

August 2015



Bobcat Bits

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First Day August 19, 2015

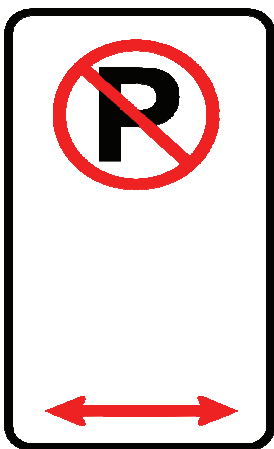


8:20 A.M.—1:00 P.M.

Main Entrance-Red Zone



All entry into the High School and Elementary is through the main entrance. Please press the doorbell at the front entrance and someone will let you in.



The front pull off will be a loading and unloading zone only!!

NO PARKING!!

New Addition connecting all of the buildings is finally all finished with the beautiful landscaping!! Please come and check it out!!

Foster's Facts

pfoster@hemingfordschools.org

Are you Ready?? I can't wait to see the smiling faces returning to school. With all the possible school related items a person might buy; something that is vital for school success is something that cannot be bought—**effort**. Students can make school a priority by committing to earn better grades, to be active in more activities or help and support other students. School is a great place to practice skills needed for future employment—attendance, responsibility, communication skills and work habits. As the school year progresses, please feel free to contact the office if you have any questions. I want school year 2015-2016 to be successful for all students. The first day of school is Wednesday, August 19th. School will be dismissed on Wednesday and Thursday at 1:00 pm.



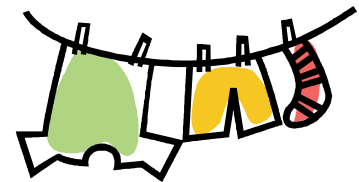
7th Grade and New Student (Grades 8-12) Orientation



In conjunction with the Guidance Department, a night has been set aside for 7th grade students as well as any new student in grades 8-12 to become more familiar with the school and their class schedule. This is an opportunity to walk the halls and ask questions. A parent or guardian should plan on accompanying the student. The date has been set for **Tuesday, August 11, 2015 beginning at 7:00 pm**. The plan is to begin in the band room for general questions then allow time for students whom may wish find classrooms and walk through their schedule. A letter went to all 7th grade students and families with their schedule for next year.

Student Appearance

Tank tops, shorts and warm weather seem to go together, but please remember that clothing that has been worn during the summer may not be appropriate for school. The student handbook, page 28, states appropriate length is mid-thigh. Shirts should provide coverage of bare skin (midriffs, spaghetti straps, and cleavage) and contain appropriate messages. The yoga pants, stressed or torn jeans may be the current fashion; however they are not appropriate for school (save them for the weekend). The office has clothing that students may borrow if changing is deemed appropriate. Please help us monitor student clothing, so not to have your son or daughter feel embarrassed if they are asked to change. The running shorts that most girls currently wear are not considered appropriate length.



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Supervised Study Time (SST)

Starting on Monday, the week of August 24th, SST will be available for all students. I want to encourage all students to use this time for extra help, computer use, study time or relaxed reading in the library. Teachers are available from the final bell until 4:00 pm Monday through Thursday. Activity practices will begin at 4:00 pm. Teachers will continue to encourage students to come in and receive help in the morning if unable to attend the after school time.

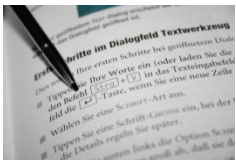
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What about cell phones? Are they needed at school?

Ask any student and they will tell you of course, but the fact is that we can get a message to students as needed. Students can also use the phone in the office as needed. Coaches have access to a phone for student use to call for rides after activities are completed. If you don't think your child can survive without their phone, they can check it in the office during the school day, where it won't get lost or confiscated.

Materials Coming Home the First Day



Receipt of 2015-2016 Parent/Student Handbook (student and parent must sign)

Please take time to read through the student handbook. The handbook outlines the policies and expectations for your son/daughter. Please sign and return the form stating that you did review the student handbook. It is located on the last page. A student signature is also needed. One addition that was approved can be found on page 15 in reference to appointments—Appointment cards may be requested to verify an absence.

Class sponsors will review some of the major sections during their class meetings the first day of school.

Acceptable Use of Computers and Networks (student and parent must sign)

Hemingford High School stresses that a computer and the Internet is a teaching resource (not a toy), and students will be responsible for their actions. The purpose of internet use is for research and presentation. Access privileges may be revoked when deemed necessary. Both parent and student signatures are required on this form.



Nebraska School Activities Association (NSAA) Consent (parent signs)

This form must be returned whether or not your son/daughter participates in activities. There are two locations for the parent signature.

If you have any questions about these forms, please contact the office.



**IS IT REALLY TIME TO START SCHOOL?**

I hope everyone had a restful and relaxing summer break. I hope everyone feels recharged and ready to have a great school year. I'm looking forward to seeing all the kids, I've really missed them. We've had some new kids register for our school. Welcome back everyone. Let's have a great year!

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION

Please remember to save the box tops that are found on many different food items. They allow us to earn money for our school. This is another great way to help our school.

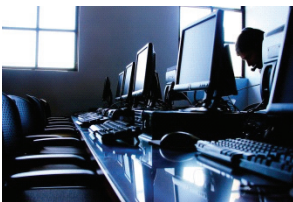
**UPCOMING DATES OF INTEREST**

August 19th - First day of school (1:00 p.m. dismissal)

August 20th Second day of school (1:00 p.m. dismissal)

August 21st Regular day of school

September 7th – No School – Labor Day

**INTERNET SAFETY**

I've listed a useful Web site with information about how to keep children safe while they use the internet.

<http://www.netsmartz.org/InternetSafety>

QUOTES TO THINK ABOUT ☺

Success starts small, but the more you feed it and water it with a winning attitude, the bigger and faster it grows.

What you do today will determine where you stand tomorrow. If the roots are weak, the tree will fall down. Create a strong foundation.

COMMUNICATION

Together we can make a difference for kids ☺

Call us with any questions at 487-3330.

Hemingford Public School Staff Directory 2015-2016

Board of Education

Randy Wood— President
 Trish Schumacher—Vice President
 JD Sutphen —Secretary
 Justin Ansley — Member
 Alan Roland — Member
 Troy Turek — Member
 Joyce Klemke — Board Treasurer

Hemingford Administration

Casper Ningen — Superintendent
 Peggy Foster—Secondary Principal
 Ron Foster — Elementary Principal
 Mandy Plog—Director of Special Education

Hemingford Elementary**Teaching Staff**

Ammie Frost — Kdg.
 Kerri Heusman— Kdg.
 Sue Benzel —First Grade
 Jennifer Gasseling- First Grade
 Joei Cullan - Second Grade
 Dee Hannaford — Second Grade
 Pamela Huddle —Third Grade
 Whitney Dean-Third Grade
 Michelle Osmotherly -Fourth
 Hannah Smith-Fourth
 Cindy Lanik- Fifth Grade
 Sarah McCabe- Fifth Grade
 Robyn Prochazka —Sixth Grade
 Linda Folkertz-Title 1
 Shari McClure— Pre School
 Jeanette Chasek-K-6 Resource
 Natalie Wood-K-6 –Comp/Tech
 Ramona Hucke — K-12 Counselor
 Sara Schmidt— K-6 Music & Elem Band
 Morgan Kuhn - K-9 Physical Education

Jill Hurtt- K-12 Media Specialist
 Amber Jacoby—Nurse/Health Education

Ingrid Einspahr—K-12 Speech Pathology

Hemingford High School**Teaching Staff**

Cindy Ahrens— Math
 David Chatelain—Social Studies
 Bridget Cullan—English
 Morgan Kuhn- K-9 Physical Education
 Brandy Stark —Business/Tech
 Jordan Haas- Math
 Randy Hiemstra —7-12th PE
 Kay Horstman—Computer & Business
 Ramona Hucke—K-12 Counselor/ Transitions
 Lisa Janssen—Math
 Gordon Kamey—Vocational Agriculture Ed
 Peter Gomez- Science
 Suzanne Neefe—Family

Consumer Science
 Brad Olson— Science
 Ingrid Einspahr—7-12 Speech Pathology
 Jill Hurtt- K-12 Media Specialist
 Sara Schmidt-7-12 Band/Choir
 Shelley Smaha- English
 Amber Jacoby—Nurse/ Health Education

Kelly Horn - 7—12 Resource
 Mattie Churchill- Spanish/Art
 Jacob Brummer-Science

Secretaries and Aides

Joyce Klemke—Business Manager
 Lisa Haas—Secondary Secretary
 Deb Campbell—Elementary Secretary
 Sandy Haas-Lunch/Trans. Director
 Brenda Davies—Elem. Library Aide
 Cheyenne Broadway-Paraprofessional
 Kassy Broadway-Paraprofessional
 Tobie Buchheit—Paraprofessional
 Beth Dahl=Paraprofessional
 April Hanson-Paraprofessional
 Alicia Harvey-Paraprofessional
 Jeannette Hucke-Paraprofessional
 Janelle Dutton-Paraprofessional
 Lori Glendy-Paraprofessional
 Christy Ningen - Paraprofessional
 Pat Vogel - Paraprofessional
 Dena Paris – Paraprofessional
 Shawn Phillips-Paraprofessional
 Shelley Wyland-Paraprofessional

Custodians

Lynn Weldon — High School
 Megan Miles—Gym
 Andrea Gerdes-Elementary

Maintenance

Jim Miles-Maintenance

Bus Drivers

Sandy Haas—Transportation Director
 Brenda Davies— Route & Act.
 Bob Haas - Activities
 Brad Haas—Activities
 Sandy Haas—Route & Act.
 Tim Lanik – Route & Activities
 Karla Mapes — Route
 Phyllis Jesse — Route & Act.
 Tre Surbeck — Route & Act
 Kim Wills—Route & Act
 Brad Olson-Route & Act.
 Pat Vogel- Route
 Becky Hanley- Route
 Peter Gomez- Route & Act.

Class Sponsors Class of 2016-

Seniors,Gordon Karney, Kelly Horn; Class of 2017-Juniors, Cindy Ahrens, Bridget Cullan,

Class of 2018 –Sophmores, Lisa Janssen, Jacob Brummer, Class of 2019 Freshman-Suzanne Neefe, Jill Hurtt, Class of 2020-Eighth Grade- David Chatelain, Brad Olson Class of 2021-Seventh Grade-Brandy Stark, Sara Schmidt

Activities

Athletic Club — Pete Gomez, Jordan Haas
 Instr. Music —Sara Schmidt
 Health Council –Amber Jacoby
 FFA — Gordon Karney
 FCCLA - Suzanne Neefe
 Nat. Honor Soc,—Bridget Cullan
 1 Act & 3 Act-Tabi Bryner
 Assistant One Act – TBA
 Assistant Three Act- Irene Prochazka
 Quiz Bowl — Jill Hurtt
 SIP—Jeanette Chasek, Joe Collins
 Skip N Cats — Ammie Frost
 Co-Speech –Bridget Cullan, Shelly Smaha
 Student Council — Kay Horstman
 World Strides –April Hanson
 Yearbook— Kay Horstman
 Cheerleading- Laura Weber, Reyna Ansley

Coaches

FOOTBALL Head: Jordan Haas; Assistants: Taryn Wood, Tim Hiatt; JH: Jake Brummer
 VOLLEYBALL: Head:Natalie Wood ; Assistants: TBA; JH: Dave Chatelain, TBA
 CROSS COUNTRY: Cindy Lanik
 WRESTLING: Head: Pete Gomezr, Assistant; Jake Frost; JH Gordon Karney, Kyle Walker
 GIRLS BASKETBALL—Head-Steve Morava; Assistants-Lisa Janssen JH- Cindy Ahrens, TBA
 BOYS BASKETBALL—Head – Brennan Vogel, Assistant —Joe Collins, JH—TBA
 TRACK—Head— Randy Hiemstra, Assistants; Jake Brummer, Lisa Janssen
 GOLF-Joe Collins
 Co-Activities Director —Jordan Haas & Peter Gomez

Activity Passes

Activity Passes

Activity passes for all regular home games will be available at the High School Office. Prices will be: Adults \$35.00, Students Not In Activity \$25.00, Students In Activity—\$10.00, Family \$100.00, and Single Parent Family \$65.00. (This pass is intended for those parents who are in a single parent family situation.)

Activity gate prices will be

Varsity Contests:

\$4.00 for adults and \$3.00 for students

Junior Varsity and Junior High Contests:

\$2.00 for adults and \$2.00 for students

Invitational Tournaments:

\$5.00 for adults and \$5.00 for students

No activity or conference passes accepted for tournaments!

Please use the activity pass order form included with the newsletter for ordering passes. Please use first and last names and make sure to list all family members on order form for family pass.



Bus Routes

Bus drivers will mail a letter to the families who ride their bus. Routes have been established, and drivers will give you the approximate times to expect the bus by August 10th. **If you have not previously ridden the bus or have not been called by August 10th, please contact Sandy Haas at the school (487-3330) to place your name on the bus list.**

Activity Pass Order Form

Please fill out this form and return it to the High School Office for Activity Passes. You can mail this with payment to:

Hemingford Schools
Attn: Activity Passes
PO Box 217
Hemingford, NE 69348

Please check Type of Activity Pass needed

- Adult —\$35.00
- K-6 Student —\$25.00
- Student 7-12 In Activity —\$10.00
- Student Not In Activity —\$25.00
- Family —\$100.00
- Single Parent Family —\$65.00

NAMES:

Total Amount Paid \$ _____

_____ I will pickup of the passes.

_____ Please mail passes to the address below.

Nurse-Amber Jacoby

Just a few reminders as the school year begins:

-Kindergarten entry and 7th graders must complete a physical exam within 6 months of the beginning of school.

-Students in grades 7-12 are required by the Nebraska School Activities Association to submit a physical examination completed after May 1.

-Asthma/Allergy action plans: all students with asthma or severe allergy are required by the state of Nebraska to submit an asthma action plan that is completed by their parents, the students, and the students primary care physician.

-Diabetes Management: students with diabetes are required to submit an annual management plan authorized and signed by the parent, the student, and the student's provider. Self-management consent forms are available at the school office.

-Medication administration: students that require prescribed medication administration while at school are required to submit written authorization for the school nurse that is signed by the parents and the student's provider. Forms are available at the school office.

Over the Counter Medications:

Hemingford Public Schools is allowed to accept signed parent consent for acetaminophen (Tylenol-type) and ibuprofen (Motrin-type) products. This means that a physician's prescription or authorization will not be required for these two medications in normal, weight-appropriate doses. Before your child may receive any medication from us, you must have a signed consent on file in the school health office. Participation in this medication project is voluntary. The school will provide supplies. If we do not have consent on file in the nurse's office, we will call you for permission to provide medications as needed. All other medication requests still need to be accompanied by physician authorization.

Products for topical application that may be used:

- Skin Lotion
- saline eye solution
- Deodorant
- Sting-Kill Swabs
- Vaseline
- Generic "Triple" topical antibiotic
- Aloe Gel
- Rubbing Alcohol
- Hydrocortisone 1% topical (at the discretion of the School Nurse)
- Topical diphenhydramine
- Saline/Wetting solution for contact lenses



Nurse-Amber Jacoby

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION, VISUAL EVALUATION, AND IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENTS IN NEBRASKA SCHOOLS

Nebraska Revised Statute 79-214 (3), 79-217 and Chapter 3 of Title NAC, Control of Communicable Disease (Revised) require:

1. **Physical Examination:** Evidence of a physical examination by a physician, physician assistant, or an advanced practice registered nurse within 6 months prior to the entrance of the child into the **beginner grade and the seventh grade or, in the case of a transfer from out of state, to any other grade.** No such examination shall be required of any child whose parent or guardian objects in writing.
2. **Visual Evaluation:** Evidence of a visual evaluation by a physician, a physician assistant, an advanced practice registered nurse, or an optometrist within 6 months, prior to the entrance of the child into the beginner grade or, in the case of a transfer from out of state, to any other grade. Contact the school nurse or call 436-1657 for information regarding free or reduced-cost visual evaluations for families who qualify. No such evaluation shall be required of any child whose parent or guardian objects in writing.
3. **Immunization:** Evidence of protection against diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, polio, measles, mumps, rubella, Hepatitis B, and varicella, in schedules of doses conforming to state guidelines, are required of all students in all grades. A signed statement of past history of chicken pox disease; including year of illness may be submitted to meet the varicella requirement. Beginning July 2010, one Tdap is also required for entry to 7th grade.
4. The cost of physical examination, visual evaluation, and immunization shall be borne by the parent or guardian.

The statute further provides that immunizations will not be required for a student's enrollment in any school in the state if he or she submits to the school any of the following:

1. (A) A statement signed by a physician, a physician assistant, or advanced practice registered nurse stating that, in the health care provider's opinion, the immunizations required would be injurious to the health and well being of the student or any member of the student's family or household.
2. (B) An affidavit signed by the student, or if he or she is a minor, by a legally authorized representative of the student stating that the immunization conflicts with the tenets and practice of a recognized religious denomination of which the student is an adherent or member or that immunization conflicts with the personal and sincerely followed religious beliefs of the student.
3. (C) For measles, mumps, rubella, or hepatitis B, laboratory evidence of immunity, including name of laboratory, date of test, name of test, test result, signature of lab technician or laboratory director, and date of signature. For the purposes of the statute, clinical history of the disease does not constitute evidence of immunity.
4. (D) A student may be provisionally enrolled in a school when:
 1. The student has begun the immunizations required and continues to receive the immunizations as rapidly as is medically feasible.
 2. The parent or guardian of a student meeting the military requirement in section 79-222 submits a written statement certifying that the student has received the required immunizations and proof of immunization is given within 60 days.



Please note: In the event of an outbreak of a communicable disease, unimmunized students will be excluded from school. Waiver forms are available in each school health office.

Hot Lunch News

Dear Students,

You have control over the choices you make in the cafeteria every day! The school food service staff works hard to provide appealing, nutritious foods for lunch and/or breakfast. Then you choose what to eat!

By participating in the National School Lunch and/or Breakfast Program, your school receives reimbursement for offering meals that meet a required meal pattern. Receiving this reimbursement assists your school in keeping meal prices affordable. This meal pattern requires certain food components to be offered. These food components include: Meat/Meat Alternate, Grain items, Fruits, Vegetables and Milk. For each food component, minimum portion sizes are required though your school may offer more.

According to Federal regulations, you do not have to take all of these food components. You may choose only three or four food components, with at least one of these components being a fruit or vegetable. The components must be taken in at least minimum quantities for the meal to qualify for reimbursement. This serving option is known as *Offer Versus Serve*. The school food service *offers* all five food components, but can *serve* you fewer. The main reason for allowing you to decline foods that you don't intend to eat is cut down on food waste and cost.

Below is an example of a lunch menu containing all five food components:



Hamburger on Bun
Baked Beans
Applesauce
Milk

You could take all menu items or any qualifying combination such as:

Hamburger	Hamburger	Hamburger	Applesauce
Bun	Bun	Bun	Baked Beans
Applesauce	Baked Beans	Applesauce	Milk
Milk			

The staff person who checks your tray at the end of the serving line is required to see that it contains at least three of the five food components with one component being a 1/2 cup serving of fruit or vegetable or a combination of the two. If you do not have all of the food components needed, you may be asked to go back and get something else.

Choosing three, four or five food components has no effect on the price you pay for lunch. The entire meal is the best value for your money. You can help keep the lunch line moving quickly by checking the menu ahead of time and politely telling the servers which foods you do not want.

Remember the choice is yours! Turning down foods you will not eat instead of throwing them in the trash is a responsible way to help your school save food, time and money.

Hot Lunch

Breakfast is served at 7:45 AM each morning, with hot meals being served 3 times a week. Breakfast is a great way to get the mind ready for learning. Both breakfasts and lunches qualify for free and reduced price meals. Parents can join their students for lunch, but please call the school and inform them so that enough food can be prepared.

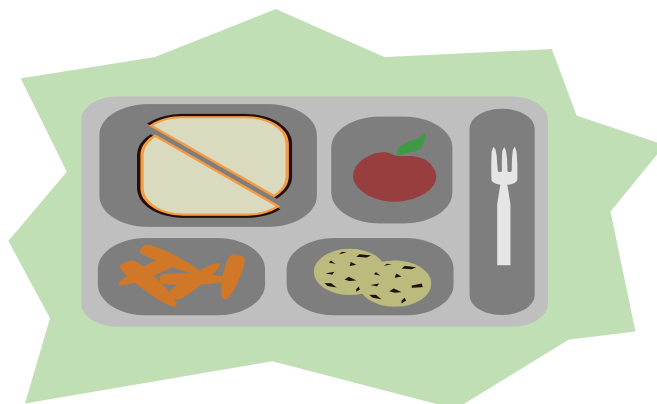
The Hemingford School District will continue to provide great start breakfasts and hot nutritious lunches to students through the National School Lunch Program the school district requires meals to be paid for in advance. Breakfast prices for meals are \$1.50 for grades K-12, and \$2.00 for adults. Lunch prices for meals are \$2.00 for grades K-6, \$2.30 for grades 7-12, \$3.10 for adults and \$.40 for afternoon milk.

Applications for free and reduced price meals will be sent home with students on the first day of school. You must file for free or reduced meals each year. Students who were on free and reduced lunches last year have until September 28th to reapply and can still receive free or reduced meals until October 2nd. New applications should be returned as soon as possible as the free or reduced meals begin the day you submit it. However applications may be submitted anytime during the school year if your income changes.

REMINDER: All family accounts need to have a positive balance on the first day of school for your child (ren) to be served a tray!!

No exceptions!!!

Attention: There will be no extras after \$10.00 owed and no tray will be served if your account is a negative \$20.00 or more.



***2015-2016 school year is going to be a great year at Hemingford Schools!
To kick start the school year the Hemingford Booster Club would like to invite everyone to a tailgate party on August 28st from 5:00-8:00! We want to feature the volleyball team as they scrimmage in the gym, then follow with a meal at the football field. The cross country team and cheerleaders will be recognized, and the football team will hold a scrimmage as well. Please note the schedule of activities below as we celebrate the successes of our youth! GUBN!***

Friday, August 28st

5:00-6:00: Volleyball scrimmage in gym

*Please bring bottled water for a donation to the team

*Parent meeting immediate following scrimmage

6:00-7:00: Tailgate meal at football field by the Booster Concession Stands.

(In case of inclement weather, barbeque will held in the multi-purpose hall)

*Although some picnic tables will be provided, please bring lawn chairs and blankets to sit on, or pickup tailgates!

*Boosters will have tables set up for your convenience to renew memberships or to become a new member. All donations go directly into supporting Hemingford's youth in ALL activities. Thank you in advance for your monetary donations.

*As an added bonus, new members and renewed members will get a ticket to be eligible for door prizes to be drawn at the end of the football scrimmage.

*Please bring Gatorade for a donation to the football team and Cross Country Team.

6:30-6:45: Football parent meeting in Bobcat stands. (West side)

Cross Country parent meeting in Bobcat stands. (East side)

Cheerleading meeting in Bobcat stands. (East side)

7:00-8:00: Football Scrimmage

7:30-Introduction and recognition of the cross country members and cheerleaders

8:00- *Conclusion of the Big Red Tailgate Party. Make sure to support all teams throughout 2015-2016 as it promises to be another stellar year!*

*Door prizes, parking spot, and volleyball reserved seat winners will be announced





Hemingford Boosters!!!

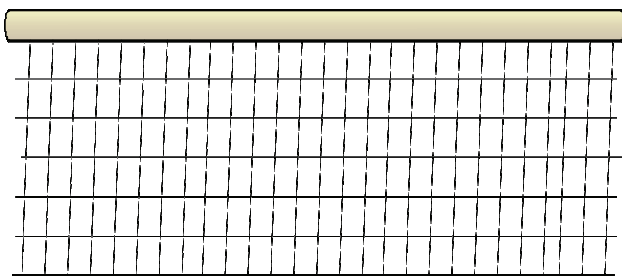
FOOTBALL FANS

The Hemingford Boosters are taking sealed bids for 4 Parking spots for the Bobcat Football field for the Regular Season home Games ONLY. The 4 highest bidders will get the luxury of parking in his/her personalized parking spot, two free tailgate meal passes for each tailgate and some delicious treats from the Bobcat Concession stand during the Varsity Games.

VOLLEYBALL FANS

NEW THIS YEAR!!! The Boosters will also be taking bids for the opportunity to reserve seats in the Gym for all Home JV/Varsity Volleyball matches (excludes any tournaments). The two highest bidders (per seat) will have the opportunity to reserve 1-4 seats in the gym. (The bid submitted is per seat so if your bid is \$25 and you want 4 seats it would be \$100.) Indicate on your bid the number of seats 1-4 you would like to reserve. The winning bid is by seat, not grand total.

Your check MUST accompany your bid to be accepted. Bids MUST be received by 5:00 on Thursday August 27th. Winners will be announced at the Big Red BBQ on Friday August 28th. Please drop off sealed bids at the Hemingford Credit Union or send to Hemingford Boosters PO Box 272 Hemingford NE 69348.



High School Volleyball 2015

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Site</u>	<u>Time</u>
Thurs. Sept. 3	Mitchell (C-JV-V)	Home	5:00 PM
Tues. Sept. 8	Banner Co. /Hay Springs (V)	Home	5:00 PM
Sat. Sept. 12	Sheridan County Invite (JV-V)	H.S. and GR	8:00 AM
Mon. Sept. 14	Morrill/Mitchell (JV)	Mitchell	4:30 PM
Tues. Sept. 15	GR / Kimball Tri. (V)	Home	4:00 PM
Thurs. Sept. 17	Edgemont (JV/V)	Away	5:00 PM
Sat. Sept. 19	Hemingford Inv. (V)	Home	9:00 AM
Tues. Sept. 22	Bridgeport/Morrill Tri. (V)	Bridgeport	5:00 PM
Sat. Sept. 26	Mitchell Inv. (JV/V)	Away	8:30 AM
Mon. Sept. 28	Bayard /Bridgeport Tri. (V)	Home	5:00 PM
Tues. Oct. 6	Crawford (JV/V)	Away	5:00 PM
Sat. Oct. 10	Gordon/Rushville Inv. (JV)	G/R	9:00 AM
Thurs. Oct. 15	Bayard (JH-JV-V)	Home	4:00 PM
Sat. Oct. 17	Panhandle Conference	Edgemont	TBA
Mon. Oct 19	Gordon/Rushville (F/JV)	Home	5:00 PM
Tues.. Oct. 20	Hay Springs (JV/V)	Hay Springs	5:00 PM
Sat. Oct. 24	Western Trail Conference	Morrill	1:00 PM
Mon. Oct. 26	Crawford/Sioux Co. Tri (V)	Home	5:00 PM
Mon. Nov. 2nd & 3rd	Subdistricts		
Nov. 5th & 6th	District Finals		
Nov. 12th-14th	State Volleyball	Lincoln	

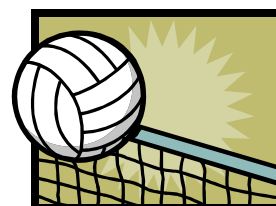
Volleyball practice will start at 6:30 a.m. on Monday, August 10th. The volleyball team will have a scrimmage on Friday, August 28, 2015 before the Big Red tailgate party. Please bring Gatorade for a donation to the team. Parent meeting immediately following the scrimmage.



Junior High Volleyball 2015

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Site</u>	<u>Time</u>
Mon.. Sept. 14	Morrill	Away	4:00 PM
Thurs. Sept. 17	Bridgeport	Home	4:00 PM
Sat. Sept. 26	Panhandle Conference	Hay Springs	TBA
Mon... Sept. 28	Gordon/Rushville	Rushville	5:30 PM
Tues. Sept. 29	Garden County	Home	4:00 PM
Thurs. Oct. 1	Crawford	Away	4:00 PM
Sat. Oct. 3	Hemingford Quad	Home	10:00 AM
Mon. Oct. 12	Hay Springs	Away	5:00 PM
Thurs. Oct. 15	Bayard	Home	4:00 PM

Informational meeting for 7th & 8th girls Junior High volleyball will be Wednesday, August 26th at 4:00 P.M. in Mr. Chatelain's room. The first game will be on Monday, September 14th. Girls remember you need to have a completed physical before you can begin practice. If there were any concerns with your physicals please get those taken care of as soon as possible. We look forward to another successful season. Any questions please feel free to contact Mr. Chatelain.



Football 2015-2016



★ Students need to remember that they must complete a physical examination and be cleared for activity as well as completed a baseline concussion screening, before being allowed to participate in any activity.

Official practice will begin August 10th. The parents meeting will be 6:30-6:45 p.m. in the Bobcat stands (west side) on August 28th. Following the meeting the scrimmage will be held. **See flyer about the tailgate party enclosed in newsletter.**

The kick off Cookie Dough Fundraiser will be on August 4th information to be given to all the football players, managers, stats and camera people.

VARSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE: 2015-2016

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Site</u>	<u>Time</u>
Fri. Sept. 4	Twin Loup	Taylor	7:00 PM
Fri. Sept. 11	Crawford	Away	7:00 PM
Fri. Sept. 18	South Loup	Home	3:00 PM Homecoming
Fri. Sept. 25	Perkins County	Home	7:00 PM
Fri. Oct. 2	Morrill	Away	7:00 PM
Fri. Oct. 9	Dundy Count Stratton	Home	6:00 PM
Fri. Oct. 16	Creek Valley	Home	6:00 PM
Thurs. Oct. 23	Sutherland	Away	6:00 PM
Thurs. Oct. 29th	Playoffs (First Round)		
Wed. Nov. 4th	Playoffs (Second Round)		
Tues. Nov. 10th	Playoffs (Quarterfinals)		
Mon. Nov. 16th	Playoffs (Semifinals)		
Mon. Nov. 23rd	Playoffs (State Championship)	Lincoln	



Junior Varsity and Junior High Football 2015

JUNIOR VARSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE: 2015-2016

Tues. Sept. 8	Gordon-Rushville	Gordon	6:00 PM
Mon. Sept. 14	Open		
Mon. Sept. 21	Morrill	Home	6:00 PM
Mon. Sept. 28	Bridgeport	Away	6:00 PM
Mon. Oct. 5	Garden County	Home	5:30 PM
Mon. Oct. 12	Chadron Frosh	Away	5:00 PM

JUNIOR HIGH FOOTBALL SCHEDULE 2015-2016

Mon. Sept. 14	Morrill	Home	5:00 PM
Thurs. Sept. 17	Gordon-Rushville	Home	5:00 PM
Tues. Sept. 29	Garden County	Home	5:00 PM
Thurs. Oct. 1	Crawford	Away	5:00 PM
Tues. Oct. 6	Kimball	Away	4:00 PM



Cross Country-Mrs. Lanik



Cross Country Practice will begin on Monday, August 17, 2015 at 3:30 pm at the Golf Course. Cross Country will be recognized at the Bobcat Tailgate Party on August 28th. Parent meeting will be held at 6:30-6:45 in Bobcat stands (East side) .

Cross Country Schedule –Varsity and Junior High 2015

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Site</u>	<u>Time</u>
Fri. Sept. 4	Gering Inv. (JH/V)	Gering	1:00 PM
Fri. Sept. 11	Kimball Inv. (JH/V)	Kimball	1:00 PM
Sat. Sept. 19	Alliance Inv. (JH/V)	Alliance	9:00 AM
Tues. Sept. 22	Scottsbluff Inv. (JH/V)	Scottsbluff	4:30 PM
Thurs.. Sept. 24	Gordon-Rushville Invite (JH-V)	Gordon	12:00 PM
Thurs. Oct. 1	Bayard Inv. (JH/V)	Bayard	2:30 PM
Fri. Oct. 9	Western Trails Conference	Hemingford	11:00 AM
Thur. Oct. 15	Districts	TBA	
Fri. Oct. 23	State Cross Country	Kearney	



Homecoming Week-September 14-18



Homecoming Week –September 14-18



Football Game– Friday, September 18
versus South Loup

Game starts at 3:00 P.M.



Dance– Friday, September 18
from 8:00 P.M.—11:00 P.M.



Watch for further details of
upcoming events during
Homecoming Week!!

August 2015

HEMINGFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Our mission at Hemingford Public Schools is to cooperatively work with the community to provide our youth a safe and healthy learning environment for all students. Our school district and staff are committed to provide and promote opportunities for high academic achievement, capitalizing on student career interests and aptitudes, with a purpose to encourage student involvement and accomplishments in order to prepare accountable, responsible, self-disciplined, successful citizens in an ever-changing, global society.

Casper Ningen, Superintendent
Mrs. Peggy Foster, High School Principal
Mr. Ron Foster, Elementary Principal
Mrs. Mandy Plog, Special Education Director

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911 Niobrara Avenue
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Phone: 308-487-3330 Elementary
Phone: 308-487-5252 Distance Learning
Fax: 308-487-5215



COMMUNICATION SOURCES

In an effort to maintain all possible communication links, Hemingford Public Schools will offer numerous ways for parents, students, community members and all other interested citizens to stay abreast of happenings at the schools. Some ways to communicate are: Hemingford Public Schools Website

<http://www.hemingfordschools.org>

Hemingford Ledger - Important information is posted in the Briefs. Sports info and other needed school info can be found here as well.

Monthly newsletter - Mailed to every patron in the district each month. Also can be found on the webpage.

Notices sent home with students
Information sent home with reports cards.

Phone calls to students' homes when necessary.

PowerSchool for attendance, grades and other notes to students and parents found on the Hemingford Schools webpage.



EQUAL OPPORTUNITY

Hemingford Public School District #10 will not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, disability, or marital status in admission or access to, or treatment or employment in its programs and activities

Web-Email Lunch Account System

Access your current account information online-at www.hemingford schools.org and click the button on the right labeled "What's for Lunch".

INCLEMENT WEATHER

The Superintendent of schools is authorized by the Board of Education to close public schools in case of severe weather. The Superintendent's will notify local news media when inclement weather warrants such action. The **information is broadcast regularly by radio stations, (KCOW AM 1400, KQ 106 & 97.5 FM, KMOR 92.9 FM), our web site (www.hemingfordschools.org), and Mobius web site (www.bbc.net).**

SCHOOL MESSENGER

If you have not been contacted by "School Messenger" our web based calling system to alert parents of school cancellations, late starts or any other events, please contact the school. You may have changed phone numbers, or disconnected numbers the school is unaware of. Also, if you don't want to be contacted please notify us so we can take you off of the calling list. Please call the school of any changes at 487-3330.

HEMINGFORD ELEMENTARY
2015-2016 BACK TO SCHOOL SUPPLY LISTS

Students are encouraged, but not required, to bring classroom supplies and items need to benefit from courses including but not limited to pens, pencils, paper, erasers, etc. Specific class lists for each grade can be found below. If the student/parent chooses not to furnish back to school classroom supplies, these items will be made available by the school district.

PLEASE LABEL ALL SUPPLIES AND SEND WITH YOUR CHILD ON THE FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL

HEMINGFORD ELEMENTARY-PRESCHOOL
MRS. MCCLURE

1 backpack
1 small plastic pencil box that latches (5.5" x 8")
1 small box of Crayola Crayons (16 or 24) **NO ROSE ART PLEASE!**
1 pencil
One-2 pocket folder
2 glue sticks
1 container of Clorox or Lysol wipes
1 container of Wet Ones (for hands and faces) or baby wipes
1 package of brown paper lunch sacks
1 container Play-Dough

HEMINGFORD ELEMENTARY – KDG.
MRS. FROST –MRS. HEUSMAN

One or Two boxes of 250 count Kleenex
One container of sanitizer wipes
Box of 8 crayons (regular size)
One spiral notebook
One Pocket Folder-Preferably the ones that are sturdy plastic/washable
Two pencils(#2 lead) (**No plastic coated ones**)
Scissors (Fiskars brand)
6 glue sticks (no gel sticks or colored glue)
Old paint shirt (A big T-shirt works the best)
Backpack
A beach towel for rest time
One bag of Plastic disposable cups (**No paper or Styrofoam ones**)
NO pencil cases, please!!
In Addition to the Above:
MRS. FROST'S CLASS ONLY- One box Ziploc bags (gallon, sandwich, or snack size)
One box of snacks (crackers, cookies, etc.)

HEMINGFORD ELEMENTARY – 1ST
GRADE
MRS. BENZEL

1 box of 24 crayons
1 pair of scissors
3 boxes of Kleenex
1 bottle of white glue
2 boxes of Ziploc bags(one sandwich size and one gallon size)
1 pocket folder
1 empty frosting (ready to spread) container
2 containers of Clorox Wipes
8 -#2 lead pencils
4 glue sticks
3 snack items (cookies, crackers, fruit snacks, etc.)

MRS. GASSELING-1ST GRADE

2 boxes of 24 crayons (one for each semester)
1 pair of scissors
8-#2 pencils
1 box of Ziploc bags
8 glue sticks
1 one subject **Wide ruled** notebook
2 large erasers
1 pocket folder
A paint shirt
1 bottle of white glue
2 boxes of Kleenex
1 container Clorox wipes (any brand)

HEMINGFORD ELEMENTARY-2ND GRADE
MRS. CULLAN- MRS. HANNAFORD

2 boxes of sharpened #2 pencils (no mechanical pencils please)
2 large erasers
1 box of 24 crayons
1 pair of scissors with metal blades

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HEMINGFORD ELEMENTARY -2ND GRADE
MRS. CULLAN –MRS. HANNAFORD CONT.

8-gluе sticks (white on 2-4 oz. Bottle of Elmer's School Glue (white only)
1 box of colored pencils (8-12 per box)
1 hard plastic pencil box
2-80 page wide ruled metal bound spiral notebooks
2-large boxes of Kleenex
1 container of disinfecting wipes

HEMINGFORD ELEMENTARY-3RD GRADE
MRS. DEAN

At least 15 - #2 lead pencils-sharpened
Crayons-1 box of 24 only
At least 2 dry erase markers
2-erasers
7- glue sticks
1-box colored pencils
3-boxes of Kleenex (250 ct.)
2-composition books-100 sheets each
2 Container of disinfecting wipes or any size
1 box Ziplock bags (**gallon size**)
1 2-pocket folder

HEMINGFORD ELEMENTARY-3RD GRADE
MRS. HUDDLE

At least 10 # 2 Wooden Pencils-sharpened
Crayons-1 box of 24 only
Notebook Paper-1 pkg. of loose leaf wide ruled note book paper
Erasers-2
Glue Sticks-7 each
Kleenex-3 boxes
Colored Pencils-1 box
2 composition books-100 sheets each
1 box of Ziploc bags-any size **OR** a container of disinfecting wipes

HEMINGFORD ELEMENTARY-4TH GRADE
MRS. OSMOTHERLY & MRS. SMITH

7-Spiral notebooks- one of each color: yellow, red, blue, green or teal, purple and two other colors of your choice. **Extra yellow, purple and blue** may be needed later on during the year
3- pocket folders- of your choice
1-box #2 WOODEN pencils- **Extra pencils** may be needed throughout the year
Blue or Black pens (**no other colors please**)
Erasers- (**NO** toys pretending to be erasers)
1 box of Kleenex
1 container of disinfectant wipes
Pencil bag
Colored Pencils

Suggested to have at home; a good collegiate dictionary and thesaurus, colored pencils for projects.

HEMINGFORD ELEMENTARY
5th & 6th GRADE
MRS. LANIK –MRS. PROCHAZKA- MRS. MCCABE

Trapper Keeper

8-Spiral notebooks- one of each color: yellow, red, blue, green or teal, and two other colors of your choice
3-pocket folders of your choice
#2 pencils, WOODEN (**extra pencils** should be brought and kept at school for use)
1 Highlighter for highlighting notes
Erasers (**NO** toys pretending to be erasers)
pink pearl or kneaded gum is the best
Colored pencils, for map work, art and color illustration
Pencil Bag
2 boxes of Kleenex



Hemingford Public Schools Breakfast Menu

August 2015

Milk is served with all meals

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

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Friday

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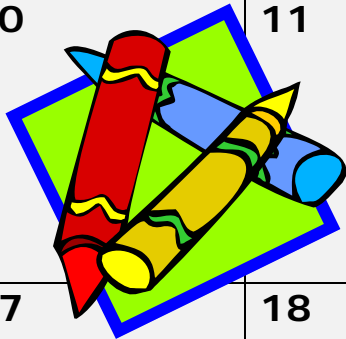
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PB & J
Cereal
Fruit
Juice

Pancakes
Sausage Links
Fruit
Juice

Fruit Yogurt
Parfait
Granola
Juice

24

25

26

27

28

Oatmeal
Cereal
Fruit
Juice

Pancakes
Sausage Links
Fruit
Juice

Breakfast
Burrito
Cereal
Fruit
Juice

Cream of
Wheat
Cereal
Fruit
Juice

Fruit Yogurt
Parfait
Granola
Juice

31

Scrambled Eggs
& Sausage
Cereal
Fruit
Juice



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The cost of a breakfast is as follows: PreK-12 - \$1.50 Adult Breakfast - \$2.00

The cost of a lunch is as follows: PreK - 6 Lunch - \$2.00 7 - 12 Lunch - \$2.30 Adult Lunch - \$3.10



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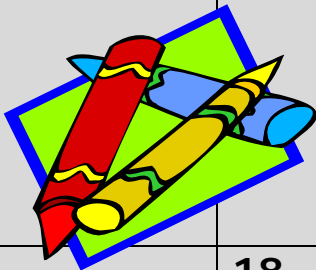
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Beefy Nachos
Fruit
Vegetable

Macaroni &
Cheese
Broccoli
Fruit

Hamburger on
a Bun
Baked Beans
Fruit

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Turkey
Tetrazzini
Fruit
Vegetable

Chicken Fajitas
Refried Beans
Fruit

Pizza
Corn
Fruit

Sloppy Joe on a
Bun
Vegetable
Fruit

Ham/Cheese
Sub Sandwich
Vegetable
Fruit

31

Spaghetti with
Meat Sauce
Garlic Toast
Vegetable
Fruit



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Calendar Events September 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
		1 Red Day	2 White Day 8:30am Josten's Presentation (Gr 10 and 12)	3 Red Day 5:00pm VB vs Mitchell (C-JV-V)	4 White Day 1:00pm JH/V CC at Gering Invite 7:00pm FB at Twin Loup played in Taylor	5
6	7 No School – Labor Day	8 Red Day 5:00pm V VB Tri. vs Banner Cty/ Hay Springs @ Home 6:00pm JV FB at Gor/Rush in Gordon	9 White Day HS Picture Day FCCLA Fall Leadership @ Alliance 8:30am Josten's Ordering (Gr 10 and 12)	10 Red Day Elem Picture Day	11 White Day 1:00pm JH/V CC at Kimball Invite 7:00pm FB at Crawford	12 8:00am JV/V VB at Sheridan Cty. Invite played in Hay Springs & Gor/Rush
13	14 Red Day Homecoming Week 4:30pm JV VB at Mitchell Tri. 5:00pm JH FB vs Morrill	15 White Day Homecoming Week 4:00pm V VB Tri. vs Gor/Rush/ Kimball @ Home	16 Red Day Progress Reports Sent Home Homecoming Week	17 White Day Homecoming Week 5:00pm JH FB vs Gor/Rush 5:00pm JV/V VB at Edgemont	18 Red Day Homecoming Week Homecoming Dance 8 - 11 p.m. 3:00pm FB vs South Loup (Homecoming)	19 9:00am V VB Hemingford Invite 9:00am JH/V CC at Alliance Invite
20	21 White Day 6:00pm JV FB vs Morrill	22 Red Day 4:30pm JH/V CC at Scottsbluff Invite 5:00pm V VB Tri. at Bridgeport	23 White Day FCCLA Gift Sales Meeting (Fundraiser)	24 Red Day 3rd Grade Kids Fitness & Nutrition Day 11:59am JH/V CC at Gord./Rush. Invite 6:30pm FFA Meeting	25 White Day 7:00pm FB vs Perkins County	26 8:30am JV/V VB at Mitchell Invite
27	28 Red Day 5:00pm V VB Tri. vs Bayard/ Bridgeport @ Home 6:00pm JV FB at Bridgeport	29 White Day 5:00pm JH FB vs Garden County	30 Red Day			

Calendar Events August 2015

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2	3	4 FB Cookie Dough Fundraiser	5 FB Cookie Dough Fundraiser	6 FB Cookie Dough Fundraiser	7 FB Cookie Dough Fundraiser	8 FB Cookie Dough Fundraiser
9 FB Cookie Dough Fundraiser	10 FB Cookie Dough Fundraiser Para Training at ESU 7:00pm School Board Meeting	11 FB Cookie Dough Fundraiser 7:00pm 7th Gr and New HS Student Orientation	12 FB Cookie Dough Fundraiser	13	14	15
16	17 Teacher Work Day	18 Teacher Work Day	19 White Day School Starts 1:00 P.M. Dismissal	20 Red Day 1:00 P.M. Dismissal	21 White Day	22
23	24 Red Day	25 White Day 6:30pm FFA Meeting	26 Red Day	27 White Day	28 Red Day	29
30	31 White Day					