



ELKHORN NORTH RIDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL

NIGHTHAWK NEWSLETTER | NOVEMBER 2024

OUR MISSION:

AT ELKHORN NORTH RIDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL, STUDENTS WILL LEARN TO CRITICALLY NAVIGATE THE MIDDLE SCHOOL CLASSROOM AND OUR COMPLEX WORLD IN ORDER TO BUILD A FOUNDATION FOR HIGH LEVELS OF ACHIEVEMENT.

UPCOMING TEST DATES

MAP READING

DEC. 4 -- 8:10-10:07

MAP MATH

DEC. 10-- 8:10-10:07

PLEASE AVOID ABSENCES AND
APPTS ON THESE DAYS

IMPORTANT DATES

☑ THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7
6TH, 7TH, 8TH GRADE CHORUS
6:30PM

☑ WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13
HEALTH SCREENING
7TH GRADERS AND NEW
STUDENTS TO DISTRICT

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19
☑ 6TH, 7TH, 8TH GRADE BAND
6:30PM

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 27-
☑ FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29
NO SCHOOL
THANKSGIVING BREAK

AT ENRMS... Nighthawks S.O.A.R.

The staff at North Ridge has worked to define the behavior expectations for the students and the adults in the building. Please help us by reinforcing these concepts with your student.

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S	Safety	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We predict outcomes and consequences to avoid potential injuries or property damage. We report potential threats.
O	Ownership	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We acknowledge our mistakes as our own. We accept consequences to help us learn and grow. We clean up our messes. We accept feedback.
A	Awareness	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We notice the needs of others and our school. We recognize contributions. We offer to help. We understand the difference between intent and perception.
R	Respect	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We acknowledge differing opinions, practices, and approaches. We hold ourselves to a high standard of learning and behavior. We preserve the dignity of our peers, our teachers/staff, and our school because we all have value. We protect everyone's right to learn.

QUICK LINKS

[-BOOSTER CLUB](#)

[-EPSF](#)

[-DISTRICT INFORMATION](#)



ELKHORN NORTH RIDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL 2024- 2025 YEARBOOK

2024/2025 ENRMS YEARBOOKS ARE ON SALE. YEARBOOKS MAY BE PURCHASED WITH CASH OR CHECK IN THE NORTH RIDGE OFFICE OR ONLINE BY VISITING [HTTPS://YEARBOOKFOREVER.COM/](https://yearbookforever.com/) AND SEARCHING FOR "ELKHORN NORTH RIDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL". YEARBOOK PRICE IS \$40.



YEARBOOK

PLEASE AVOID USING THE PARKING LOT TO DROP OFF OR PICK UP YOUR STUDENT. THIS REQUIRES STUDENTS TO CROSS TRAFFIC IN ORDER TO ENTER OR EXIT THE BUILDING. THIS CAUSES A SAFETY CONCERN, CREATES TRAFFIC CONGESTION IN THE EXIT LINE AND DELAYS THE PROGRESSION OF CARS.

NIGHTHAWK ATHLETICS & HAPPENINGS

NIGHTHAWK ATHLETICS

PARENTS OF STUDENT ATHLETES (ALL SPORTS) - WHEN STUDENTS WISH TO PARTICIPATE IN A SPORT THE PARENT MUST FIRST COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:

- 1) UPLOAD THE STUDENTS PARTICIPATION PHYSICAL AND COMPLETE THE PARENT CONSENT FORM ON THE RSCHOOL PORTAL (LINK PROVIDED BELOW).
- 2) THE PARENT MUST ALSO PAY THE STUDENT ATHLETIC PARTICIPATION FEE (LINK PROVIDED BELOW).
 - STUDENT ATHLETE PARTICIPATION FEE - [SCHOOL PAY](#)
 - PARENT CONSENT FORM & PHYSICAL UPLOADED - [RSCHOOL](#)

*PLEASE NOTE-IF A STUDENT DOES NOT WISH TO PARTICIPATE IN A SPORT, THE PARENT CAN STILL PURCHASE AN ACTIVITY PASS - [SCHOOL PAY](#)

ENRMS SPORTS AND ACTIVITIES

FOR THE MOST CURRENT AND UP-TO-DATE INFORMATION, 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! YOU CAN ALSO GET DIRECTIONS TO THE SCHOOL AT WHICH YOU NEED TO BE. WE WILL UPDATE THE INFORMATION AT THE WEBSITE FIRST.

ENRMS SPELLING BEE WINNERS



ENRMS WINNERS

LIA CASTRO
ADITRI BHOWMICK

Congrats!



MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR ENRMS MUSIC EVENTS

6TH, 7TH, 8TH GRADE
CHORUS CONCERT
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7
6:30PM



6TH, 7TH, 8TH GRADE
BAND CONCERT
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19
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CELEBRATION OF GIVING

WITH THE HOLIDAYS LOOMING WE HOPE YOU'LL CONSIDER HELPING AN ELKHORN FAMILY IN NEED! ELKHORN ELEMENTARY AND MIDDLE SCHOOLS ARE PARTNERING WITH WOMENADE OF ELKHORN TO SPONSOR A GIFT DRIVE FOR FAMILIES WITHIN THE ELKHORN COMMUNITY. LAST YEAR WE WERE HAPPY TO SERVE OVER 365 CHILDREN COMING FROM OVER 125 FAMILIES AND AS EPS CONTINUES TO GROW, WE EXPECT THAT NUMBER WILL ALSO GROW. WE ALSO EXPECT TO HAVE HIGHER NUMBERS BECAUSE OF THE TORNADOES THAT RIPPED THROUGH OUR COMMUNITY LAST SPRING. A PERMISSION FORM WILL BE SENT HOME THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 18TH FOR YOUR STUDENT TO PARTICIPATE. ONCE IT IS RETURNED, YOUR STUDENT CAN VISIT THE ELKHORN NORTH RIDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL'S FRONT OFFICE BEFORE OR AFTER SCHOOL, FROM NOVEMBER 18 - DECEMBER 1 AND CHOOSE A MITTEN LISTING AN ITEM YOU WOULD LIKE TO PURCHASE.

WRAPPED GIFTS, WITH THE MITTEN ATTACHED TO THE OUTSIDE, SHOULD BE RETURNED TO SCHOOL NO LATER THAN WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4TH AT 3PM.

PLEASE JOIN US IN MAKING A DIFFERENCE IN THE LIVES OF SOME ELKHORN FAMILIES, AND IN MAKING A LASTING IMPRESSION ON OUR OWN CHILDREN!



IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS
CONTACT MIKALA NIGHTENGALE
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IN COLLABORATION WITH THE OMAHA POLICE DEPARTMENT, EPS WILL BE UTILIZING SAFE2HELP TO ENSURE STUDENTS AND FAMILIES HAVE AN ANONYMOUS WAY TO REPORT SAFETY CONCERNS. STUDENTS, PARENTS, STAFF, OR COMMUNITY MEMBERS CAN REPORT SAFETY CONCERNS THROUGH SAFE2HELP VIA ANY OF THE FOLLOWING CHANNELS:

- (531) 299 -SAFE (7233)
- WWW.SAFE2HELPNE.ORG
- DOWNLOAD THE "SAFE2HELP" APP FROM YOUR APP STORE FOUND ON INDIVIDUAL BUILDING HOME PAGES

PLEASE KNOW THAT WE BELIEVE THAT ELKHORN PUBLIC SCHOOLS ARE SAFE PLACES FOR STUDENTS, AND WE WORK DILIGENTLY TO THAT END. FURTHERMORE, PARENTS, STUDENTS, AND COMMUNITY MEMBERS ARE AN IMPORTANT ASPECT OF OUR SAFETY AND SECURITY PLAN. WE NEED YOUR HELP TO KEEP OUR SCHOOLS SAFE. IF YOU SEE SOMETHING THAT CONCERNS YOU, REPORT IT IMMEDIATELY.

PLEASE CONTACT PRINCIPAL DEB GARRISON, VIA PHONE: 402-289-5787 OR DGARRISON@EPSNE.ORG WITH QUESTIONS REGARDING THE SAFE2HELP REPORTING SYSTEM. WE APPRECIATE YOUR CONTINUED PARTNERSHIP IN HELPING KEEP ELKHORN PUBLIC SCHOOLS SAFE FOR ALL.