

Daily Announcements for: Tuesday, October 21, 2025

For PreK-12th Students:

- Thought of the day: "What we learn with pleasure, we never forget." – Alfred Mercier
- Joke of the day: Why did the poodle buy a clock? It wanted to be a watch dog!
- Random fact of the day: A sloth can hold its breath for longer than a dolphin!
- **This Week's Lunch Menu and Helpers:**
Tuesday, Oct. 21: Calzones (PK-6); Hot & Chili Dogs (7-12), Lonnie Timmermans
Wednesday, Oct. 22: Hot & Chili Dogs (PK-6); Calzones (7-12), Emily Ringling
Thursday, Oct. 23: Potato Bacon or Italian Soup, Trudy Qualm
- **Next Week's Lunch Menu and Helpers:**
Monday, Oct. 27: French Toast Squares, Lydia Niewenhuis
Tuesday, Oct. 28: Hamburger Hash Brown Casserole, Kate DeLange
Wednesday, Oct. 29: Street Corn Chicken Tacos, Sara Munneke
Thursday, Oct. 30: Grilled Cheese or Ham and Cheese, Kirsti Muckey
- Platte Avera Health Clinic will be here on Friday at 9 a.m. for a flu shot clinic. Forms will be emailed out today.

For 7th-12th Grade Students:

- Friday, Lunch Clean Up – Juniors
- Friday Music, October 24 - Band
- Cross Country for this week
Tuesday Oct 21 @ AC
Wednesday Oct 22 @ AC
Thursday Oct. 23 @ DC
Friday Oct. 24 Meet at DC at TBD (waiting for info from the state on check in time)
Saturday Oct. 25 State at Huron
- **Senior Chapel:** Please pray for Kathryn as she puts the final touches on her senior chapel for Wednesday. Kathryn is our first senior to present this school year. We pray God gives her strength, words and calmness of soul as she presents.

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
- Friday Music, October 24 – Band

Parents/Readers on the Web:

- October is breast cancer awareness month. The AC/DC volleyball team and the parents will hold a bake sale, serve flavored lemonade, and have a silent auction **TONIGHT** at the volleyball game vs Menno at DC. Funds raised from these things will go to support local people who are fighting breast cancer.
- If you would like to make treats for the bake sale tonight, please bring them to school anytime today! Thank you!
- New this year: Fall Fling soup and sandwich pre-orders! Cheeseburger, chicken noodle, or zuppa toscana soups-- half gallons are \$15, gallons are \$30. Club sandwiches with ham, turkey, roast beef and cheese on a square croissant bun--half dozens are \$30 and dozens are \$60. Contact Katelyn DeLange at 680-5073, text is preferred. Deadline to order is Wednesday, October 29th. Orders can be picked up at the school kitchen on Saturday, Nov 1st from 10 am to 2 pm.
- Mark your calendars! 10th annual Fall Fling Vendor/Craft Fair at DCS, Saturday, November 1, 2025 from 10 a.m. – 2 p.m. Bring a friend to shop over 45 vendor booths, eat soup and a sandwich for lunch and grab your favorite bake sale item. Hope to see you there.

- If you would like to donate a bake sale item to the Fall Fling Bake Sale, please drop off at the school on Friday, Oct. 31, or the day of the Fling.
- The junior class is selling birthday calendars again this year! For \$15 you will receive not just a calendar, but the opportunity to include birthdays and anniversaries of loved ones so community members can send birthday greetings! Please reach out to a junior or place an order by October 31. Order forms are available in the office.

Today's Absences

Audrey DH – leave at 10:45 will return

Today's School Excused Absences

Tuesday, Oct. 21

Brooklyn H, Danae F, Ty M, Jaden F, Kezia C, Kathryn B

Upcoming School Excused Absences

Friday, Oct. 24

Aspen N – leaving at 1:00 p.m.

State CC & D – Brooklyn H, Alyssa M, Halle O, LaTia DL

Upcoming Events

Oct. 21 Scrip
VB vs Menno, at DC
All-State Chorus Prep @ DWU
4/5/6 BB—Corsica Tourney

Oct. 23 FB Playoffs

Oct. 24 VB vs Gayville-Volin, at Gayville
State CC & D
Platte Health Center Flu Shot Clinic, 8:30 a.m.

Oct. 25 State XC

Oct. 27 VB at Gregory

Oct. 28 VB vs James Valley Christian, at JVC (Huron)

Oct. 30 FB Playoffs

Oct. 31 All-State Chorus & Orchestra

Nov. 1 All-State Chorus & Orchestra
Elementary Honor Choir
Fall Fling

Nov. 3 VB Regions
4/5/6 Boys BB MC/TDA Triangular, at DC

Nov. 4 VB Regions

Nov. 5 Senior college and career visits in Vermillion/Sioux Falls

Nov. 6 VB Regions
4/5/6 Girls BB vs. TDA, at DC

Nov. 7 FB Playoffs

Nov. 8 JH GBB at Wagner

Nov. 10 School Board, 7:00 p.m.
4/5/6 BB vs. Ethan, at DC

Nov. 11 VB SoDak 16
Veterans Day Chapel 10:00 a.m.

Nov. 13 State FB
JH GBB at Burke
4/5/6 BB vs. KWL, at DC

Nov. 14 State FB

Nov. 15 State FB

Nov. 17 Fellowship Meeting at 5:30 p.m.

Nov. 18 Scrip
JH Festival @ Platte

4/5/6 BB at Corsica
Nov. 20 State VB
JH GBB vs Platte-Geddes, at DC
Nov. 21 State VB
Nov. 22 State VB
Nov. 25 HS Festival @ Gregory (Audrey DH, Danae F, Felicity D)
Nov. 26 EARLY DISMISSAL, 11:50 a.m.
Nov. 27 Thanksgiving
NO SCHOOL
Nov. 28 NO SCHOOL