

Daily Announcements for: Thursday, May 8, 2025

For PreK-12th Students:

- Thought of the day: "Life is constantly bringing us challenges and opportunities. When we have the courage to step up to the challenges and seize the opportunities we move forward. As a coach, you can help others make this kind of progress." – Chad Hall
- Random fact of the day: There are 31, 557,600 seconds in a year.
- **This Week's Lunch Menu and Helpers:**
Thursday, May 8: Spaghetti Casserole, Emily Davis
Friday, May 9: **BRING YOUR LUNCH**
- **Next Week's Lunch Menu and Helpers:**
Monday, May 12: Chinese, Katelyn DeLange
Tuesday, May 13: Cook's Choice, Jonna DeHaan
Wednesday, May 14: 11:00 dismissal, lunch on your own
- Advanced notice. Next week is exams for 7th-12th grades.
 - Monday, May 12, 10 a.m. start
 - Tuesday, May 13, 10 a.m. start
 - Wednesday, May 14, 8:15 a.m. start with 11:00 a.m. dismissal
- The following students owe for music and band dues. The cost is rising \$1 per day until paid! Ava B (\$15), Maley DH (\$20), Paisley VD (\$21), Tristan (\$4)

For 7th-12th Grade Students:

- Friday, May 9, Lunch Clean Up: Seniors
 - Friday, May 9: CHOIR
 - You are responsible for cleaning your locker inside and out before you can take exams. So start bringing all your extra stuff home. Wipe it out with some hot water and cleaner. When you feel your locker is squeaky clean and ready for inspection, have your class advisor approve it.
 - Speaking of lockers, the locker rooms need to be cleaned out as well. Please remove all of your belongings by the end of the school year.
 - Juniors, please turn in your senior meal paper by TOMORROW!
 - Thursday 7th Grade Art and any 8th grader in golf and track who is here.
 - Grades 5-8 Reminder for Art Field Trip this Friday
 - 7:30 Leave DC
 - 10:30–1:00 Terry Redlin Art Center (Gift shop is open)
 - 1:00- 1:30 Lunch at Culvers
 - 4:30 Approximate arrival back
- For questions or emergencies call Mrs. Van Dusseldorp 605- 680-9503
- Next Wednesday (May 14) VB meeting at 11:30 in LA to discuss uniforms for next year.
 - 5-12 Students: If you have any more music to turn in, please get it to Mrs. Engels ASAP! This includes concert music, festival or honor group music, etc. She will post soon whose music is still missing. You will be charged for music that is not turned in!

For Preschool-6th Grade Students:

- **Lunch Times:** 11:40 a.m. – preschool; 11:45 a.m. – kindergarten; 11:50 a.m. – 1st/2nd grades; 11:55 p.m. – 3rd/4th grades; 12:00 p.m. – 5th/6th grades
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Parents/Readers on the Web:

- There is still time to grab some Ymker gift certificates! They come in increments of \$30, and \$7.50 of each certificate purchased comes back to DCS!! Certificates can be used in Platte or Armour locations through May 30, 2025, and can be picked up at the school office, in Platte, or Corsica. Contact the school (605-243-2211), Corinne Middendorp (605-680-4087), or Tracy Maas (605-680-4511) to get yours today!
- Exams for 7th-12th students will be held next Monday – Wednesday (May 12-14). If you rely on HS students for transportation of younger students please check with them for those days!
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Today's Absences

Carly VH

Paisley VD – leaving at 10:30

Kahne D – leaving at 9:15, will return

Today's School Excused Absences

Thursday, May 8

Leaving at 8:30 – Josie B, Sabas DH, Gabbie O, Nadia VZ, Jack B, Renner DH, Lily M, Scarlett C, Sophia N, Aspen N, Lilly N

Upcoming School Excused Absences

Friday, May 9

All Day – 7th and 8th grades

Upcoming Events

May 8 TM HS at AC/DC 10 a.m.

May 9 GM V girls at Burke boys at Platte
5th-8th Field Trip to Terry Redlin Art Museum at Watertown

May 12 7th – 12th Exams
School Board Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

May 13 7th – 12th Exams
TM HS/JH Ft Randall Invite at Avon 11 a.m.

May 14 7th-12th Exams
End of 4th Quarter
End of 2nd Semester

May 15 Teacher InService
TM HS at Parkston 2 p.m.

May 16 Teacher InService
GM V girls at Tyndall boys at Springfield

May 17 Graduation, 2:00 p.m.

May 19 TM HS at Armour 12 p.m.
GM V Region at Mitchell

May 22 TM HS at Avon 10:30 a.m.

May 27 GM Regions at Mitchell – weather make-up date

May 29 State TM

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| May 30 | State TM |
| May 31 | State TM |
| June 2 | State GM |
| June 3 | State GM |
| June 9 | School Board Meeting, 7:30 p.m. |
| June 10 | Scrip |