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- RIBLETS, CHICKEN, BURGERS WITH SPECIAL SAUCE** - 10:00 a.m. 'til gone across from Speedee Mart. Look for the smoke! (Ribs by Scott Fix)
- \$2 BOWLING** - 11:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. at The Alley
- ESCAPE ROOM** - 4:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at former Anson's Feed Building downtown, reservations required. Contact Emily Osborne, 402-340-1614
- RANCH RODEO** - 7:00 p.m. at Atkinson Rodeo Grounds. Contact Nick Schrunck, 402-340-6362 (Atkinson Lions Club)
- CORONATION, STREET DANCE** - 9:00 p.m. to 12:00 a.m. downtown, Main Street - Music by Strings Attached, CORONATION will be at 10:30 p.m. (Atkinson-Ettes)
- KARAOKE** - 8:00 p.m. to 12:00 a.m. at Someplace Else Bar (Someplace Else Bar)
- TREASURE HUNT** - The First Clue will be given and MR. and/or MRS. HAY will also be announced at 10:30 p.m. at Coronation Dance (Atkinson Hay Days Committee)



Saturday, August 22

- FUN RUN, WALK and BIKE RIDE** - Registration - 6:00 a.m. to 6:45 a.m.; Race Begins at 7:00 a.m. at Atkinson Firehall. Contact Renae Osborne, 402-560-7327 for information. (Atkinson Fire & Rescue)
- BREAKFAST BUFFET** - 7:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. at Atkinson Senior Center (Atkinson Senior Center)
- DILLY BAR SALES** - 10:00 a.m. through Duck Races at former Connie's Cut & Curl building (Sturdevant-McKee Museum)
- HAY DAYS PARADE** - 10:30 a.m. in Downtown Atkinson, Theme "Hillbillie Hay Days" To enter Contact Betty Ziska at 720-260-1920
- SHOW & SHINE CAR, TRUCK, RAT ROD, MOTORCYCLE SHOW & MODIFIED CAR OR TRUCK** - 11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. show at city park. Contact Scott Shane, 402-340-5070 or Greg Trewatha, 402-925-8769
- LUNCH BY RHONDA** - Immediately following parade until gone, Atkinson Community Center (Rhonda Poessnecker)
- POTATO BAKE** - Immediately following parade until gone, Atkinson Presbyterian Church (Atkinson Presbyterian Church)
- ARTS, CRAFTS and VENDORS SHOW** - 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. in the Atkinson Community Center. To enter contact Bev McConnell, 402-340-1961
- VENDORS IN THE PARK** - 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. in City Park. To enter contact Shannon Morrison, 402-340-2923.
- \$2 BOWLING** - 11:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. at The Alley
- DUCK RACES** - Immediately following parade, downtown street in front of Something Special by Marilyn. (St. Joseph Home & School)
- SMALL ENGINE & TRACTOR DISPLAY** - After the Parade until 6:00 p.m., East side of the City Park. Contact Rod Schmuecker, 402-340-6931; Dale Mitchell, 402-340-0139 or Kyle Asher, 402-340-5604 for more information.
- BOUNCE HOUSES** - 12:00 noon to 5:00 p.m. in City Park (Hay Days Committee)
- ESCAPE ROOM** - 12:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at former Anson's Feed Building downtown, reservations required. Contact Emily Osborne, 402-340-1614
- FREE SWIMMING** - In the City Swimming Pool (Life Guards)
- DUNKING BOOTH** - 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. in City Park (West Holt Volleyball Team)
- ANNUAL HAY DAYS GOLF TOURNAMENT** - 1:00 p.m. at the Atkinson-Stuart Country Club. Small entry fee per person. Tee-off time 1:30 p.m.
- HAMBURGER and HOT DOG STAND** - 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., at Cowboy Trail Shelter north of Security 1st Bank. (St. John's Lutheran Church)

Saturday, August 22

- CRUISE NIGHT** - 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. antique vehicles only; 8:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. all other vehicles are welcome, in Downtown Atkinson, "All traffic laws will be followed" (Atkinson Hay Days Committee)
- RANCH RODEO** - 7:00 p.m. at Atkinson Rodeo Grounds. Contact Nick Schrunck, 402-340-6362 (Atkinson Lions Club)
- REN AND RED SHOW** - 8:00 p.m. to 12:00 a.m. at Someplace Else Bar (Someplace Else Bar)
- TEEN DANCE** - 9:00 p.m. - 12:00 a.m. at Farmer's Market, Music by DJ Hamrod

Sunday, August 23

- COMMUNITY CHURCH SERVICE** - 8:30 a.m., Farmer's Market building downtown. Bring your own chair.
- FREE WILL DONATION PANCAKE BREAKFAST** - 7:30 a.m. to 12:00 Noon at Atkinson KC Hall (Atkinson Knights of Columbus)
- SLOW PITCH SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT** - 9:00 a.m. at softball field north of city swimming pool
- \$2 BOWLING** - 11:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. at The Alley
- VENDORS IN THE PARK** - 12:00 Noon to 7:00 p.m. in City Park. To enter contact Shannon Morrison, 402-340-2923
- SMALL ENGINE & TRACTOR DISPLAY** - 12:00 Noon to 3:00 p.m., East side of the City Park. Contact Rod Schmuecker, 402-340-6931; Dale Mitchell, 402-340-0139 or Kyle Asher, 402-340-5604 for more information.
- BOUNCE HOUSES** - 12:00 Noon to 7:00 p.m. in the City Park (Atkinson Hay Days Committee)
- ESCAPE ROOM** - 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at former Anson's Feed Building downtown, reservations required. Contact Emily Osborne, 402-340-1614
- FREE SWIMMING** - in the City Swimming Pool (Life Guards)
- PUZZLE COMPETITION** - 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. at KC Hall. Reservations required. Contact Diane Osborne, 402-340-0968
- CAKE, PIE WALK** - 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. in the park under the covered picnic area between the swimming pool and the community center. (P.E.O. Chapter BU)
- DILLY BAR SALES** - 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. East of Park House (Sturdevant-McKee Museum)
- BARBECUE** - 5:00 p.m. in the City Park, excellent food, outstanding service, good fellowship (Atkinson Area Chamber of Commerce)

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For more Hay Days information, contact:
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TIPS TO BECOME A BETTER TEST TAKER

Tests are an integral component of the academic experience. Tests assess how well students have absorbed lessons in the classroom. A two-year study conducted by the Council of Great City Schools examined testing practices in 66 public, urban school districts across the country. Findings indicated students take about 112 standardized tests between pre-K and 12th grade. This number doesn't factor in the other tests that students take as part of the general curriculum. Testing varies based on school district and whether or not a school is public or private.

Taking tests can be a source of stress for students, particularly when they do not do as well as they would like. Pop quizzes, exams and standardized tests likely aren't going away anytime soon, but students can look to various methods to become better test takers. Mastering some test-prep skills also can relieve anxiety and reduce stress. The following test-taking tips, courtesy of the University of Arkansas, Huntington Learning Center and Harvard Summer School, might help students perform better on their exams.

- **DEVELOP GOOD STUDY HABITS.** The more effectively one studies, the greater the propensity to do well on a test. Students should review notes daily, write their own study guides, and take advantage of any practice tests the teacher offers.
 - **READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS CAREFULLY.** Some students know the subject matter but get confused because they do not read all the directions thoroughly. Students should read every word of every question and pay attention to details before attempting to answer.
 - **STOP CRAMMING.** Cramming for a test is not productive. One is less likely to retain the information, and cramming can increase stress and adversely affect a student's ability to sleep.
 - **BEGIN PRACTICING PACING.** Another area some students struggle with is running out of time on the test, or finishing too soon. Tests are timed, and that means that students need to work efficiently. Practice enables students to learn how long they spend on each question, and how they can cut down that time to finish in a more timely fashion.
 - **HIRE A TUTOR.** Some students can benefit from some extra assistance through a tutor. Professional tutors are skilled in conveying test-taking tips, like identifying which questions to guess on and how to narrow down multiple choice options.
 - **READ OVER THE ENTIRE TEST.** If possible, students should review the whole test before getting started. Doing so will help them understand the structure and identify areas that may require more or less time.
 - Write out formulas. Particularly on math and science exams, using a scrap piece of paper to write out any memorized formulas or data at the start of the test can be helpful.
 - **DON'T AGONIZE.** Students should move on from questions they don't know instead of getting locked on one question.
 - **GO BACK AND REVIEW.** Students who finish early can be encouraged to go back over the test and check their answers.
 - **LEARN FROM MISTAKES.** When the test is graded and returned, students should look over the questions they missed and compare them to the right answers. This will show whether mistakes were careless errors or reflective of a lack of knowledge of the material.



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Sept. 4	Ord	O'Neill	7 pm
Sept. 11	Kearney Catholic	O'Neill	7 pm
Sept. 18	Summerland	Summerland	4:30 pm
Sept. 25	Central City	O'Neill	6 pm
Oct. 2	Columbus Lakeview	Columbus Lakeview	7 pm
Oct. 9	Piece	Piece	7 pm
Oct. 16	Broken Bow	O'Neill	7 pm
Oct. 23	Wayne	O'Neill	7 pm
Oct. 30	1st Round Playoffs	TBA	TBA
Nov. 6	Quarter Finals	TBA	TBA
Nov. 13	Semi Finals	TBA	TBA
Nov. 24	State	Lincoln	TBA
SOFTBALL			
Aug. 13	Twin River Jamboree	Genoa	6 pm
Aug. 20	St. Paul	St. Paul	4:30 pm
Aug. 22	Wayne Invite	Wayne	9:30 am
Aug. 25	Wayne	Wayne	4:30 pm
Aug. 27	Ponca	O'Neill	5 pm
Aug. 29	Wisner Pilger Invite	Wisner-Pilger	9 am
Sept. 1	Wisner-Pilger/NEN	Wisner-Pilger	5 pm
Sept. 3	Pierce/Ord Tri	O'Neill	4 pm
Sept. 8	Boone Central	O'Neill	5 pm
Sept. 10	Centura/Central Valley	Centura	5 pm
Sept. 12	Cozad Invite	Cozad	9 am
Sept. 14	Central City	O'Neill	5 pm
Sept. 18	Chadron	O'Neill	1 pm
Sept. 19	Pierce	Pierce	9 am
Sept. 22	GACC	O'Neill	4:30 pm
Sept. 24	Highway 91	Leigh	5 pm
Sept. 26	Conference	TBA	10 am
Sept. 29	South Sioux City	South Sioux City	5 pm
Oct. 5	Sub Districts	TBA	TBA
Oct. 9	District Finals	TBA	TBA
Oct. 14-19	State	TBA	TBA
VOLLEYBALL			
Aug. 21	Plainview Jamboree	O'Neill	5:30 pm
Aug. 27	South Sioux City	South Sioux City	4:30 pm
Sept. 1	Elkhorn Valley	O'Neill	5 pm
Sept. 3	Ponca Tri	Ponca	5 pm
Sept. 8	West Holt Tri	Atkinson	5:30 pm
Sept. 10	Crofton	Crofton	5 pm
Sept. 12	Boone Central	Boone Central	9 am
Sept. 17	GACC	O'Neill	4:30 pm
Sept. 22	EPPJ	Elgin	5 pm
Sept. 24	O'Neill Tri	O'Neill	5:30 pm
Sept. 26	Elkhorn Valley Tourney	Elkhorn Valley	9 am
Sept. 29	Broken Bow Tri	Broken Bow	3:30 pm
Oct. 6	Summerland	O'Neill	5 pm
Oct. 8	Pierce	O'Neill	5 pm
Oct. 10	Wisner-Pilger Tourney	Wisner-Pilger	10 am
Oct. 13	Battle Creek	O'Neill	5 pm
Oct. 15	Norfolk Catholic	Norfolk Catholic	5 pm
Oct. 19-22	Conference Tourney	TBA	TBA
Oct. 26-28	Sub Districts	TBA	TBA
Oct. 31	Districts	TBA	TBA
Nov. 4-7	State	TBA	TBA
CROSS COUNTRY			
Aug. 27	St. Paul Invite	St. Paul	9:30 am
Sept. 4	Boone Central Invite	Albion	10 am
Sept. 11	Norfolk Catholic Invite	Norfolk	9 am
Sept. 18	O'Neill Invite	O'Neill	10 am
Sept. 28	UNK Invite	Kearney	1:30 pm
Oct. 1	West Holt Invite	Atkinson	4 pm
Oct. 8	Conference	TBA	4:30 pm
Oct. 14	Districts	TBA	TBA
Oct. 23	State	Kearney	TBA
GIRLS GOLF			
Aug. 20	O'Neill Invite	O'Neill	9 am
Aug. 25	West Holt Tri	Atkinson	9 am
Aug. 27	Ainsworth Invite	Ainsworth	9:30 am
Aug. 31	Pierce Dual	Pierce	4 pm
Sept. 3	West Holt Invite	Atkinson	9 am
Sept. 10	Burwell Quad	Burwell	4 pm
Sept. 12	Pierce Invite	Pierce	9 am
Sept. 14	Battle Creek Invite	Battle Creek	9 am
Sept. 19	Boone Central Invite	Albion	9 am
Sept. 22	Valentine Invite	Valentine	10 am
Sept. 24	Wayne Invite	Wayne	9 am
Oct. 1	Conference	TBA	9 am
Oct. 5-6	Districts	TBA	TBA
Oct. 12-13	State	North Platte	9 am



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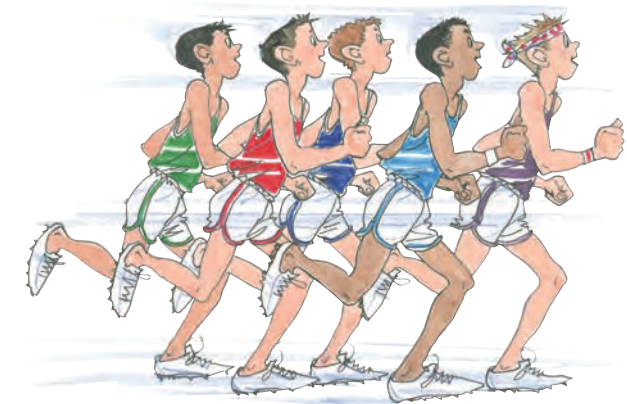
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Sept. 4	Burwell	Burwell	7 pm
Sept. 11	Central Valley	Central Valley	7 pm
Sept. 18	Ainsworth	O'Neill	7 pm
Sept. 25	Wynot	Wynot	7 pm
Oct. 2	Randolph	O'Neill	2 pm
Oct. 9	Boyd County	Boyd County	7 pm
Oct. 16	Wausa	Wausa	3 pm
Oct. 22	North Central	North Central	7 pm
Oct. 30	1st Round Playoffs	TBA	TBA
Nov. 6	State Quarter Finals	TBA	TBA
Nov. 13	State Semi Finals	TBA	TBA
Nov. 20	State Finals	Kearney	TBA
VOLLEYBALL			
Aug. 24	Jamboree	O'Neill	6 pm
Aug. 27	St. Mary's Tri	O'Neill	5 pm
Sept. 3	Ainsworth	Ainsworth	6 pm
Sept. 5	Hartington-Newcastle Quad	Hartington	9 am
Sept. 8	CWC	CWC	6 pm
Sept. 10-12	Wakefield Tourney	Wakefield	5 pm/8:30 am
Sept. 15	St. Mary's Tri	O'Neill	5:30 pm
Sept. 22	St. Mary's Tri	O'Neill	5 pm
Sept. 24	GICC	O'Neill	6 pm
Sept. 28	Neligh-Oakdale Tri	Neligh	5 pm
Oct. 1	St. Mary's Tri	O'Neill	5:30 pm
Oct. 6	EPPJ Tri	Elgin	5 pm
Oct. 8	St. Mary's Tri	O'Neill	5 pm
Oct. 13	St. Mary's Tri	O'Neill	5 pm
Oct. 19	NVC Conference	TBA	5 pm
Oct. 20	NVC Conference Semis	TBA	5:30 pm
Oct. 23	NVC Finals	Niobrara	6:15 pm
Oct. 26-27	Sub Districts	TBA	TBA
Oct. 31	Districts	TBA	TBA
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FOOTBALL				
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Sept. 4	Sandhills-Thedford	Dunning	7 pm	
Sept. 11	North Central	Ainsworth	2 pm	
Sept. 18	St. Mary's	O'Neill	7 pm	
Sept. 24	Niobrara-Verdigre	Ainsworth	7 pm	
Oct. 2	Creighton	Creighton	7 pm	
Oct. 9	Bloomfield	Ainsworth	7 pm	
Oct. 16	Neligh-Oakdale	Neligh	7 pm	
Oct. 23	Madison	Madison	7 pm	
Oct. 30	1st Round Playoffs	TBA	TBA	
Nov. 6	Quarter Finals	TBA	TBA	
Nov. 13	Semi Finals	TBA	TBA	
Nov. 23	State	Lincoln	TBA	
VOLLEYBALL				
Aug. 25	Valentine Jamboree	Valentine	4:30 pm	
Aug. 27	South Loup	Ainsworth	5 pm	
Aug. 29	Axtell Tournament	Axtell	11 am	
Sept. 3	St. Mary's	Ainsworth	6 pm	
Sept. 10	CWC, North Central	Ainsworth	5 pm	
Sept. 12	Seven Valleys Tourney	Callaway	9:30 am	
Sept. 15	West Holt	Atkinson	5 pm	
Sept. 17	Cody-Kilgore,Gordon-Rushville	Cody	5 pm	
Sept. 24	Burwell	Burwell	5 pm	
Sept. 26	Hershey Tournament	Hershey	10 am	
Oct. 1	Hyannis	Ainsworth	5 pm	
Oct. 6	North Central, Stuart	Stuart	5 pm	
Oct. 10	Anselmo-Merna Tournament	Merna	10 am	
Oct. 13	Neligh-Oakdale, Riverside	Neligh	5 pm	
Oct. 15	Summerland	Summerland	4 pm	
Oct. 19-24	NVC Tournament	TBA	TBA	
Oct. 26-27	Sub Districts	TBA	TBA	
Oct. 31	District Finals	TBA	TBA	
Nov. 4-7	State	Lincoln	TBA	
CROSS COUNTRY				
Sept. 3	Ainsworth Invite	Ainsworth	4 pm	
Sept. 12	Broken Bow Invite	Broken Bow	9 am	
Sept. 18	O'Neill Invite	O'Neill	10 am	
Sept. 25	Ord Invite	Ord	4 pm	
Oct. 1	West Holt Invite	Atkinson	4 pm	
Oct. 8	NVC	Ainsworth	4 pm	
Oct. 15	Districts	TBA	TBA	
Oct. 23	State	Kearney	TBA	
GIRLS GOLF				
Aug. 20	O'Neill Invite	O'Neill	9 am	
Aug. 25	West Holt Scramble	Atkinson	9 am	
Aug. 27	Ainsworth Invite	Ainsworth	9:30 am	
Sept. 3	West Holt Invite	Atkinson	9 am	
Sept. 8	Broken Bow Invite	Broken Bow	10 am	
Sept. 10	Burwell Quad	Burwell	4 pm	
Sept. 17	Mullen Invite	Mullen	9 am	
Sept. 22	Valentine Invite	Valentine	10 am	
Sept. 24	Valentine Quad	Valentine	4 pm	
Oct. 5 or 6	Districts	TBA	TBA	
Oct. 12-13	State	TBA	9 am	



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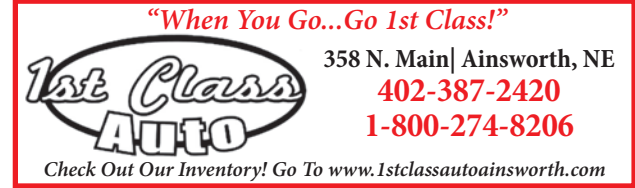
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FOOTBALL				
Aug. 28	EPPJ	Spencer	7 pm	
Sept. 4	NG/SE	St. Edward	3 pm	
Sept. 11	CWC	Spencer	7 pm	
Sept. 18	Niobrara-Verdigre	Verdigre	7 pm	
Sept. 24	Randolph	Randolph	7 pm	
Oct. 2	North Central	Spencer	7 pm	
Oct. 9	St. Mary's	O'Neill	7 pm	
Oct. 16	Wynot	Wynot	2:30 pm	
Oct. 23	Wausa	Spencer	7 pm	
VOLLEYBALL				
Aug. 24	Jamboree	Boyd County	5 pm	
Aug. 27	North Central	Keya Paha	7 pm	
Aug. 29	Wausa	Wausa	11 am	
Sept. 1	Wynot	Boyd County	6:30 pm	
Sept. 3	Neligh-Oakdale, Santee Tri	Neligh	6:15 pm	
Sept. 10	EPPJ	Elgin	6:30 pm	
Sept. 15	Creighton Tri	Creighton	5 pm	
Sept. 17	Stuart	Boyd County	6:30 pm	
Sept. 22	North Central, St. Mary's Tri	St. Mary's	5 pm	
Sept. 24	Andes Central	Andes Central	5 pm	
Sept. 29	Niobrara, Summerland Tri	Boyd County	5 pm	
Oct. 1	Burke	Boyd County	6:30 pm	
Oct. 2	North Central	Boyd County	5 pm	
Oct. 6	Bloomfield	Bloomfield	5 pm	
Oct. 8	West Holt	Boyd County	6 pm	
Oct. 13	Plainview	Plainview	7 pm	
Oct. 15	Osmond, Randolph Tri	Randolph	5 pm	
Oct. 17	Thunder Nation	Andes Central	9 am	
Oct. 19-24	Conference	TBA	TBA	
CROSS COUNTRY				
Sept. 3	Ainsworth Invite	Ainsworth	4 pm	
Sept. 10	Boyd County Invite	Butte	4:30 pm	
Sept. 14	Neligh Oakdale	Neligh	4 pm	
Sept. 21	Bon Homme	Tyndall, SD	2 pm	
Oct. 1	West Holt	Atkinson	4 pm	
Oct. 8	NVC	Ainsworth	TBA	
Oct. 15	Districts	TBA	TBA	
Oct. 23	State	Kearney	TBA	



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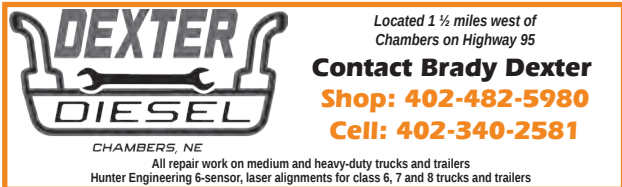
Aug. 27	Wausa	Chambers	7 pm
Sept. 4	North Central	Bartlett	7 pm
Sept. 11	Boyd County	Spencer	7 pm
Sept. 18	Sandhills-Thedford	Chambers	3 pm
Sept. 25	EPPJ	Elgin	7 pm
Oct. 1	Burwell	Burwell	7 pm
Oct. 9	Central Valley	Bartlett	7 pm
Oct. 16	Twin Loup	Bartlett	7 pm
Oct. 23	Palmer	Palmer	7 pm
Oct. 30	1st Round Playoffs	TBA	TBA
Nov. 6	State Quarter Finals	TBA	TBA
Nov. 13	State Semi Finals	TBA	TBA
Nov. 20	State Finals	Kearney	TBA

VOLLEYBALL

Aug. 25	Neligh-Oakdale Jamboree	Chambers	7 pm
Aug. 27	Riverside	Chambers	5 pm
Sept. 3	Stuart Tri	Stuart	5 pm
Sept. 8	St. Mary's	Chambers	6 pm
Sept. 10	Ainsworth Tri	Ainsworth	5 pm
Sept. 15	Creighton Tri	Creighton	5 pm
Sept. 17	Twin Loup	Bartlett	6 pm
Sept. 19	CWC Round Robin	Bartlett	10 am
Sept. 22	CWC Tri	Bartlett	5 pm
Sept. 24	North Central	Bassett	6 pm
Sept. 26	Ansley-Litchfield	Ansley	10 am
Sept. 29	Osmond	Osmond	6 pm
Oct. 6	CWC Tri	Bartlett	5 pm
Oct. 8	Wausa	Wausa	6:30 pm
Oct. 10	Kenesaw	Kenesaw	9 am
Oct. 13	Burwell	Chambers	6 pm
Oct. 19-24	NVC Tourney	TBA	TBA
Oct. 26-27	Sub Districts	TBA	TBA
Oct. 31	District Finals	TBA	TBA
Nov. 4-7	State	Lincoln	TBA

CROSS COUNTRY

Aug. 27	Burwell Invite	Burwell	10 am
Sept. 3	NV Invite	Niobrara	4:30 pm
Sept. 8	Arcadia-Loup City Invite	Loup City	5:30 pm
Sept. 18	O'Neill Invite	O'Neill	10 am
Sept. 22	Palmer Invite	Palmer	4 pm
Sept. 28	UNK Invite	Kearney	12 pm
Oct. 1	West Holt Invite	Atkinson	4 pm
Oct. 8	NVC	Ainsworth	4 pm
Oct. 15	Districts	TBA	TBA
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Sept. 11	Elkhorn-Valley	Creighton	7 pm	
Sept. 18	Lyons-Decatur Northeast	Lyons	7 pm	
Sept. 24	Bloomfield	Bloomfield	7 pm	
Oct. 2	Ainsworth	Creighton	7 pm	
Oct. 9	Neligh-Oakdale	Neligh	7 pm	
Oct. 16	Madison	Creighton	7 pm	
Oct. 23	Niobrara-Verdigre	Verdigre	7 pm	
VOLLEYBALL				
Aug. 20	Jamboree	Battle Creek	6 pm	
Aug. 27	Winside	Winside	6 pm	
Sept. 1	Osmond, Nio/Ver Tri	Nio/Ver	5 pm	
Sept. 8	Plainview	Creighton	5:30 pm	
Sept. 10	Wynot	Wynot	5:30 pm	
Sept. 12	Creighton Invite	Creighton	9:15 am	
Sept. 15	Boyd Co., CWC Tri	Creighton	5 pm	
Sept. 17	Tri County Northeast	TCNE	5:30 pm	
Sept. 22	Homer	Creighton	5:30 pm	
Sept. 24	Wausa/Leigh Tri	Wausa	5 pm	
Sept. 29	Randolph	Creighton	5:30 pm	
Oct. 1	H-NC, St. Mary's Tri	St. Mary's	5:30 pm	
Oct. 6	Neligh-Oakdale, Randolph Tri	Neligh	5 pm	
Oct. 8	Stuart	Creighton	6:30 pm	
Oct. 12-13	Knox Co	Bloomfield	TBA	
Oct. 15	Bloomfield	Creighton	5:30 pm	
Oct. 17-20	L & C Tourney	TBA	TBA	
TBA	Sub Districts	TBA	TBA	
TBA	State	TBA	TBA	
CROSS COUNTRY				
Aug. 27	Hartington/Newcastle	Hartington	9 am	
Sept. 3	Niobrara/Verdigre	Niobrara	4:30 pm	
Sept. 10	Boyd County	Butte	4:30 pm	
Sept. 14	Neligh-Oakdale	Neligh	4 pm	
Sept. 21	Crofton	Weigand	2 pm	
Oct. 1	Creighton	Creighton	4 pm	
Oct. 9	Bloomfield L&C Conf.	Bloomfield	4 pm	
Oct. 15	Districts	TBA	TBA	
Oct. 23	State	Kearney	TBA	



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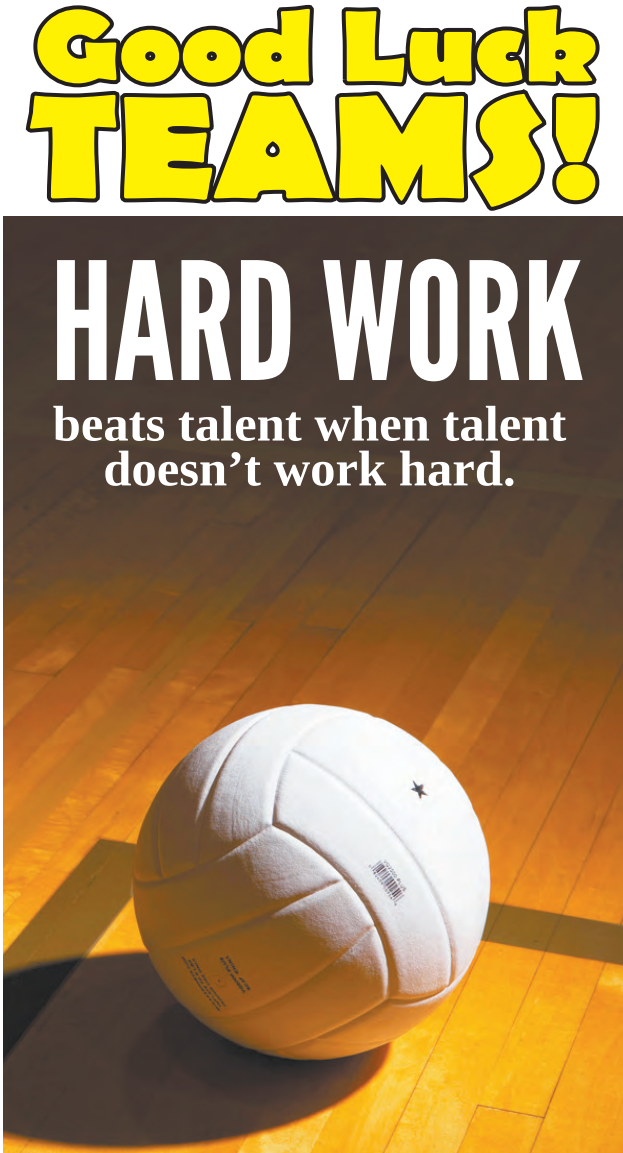
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FOOTBALL				
Aug. 28	Boyd County	Spencer		7 pm
Sept. 4	Wynot	Elgin	2:30 pm	
Sept. 11	GACC	Elgin		3 pm
Sept. 18	North Central	Springview		7 pm
Sept. 25	CWC	Elgin		7 pm
Oct. 2	Central Valley	Elgin		7 pm
Oct. 9	Palmer	Palmer		7 pm
Oct. 16	Burwell	Elgin		3 pm
Oct. 23	Twin Loup	Sargent		7 pm
Oct. 30	Playoffs	TBA		TBA
Nov. 6	Playoffs	TBA		TBA
Nov. 13	Playoffs	TBA		TBA
Nov. 23	State	Lincoln		TBA
VOLLEYBALL				
Aug. 20	Jamboree	Elgin Public		6 pm
Aug. 27	Lutheran High NE	Norfolk	7:30 pm	
Sept. 1	Burwell	Burwell		7 pm
Sept. 3	Tri	Stuart		5 pm
Sept. 8	Double Tri	Niobrara-Verdigre		5 pm
Sept. 10	Boyd County	Elgin Public	6:30 pm	
Sept. 12	Howells-Dodge Tourney	Howells		9 am
Sept. 15	Tri	Norfolk Catholic		5 pm
Sept. 22	O'Neill	Elgin Public		7 pm
Sept. 24	Tri	Elgin Public		5 pm
Sept. 26	Tri	West Holt		3 pm
Sept. 28	Niobrara-Verdigre	Pope John		7 pm
Oct. 1	Tri	Battle Creek	5:30 pm	
Oct. 6	Tri	Pope John		5 pm
Oct. 10	Tourney	Thayer Central		10 am
Oct. 15	LCC	Pope John	7:30 pm	
Oct. 19-23	NVC Tourney	TBA		TBA
Oct. 26-27	Sub Districts	TBA		TBA
Oct. 31	Districts	TBA		TBA
Nov. 4-7	State	Lincoln		TBA
CROSS COUNTRY				
Sept. 4	Boone Central Invite	Albion		10 am
Sept. 10	Boyd Co Invite	Butte	4:30 pm	
Sept. 14	Neligh-Oakdale Invite	Neligh		4 pm
Sept. 18	O'Neill Invite	O'Neill		10 am
Sept. 25	Boone Central Invite	Albion	4:30 pm	
Oct. 2	Battle Creek Invite	Battle Creek		4 pm
Oct. 8	NVC	Ainsworth		4 pm
Oct. 15	Districts	TBA		TBA
Oct. 23	State	Kearney		TBA

STUART			
FOOTBALL			
Aug. 28	Sumner/Eddyville/Miller	Sumner	7 pm
Sept. 4	Cody-Kilgore	Stuart	2 pm
Sept. 10	Hay Springs	Hay Springs	5 pm
Sept. 18	High Plains Comm.	Stuart	2 pm
Sept. 25	Elba	Elba	3 pm
Oct. 2	Riverside	Stuart	1 pm
Oct. 9	Santee	Santee	2 pm
Oct. 22	Ansley-Litchfield	Stuart	7 pm
Oct. 30	1st Round Playoffs	TBA	TBA
Nov. 6	Quarter Finals	TBA	TBA
Nov. 13	Semi Finals	TBA	TBA
Nov. 20	State	Kearney	TBA
VOLLEYBALL			
Aug. 21	Jamboree	West Holt	5 pm
Aug. 27	Burwell Tri	Burwell	5 pm
Sept. 1	Randolph	Stuart	6:30 pm
Sept. 3	Stuart Tri	Stuart	5 pm
Sept. 4	Cody-Kilgore	Stuart	5 pm CST
Sept. 8	N/V Double Tri	Niobrara	5 pm
Sept. 10	Hay Springs	Hay Springs	2 pm
Sept. 15	Spalding Tri	Spalding	5 pm
Sept. 17	Gregory	Gregory	5 pm
Sept. 22	CWC Tri	Bartlett	5 pm
Sept. 24	Stuart Tri	Stuart	3:30 pm
Sept. 28	St. Mary's Tri	O'Neill	5 pm
Sept. 29	Newman-Grove/St. Edward	St. Edward	5:30 pm
Oct. 1	Osmond	Stuart	5 pm
Oct. 6	Stuart Tri	Stuart	5 pm
Oct. 8	Creighton	Creighton	6:30 pm
Oct. 13	St. Mary's Tri	O'Neill	5 pm
Oct. 15	Winside	Stuart	6 pm
Oct. 19-23	NVC	CWC	TBA
Oct. 26-27	Sub Districts	TBA	TBA
Oct. 31	District Finals	TBA	TBA
Nov. 5-7	State	Lincoln	TBA
CROSS COUNTRY			
Aug. 27	Burwell Invite	Burwell	10 am
Sept. 1	Gregory Invite	Gregory, SD	2:30 pm
Sept. 4	Augustana	Sioux Falls, SD	6 pm
Sept. 10	Boyd Co. Invite	Butte	4:30 pm
Sept. 14	Wagner Invite	Pickstown	2:30 pm
Sept. 21	Bon Homme	Tyndall, SD	2 pm
Sept. 28	UNK HS Meet	Kearney	12 pm
Oct. 1	West Holt Invite	Atkinson	4 pm
Oct. 8	NVC	Ainsworth	TBA
Oct. 15	Districts	TBA	TBA
Oct. 23	State	Kearney	12 pm

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FOOTBALL			
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Sept. 4	Boone Central	Boone Central	7 pm
Sept. 11	West Point	Summerland	3 pm
Sept. 18	O'Neill	Summerland	3 pm
Sept. 25	St. Paul	St. Paul	7 pm
Oct. 2	Plainview	Summerland	7 pm
Oct. 9	Cedar Catholic	Cedar Catholic	7 pm
Oct. 15	Norfolk Catholic	Summerland	7 pm
Oct. 23	Battle Creek	Battle Creek	7 pm
VOLLEYBALL			
Aug. 24	Exhibition Games	Summerland	5 pm
Aug. 27	Elkhorn Valley	Elkhorn Valley	5 pm
Sept. 3	Plainview	Summerland	5 pm
Sept. 8	N/V Dbl Tri	Niobrara/Verdigre	5 pm
Sept. 10	Battle Creek Tri	Battle Creek	5 pm
Sept. 12	Conference Quad	Hartington/Newcastle	10 am
Sept. 15	Hartington Newcastle	Hartington/Newcastle	5 pm
Sept. 22	Crofton	Crofton	5 pm
Sept. 24	Summerland Tri	Summerland	5 pm
Sept. 26	Wayne Tournament	Wayne	10 am
Sept. 29	Boyd Co Tri	Boyd Co	5 pm
Oct. 1	North Central	North Central	5 pm
Oct. 3	LCC	Summerland	3 pm
Oct. 6	O'Neill	O'Neill	5 pm
Oct. 8	Neligh-Oakdale	Summerland	5 pm
Oct. 13	Wayne	Summerland	5 pm
Oct. 15	Ainsworth	Summerland	4 pm
Oct. 17-22	GNAC Tourney	TBA/West Holt	5:30 pm
CROSS COUNTRY			
Aug. 27	Burwell Meet	Burwell	10 am
Sept. 4	Boone Central	Albion	10 am
Sept. 10	LCC Meet	Laurel	10 am
Sept. 14	Neligh-Oakdale Meet	Neligh	5 pm
Sept. 18	O'Neill Meet	O'Neill	3:30 pm
Sept. 24	Crofton Meet	Crofton	4:30 pm
Oct. 2	Battle Creek Meet	Battle Creek	11 am
Oct. 8	GNAC Invite	Summerland	4 pm
Oct. 9	Plainview	Plainview	4 pm
Oct. 15	Districts	TBA	TBA
Oct. 23	State	Kearney	TBA
GIRLS GOLF			
Aug. 20	O'Neill Invite	O'Neill	9 am
Aug. 27	Ainsworth Invite	Ainsworth	9:30 am
Sept. 3	West Holt Invite	Atkinson	9 am
Sept. 17	Albion Invite	Albion	TBA
Sept. 21	Cedar Catholic Invite	Hartington	TBA
Sept. 22	Valentine Invite	Valentine	10 am
Sept. 26	LCC	Laurel	9 am
Sept. 28	GNAC	TBA	TBA
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Sept. 11	Wakefield	Wakefield	7 pm
Sept. 18	Centura	Atkinson	7 pm
Sept. 25	Gordon-Rushville	Gordon	7 pm MST
Oct. 2	LHNE	Atkinson	6 pm
Oct. 9	Crofton	Crofton	7 pm
Oct. 16	Elkhorn Valley	Atkinson	2 pm
Oct. 23	Hartington-Newcastle	Hartington	7 pm
VOLLEYBALL			
Aug. 20	Jamboree (Stuart)	Stuart	5 pm
Aug. 27	Battle Creek/LCC	Laurel	5:30 pm
Sept. 3	Burwell/North Central	Burwell	5 pm
Sept. 4	Arcadia-Loup City	Loup City	TBA
Sept. 8	Valentine/O'Neill	Atkinson	5:30 pm
Sept. 12	H-NC, LHNE, Summerland	H-NC	10 am
Sept. 15	Ainsworth	Atkinson	5 pm
Sept. 17	Ord	Ord	5 pm
Sept. 19	Ord Tourney	Ord	10 am
Sept. 22	Niobrara-Verdigre	Atkinson	5 pm
Sept. 24	Neligh-Oakdale	Atkinson	5:30 pm
Sept. 26	EPPJ/Plainview	Atkinson	3 pm
Sept. 29	Elkhorn Valley	Tilden	5 pm
Oct. 6	Wausa	Wausa	5 pm
Oct. 8	Boyd County	Spencer	5 pm
Oct. 10	ALC Tourney	Loup City	9 am
Oct. 15	North Central	Atkinson	4 pm
Oct. 17-23	GNAC Tourney	TBA	TBA
Oct. 26-28	Sub Districts	TBA	TBA
Oct. 31	District Final	TBA	TBA
Nov. 4-7	State	Lincoln	TBA
CROSS COUNTRY			
Aug. 27	Burwell Invite	Burwell	10 am
Sept. 3	Ainsworth Invite	Ainsworth	4 pm
Sept. 10	Boyd County Invite	Butte	4:30 pm
Sept. 18	O'Neill Invite	O'Neill	3:30 pm
Sept. 25	Ord Invite	Ord	4 pm
Oct. 1	West Holt Invite	Atkinson	4 pm
Oct. 8	GNAC	Atkinson	4 pm
Oct. 15	Districts	TBA	TBA
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- **ENCOURAGE YOUNG STUDENTS TO MONITOR THEIR COMPREHENSION.** The national public media literacy initiative Reading Rockets notes that comprehension monitoring teaches students to recognize what they understand when reading a text and what they do not understand. Monitoring comprehension encourages students to be active readers who check what they do and do not understand while they're reading. Young students can be taught to ask themselves, "Do I understand this?" when reading a text. Students also can summarize each paragraph as they finish it to further monitor their comprehension.
- **EMPLOY METACOGNITIVE STRATEGIES.** Reading Rockets defines metacognition as "thinking about thinking." While young students may hear the word "metacognition" and run for the hills, the process is far simpler than its name might suggest. Prior to reading, students can be encouraged to identify why they're reading. A brief preview of the text, such as the synopsis on the back of a book or the inside jacket of the cover, can help students clarify what the book is about. As children begin reading, they can monitor their own understanding of the text relative to the preview they read. Thinking ahead about a text and how they can process it can help students understand it better than they might if they just start reading without giving the text and what to look for any prior thought.
- **TEACH STUDENTS TO ASK THEMSELVES QUESTIONS WHILE THEY'RE READING.** Reading Rockets notes questions encourage students to combine information from different segments of the text. While reading, students can ask how a newly introduced character might relate to text or a storyline introduced earlier in the story. Or students can ask questions about characters previously introduced who they do not recall. Going back and searching through previous chapters or text to answer questions can make it easier to comprehend the text.
- **SUMMARIZE THE TEXT UPON COMPLETION.** Reading Rockets notes that summarizing requires students to determine the important aspects of a text and to explain that importance in their own words. Summarizing also helps students identify the main ideas, connect themes throughout the text and eliminate unnecessary information. All of that helps students remember what they read, which is the foundation of strong reading comprehension. Reading comprehension can be challenging for young students. But various strategies can help kids develop strong reading comprehension skills.





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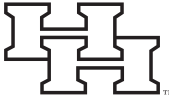
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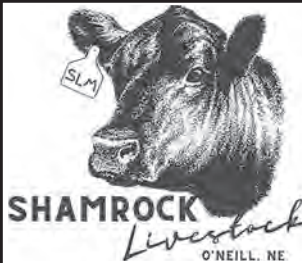
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- Weighs Ups, 9 a.m.
Wed., Aug. 26 - No SALE
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- Walkers »**
Review your family's walking safety rules and practice walking to school with your child.
- Walk on the sidewalk, if one is available; when on a street with no sidewalk, walk facing the traffic
 - Before you cross the street, stop and look left, right and left again to see if cars are coming
 - Make eye contact with drivers before crossing and always cross streets at crosswalks or intersections
 - Stay alert and avoid distracted walking

- Bike Riders »**
Teach your child the rules of the road and practice riding the bike route to school with your child.
- Ride on the right side of the road, with traffic, and in a single file
 - Come to a complete stop before crossing the street; walk bikes across the street
 - Stay alert and avoid distracted riding
 - Make sure your child always wears a properly fitted helmet and bright clothing

- Bus Riders »**
Teach your children school bus safety rules and practice with them.
- Go to the bus stop with your child to teach them the proper way to get on and off the bus
 - Teach your children to stand 6 feet (or three giant steps) away from the curb
 - If your child must cross the street in front of the bus, teach him or her to walk on the side of the road until they are 10 feet ahead of the bus; your child and the bus driver should always be able to see each other

- Driving your Child to School »**
Stay alert and avoid distracted driving.
- Obey school zone speed limits and follow your school's drop-off procedure
 - Make eye contact with children who are crossing the street
 - Never pass a bus loading or unloading children
 - The area 10 feet around a school bus is the most dangerous for children; stop far enough back to allow them to safely enter and exit the bus.

- Teen Drivers »**
Car crashes are the No. 1 cause of death for teens. Fortunately, there is something we can do.
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Choose a backpack for your child carefully; it should have ergonomically designed features to enhance safety and comfort

- Ask your child to use both straps when wearing their backpack to evenly distribute the weight on their shoulders
- Don't overstuff a backpack; it should weigh no more than 5 to 10 percent of your child's body weight
- Rolling backpacks should be used cautiously since they can create a trip hazard in crowded school hallways

PLAYGROUNDS AND SPORTS »

- To reduce strangulation hazards on playgrounds, have your child leave necklaces and jackets with drawstrings at home
- A few bumps and bruises can be expected when your child plays sports, but head injuries should never be ignored

SCHOOL BUS SAFETY

SCHOOL BUS SAFETY starts with you, every morning and every afternoon. Take a few minutes to make sure your kids understand the rules of the road. Most school bus fatalities occur when children are outside the bus, and three quarters of these tragedies involve children under the age of nine. Make sure your children know these rules:

1. Be on time.
2. Never run to or from the bus.
3. Stand back from the curb.
4. Don't push or shove.
5. Stay in your seat.
6. Don't yell or shout.
7. Always obey the driver.
8. Wait for the driver's signal before crossing.
9. Always cross at least 10 feet in front of the bus.
10. Never crawl under a school bus.

Coordinate with other parents to make sure that an adult is present at the bus stop every day, especially with children under the age of nine. By following simple rules, you can keep your kids safe – before they get on the bus.



AFTER SCHOOL SAFETY

If the kids are alone after school for a short time make sure that they follow some basic guidelines:

- They should keep the doors locked.
- They should never tell someone on the phone that there are no adults at home. Teach them to say that you can't come to the phone right now.
- Post a list of emergency phone numbers near the phone.
- Have them call you at work or on your cell phone as soon as they get home.
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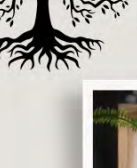
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