



Panther Weekly Bulletin

Breakfast Menu

<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>
French Toast Sticks	Ham, Egg & Cheese Croissant	Coffee Cake	Biscuit & Gravy	Long John

Lunch Menu

<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>
Sloppy Joe Peas	Cheeseburger Mac Corn Roll	BBQ Pork/Bun Fries Baked Beans	Mostaccioli Broccoli Breadstick	Turkey Club Chicken Noodle Soup Carrots

Happening this week at PHS

Saturday, December 2nd– HS G&B Wrestling @ Conestoga
9:00 am Bus leaves @ 6:30 am

Sunday, December 3rd– JH Girls Pre Season Basketball
Tournament 2:00-7:00 pm

Monday, December 4th– Chess Club 7:00 am, Jazz Band
“Christmas in the Commons” 7:30 am, JH Boys Basketball
vs. Elmwood Murdock @ PHS East Gym 4:00, 5:00 & 6:00
pm, HS Winter Concert 6:30 pm

Tuesday, December 5th– Jazz Band 7:00 am, HS Basketball
@ Johnson Brock 4:00, 5:00, 6:00 & 7:30 pm Buses leave @
2:00 & 4:00 pm

Wednesday, December 6th– Show Choir 6:30 am, FFA Ag Ex-
po @ Lancaster Event Center Bus leaves @ 7:20 am,
Creighton College Visit 9:00 am Bus leaves @ 8:00 am

Thursday, December 7th– Jazz Band 7:00 am, 5th-8th Grade
Winter Concert 6:30 pm

Friday, December 8th– Show Choir 6:30 am, HS Quiz Bowl
7:30 am, HS Basketball @ PHS vs. Mead 4:00, 5:00, 6:00
& 7:30 pm

Saturday, December 9th– JH Boys Basketball Tournament @
PHS 8:00 am, HS Wrestling @ Fort Calhoun 10:00 am Bus
leaves @ 6:30 am

UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday, December 11th– JH Boys Basketball @ Weeping Water, FFA Pancake Feed and Member Auction

Tuesday, December 12th– JH Boys Basketball @ PHS vs. Lincoln Christian, HS Basketball @ JCC, HS Wrestling @ PHS

Wednesday, December 13th– Show Choir 6:30 am

Thursday, December 14th – HS Basketball @ PHS vs. Weeping Water, HS Girls Wrestling @ Fairbury

Friday, December 15th– HS Girls Wrestling @ Wahoo

Saturday, December 16th– JH Boys Basketball Tournament @ Elmwood Murdock, HS Wrestling @ JCC

Just a reminder, entrance for all school activities for this school year will be the West doors.

Students are not allowed to be in the building before 7:30 am unless they are taking part in an activity that has early practice/meeting times!

GO PANTHERS!



BENNET ELEMENTARY

NEWSLETTER

Bennet Elementary
District OR 1

December 1st
Volume 1, Issue 18

*Together, we prepare our students to successfully
meet the challenges of the future.*



This school year continues to fly by! We are at an exciting time of year filled with lots of special events and activities. It will be a busy and fun time for all.

We will continue to focus on student learning, and maintain a consistent schedule for our students.

Our first semester will come to an end on Wednesday, December 20th. We will be dismissing at 1:00 on this day for Winter Break and return Thursday, January 4th.

There will be **NO** afterschool Rec. on **December 20th**.

Please feel free to contact me with questions/concerns at 782-3535. You may also email me at walter.lin@districtor1.net. As always, I thank you for your continued support.
Linde Walter

Winter NSCAS/MAPS Testing

Students in KDG-5th grade will start taking the MAPS (Measure of Academic Progress) or NSCAS test during the dates of December 7th -15th. These tests are important to our teachers because it allows them to monitor/track progress and growth in skill areas for your child.

Christmas in the Bennet Park

Saturday, December 2nd
from 3:00 PM-6:00 PM.



Santa and Mrs. Claus will arrive at 3:00 PM followed by the gingerbread house decorating contest at 3:15!

Also, enjoy food trucks, hot chocolate, cookie smores, a craft, and more! Tree lighting will be at 6:00 pm!

5th Grade Band and Bennet Singers Winter Concert Information

The 5th grade Bennet Singers and band will be performing their Winter concert on December 7th at 6:30 pm at Palmyra High School.

Students please plan on arriving at 6:00 pm, wearing festive winter clothes! Get in the holiday spirit and share it with those that come to listen to you!

The order of the concert will be:

5th grade Bennet Singers
6th grade Panther Singers
5th grade band
6th grade band
JH Band/Choir

*Note - this doesn't include the whole 5th grade class, just those in band and Bennet Singers.

**PALMYRA COMMUNITY
FOUNDATION PRESENTS:
SPAGHETTI WITH SANTA**

Enjoy a spaghetti luncheon while visiting Santa on Sunday December 10th @ the Palmyra Community Center.

We will be serving Spaghetti, Bread, Dessert & Drink from 11:00am - 2:00pm for a free will donation.

Santa & Mrs. Claus will visit from 12:30pm - 2:00pm
(Hot Cocoa & Gifts Included!)

All proceeds go to support PCF & Palmyra Fire & Rescue

***There will not be a Bennet Booster meeting for December. See you in January.**

Second Quarter Report Cards will go home on Friday, January 5th.

Early dismissal on Friday, December 20th at 1:00. No Afternoon Rec.

Upcoming Events:

December:

-20th Early Dismissal at 1:00

-21st Winter Break Begins

January:

-4th School Resumes

What an amazing Holiday Concert we had this past Monday. A SPECIAL thank you to Mrs. McCreight for all her hard work in preparing the students and spreading Holiday cheer.



THANK YOU for supporting our school and staff. Your support is what makes our school district so amazing.

Panther Proud!

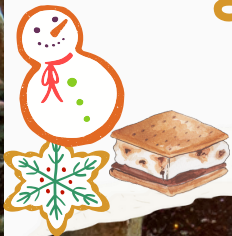


CHRISTMAS IN THE PARK

December 2nd, 2023

3:00-6:00

Bennet City Park



HOT CHOCOLATE, COOKIE SMORES, FOOD TRUCKS, SANTA LETTER WRITING STATION, MUSICAL PERFORMANCES FROM PHS BAND AND CHOIR, CHRISTMAS CHEER FROM PHS CHEERLEADERS, GINGERBREAD HOUSE CONTEST, ORNAMENT CRAFT FOR KIDS, SPECIAL APPEARANCES FROM THE GRINCH, ELSA, AND OLAF, AND OF COURSE SANTA & MRS. CLAUS





CHRISTMAS IN THE PARK

Schedule of Events

DECEMBER 2ND, 2023

BENNET PARK

3:00 PM - 6:00 PM

VISIT SANTA & MRS. CLAUS, SANTA LETTER WRITING STATION, BIRD FEEDER CRAFT ORNAMENT STATION, COOKIE SMORES, HOT CHOCOLATE, FOOD TRUCKS

3:00 PM

SANTA & MRS. CLAUS ARRIVE AT THE PARK

3:15 PM - 4:00 PM

GINGERBREAD HOUSE DECORATING CONTEST

4:30 PM - 5:00 PM

DISTRICT OR1 JAZZ BAND PERFORMANCE

5:00 PM - 5:15 PM

DISTRICT OR1 CHEERLEADER'S PERFORMANCE

5:30 PM - 6:00 PM

DISTRICT OR1 CHOIR SINGS

6:00 PM

TREE LIGHTING CEREMONY/COMMUNITY CAROLING
GINGERBREAD HOUSE CONTEST WINNERS ANNOUNCED



BENNET
COMMUNITY FUND



**The Nebraska Department of Motor Vehicles
has created a new process in obtaining the
Provisional Operator's Permit.**

(1) The DMV asks, but not require, that teen drivers have a legal permit prior to taking driver education. If a student is 14 by October 15, 2024, enrollment is allowed.

(2) Every student needs to successfully complete the 25 question exam given at the court house before obtaining their first driving permit.

(3) When the student has completed all course requirements, a business card and insurance waiver will be provided outlining the steps the student should take to get their POP using their home computer.

(POP is the Provisional Operator's Permit for 16 year olds)

The DMV requests that students use their home computer to print off their POP on their 16th birthday. **No need to return to the court house.**

Pathfinder Traffic Safety Services
2660 North Cotner
Lincoln, NE 68507
(402)719-5481

Pathfinder Traffic Safety Services

Teen Driver Education Class

Provisional Operator's Permit program (POP)

Hybrid class: ten hours of homework, ten hours of in-person class.

Parent must sign off that their student completed the homework.

(Attach a statement attesting to that with the worksheet email.)

Go to: Pathfindertss.com

Register for: **Palmyra High School**

Jan. 13th, 9-12; 14th, 9-1; 15th, 9-12 (must attend all days)

Tuition: \$400

When I receive your tuition, your seat is reserved. I will send the links to the etextbook and worksheets.

Send checks to:

Pathfinder Traffic Safety Services

2660 North Cotner

Lincoln, NE 68507

Drive

Our teen driver education classes are presented in a hybrid

format. Each student is required to complete a set of worksheets and in-class assignments prior to driving with Liz Cunningham.

Use Google.docs or a similar format. Please unlock when you send.

Email those answers to elcunningham87@yahoo.com in one document,

This option allows the student flexibility in completing the course.

The five hours of behind-the-wheel instruction will be arranged following consultation with the student and parents.

A confirmation email will follow your registration within a couple of days. **Check your SPAM if you do not receive this notification.**

Contact us at 402-719-5481 or

Email at elcunningham87@yahoo.com.

Courteously!



Where: Old Gym at Palmyra

Start Time: 6:30 p.m.

Member Auction: 7:00 p.m.

Tickets (\$5) are sold by FFA members or purchased at the door!
Member's time is auctioned off for 8 hours for High School and 4
hours for Junior High members



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support and huge thanks to our
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HALF-COURT SHOT \$100**

***purchase tickets at
the admission table
prior to the game**



Here are the upcoming winter concerts:

November 27th – Elementary Concert @ PHS

K-2 6:15 pm

3-4 @ 7:15 pm

December 2nd – Caroling in the Bennet Park

Jazz Band 4:30 pm; Combined Choirs 5:30 pm

December 4th – HS Grades 9-12 @ 6:30 pm

Show Choir, Jazz Band, HS Choir, HS Band

December 7th – JH/Elem grades 5-8 @ 6:30 pm

5th gd band; 5th gd Bennet Singers; 6th gd band;

6th gd Panther Singers; JH Band; JH Choir