 17th. It's a great opportunity to showcase our girls wrestlers and to promote this new and exciting opportunity.

We also want to make sure to send a huge congratulations to Ms. Longman, Ms. Depond, Ms. Cassel, and the cast and crew of our school musical "The Secret Garden." They performed three outstanding shows. Well done to everyone involved.

Next, we want to remind everyone of the opportunity to come out and support the ADM Dance team at the state dance competition at Wells Fargo Arena on Friday, December 2nd. Their first performance will be the Hoopla category starting at 9:37 am to be followed by the Jazz performance at 4:16 pm.

Lastly, our winter activities bring our outstanding fans together numerous times for great events. We will continue to stress our theme of "Be The Standard" in the area of sportsmanship. We look forward to having our gyms packed and being positive. Unfortunately, the news is full of examples of the opposite being shown and having a negative effect of players, coaches, and communities. The biggest way you can impact our students is in the following ways:

- Cheer for and support our team - eliminate negative comments towards our opponents**
- Respect officials calls - criticizing or verbally calling out the officials doesn't help our team**
- Eliminate taunting and heckling - treat our opponents with respect**

Thanks again to Tiger Nation! We are so proud of our students and community! Go Tigers!