

Elkhorn South High School

20303 Blue Sage Parkway

Omaha, Nebraska 68130

402-289-0616



From the High School Principal..... Mark Kalvoda

As we turn to the final month of the school year students may begin dreaming of summer vacation. While this is perfectly normal, a healthy dose of focus is required to finish the year on a positive note. Please discuss this potential for a "summer-slide" with your students and encourage them to not waste the nearly 10 months of effort by starting to coast in May. To our parents of seniors, please encourage your students to finish their 13-year educational journey with pride.

I was extremely proud of the focus shown by our 9th, 10th and 11th graders during ACT and Pre-ACT testing day on April 19th. It was clear that our students took the test very seriously and gave the tests their best efforts. Thank you for reinforcing high expectations for the ACT tests and valuing high school and post-secondary education. Your conversations and expectations matter. I am sure at times as a parent, you may feel like your kids don't always listen to you... trust me, your messages make a difference!

ESHS students will be dismissed early on both finals testing days in May. On Wednesday, May 24th, students will be dismissed at 12:55 after taking finals in periods 1,2, 3 and 4. On Thursday, May 25th, students will be dismissed at 11:45 after completing finals in periods 5,6, and 7. Please note that no lunches are served on these final two days of school.

In order to protect the academic integrity of the assessments and to ensure that students are fully prepared for finals, **students will not be permitted to take early finals.** Please schedule trips, vacations, and the like around these two days. I appreciate your cooperation.

On behalf of the staff here at ESHS, I'd like to thank all of you for sharing your children with us this year. Your partnership is invaluable to our success as a school district and we are truly fortunate to have such a supportive community. Your dedication as parents, our students' commitment to excellence and our teachers' passion for teaching and learning has created a wonderful year full of accomplishments and memories. I am proud to have served you and your students this year at ESHS and I look forward to many great years ahead. Thank you and please have a safe and relaxing summer. I will be at the school the majority of the summer, save for a few weeks in July. Please feel free to call my office or email if we can be of assistance at the end of the year or over the summer break.

Take Care,
Mark
402-289-0616
mkalvoda@epsne.org

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Activities and Athletics-

Roger Ortmeier, A.D.

*Congrats to the **Elkhorn South Choir and Band** at Districts last month! They both did an incredible job!*

Check out our activities website at: www.elkhornweb.org/storm

You will be able to navigate through all of our activities and athletic web pages, along with finding valuable information concerning summer camps, physicals, schedules, community service, and all things concerning activities at Elkhorn South. Take some time to check this out! It is worth your time and it will be a one stop shop for activity information!

For the most current and up-to-date schedules, please check our information at:

www.easternmidconference.org You can then navigate your way to whichever sport and level of play you are interested in!

SUMMER CAMPS AND CLINICS!

***ESHS Activities:**

www.elkhornweb.org/storm

**links are live now!*

ESHS coaches have and will be putting their camp and clinic information on the www.elkhornweb.org/storm website. For your child's summer schedule, please log onto the website, and check for available information.

Spring athletic physicals

FOR NEXT SCHOOL YEAR – PHYSICALS MUST OCCUR AFTER MAY 1ST EACH YEAR!

Sports Locker Check-Ins at the End of School Year

Students are reminded that in order to receive their \$5 deposit they need to bring their padlock to the A.D. offices during the normal school day. We will check the lock serial number, and locker number for verification.

Check out for lockers for **next fall** will be assigned by each sport's head coach, and available through the A.D. office. Students must have all forms completed and turned into the AD offices to check out a locker for Fall Sports. Students WILL NOT be allowed to save, use or check out a locker without first turning in their forms for fall sports.

Good luck to all of the teams at districts and state in the month of May!

State Soccer – May 10th-16th

State Baseball – May 13th-18th

State Girls Tennis – May 18th-19th

State Track – May 19th-20th

State Boys Golf – May 23rd-24th

Fill out your athletic forms online!

REMINDER: Online athletic forms available on PRIVIT at:

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

Upload Physicals

Update/Transfer Prior Year's Information (EVV and ERMS info will automatically transfer to ESHS when you login above).

HONORS NIGHT

Will be held on Wednesday, May 17th at 7:00 pm in the auditorium of Elkhorn South High School.

Students, Parents and Family Members are invited to attend.
Dress is Business Casual.

GRADUATION

Will be held on Sunday, May 21st at 1:30 pm in the gymnasium at Elkhorn South High School.

Graduates please come to the Auxiliary Gym no later than 12:15 pm.
Doors will open 90 minutes prior to start time.



Please contact Mrs. Costello with any questions at 402-289-0616

From the Nurse...

Medication Pick-up ~ The school is not able to store medication over the summer. Please remember, all student medications must be picked up by a parent/guardian or responsible adult from the health office by **Friday, May 26th**, or it will be properly disposed of.



Medication for the 2017-2018 school year ~ If your student requires any medication (over-the-counter and/or prescription) while at school, each medication must have a Medication Authorization form (link below) signed by the parent and a physician, before we can administer. All medications must be unexpired and provided in the original packaging and/or pharmacy container. For prescription medication, please only provide a maximum of 30 day supply at a time.

Link to print blank medication authorization form: <http://www.elkhornweb.org/wp-content/uploads/2011/05/Med-Auth-Form-Front-Only.pdf>

Students with Asthma, Severe Allergies, Diabetes, and/or Seizures ~ If your child has asthma, severe allergies, diabetes, and/or seizures, please submit an emergency action plan signed by your physician. Plans must be updated annually. Blank forms can be obtained at the school office, clicking on link below, or your physician's office can use whatever form they prefer.

Link to print blank AireNebraska Asthma/Anaphylaxis Action Plan:

<http://nebula.wsimg.com/d1813f0bde0c4324b3105e7a17acb13d?AccessKeyId=32029651ABFAD3DBF315&disposition=0&alloworigin=1>

Band Highlights



Jazzers find the Pocket

Both Blue Sage and Parkway Jazz Bands traveled to the Norfolk Jazz competition. 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, and Henry Tomsu on Bass.

Parkway Jazz wrapped up their contest season by performing at the 2nd Annual NSBA State Jazz Competition. The band earned a Division 1 rating Best Rhythm Section out of 23 bands and 3rd Place out of 8 bands. Outstanding soloist awards were earned by Jackson Wohlenhaus on Tenor Sax, and Wesley Chong on Tenor Sax.



Congratulations to the 11th & 12th grade band members who participated in the 2nd Annual Elkhorn Band Olympics Sr. Solo/Ensemble Contest held at Elkhorn South. Elkhorn South had 5 medal winners and 1 Outstanding Ensemble. Students earned 16 Superior Ratings, and 7 Excellent Ratings. Those are the tangible successes; the intangible successes were, to name a few, GRIT, Pride, Confidence, Respect, Perseverance, Integrity and Self Reliance!

Student	Event	Rating	Medals
Alex Henry	11th Snare Solo	1	3rd Place
Jackson Parks	11th Bassoon Solo	1	
James Turner	11th Snare Solo	2	
Blake Johnson	11th Snare Solo	1	5th Place
Olivia Hultman	11th Baritone Solo	2	
Blake Johnson	11th Tenor Solo	2	
Sam Polk	12th Baritone Solo	1	2nd Place
Ally Myrick	Contra Bass Clarinet Solo	1	
Michael Lembree	12th Snare Solo	2	
Aidan Posey, Sam Polk, Olivia Hultman	Euphonium Trio	1	Best Ens.
Ally Richardson	12th Trombone Solo	2	
Dakota Valle	11th Flute Solo	1	
Abbi Murphy	11th Flute Solo	1	3rd Place
Ally Myrick & Morgan Koch	Contra Bass Clarinet & Alto Sax Duet	2	
Dakota Valle & Sofia Valle	Flute/Oboe Duet	1	
Maddy Williams	11th Trumpet Solo	1	4th Place
Annie Wang	12th Flute Solo	1	
Abbi Murphy & Annie Wang	Flute Duet	1	
Aidan Posey	12th Baritone Solo	2	
Sofia Valle	11th Oboe Solo	1	
Noah Ludwick	11th Trumpet Solo	1	
Morgan Koch	12th Alto Sax Solo	2	
Ally Myrick	12th Bass Clarinet Solo	1	
Peyton Smilely	11th Flute Solo	1	

We experienced so many FABULOUS MOMENTS in our EBO Senior Journey!

Congrats Varsity Band for earning a 1* at District Music Contest! A 1* is the highest rating an ensemble can earn and this is the 7th year in a row that the ESHS Band has earned this honor.



Balancing for the Creighton Physical Therapy students, and scrubbing in for surgery with Methodist Surg Tech!

HEALTH CARE CAREERS

Health Care Careers is a class at Elkhorn High and Elkhorn South High in the Family and Consumer Sciences Department. The focus of the class is on the multitude of options within the health care industry. Students are introduced to medical terminology, an anatomy lesson and then possible career options related to the system being studied. These lessons are followed up with hands on activities and speakers to give the students a glimpse at what lies ahead as they pursue their career goals.

We are blessed to have professionals in the health care field give of their time and expertise to help our students gain an understanding of their respective careers. Thank you to the following individuals for spending time with the Elkhorn South students this spring! THANK YOU!!!

Morgan Stromp, Methodist College Nursing Student
 Owen, Quality CNA
 Dr. Scott DeBates, Dermatologist, Methodist
 Dr. Kevin Kosak, Chiropractor
 Dr. Kendell Simms, Audiologist, Boystown
 Kerry Ecklebe, Nebraska Humane Society
 Christy Grant, Surgical Tech,
 Methodist School of Nursing
 Mikey Brewer, Physician's Assistant, CHI Health
 Kevin Meschede, Emergency Medical Technician
 Omaha Fire Department
 Tadd Meyer, Prosthetist, Burton Prosthetics
 Dr. Joyce Black, Associate Professor School of
 Nursing, UNMC
 Cindy Crane, CHI Home Hospice
 Dr. Cathleen Peterson-Layne, Anesthesiologist,
 UNMC
 Jena Munson, Recreational Therapist, CHI Health
 and Gina Springhower
 Dr. Tom Martin, OB-GYN, Methodist

Dr. Tyler Smith, Dentist
 Dr. Kelly Nelson and students,
 Physical Therapy from Creighton University
 Dr. Naser Alsharif, Pharmacy, Creighton University
 Dr. Perry Johnson, Plastic Surgeon
 Aesthetic Surgery
 Dr. John Cannon, Psychotherapist,
 Arbor Family Counseling
 James Temme, Medical Imaging, UNMC
 Julie Cobos, Fitness Director, Lakeside Wellness
 Center
 Carla Dirkschneider, Health Informatics, Clarkson
 Shelly Asplin, Dietician, Hy-vee
 Evelyn Katz, Low Vision Occupational Therapist,
 UNMC
 Kathy Radicia, RN
 Chris Veitzer-Raymond, RN
 Clarkson College Nursing faculty and students
 Methodist College Nursing faculty and students
 Dr. Monique Macklem, Pediatrician



(Back row left to right: Ashley Wyzinski, Kelly Wong, Arbie Hodges, Kendalyn Bingham, Kaylin Behrens, Sierra Morris.
Front row left to right: Elena Renner, Delaney Craig, Annie Wang, Jillian Hunsinger, Bailey Scott, and Lauren Paben.)

Twelve FCCLA (Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America) members represented Elkhorn South High at the Nebraska FCCLA Leadership Conference April 2-4, 2017 in Lincoln, NE. The chapter brought home a Gold Chapter Award for their solid Program of Work during the 2016-17 school year including criteria in four categories: Membership, Leadership, Promoting FCCLA, and Competitive Events/Programs.

In addition, the chapter was recognized with the Outstanding Nebraska National Program Award for their Leadership Service in Action Project. The chapter completed seven service projects during the year, but the project submitted for recognition was the Days for Girls project. Members met for six workdays after school and Saturdays to complete 34 personal hygiene kits for girls in developing countries. These kits enable girls to complete their educations and save an estimated 180 days of school that otherwise would have been missed. Members and adult volunteers logged 168 service hours working on the kits. This project was led by Kendalyn Bingham, Vice-President of Service.

Elkhorn South FCCLA had three competitive entries at SLC this year. Kendalyn Bingham and Delaney Craig earned a bronze medal for their Chapter Service Project Portfolio highlighting Days for Girls. Elena Renner earned a silver medal for her Food Innovations project. Elena was tasked with creating an after work-out snack that contained 10 grams of protein. After six production attempts and input from two focus groups, Elena developed the perfect Pumpkin Protein Muffin. Kelly Wong earned runner-up state champion and a gold medal for her Career Investigations Project and presentation. Kelly aspires to be an obstetrician-gynecologist. She skillfully outlined what it will take to become a doctor and assessed her skills and characteristics that match the occupation.

Kaylin Behrens and Lauren Paben participated in FCCLA Serves by helping with projects at the Lincoln Children's Zoo. Jillian Hunsinger and Bailey Scott served at the Matt Talbot Soup Kitchen. Annie Wang joined the tour at Sheldon Art Museum and Arbie Hodges toured with Hospitality in the Haymarket. Ashley Wyzinski attended the MADD Youth Ambassador Training. Kaylin Behrens attended the District Officer Training, and Kendalyn Bingham served as our voting delegate. All members had the opportunity to attend the keynote speaker, and a variety of leadership and career development sessions. The 2016-17 school year has been quite productive for the Elkhorn South FCCLA Chapter!

Japanese classes competed at Foreign Language Fair at UNL on April 14th

Drama Department:

Level 1: 1st place Japanese 2 class (Alisa Costello, Joshua Dale, Jessie Guo, Hannah Kerres, Sarah Mintum, Kaitlyn Polodna

2nd place Japanese 1 class (Jenna Aldridge, Omasan Edegbele, Hannah Emmons, Riley King, Christian Kolb, Gabriel Macken, Kenneth Mancini

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.

TEAM+S

Students competed in the TEAM+S "Engineering the Environment" contest at UNL on March 7 and the state rankings have been announced for the team combined score from the multiple choice test, the design/build challenge and the team essay! The Junior Varsity team (Derek Madden, Jack Paradis, Mason Minnich, Alden Fitts, Jillian Hunsinger, Paul Owens, Wesley Chong, John Jessen) won 3rd place overall out of 10 Nebraska teams. The Varsity Team B (Jacob Gideon, Bennett Wright, Zach Woosley, Yoyo Ghannam, Lauren Berrett, Hannah Donahue) won 3rd place overall out of 20 Nebraska teams.

Quiz Bowl

In April our Quiz Bowl team competed at Grace University. The novice team of Brianna Davis, Nora Santelman and Mason Minnich took 2nd place. The varsity team of Ted Gernhart, Gabbie Zeger, Bennett Wright, Alex Page, and Raef Kubie has qualified for and will be competing at Nationals in New Orleans, LA this summer.

Robotics

The Robotics team is making plans for next year's challenge, "In the Zone" (see https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1Yo_mIR1VJU). Anyone interested in participating next year should see or email Kim Johnson (kjohnson@epsne.org).

Olympus Club

Sixty Olympus Club members representing both Elkhorn high schools enjoyed a night filled with dodge ball, basketball, volleyball, air hockey, board games and swimming at the annual Common Ground lock in.

Academic Decathlon

Academic Decathlon is a fall semester cross curricular competition. Next year's topic will study African art, music, literature, economics and history. Math will include geometry and introduction to differential calculus. Science will focus on the biology of infectious diseases, with an emphasis on diseases that have had a significant impact on Africa. The literature novel is *Things Fall Apart* by Chinua Achebe. Study materials will be provided for use over the summer. If you are interested in AcDec please see or email the sponsor, Julia Wagoner, at jwagoner@epsne.org.

Summer Opportunities

PKI Academies - Holland Academy of Excellence-June 11-June 14; PKI/OPPD Sustainability Academy-July 24-July 27. The May 15th deadline is fast approaching. www.pki.nebraska.edu

Gallup's Education TaskForce High School Innovation Program for 2018 Learn today's technology over the course of 12 Saturdays (6 in Fall 2017, six in Spring 2017) and compete for a paid six-week internship with Gallup in Summer 2018. Application Deadline is May 15th.

Congressional Leadership Fund If you want to know more about campaigns and politics contact SBader@thecf.org

Duke Tip - Duke TIP Summer Studies Programs for 7th through 10th graders. www.tip.duke.edu/summer

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**For questions or support assistance with Privit please view at:
<https://support.privit.com/hc/en-us/articles/201956667-Welcome-Parents-and-Athletes>**

Attention incoming 9th - 12th grade Girls Soccer Players....

There will be a Team Camp held July 11 - 13th. This team camp is for girls soccer players that will be in high school during the 2017-2018 school year. This camp is open to ANY high school soccer player that is interested in participating. Bruce Erickson, the University of Northern Iowa Women's Soccer coach, along with his staff will provide instruction during the camp. During the three day camp, there will be six sessions provided by camp staff. Even if all sessions cannot be attended, you can still sign up and attend any and all sessions possible! Please register at the link below:

<http://stormsoccercamps.myonlinecamp.com/high-school-camp.cfm>



The Elkhorn South Girls Soccer team raised approximately \$7000 to donate to the Kicks for a Cure Fundraiser. "The primary purpose of the fundraiser is to raise awareness and funding for cancer education and prevention, but also to showcase Omaha as a compassionate, vibrant community where student-athletes and community leaders alike contribute to the cause." Thank you to the Elkhorn community for helping us raise money during this fundraiser. We truly appreciate your generosity!





June 5-9 from 12-4 p.m. at Elkhorn High School

(If there are conflicts please contact Mrs. Wade, you may not need to attend every day)

Performance June 9 @5 p.m. on the EHS stage

Camp Fee: \$50 including t-shirt and snacks
Open to students in grades 3-12.

Acting Games, Choreography, Singing, and More!

Registration Deadline: May 15, 2017 Return this section with payment

Name:

Grade (2017-2018 school year):

T-Shirt Size: (circle) YS YM YL S M L XL

Parent/Guardian Name:

Address:

Cell Phone:

Email:

Please make checks payable to Elkhorn Public Schools (\$50) & return the bottom half of the flyer to:

Attn: Sherry Wade
Elkhorn South High School
20303 Blue Sage Parkway
Omaha NE 68130

Feel free to drop off at EHS or ESHS in the main office for Mrs. Wade

Elkhorn South Baseball Camp

June 13th-June 15th, 2017

The Storm Baseball Camp will give our future Storm baseball players instruction designed to develop the skills of hitting, fielding and throwing. Campers will enjoy various practice drills and friendly competitions throughout the three days.

Age/Time: Rookies- K-4th Grade- 8:30-10 a.m.
Minor League- 5th-8th Grade 10:30-12 p.m.
Major League- 9th Grade 12:30-2 p.m.

Location: Elkhorn South High School Baseball Field

Cost: \$55

Make-up rain date AND website: Friday June 16th
<http://www.league lineup.com/welcome.asp?url=elkhornsouth&sid=200823920>

Website for registration and rain updates: www.stormbaseballcamp.com

Twitter for rain updates: @eshsbaseball15

- *Includes camp t-shirt. Players can sign up at the camp but may not receive t-shirt. (Must pay by May 28th to receive a t-shirt)
- *Checks should be payable to: Elkhorn South Baseball Camp
- * Players will need to bring their own equipment and be responsible for any item brought to camp. Please wear a hat, t-shirt, long pants (baseball pants or sweats), and cleats or sneakers. Please be prepared in case of extreme weather!

Register online at www.stormbaseballcamp.com

or

Send in registration and money by May 28th to:

Brandon Dahl
2110 N. 167th Circle
Omaha, Ne 68116

Any Questions contact:

Brandon Dahl
bdahl@epsne.org
402-659-2258

Players Name: _____

Address: _____

Grade level for 2015-2016 school year: _____

T-shirt size: Youth- S M L XL Adult: S M L XL

Emergency Contact Information:

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

E-mail: _____

LIABILITY RELEASE:

The camp nor any individual supervising or assisting the camp will be liable for injuries, loss or damage. The undersigned agrees that no liability will be asserted and hereby waives all such claims.

PARENT SIGNATURE: _____

Elkhorn Public Schools Career Awareness Program

Explore. Connect. Learn. Succeed.

May 2017

01 CAREER TOURS

- Spend time on-site at local companies!
- Connect with professionals in a variety of career fields!
- An opportunity to visit and “ask the experts” your questions regarding the careers that interest you!

June 2017

(In the Works...Details to Come!)

CHI-Lakeside
(Health Science)

Douglas County Attorney's Office
(Human Services & Education)

CSG, International
(Business, Marketing, & Management; Skilled & Technical
Sciences; Communication & Information Systems)

Space is limited and tours fill quickly! Some tours may require forms to be completed before attending.
School Gmail accounts will be used for tour details and registration...CHECK YOUR ACCOUNT DAILY!

02 Career Exploring

Registration details are coming soon!

NEW! Easter Seals Program (Kickoff Meeting May 22, 2017)

Omaha Police Department - CSI Day (July 8, 2017)



03 Additional Opportunities



Click on buttons to see more!



Contact Dana Bourman for more information!

Email: dbourman@epsne.org

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



- **We are now accepting nominations for our 2017 Hall of Fame event!**
Please join the Elkhorn Public Schools Foundation in honoring educators, alumni, community members, groups and/or businesses that have made significant and positive contributions to Elkhorn students, schools or the Elkhorn community at our Hall of Fame Awards Ceremony and Reception. Nominations are due May 31st, 2017. To submit a nomination, or to view all past honorees, please visit our website <http://www.elkhornfoundation.org/hall-of-fame-rsvp/>
- The Elkhorn Public Schools Foundation is excited to be a part of the metro area's charitable holiday - Omaha Gives! - on May 24! You can donate to EPSF through OMAHAGIVES24.ORG anytime on May 24th to help your giving dollars go further! Matching funds will be given for EVERY donation received.



GOLF FOR GRANTS



Monday, June 12, 2017
Shadow Ridge Country Club
1815 South 192nd Street

Golf Opportunities

9-Hole Morning Round

- \$75 per golfer/\$300 per foursome
- 7:30 a.m. registration & breakfast
 - 8:00 a.m. shotgun start
- Light breakfast and lunch grill out
 - Flag and tournament prizes
 - Raffle tickets and mulligans available

18-Hole Afternoon Round

- \$175 per golfer/\$700 per foursome
- 11:00 a.m. registration & lunch
 - Noon shotgun start
- Lunch grill out and ribeye dinner
 - Flag and tournament prizes
 - Raffle tickets and mulligans available
 - Poker and other on-course contests
- Eagle Card packages available

Sponsorship Opportunities

\$5,000 Dinner Benefactor

- Company Logo on our website, banner & program
- Paid foursome, 4 Eagle Card packages, 8 beverage coupons, 4 additional raffle tickets
 - Cooler with 6 pack of beverage choice
 - Logo on 3x6 Vinyl Sign placed on course
- Retractable Sign displayed at dinner reception

\$1,500 Lunch Benefactor

- Company Logo on our website, banner & program
- Company logo placed on signage at lunch tables
- 4 Eagle Card packages & 4 beverage coupons
 - Logo on 3x6 Vinyl Sign placed on course

\$500 Poker Sponsor

- Company logo placed on sticker on Poker Envelopes
 - Name on our website, banner & program
 - 4 beverage coupons
- Logo on 3x6 Vinyl Sign placed on course

\$250 Beverage Cart Sponsor

- Name on our website & program
- Name on beverage cart signage

\$150 Hole Sponsor

- Name on our website & program
 - Name on course signage

REGISTER ONLINE AT ELKHORNFUNDATION.ORG

Funds raised from this golf outing and our Grant A Wish Campaign support the Elkhorn Public Schools Foundation Classroom Grants program, which funds grants in all of the 16 schools in the Elkhorn Public School district.

Classroom “wishes” are requested for programs like robotics, science equipment, research tools, anti-bullying seminars, school plays, new technology and more by teachers and principals from each school every year.

Your support helps us grant these “wishes” to enhance education for more than 8,500 students!



For more information, contact Stacey Selk at ssek1@epsne.org or 402-289-1727





As the school year winds down, we would like parents to check the balance(s) on their student(s) lunch accounts. If an account is **negative**, ***please make a payment***. We ask that no account is left negative over the summer. Positive accounts will carry over to the next school year.

If you have a graduating Senior their account must be paid if it is negative, in order to be cleared and signed off on May 17, 2017. If there is a remaining balance, you can request a refund or balance transfer after May 19, 2017.

***Please be sure to cancel automatic payments to prevent additional deposits before requesting a refund.**

We ask that you pay close attention to your accounts and keep them funded to avoid your child missing a meal. There is be NO charging allowed at Secondary levels. When an account reaches \$0.00 the student will need to pay for meals in cash or have funds deposited to their account prior to receiving a meal.

Emails are sent on a daily basis for students at \$5.00 and below and at the end of each month regardless of the balance. Parents are encouraged to go online and set up their accounts to receive emails prior to going negative.

If you have not received an email from us, please contact your school to make sure they have a correct email address on file, or check your spam folder.

Lunch accounts can be set up and viewed through our District website at www.elkhornweb.org. Click on Login Links on top left corner, scroll down and click on Parent/Student then Lunch Account.

Access Lunchtime Online under the red lettering, click on: <https://www.schoolpaymentportal.com/>

You will need to create an account, using your students pin number, birthdate and zip code to your student's school. Please set up your email reminders so that you receive an email prior to your student going negative by clicking the view/set reminder box.

You will need your student id numbers which are available at our office or from your student.

***A students Lunch Account will continue with them while in attendance with Elkhorn Public Schools.**

If you have any questions regarding your account, please call our office at 402-289-0443.

Thank you,

Shannon Sintek
Sodexo
Food Service Director
Elkhorn Public Schools
402-289-0443