

# Elkhorn South High School

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## From the High School Principal

In reflecting upon the first three quarters of the school year, many thoughts come to mind. The first and most prevalent thoughts pertain to how quickly this year has passed. We are wrapping up winter activities and soon spring activities will be in full swing. I would like to take a moment to offer a sincere **"thank you"** to all of our coaches and sponsors, students and parents for their hard-work and dedication throughout the school year. I am often amazed at how busy our young people are, as they balance a full-load of academic classes with numerous clubs, activities and sports, all while finding time to volunteer, hang-out, work part-time, and spend time with their families. I applaud their efforts and the efforts of our parents for all the coordination, support, meals and transportation. It may feel like your high-school student's schedule runs your life, but I promise that your time and commitment will impact their lives positively in the years to come. The hard work will pay off!

It was great to see so many of you at parent-teacher conferences in February. Overall, 70% of our parents attended, which is a strong number for high school conferences in the spring. I believe that this high participation rate is symbolic of the excellent relationship between our community and our school. I appreciate our parents taking the time to have meaningful conversations with teachers about their students' learning. **Thank you.**

### Dress and Appearance

As the calendar turns from a winter month to a spring month, please be mindful of your students' attire at school. The high school dress code is truly based on common sense and social appropriateness. I have included the text here as a point of reference for you and your students. I appreciate the cooperation and conversations with your students.

***Dress and Appearance** - The High School dress code has been one of common sense, parental approval, and personal pride. The impressions you make are important to yourself and your school. Therefore, the students at Elkhorn South High School shall wear appropriate clothing. Clothing is not to be too tight, too short, too ragged, too bare, or so extreme as to be immodest. If a student's appearance is such as to cause a spectacle, interrupts classroom activities, or embarrasses others, he/she will not be permitted to remain in school. Clothing with tobacco, alcohol or drug advertisements or any objectionable printing that suggests tobacco, drug, or alcohol use, are not to be worn to school... (page 5, ESHS handbook).*

### Prom

The junior-senior prom will be held on Saturday, April 1<sup>st</sup> at Elkhorn South from 8:30pm to 11:30pm with coronation at 10:30pm. Parents are welcome to join us for the coronation program. Our prom sponsors Deb Howorth and Alicia Archer along with their Junior Class Board, are working hard to make this a memorable social experience for our students. Senior parents will be valet-parking and all students are expected to have their vehicle valet parked. As always, all students will be breathalyzed upon entrance. Post-Prom will be held at Elkhorn South from 12:30am-5:00am. I would like to say a special **"thank you"** to the many parents who are working hard to create a safe, fun, parent-sponsored post-prom celebration.

As always, please feel free to contact me here at the high school if you have questions or concerns.

Take Care,  
Mark Kalvoda

*Tech Savvy Parent Tip***SchoolMessenger—Are you up-to-date?**

EPS uses a parent messaging system called SchoolMessenger to send emails and phone calls to parents, including information about school closings for snow days. If you did not receive the phone and email messages on Thursday, February 23 announcing the school closing due to snow, please contact the office to let them know and ensure your contact information is correct.

# Thank you

Dear Parents ,

Thank you for your gracious monetary and food donations to provide the teachers with a meal on both Wednesday and Thursday evenings of conferences. These meals are greatly appreciated by the staff. We appreciate your willingness to generously provide this for them.

Please contact Mrs. Krusemark the counseling center secretary, if you have a change in your :

- Address
- Phone number
- Email

Please call 402-289-0616, or email at [jkrusemark@epsne.com](mailto:jkrusemark@epsne.com) thank you!

## **Make-up Days for Missed School Days**

As a reminder, EPS students will have classes on Wednesday, May 24th and Thursday, May 25th. These two days were built into the school calendar to account for the first two missed school days due to inclement weather. The last day for the 2016-2017 school calendar year is Thursday, May 25th.

## **DAILY BULLETIN ON THE WEB**

**[www.elkhornweb.org](http://www.elkhornweb.org)**

Updated daily by  
8:30 a.m.



# Counseling Center Newsletter

## March 2017

Counselors:  
Jason Gosnell A-E  
Meggan Coghil F-K  
Kyan Kingston L-Rn  
Steve Patras Ro-Z

### Seniors: Scholarships, Achieve Program and Financial Aid

#### Scholarship Information

Start collecting your scholarship award letters! In April, seniors will complete their Senior Exit information in Naviance. This asks for important information, including where to send the student's final transcript and verification of all scholarships to be printed in the graduation program. To let us know of scholarships, please make a copy of the award letter and return it to the counseling center. Please let us know of any and all offers so your student can be recognized - even if the offer may not be accepted by your student. The deadline to turn in scholarship offers to be printed in the Graduation Program is Friday, April 14.

#### ACHIEVE Program

Seniors: Have you taken at least 4 AP courses, participated in at least 2 years of the same extra-curricular activity, and volunteered at least 50 hours? If yes, then check out the Achieve Program through the Foundation. You are eligible for up to \$1350 and recognition at the graduation ceremony. Visit [www.elkhornfoundation.org](http://www.elkhornfoundation.org) for the application. Applications due in the counseling center by April 12.

**FAFSA** - March 15 is a recommended date to have the FAFSA done, though check with your college regarding their deadline. Apply online at [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov). When applying online both student and parent need a PIN number to complete the electronic application. If you do not have a PIN, you can apply for one at [www.pin.ed.gov](http://www.pin.ed.gov) before beginning the FAFSA. If you would like help, call 391-4033 to make an appointment at EducationQuest and they will help you for FREE.

**Military Academies:** Juniors interested in a military academy should begin the process junior year. Visit the website of your academy of choice for information.

**Air Force Academy Summer Seminar:** Juniors interested in the Air Force Academy's Summer Seminar program can get a complete explanation of the program and eligibility requirements online at [www.academyadmissions.com](http://www.academyadmissions.com). This is a highly competitive application process that gives students a week long opportunity to see what the Academy involves.

#### Summer Opportunites:

Many colleges offer summer opportunities for high school students. If you have a particular college of interest, visit their website to search for opportunities.

#### AP Testing Information:

The registration deadline is March 3 at 3:30. These tests are optional but by earning a successful grade on the test the student can potentially earn college credit for the course.

#### COLLEGE REPS

Juniors and Seniors: Sign up a week in advance in your Naviance account. Check the bulletin or Naviance for a list of reps visiting.

**Omaha College Fair-**  
**Sunday, April 9 1:00-3:00 at UNO Sapp Fieldhouse.**  
**Register at [www.NebraskaCollegeFairs.org](http://www.NebraskaCollegeFairs.org).**

Meet college reps and gather info on a number of schools all in one day. Juniors should definitely consider attending, but attendance is also appropriate for sophomores and even freshmen.

### College Entrance Testing: For Juniors

**Upcoming test dates:** All juniors will test on April 19 at ESHS and do not need to register. Additional ACT spring test dates are: April 8 and June 10. Register at [www.actstudent.org](http://www.actstudent.org). Registration deadlines for national test dates are about one month prior to the test date. Full length practice tests available in the counseling center.

**Important note about score reporting:** Upon registration for the test, students can select up to 4 colleges/organizations to receive their test scores. To avoid paying to send your scores at a later date, please ensure that you have selected 4 colleges of your choice at the time of registration. Sending your scores to colleges also opens the lines of communication between the college and your student, so we would encourage students to report their scores.

**Test Prep Resources:** Visit the Counseling Center website ([www.elkhornweb.org](http://www.elkhornweb.org)), click on Elkhorn South High School, Counseling Center, Testing, Test Prep Resources). See your counselor with questions.

## SOUTH ACTIVITIES-

Roger Ortmeier, A.D. – [www.easternmidconference.org](http://www.easternmidconference.org)

## SPRING SPORTS UNDERWAY!

The 2017 Spring Sports season practices began February 27<sup>th</sup> at Elkhorn South High School. These activities include boys and girls track, boys and girls soccer, baseball, boys golf, and girls tennis. The most up-to-date information is available ON LINE @ [www.easternmidconference.org](http://www.easternmidconference.org)

**"IS THE GAME ON OR OFF TODAY?"**

## **CHANGE TO SPORTS SCHEDULES AND UPDATES – EFFECTIVE NOW!**

**\*\*\*Parents/Coaches/Teachers, etc.** – Reminder – Please check our conference website which will provide you with all necessary schedule updates and changes. The URL is: <http://www.easternmidconference.org>

**\*Click *Subscribe* in the upper right hand corner to download calendars to your smartphone.**

### IMPORTANT MARCH DATES:

2 <sup>nd</sup> -4 <sup>th</sup>	State Girls Basketball
9 <sup>th</sup> -11 <sup>th</sup>	State Boys Basketball
18 <sup>th</sup>	Drumline Competition @Bellevue West
20 <sup>th</sup> -24 <sup>th</sup>	Spring Break (Practices will be held this week)
23 <sup>rd</sup>	State Speech
28 <sup>th</sup>	Jazz Band @Norfolk

**Good Luck to ALL winter sports teams and activities at state competition!!!**

**Fill out your ELKHORN athletic forms online!**

**REMINDER: Online athletic forms now available on PRIVIT at:**

<https://elkhornsouthstorm-ne.e-ppe.com>

## SUMMER CAMP INFORMATION

This year, we have all of our camp flyers on our school website. Here's all you need to do:

1. Go to: <http://www.elkhornweb.org/storm>
2. Click on the "Summer Camps" tab
3. Find each camp flyer and print
4. Follow directions for sending in or registering online. If you have any questions or need help getting registered for any of our camps, please reach out to the coach listed for each sport or contact the Activities Office at (402)289 -0616 or by emailing Roger Ortmeier (Activities Director) at [rortmeier@epsne.org](mailto:rortmeier@epsne.org).

Roger Ortmeier, A.D. CHECK [www.easternmidconference.org](http://www.easternmidconference.org) for updated schedule information!

### **Is your student-athlete working out after school?**

Did you know? That the ESHS varsity coaching staff has an after school workout program currently running, has been in place since December, and has nearly 100 athletes involved?

Did you know? That the ESHS coaches use this program for off-season training for ALL ESHS athletes? It is also a great way for athletes to show their coaches how hard they are training for their next sport!

Did you know? The off-season program is a comprehensive conditioning program that specializes in building bigger, faster, stronger athletes? These programs currently run Mon-Tues-Thurs.at ESHS high school.

Did you know? This program is FREE to all ESHS athletes! Each athlete simply needs a completed PRIVIT profile.

Elkhorn South Climate Survey: Thank you for your input

Our school benefits from a very supportive community with strong parent involvement. Because continuous improvement is a large part of our mission, we are seeking your input in order to help us assure strong student achievement and a positive culture that enhances learning for all.

Please take a few minutes prior to Thursday, March 16, 2017 to follow the link and participate in our school climate survey: <https://goo.gl/Kte9rq>. If you have any questions please feel free to contact the school.

### **SAVE THE DATE: APRIL 19th**

The Nebraska State Accountability test (NeSA) is being transitioned to the ACT test for all 11th graders. This means that ACT will become the state accountability measure that will be used for evaluation of our high school. The ACT will be given at no cost to students in 11th grade, and results can be used to meet admission requirements for most 4-year and community colleges. This decision was made by the State Board of Education in September, so much planning remains. Below are a few highlights of our initial planning.

#### Wednesday, APRIL 19th

- 9th and 10th grade students will receive the Pre-ACT test in the morning, with a likely early dismissal for the afternoon. Lunch will not be served.
  - ALL 11th grade students need to be in attendance to take the ACT, with a likely early dismissal for afternoon. Lunch will not be served (Note, if students are absent, they will attend make-up testing on May 3rd).
  - 12th grade students will not report to school. Seniors are encouraged to participate in community service activities, but plans for the day will be a family decision.
- We will continue to communicate additional information as plans are finalized. For now, we ask families to save the date and avoid travel or appointments for April 19th. Elkhorn is very pleased that the state is offering this ACT opportunity for all students.

### SENIOR PHOTO FOR DOUGLAS COUNTY POST GAZETTE

If you would like your senior son or daughter to have their senior photo in the Douglas County Post Gazette Graduation Edition, please have a jpeg picture sent to [editor@dcpostgazette.com](mailto:editor@dcpostgazette.com)

The deadline for these photos is March 15th, 2017.



### Graduation Products

Graduation items that have been ordered will be delivered to the seniors during lunch on February 27th and February 28th by Jostens.

This does not include Cap and Gown, those will be given to the seniors on Wednesday, May 17th.

## ESHS Cheer Tryouts for 2017-2018 Season

Elkhorn South High School Cheerleading tryouts are just around the corner!

A mandatory student meeting for all 9th-11th graders trying out will be held in Coach Blythe's room at 3:30 on Tuesday March 28th. 8th grade students should NOT attend the student meeting on the 30th of March, this is information about teacher recommendations for high school students.

A mandatory meeting for all parents and interested students will be held on Tuesday April 4th at 7:00 pm in the ESHS commons. 8th grade parents please plan to arrive on April 4th at 6:45 pm so we can discuss the process for 8th graders teacher recommendations.

The Dates of Tryouts: April 17th-20th will be tryout practices from 3:30-5:00 after school in the gym. Thursday will be practice and then mock tryouts from 5:00-6:00pm.

The tryout will be held in the auditorium on Friday April 21st immediately following school.

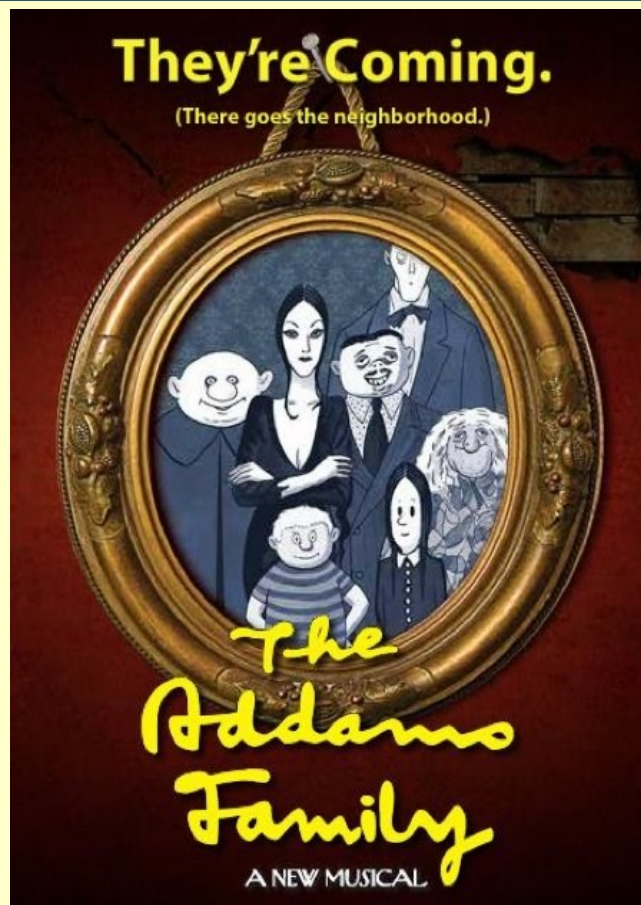
Feel free to contact Brooke Blythe at [bblythe@epsne.org](mailto:bblythe@epsne.org) or Brittney Kelly at [bkelly@epsne.org](mailto:bkelly@epsne.org) with any questions. We are very excited about the upcoming season and hope to see you cheering on the STORM!

### MAKE A WISH DONATION

The Elkhorn South Student Council would like to thank everyone for their help and support this year in raising over \$2500.00 dollars to donate to Make-a-Wish. This was raised through Winter Formal, lunchtime donations, Mr. Storm and miracle minutes during basketball games.

Thank you for your support to Make a Wish!





They're creepy and they're kooky.....These are not your typical next door neighbors. "The Addams Family" is a hilariously dark musical loosely based on the original TV series. Come and see our talented ESHS students sing and dance this fun and zany show you won't want to miss, April 6th-9th. April 6th-7th show times are 7:00pm. April 8th show times are 3:00pm and 8:00pm. April 9th show time is 3:00pm.

Tickets go on sale on ShowTix4U.com, <https://www.showtix4u.com/> on March 6th at 8am. Tickets are \$10 online or \$12 at the door.

## DRAMA CLUB TALENT SHOW

Date: March 15 th  
 Time: 7pm  
 Cost: \$5 at the door

Please mark your calendars and support the Drama students at Elkhorn South.  
 Guaranteed for an evening of fun!

## Elkhorn Band Olympics

Congratulations to the 9th and 10th grade band members who participated in the 37<sup>th</sup> Annual Elkhorn Band Olympics Solo/Ensemble Contest held at Elkhorn South.

We earned 1st Place in Class 3. We brought home 20 Superiors and 9 Excellents.

Elkhorn South also had 12 medal winners and 1 Outstanding Ensemble.

Those are the tangible successes; the intangible successes were, to name a few, Pride, Confidence, Respect, Perseverance, Integrity and Self Reliance!

By working hard these amazing musicians gave PHENOMENAL performances  
**and won't be forgotten!**

Students	Event	Rating	Medal
Grace Vollmuth	Bassoon Solo	1	3rd Place
Matt Perkes	9th Trombone Solo	1	1st Place
Evan Clement	9th Trombone Solo	1	3rd Place
Kaian MacLeod	9th Alto Sax Solo	1	
Henry Larweh	10th Trombone Solo	1	2nd Place
Alex Sick	10th F Horn Solo	1	
Julia Patterson	9th Flute Solo	1	2nd Place
Miriam Call	9th Trumpet Solo	1	2nd Place
Kate Schmidt	Bari Sax Solo	1	5th Place
Connor Thompson	10th Tuba Solo	1	1st Place
Morgan Reinecke	10th Flute Solo	1	4th Place
Laura Antholz	10th Clarinet Solo	1	
Jackson Wohlenhaus	9th Tenor Sax Solo	1	1st Place
10th Oboe and French Horn Duet	Duet(Woodwind) Ensemble	1	
9th Mixed Trio	Trio(Brass) Ensemble	1	
Vicki Swanson , Paige Youngquist, Kaelyn McShannon, Nora Santelman, Laura Anholz, Kate Lembree	Instr. Choir Ensemble	1	
10th Woodwind Quintet	4tet / 5tet (Woodwind)	1	Outstanding Ens
Morgan Reineke, Julia Patterson, Yutika Singh	Trio(Woodwind) Ensemble	1	
Wesley Chong	10th Tenor Sax Solo	1	1st Place
Chase Hermreck	10th Trumpet Solo	1	5th Place
Emma Arp	10th Trombone Solo	2	
Ted Gernhart	10th Trombone Solo	2	
Lydia Paulsen	10th Flute Solo	2	
Libby Reige and Hope Hixson	Duet(Woodwind) Ensemble	2	
Chase Hermreck, Brianna Davis, Brandon Cox, Ted Gernhart, Connor Thompson	4tet/ 5tet (Brass)	2	
Jonathan Goure	10th Snare Solo	2	
Mason Minnich	10th Trumpet Solo	2	
Josh Holstein	10th Trumpet Solo	2	
Cassie Linnertz	Bass Clarinet Solo	2	





## Band Highlights

### Jazzers find the Pocket

Both Blue Sage and Parkway Jazz Bands traveled to the Westside Jazz Festival and Midland University Jazz Festival recently. Both groups received solid comments and earned a Division II and Division I respectfully. Outstanding soloist awards were earned by Jackson Wohlenhaus on Tenor Sax, Ally Richardson on Trombone, Sofia Valle on Oboe and Henry Tomsu on Bass.

Blue Sage and Parkway will travel to Northeast Community College's Jazz Competition on Tuesday, March 28 for their next competition. Parkway will conclude their competition season by performing at NSBA (Nebraska State Bandmaster Association) Jazz Championships on Monday, April 10.

### *"A New Storm is Gathering"*

On Thursday February 9 the ESHS High School Band joined forces with ERMS and EVV 8<sup>th</sup> grade bands to give our audience a glimpse of our future. We are excited to welcome the 8<sup>th</sup> graders to high school where they will continue to build on an already firm musical foundation thanks to Mr. Aumaa (EVV) and Mr. Dreessen (ERMS).

### *Black Out's Show Band Shines!*

Thirteen members of ESHS's Jazz Bands are doing double duty by also providing the back-up instrumentals for ESHS's Blackout and Shock Wave show choirs during their competition season. Senior Aidan Posey likes Show Band because "we get to play music that's different from concert music." Megan Dean "likes the laid back approach and playing music with her friends. She also likes the competition part, but that it's not too stressful for the show band members: Maddy Williams likes playing different kind of music and hanging out with friends, and Blake Johnson likes show band because he gets to "drum!"

### **ESHs HALE HAPPENINGS**

HALE is Elkhorn Public Schools' High Ability Learner Education. Visit the HALE Activity link from the Elkhorn South High School website to learn more about services and to keep track of upcoming opportunities via the online HALE calendar.

### **Olympus Club**

The annual Olympus Club Lock-In will be held at Common Ground on Saturday, April 22 from 10:00 pm to 6:00 am. This is an opportunity for students from both high schools to form new friendships as they play dodge ball, basketball, volleyball, air hockey, board games, and go swimming. The Iron Mind Competition tradition will continue as students from both schools try to win the traveling trophy.

### **Robotics**

The ESHS Robotic teams had a good year. The *Stormtroopers* team qualified for and competed against the best 50 teams from Iowa/Nebraska at the Heartland Regionals, February 18. They were ranked 13th after the morning qualifying rounds and they finished in the quarterfinals. The 2017-2018 game will be announced in April. Anyone interested in joining robotics next year should attend our pizza party April 21 for the unveiling of the new game.

### **Quiz Bowl**

The quiz bowl teams have been preparing for the Bellevue University Quiz Bowl on March 3 and for the EMC Quiz Bowl in Nebraska City on March 6. We qualified for the afternoon rounds at the Nebraska Science Bowl, February 11 at Wayne State. We practice daily during lunch in room D107. New members are always welcome.

HALE continued....

**Nebraska Now:** High ability students who are ready for college rigor and have time next fall to take an online college class, should consider enrolling in UNL's *Nebraska Now* program. The cost is drastically lower than UNL's regular tuition and allows high school students to complete general education credits for a UNL degree. For more information, see <https://admissions.unl.edu/specialized-information/nebraska-now.aspx>

### Summer Opportunities

**All Girls Math** - Summer Mathematics Camp for high school girls. <http://www.math.unl.edu/programs/agam><http://raikes.unl.edu/summerworkshops>-Students - "Innovate: The Raikes School Way" and "Girls Who Innovate: The Raikes School Way"

<http://architecture.unl.edu/high-school-camps-2017>- The College offers four summer high school camps: the Career Explorations in Architecture, Interior Design and Landscape Architecture Workshop; the Discover Landscape Architecture Workshop; the Western Nebraska High School Workshop; and the Adventures on the Niobrara River - Discover Landscape Architecture camp.

**Joyce Ivy Foundation Summer Scholars program** – scholarships for female leaders (grades 10 and 11) - <http://www.joyceivyfoundation.org/apply/application.html>

**Kaneko Open Space for Your Mind** – [www.thekaneko.org](http://www.thekaneko.org) **Creative Writers** - <http://finelines.org/>

**Duke Tip** - Duke TIP Summer Studies Programs [www.tip.duke.edu/summer](http://www.tip.duke.edu/summer)

**UNL Summer Academic Summer Camp** - <http://4h.unl.edu/4hcamps/bigredcamps>

**UNO Internships in Information Technology** - <https://intern.ist.unomaha.edu/>

**PKI Academies** - <https://pki.nebraska.edu/new/pages/outreach/holland-academy-of-excellence/>

Most Universities and Colleges offer summer opportunities for high school students, for example:

Kansas State - Design Discovery - <http://info.umkc.edu/aupd/design-discovery-program/>

KU - Engineering Camp, Project Discovery - <https://enr.ku.edu/camps#Summer>

Northwestern University-

[sps.northwestern.edu/program-areas/summer/high-school-programs/](http://sps.northwestern.edu/program-areas/summer/high-school-programs/)

Washington University

<http://summerexperiences.wustl.edu/scholars>

University of Chicago-

<https://summer.uchicago.edu/high-school>

Cornell University-

<https://www.sce.cornell.edu/sc/>

NYU-

<http://www.nyu.edu/admissions/high-school-programs.html>

### UPCOMING EVENTS

March 3 – Bellevue University Quiz Bowl

March 6 – EMC Quiz Bowl

March 7 - TEAM+S competition at UNL

April 22 – Olympus Club Lock In at Common Ground

## March Post Prom 2017 News:

We are coming down to the final days! This is the LAST CALL for volunteers and donations for Post Prom! If you have not yet mailed in your donations, we are still accepting a suggested donation of \$40 per Junior or Senior in your household. We are very grateful for the many parents each year who donate \$50, \$100 and even \$200 to make sure this special event is a great experience.

For your convenience we can accept PayPal at: <https://www.paypal.me/eshspostpromdonation>

Or by check: Please make your check out to ESHS Post Prom Booster Club and mail directly to our Treasurer: Dawnette Kahnk at **1818 S. 176<sup>th</sup> St., Omaha, NE 68130.**

If you would like to donate PRIZES, the Prizes committee is looking for the following: Gift cards

Themed baskets

Items good for college dorm rooms

Electronics

Auto services (car washes, detailing, stereo installations, etc...)

Personal care products or services

Food

CASH.

Please contact the Prizes committee Kim Peterson [kimpete71@gmail.com](mailto:kimpete71@gmail.com) (402) 991-1292 or Susan Darst Williams [swilliams1@cox.net](mailto:swilliams1@cox.net) (402) 676-2136.

The Decorations committee is also in need of the following items:

Futon black or red

Chafing dishes

Slushy machine or if anyone would be willing to rent one

Black or red table cloths/linens

Lighted White trees

White trees (please send pics so we can see if it is what we are looking for)

Red and/or black tulle

White Christmas lights on white wire

Black or red flat sheets-king size

Money

Please contact Decorations committee Karla Dubisar [karladubisar4@gmail.com](mailto:karladubisar4@gmail.com) (402) 968-0211 or MaryLee Moulton [5moultons@gmail.com](mailto:5moultons@gmail.com) (520) 990-5944.

If you are interested in volunteering, please click here to signup <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c054aa5af2ca7fb6-eshs1>

Or contact our Volunteer Coordinator Marla Hodgson at [marla@mwhodgson.com](mailto:marla@mwhodgson.com) (214) 998-2035. We need volunteers that can help the day before, the day of, and the overnight event itself.

Thank you for your donations and support to help ensure that Post Prom 2017 will be fun, safe, and full of memories for our Juniors and Seniors!!

JUNIOR/SENIOR PARENTS & STUDENTS!!! Please like our Facebook page for updates and information at: <https://www.facebook.com/eshspostprom2017>

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Post Prom 2017 Co-chairs

# CAREER AWARENESS PROGRAM

March 2017



"Luck is what happens when preparation meets opportunity."  
~Seneca~



## 1 CAREEROCKIT!

The nation's first Career Experiences Week brought to you by the Greater Omaha Chamber of Commerce April 1-8th. CAREEROCKIT gives students the chance to get hands on career experience in a fun and exciting way. Our goal is to offer 10,000 experiences with 5,000 of those experiences in tech! We have many phenomenal companies committed to hosting experiences including Google, Yahoo!, HDR, the Startup Collaborative, UNMC, CHI Health, Novozymes, STRATCOM and many others. See first-hand all that Omaha has to offer!

**Opportunities available for Elementary through Post-Secondary  
(Approximate Ages 8-22)**

**Open Houses/Tours, Field Trips, Podcasts, After-School Workshops,  
Demonstration/Hands-on Activities, Job Shadowing, Internships**

Student sign-up information can be found at: [careerockit.com/student](http://careerockit.com/student).

Parents can learn more at: [careerockit.com/parent](http://careerockit.com/parent).

See this [postcard](#) for more information and sign-up today!

## 2 More Career Exploration Opportunities

### CHI HEALTH

*(Click on the links below to learn more!)*

[High School Job Shadowing Program](#)

[High School Senior Scholarship Program](#)

[Annual Health Care Career Exploration Day Camp](#)

### EXPLORING PROGRAMS

*(Click on the links below to learn more!)*

[Veterinary Science Program \(March 23, 2017\)](#)

[Creighton Pharmacy Program \(April 22, 2017\)](#)

[NEW! Easter Seals Program \(Spring/Summer 2017\)](#)

### Vet Camp Assistant-Oxbow Animal Health

Click [here](#) for camp dates and information, and visit [www.oxbowvetcamp.com](http://www.oxbowvetcamp.com) or call 1-800-249-0366.

### Children's Hospital & Medical Center

*(Click above to learn more.)*

The purpose of this program is to introduce high school students to the opportunities available in pediatric health care such as emergency medicine, nursing, child life, pharmacy, pathology, radiology, rehab therapies (physical, occupational & speech) and respiratory therapy. More information can be found on this [brochure](#).

Contact Dana Bourman for more information!

Email: [dbourman@epsne.org](mailto:dbourman@epsne.org)

Phone: ESHS ~ 402.289.0616 ~ Mornings  
EHS ~ 402.289.4239 ~ Afternoons

Be the First to Know...Text @capbourman to 81010 to receive text messages  
when new career awareness opportunities become available!



- **High School Seniors: Achieve Scholarship applications are due April 12<sup>th</sup> at 3:30PM!** Please see our website at [www.elkhornfoundation.org/2017-achieve-scholarship-program/](http://www.elkhornfoundation.org/2017-achieve-scholarship-program/) for a listing of scholarships and requirements.
- **We are now accepting nominations for our 2017 Hall of Fame event!** To submit a nomination, or to view all past honorees, please visit our website [www.elkhornfoundation.org/events/](http://www.elkhornfoundation.org/events/)

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CAMPS	LOCATION	DATES	COST	DESCRIPTION
<b>BASEBALL</b> BRANDON DAHL <a href="mailto:bdahl@epsne.org">bdahl@epsne.org</a>	ESHS BASEBALL FIELD	June 14,15,16	\$55	Rookies K-4th Grade: 8:30 AM-10:00 AM Minor League 5th-8th Grade: 10:30PM -12:00 Major League 9th Grade: 12:30-2 p.m.
<b>BASKETBALL (BOYS)</b> NOLAN REILLY <a href="mailto:nreilly@epsne.org">nreilly@epsne.org</a>	ESHS GYM	June 5, 6, 7	\$65	Incoming 9 <sup>th</sup> Graders
		June 6, 13, 20, 27	\$50	Incoming 6 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> Graders 8:15 AM – 10:15 AM
		June 6, 13, 20, 27	\$50	Incoming 4 <sup>th</sup> – 5 <sup>th</sup> Graders 10:30 AM – 12:00 PM
<b>CROSS COUNTRY (GIRLS AND BOYS)</b> TIM EBERS <a href="mailto:tebers@epsne.org">tebers@epsne.org</a>	ESHS	May 31 - June 3	\$50	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM Meet at South Entrance Jimmy John's lunch on the last day
<b>FOOTBALL</b> GUY ROSENBERG <a href="mailto:grosenberg@epsne.org">grosenberg@epsne.org</a>	ESHS FOOTBALL FIELD	June 7,8,9	\$55	Incoming 3rd-5th Grade 1:45 PM – 3:15 PM
		June 7,8,9	\$55	Incoming 6th-8th Grade 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM
		June 6,7,8,9,10 Thursday Evenings May 26 – July 21 <sup>st</sup>	\$25	Incoming 9 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> Grade 10:30 AM – 12:45 PM Open to all girls ages 7 – 17.  Register at: <a href="http://girlsgolfomaha.org">girlsgolfomaha.org</a>
<b>GOLF (Girls Only)</b> Mimi Ramsbottom <a href="mailto:mramsbottom@epsne.org">mramsbottom@epsne.org</a>	VARIOUS	Thursday Evenings May 26 – July 21 <sup>st</sup>		
<b>SPEED CAMP (Girls and Boys)</b> Erin Kasner <a href="mailto:ekasner@epsne.org">ekasner@epsne.org</a>	ESHS Track and Football Fields	June 16,21,23,28 30 July 7,12,14,19,21	\$65	Incoming 9 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> and Incoming 7 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup>
<b>SOCCER (GIRLS AND BOYS)</b> Adam Hooi (Boys) <a href="mailto:ahooi@epsne.org">ahooi@epsne.org</a> Lindsay Aliano (Girls) <a href="mailto:laliano@epsne.org">laliano@epsne.org</a>	ELKHORN HIGH SOCCER FIELDS	Session 1: June 6,7,8,9	\$90	Kindergarten – 8th Grade 8:30AM – 11:00AM
		Session 2: June 13-16	\$90	Kindergarten – 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade 8:30AM – 11:00AM *Sessions I & II follow the same soccer curriculum
		New Goalie Session: June 1,2,3	\$50	Kindergarten – 8th Grade 8:30AM-10:30AM
<b>TENNIS (Girls and Boys)</b> Steve Bischof <a href="mailto:sbischof@epsne.org">sbischof@epsne.org</a>	ESHS Tennis Courts	Session 1: May 31 <sup>st</sup> - June 3 <sup>rd</sup>	\$45	Ages 5-8 9:00 - 9:50 AM Ages 9-12 10:00 - 10:50 AM Ages 13 and up 11:00 - 11:50 AM
		Session 2: June 7 <sup>th</sup> – June 10 <sup>th</sup>	\$45	Ages 5-7 9:00 - 9:50 AM Ages 8-11 10:00 - 10:50 AM Ages 12 and up 11:00 - 11:50 AM
<b>VOLLEYBALL</b> Briana Janda <a href="mailto:bjanda@epsne.org">bjanda@epsne.org</a>	ESHS GYM	May 23, 24, 25	\$30	Incoming 9 <sup>th</sup> grade 5:00 PM – 8:00 PM
		July 5, 6	\$25	Incoming 9 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> Grade Skills Camp
		June 22, 23, 24	\$50	Incoming 4 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Youth Camp
<b>WRESTLING</b> Jacob McCallister <a href="mailto:jmccallister@epsne.org">jmccallister@epsne.org</a>	ERMS	May 31– June 2	\$45	Grades K-6 8:15 AM - 9: 45 AM Grades 7-12 10:00AM - Noon



## Summer Clinics

**Baseball**

**Basketball**

**Cross Country**

**Football**

**Golf**

**Speed Camp**

**Soccer**

**Tennis**

**Volleyball**

**Wrestling**

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### **Parents and Future Storm Athletes,**

We hope that you will join us for as many summer camps and clinics as possible this summer.

As an athletic program, we place great emphasis during the off-season on installing our system of play, providing kids with quality individual instruction, building relationships with current and future Storm Athletes, and creating a fun and safe learning environment for kids!

This year, we have all of our camp flyers on our school website. Here's all you need to do:

1. Go to: <http://www.elkhornweb.org/storm>
2. Click on the "Summer Camps" tab
3. Find each camp flyer and print
4. Follow directions for sending in or registering online.

If you have any questions or need help getting registered for any of our camps, please reach out to the coach listed for each sport or contact the Activities Office at (402)289-0616 or by emailing Roger Ortmeier (Activities Director) at [rortmeier@epsne.org](mailto:rortmeier@epsne.org).

We look forward to working with you this summer!

The Elkhorn South Coaching Staff  
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