



OCTOBER 2024

# BOBCAT BITS

Hemingford Public Schools



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*Empowering  
individuals to become  
Resourceful,  
Respectful, and  
Responsible lifelong  
learners.*  
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Parent/Teacher Conferences are on October 16 from 1:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

There is no school for students on October 16, 17, and 18.

# FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT'S STANDPOINT OCTOBER 2024

By Dr. Travis Miller

I am proud of our students and staff for their dedication and hard work, both in the classroom and beyond. Whether in competitions or as contributing members of our community, our students consistently demonstrate teamwork, support for one another, and a contagious drive for excellence. It's truly a privilege to work with them!

As we move past the excitement of the new school year and the recent homecoming festivities, it's hard to believe we're already nearing the end of the first quarter. By now, most students and families have established routines that help them balance academic responsibilities, extracurricular activities, and other personal commitments. However, even with these productive routines, this time of year can bring stress for students, parents, and teachers/staff.

I encourage our students to be intentional over the next few months about taking care of themselves. This doesn't involve anything new, but it does require making conscious choices. Simple habits we've been taught since elementary school—getting enough sleep, exercising regularly, avoiding procrastination, completing assignments on time, eating nutritious foods, and asking for help when needed—can go a long way in keeping us physically, emotionally and academically strong. While these tips aren't rocket science, following them might just help some of our students become rocket scientists!



One of the guiding principles of our district's strategic plan is the well-being of students and staff. To support this, our counselors, Mrs. Gilkerson and Mrs. Johnston, are implementing a curriculum called Character Strong. You'll see regular updates in the Bobcat Bits that align with and complement the instruction our students receive in this area.

Our school is committed to fostering student well-being through comprehensive support systems, which include clear school-wide expectations, quality instruction, and tiered support for students' social, emotional, and behavioral growth. Additionally, we have designated staff contacts for behavioral health concerns. These professionals are knowledgeable about community behavioral health providers and resources available for students and families. Our designated points of contact are:

Primary Contact: Mrs. Samantha Gilkerson, K-12 School Counselor

Alternative Contact: Mrs. Bridget Johnston, K-12 School Counselor

Alternative Contact: Mrs. Katie Kimball, K-12 School Nurse

Alternative Contact: Mrs. Mandy Plog, Director of Instructional Services

If you ever have any concerns or would like to learn more about these resources, please don't hesitate to reach out to one of these professionals.

As always, I welcome your ideas on how we can continue making this school year an exceptional one for our students. Please feel free to call, email, or schedule a time to visit with me. I'd love to hear your thoughts. Keep up the great work, Bobcat Nation!



## ELEMENTARY EXCERPTS

Written by Eric Arneson

The first full month of school sure has flown. It's been fun reconnecting with all the students and getting to know the new ones.

The lower elementary students will have a visit from the Hemingford Volunteer Fire Department during the week of October 7, which is Fire Prevention Week. This is always a great time to learn about what firefighters do and how the students can be safe around fire. They'll even get an opportunity to check out the fire trucks.

With the mornings getting cooler, having the students dress in layers can help them stay comfortable throughout the day.

I've included a flyer about attendance. One thing to notice is how even missing two days of school a month can add up to a significant amount of time missed over a student's school career.

### Upcoming Events:

The end of the first quarter is on October 11  
Parent/Teacher Conferences are on  
October 16 from 1:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.  
There is no school for students on October  
16, 17, and 18.

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18.*

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# ATTENDANCE MATTERS

<b>If your child misses...</b>	<b>That equals...</b>	<b>Which is...</b>	<b>Over 13 years of school that's...</b>
1 day every 2 weeks	20 days per year	4 weeks per year	Nearly 1 1/2 years of school
1 day per week	40 days per year	8 weeks per year	Over 2 1/2 years of school
2 days per week	80 days per year	16 weeks per year	Over 5 years of school
3 days per week	120 days per year	24 weeks per year	Nearly 8 years of school

<b>If your child misses...</b>	<b>That equals...</b>	<b>Which is...</b>	<b>Over 13 years of school that's...</b>
10 minutes per day	50 minutes per week	Nearly 1 1/2 weeks per year	Nearly a 1/2 year of school
20 minutes per day	1 hour and 40 minutes per week	Over 2 1/2 weeks per year	Nearly 1 year of school
30 minutes per day	A half a day per week	4 weeks per year	Nearly 1 1/2 years of school
1 hour per day	1 day per week	8 weeks per year	Over 2 1/2 years of school





# MUSIC NOTES

BY MRS. ARNESON

K-12 Music Teacher

sarneson@gubn.org  
308-487-3330 ex. 403

## OCTOBER & NOVEMBER DATES

### Grades 7-12 Band

*Arrive at the bleachers at 6:30pm.*

*Warm-ups start at 6:35pm*

October 4th Football Game

October 11th Football Game

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Optional Event: Sat, Oct 19th  
CSC Homecoming Football Game -  
a note was sent home for those  
attending

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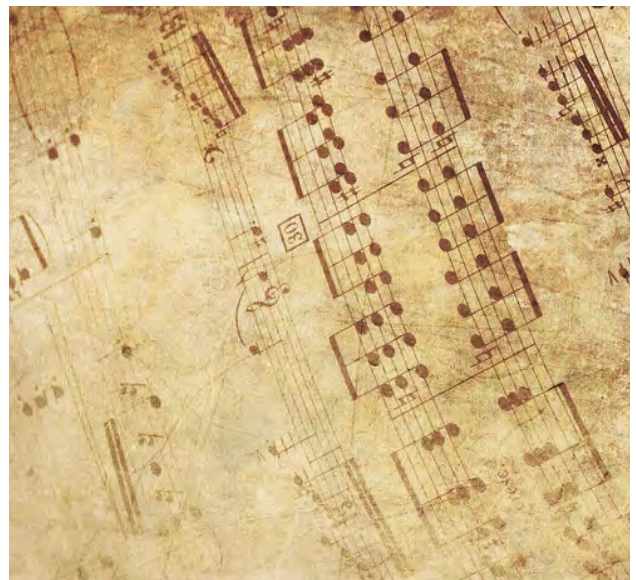
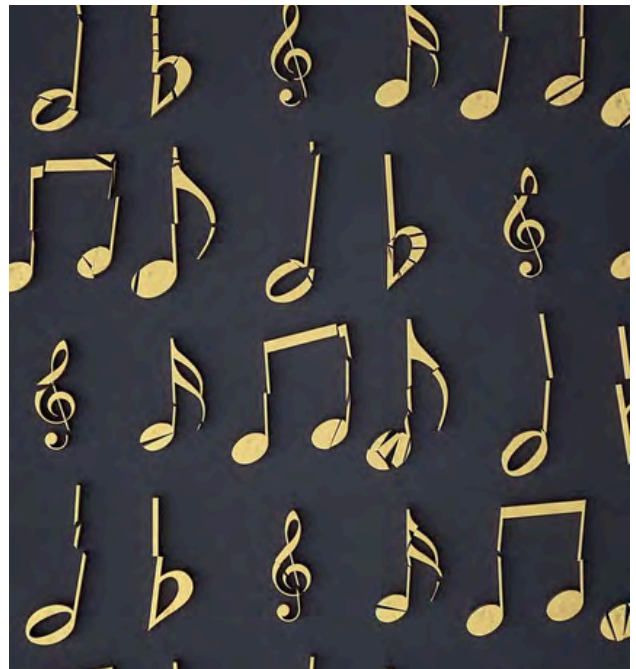
Optional Event: Weds, Oct 30th -  
HS Choir members will participate in  
the PANCO Choral Clinic. A  
separate note will be sent home.

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Auditioned Event: Mon, Nov 18th is  
WTC Honor Choir at Gordon-  
Rushville

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**All School Veterans Day Program**  
**Monday, November 11th at 10am**





## NEWS FROM TITLE I READING

A meeting for parents of Title I Reading students will be held Thursday, October 3, 2024 at 3:00 pm in the Cafeteria. The purpose of this meeting is to explain the Title I program, answer any questions you may have, and give you ideas on how to work with your student at home. The meeting will be brief, so you may pick up your students on time.



## ELEMENTARY PE NEWS

DURING THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER, THE STUDENTS COMPLETED A UNIT ON FOOTBALL AND ARE CURRENTLY WORKING ON FRISBEE. STUDENTS HAVE ALSO HAD SOME TIME TO PLAY GROUP GAMES FOCUSING ON TEAMWORK, SPORTSMANSHIP, AND STRATEGY.

PLEASE HELP YOUR STUDENT BE SUCCESSFUL FOR PE CLASS BY WEARING TENNIS SHOES OR BRINGING TENNIS SHOES TO CHANGE INTO FOR PE CLASS. TENNIS SHOES ARE THE SAFEST AND MOST EFFECTIVE FOOTWEAR FOR PE CLASS. SANDALS, FLIP-FLOPS, CROCS, AND BOOTS CAN CREATE TRIPPING HAZARDS AND SAFETY CONCERNS.

## SEPTEMBER SUPERIOR SPORTSMANSHIP WINNERS ARIANNA PRUNEDA & CAMDEN YDE



# NURSING NEWS

Written by Nurse Kimball



## Health Information Cards:

We have already received many Health Information Card submissions in PowerSchool, *thank you!* If you have not done this yet, please submit it as soon as you are able. This form gives us permission to obtain emergency medical treatment if we are unable to contact a parent or guardian in the event of a medical emergency, permission to administer over-the-counter medications if needed, and also gives us valuable information concerning your child's medical history and allergies. This is important information so issues that arise during the school day can be properly dealt with.

## Flu Reminder:

As we head into flu season please remember to keep your child home if they are ill. Symptoms of the flu can be fever and chills, body aches, sore throat, nasal discharge, cough, and a feeling of weakness or exhaustion.

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*To know even one  
life has breathed  
easier because you  
have lived. This is to  
have succeeded.*

*Ralph Waldo Emerson*

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# OCTOBER EVENTS

Calendar events are subject to change. Please see our [website calendar](#) for the current calendar of events.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 White Day  2:00pm: Volleyball: Girls JH vs. Hyannis (Home) 4:00pm: Football: Boys JH (Time Changed) vs. Hyannis (Home) 7:00pm: One Act Auditions	2 Red Day  FFA: Area Land Judging	3 White Day  10:00am: Volleyball: Girls Varsity vs. TBD">Multiple Schools (Away) 2:30pm: Cross Country: Varsity vs. TBD">Multiple Schools (Away)	4 Red Day  7:00pm: Football: Boys Varsity vs. Sutherland (Home)	5 FFA: Practice Livestock Judging  9:00am: Volleyball: Girls JH vs. Crawford High SchoolSioux County Schools">Multiple Schools (Home)
6	7 White Day  11:00am: Cross Country: Varsity (Time & Location Changed) vs. TBD">Multiple Schools (Away) 3:00pm: Volleyball: Girls JH vs. Crawford High School (Home) 4:00pm: Football: Boys JH vs. Crawford High School (Home) 5:00pm: Football: Boys JV (Time Changed) vs. Hay Springs Public (Away) 6:00pm: Volleyball: Girls JV vs. Crawford High School (Home) 7:00pm: Volleyball: Girls Varsity vs. Crawford High School (Home)	8 Red Day	9 White Day	10 Red Day  4:00pm: Volleyball: Girls Varsity vs. Lakota Tech">Multiple Schools (Away)	11 End of First Quarter  White Day  7:00pm: Football: Boys Varsity vs. Bridgeport Jr Sr (Home)	12

# OCTOBER EVENTS CONT.

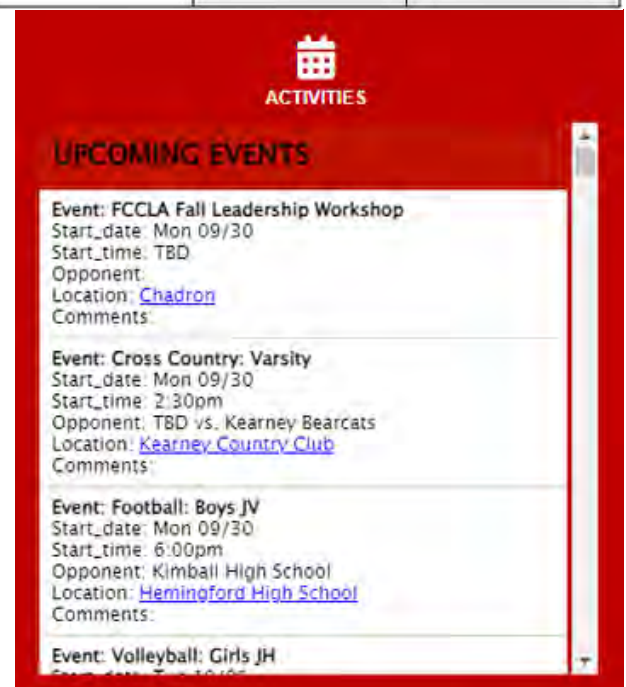
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13	14 Red Day FFA: District Livestock and Poultry Judging 4:00pm: Volleyball: Girls JH vs. Hay Springs Public (Home) 7:00pm: School Board Meeting	15 White Day 5:00pm: Volleyball: Girls JV vs. Bayard (Away) 6:00pm: Volleyball: Girls Varsity vs. Bayard (Away)	16 P/T Conferences 1pm-7pm/No School for Students	17 No School - Fall Break 2:00pm: Cross Country: Varsity vs. TBD">Multiple Schools (Away)	18 No School - Fall Break 7:00pm: Football: Boys Varsity vs. Perkins County (Away)	19 9:00am: Volleyball: Girls Varsity (Location Changed) vs. Crawford High SchoolEdgemontHay Springs PublicHyannisMorrillPaxtonSioux County Schools">Multiple Schools (Home)
20	21 Red Day 4:00pm: Volleyball: Girls Varsity vs. Kimball High School">Multiple Schools (Away)	22 White Day	23 Red Day FFA: National National Convention	24 White Day FFA: National National Convention	25 Cross Country: Varsity vs. TBD">Multiple Schools (Away) Red Day FFA: National National Convention	26 FFA: National National Convention
27	28 Volleyball: Girls Varsity vs. TBD">Multiple Schools (Away) White Day	29 Red Day 6:30pm: FFA Meeting	30 FCCLA District Leadership Conference White Day	31 Red Day		

## NEW ACTIVITY WIDGET

We have a new widget on our website and in our app.

It is a list of upcoming activities. Check it out and support our Bobcats!





# HEMINGFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS BREAKFAST MENU

## OCTOBER

Milk is served with all meals

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	<b>1</b> Breakfast Quesadilla <b>PB&amp;J</b> Fruit or Juice	<b>2</b> Breakfast Burrito Cold Cereal Fruit or Juice	<b>3</b> Omelet Hashbrown Patty PB&J Fruit or Juice	<b>4</b> Blueberry Breakfast Cake Cold Cereal Fruit or Juice
<b>6</b> Bagel Twist Cold Cereal Fruit or Juice	<b>7</b> French Toast Casserole PB&J Fruit or Juice	<b>8</b> Tater Tot Breakfast bowl Cold Cereal Fruit or Juice	<b>9</b> Dutch Waffles w/Strawberries PB&J Fruit or Juice	<b>10</b> Scrambled eggs W/toast  Cold Cereal Fruit or Juice
<b>13</b> Pancake Wrap Cold Cereal Fruit or Juice	<b>14</b> French Toast Sticks PB&J Fruit or Juice	<b>15</b>  <b>NO SCHOOL</b>  <b>FALL BREAK</b>	<b>16</b>  <b>NO SCHOOL</b>  <b>FALL BREAK</b>	<b>17</b>  <b>NO SCHOOL</b>  <b>FALL BREAK</b>
<b>20</b> Waffles Cold Cereal Fruit or Juice	<b>21</b> Scrambled Eggs w/Hashbrowns PB&J Fruit or Juice	<b>22</b> Breakfast Sandwich Cold Cereal Fruit or Juice	<b>23</b> Biscuit w/gravy PB&J Fruit or Juice	<b>24</b> Yogurt w/ muffin Cold Cereal Fruit or Juice
<b>27</b> Breakfast Casserole Cold Cereal Fruit or Juice	<b>28</b> Breakfast PizzaPB&J Fruit or Juice	<b>29</b> Pancakes Cold Cereal Fruit or Juice	<b>30</b> Omelet PB&J Fruit or Juice	<b>31</b> Cinnamon roll Cold Cereal Fruit or Juice

**Menus are subject to change**

USDA is an equal opportunity provider & employer.

The Hemingford Public School provides lunches in accordance with the National School Lunch Program.

The cost of a breakfast is as follows: Pre-K-12 - \$2.50 Adult Breakfast - \$3.00 Milk- .55

The cost of a lunch is as follows: PreK - 6 Lunch - \$3.00 7 - 12 Lunch - \$3.25 Adult Lunch - \$5.00



# HEMINGFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS LUNCH MENU

## OCTOBER

Milk is served with all meals

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	<b>1</b> Soft Shell Taco Corn Fruit	<b>2</b> Calzone Carrots fruit	<b>3</b> Corn Dogs Peas Fruit	<b>4</b> Ready Rib sandwich Mixed Veggies Fruit
<b>7</b> Burrito Corn Fruit	<b>8</b> Chicken Patty On a Bun Green Beans Fruit	<b>9</b> Chicken fried Steak Roll Corn	<b>10</b> Crispito With cheese sauce Peas and Carrots Fruit	<b>11</b> Turkey Sub Sandwich Mixed Veggies Fruit
<b>14</b> Mac and Cheese Dinner Roll Broccoli Fruit	<b>15</b> Pizza Green Beans Fruit	<b>16</b> <b>NO SCHOOL</b>  Fall Break	<b>17</b> <b>NO SCHOOL</b>  Fall Break	<b>18</b> <b>NO SCHOOL</b>  Fall Break
<b>21</b> Bosco Sticks Corn Fruit	<b>22</b> Sweet & Sour Chicken over Rice Broccoli Fruit	<b>23</b> Chicken Nuggets Peas fruit	<b>24</b> Spaghetti & Meat Sauce Garlic Toast Green Beans Fruit	<b>25</b> Hamburger Patty on a Bun Mixed Veggies Fruit
<b>28</b> Hot Ham and Cheese Sandwich Carrots Fruit	<b>29</b> Chicken Bacon Ranch Pasta Bake Broccoli Fruit	<b>30</b> Chicken Strips Peas Fruit	<b>31</b> Chili C Rolls Fresh Veggies Fruit	

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# COMMUNICATION SOURCES

## Contact us

Dr. Travis Miller - Superintendent/Secondary Principal

Mr. Eric Arneson - Elementary Principal

Mrs. Mandy Plog - Director of Student Services

PO Box 217  
911 Niobrara Ave  
Hemingford, NE 69348

High School Phone: 308-487-3328  
Elementary School Phone: 308-487-3330  
Fax: 308-487-5215

**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:**

Our school website: <http://www.hemingfordschools.org>

The Hemingford Ledger

Our monthly newsletter

Notices sent home with students

Phone calls to students' homes when necessary

PowerSchool for attendance, grades and other notes.

Remind

Hemingford School App ([Android](#)) ([Apple](#))

Breakfast and lunch menus can be accessed through the app

[Facebook](#)

[X](#)

[Youtube](#)

# SCHOOL INFORMATION

## Lunch Account System

Access your current account information online at <https://foodservice.edutrak.com/>

If you do not have access, please reach out to [Karla Mapes](#). (487-3330)

## Inclement Weather and other announcements

The Superintendent of schools is authorized by the Board of Education to close public schools in case of severe weather. The Superintendent will notify local news media when inclement weather warrants such action. The information will be transmitted by the Remind App, the School's Facebook page, X, and the Hemingford Public Schools App.

School notifications will also be posted through Remind, Facebook, and X.

## Safe2Help Nebraska

[Apple App](#)



"We know the struggle is real, that's why we're here.  
What you know matters. Make an anonymous report."

[Android App](#)

Download App Or Call 833-980-7233

[Safe2Help Website](#)

### 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.



# IN AN EMERGENCY TAKE ACTION



## HOLD! In your room or area. Clear the halls.

### STUDENTS

Clear the hallways and remain in room or area until the "All Clear" is announced  
Do business as usual

### ADULTS

Close and lock the door  
Account for students and adults  
Do business as usual



## SECURE! Get inside. Lock outside doors.

### STUDENTS

Return to inside of building  
Do business as usual

### ADULTS

Bring everyone indoors  
Lock outside doors  
Increase situational awareness  
Account for students and adults  
Do business as usual



## LOCKDOWN! Locks, lights, out of sight.

### STUDENTS

Move away from sight  
Maintain silence  
Do not open the door

### ADULTS

Recover students from hallway if possible  
Lock the classroom door  
Turn out the lights  
Move away from sight  
Maintain silence  
Do not open the door  
Prepare to evade or defend



## EVACUATE! (A location may be specified)

### STUDENTS

Leave stuff behind if required to  
If possible, bring your phone  
Follow instructions

### ADULTS

Lead students to Evacuation location  
Account for students and adults  
Notify if missing, extra or injured students or adults



## SHELTER! Hazard and safety strategy.

### STUDENTS

Use appropriate safety strategy for the hazard

#### Hazard

Tornado  
Hazmat  
Earthquake  
Tsunami

#### Safety Strategy

Evacuate to shelter area  
Seal the room  
Drop, cover and hold  
Get to high ground

### ADULTS

Lead safety strategy  
Account for students and adults  
Notify if missing, extra or injured students or adults



# NEBRASKA SMART IS A FREE VIRTUAL TUTORING PROGRAM FOR STUDENTS IN GRADES K-12.



Teacher education candidates from Chadron State, Peru State, and Wayne State Colleges remotely tutor students in rural Nebraska. This program is currently offering services to:

- All NRCSA member school districts
- Educational Service Unit 1
- Educational Service Unit 4
- Educational Service Unit 13
- Other select smaller rural school districts

Visit our website for the full list of school districts served.

## HOW IT WORKS

Nebraska students in grades K-12 have free access to online tutoring with a qualified Tutor in English, math, science, and social studies. Parents must first register their child. Once registered, students can request pre-scheduled appointments with a Tutor or log in and request on-demand tutoring to be connected with the next Tutor available in the queue. Students should provide homework for which they wish to receive help or topics that they would like to cover.



## TUTORING HOURS



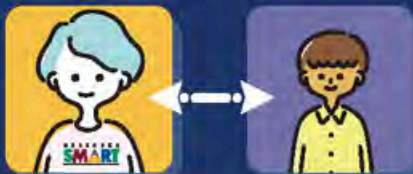
## OUR PARTNERS

The Nebraska Department of Education has awarded a grant to the Nebraska State Colleges to develop a program that provides free online tutoring to K-12 students in rural Nebraska.



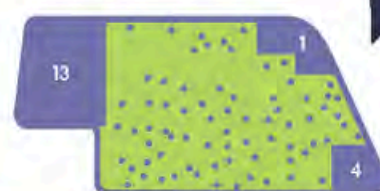
## OUR TUTORS

Tutors are full-time students at Chadron, Peru, and Wayne State Colleges who have been admitted to the teacher education program, have completed background checks, and received training through their teacher education program coursework.



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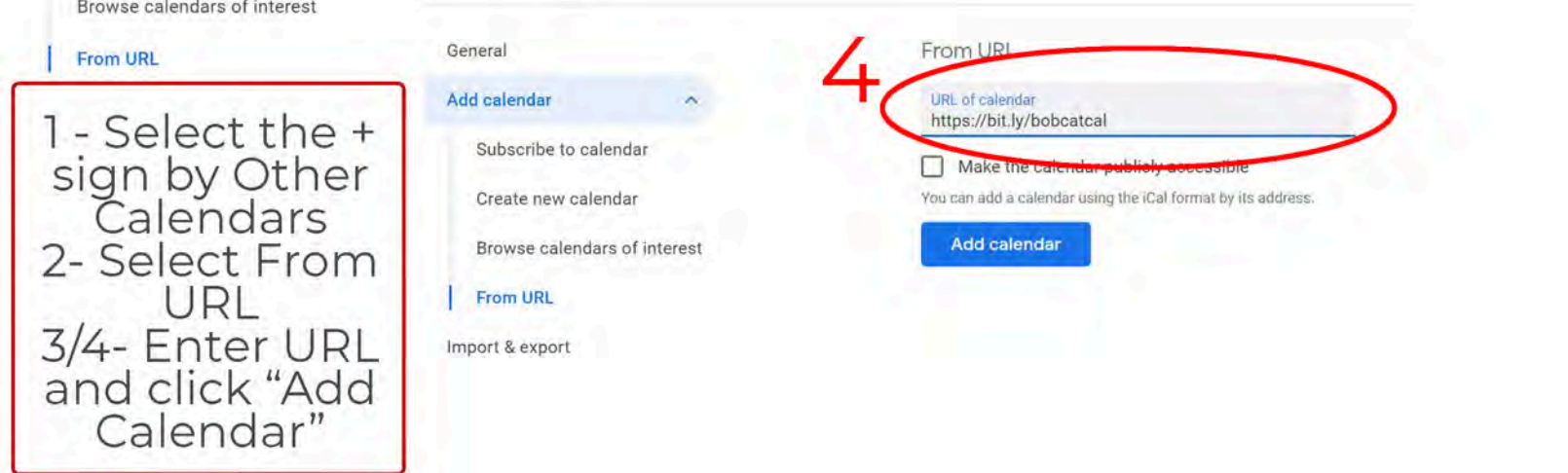
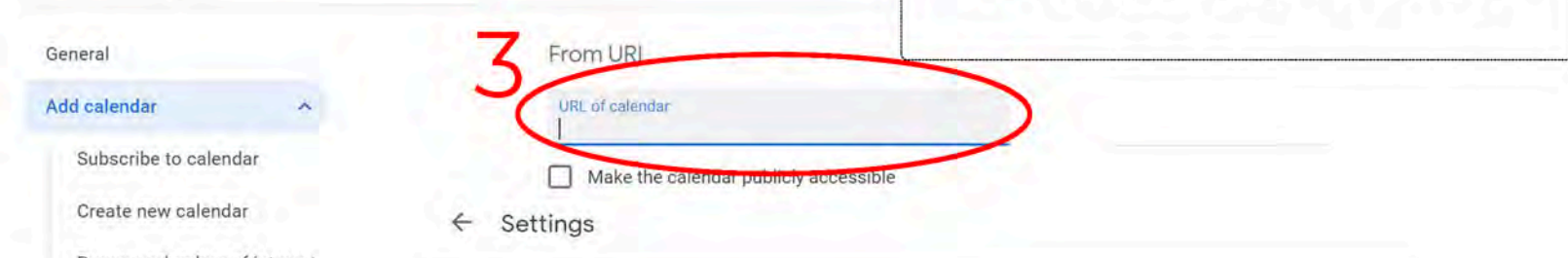
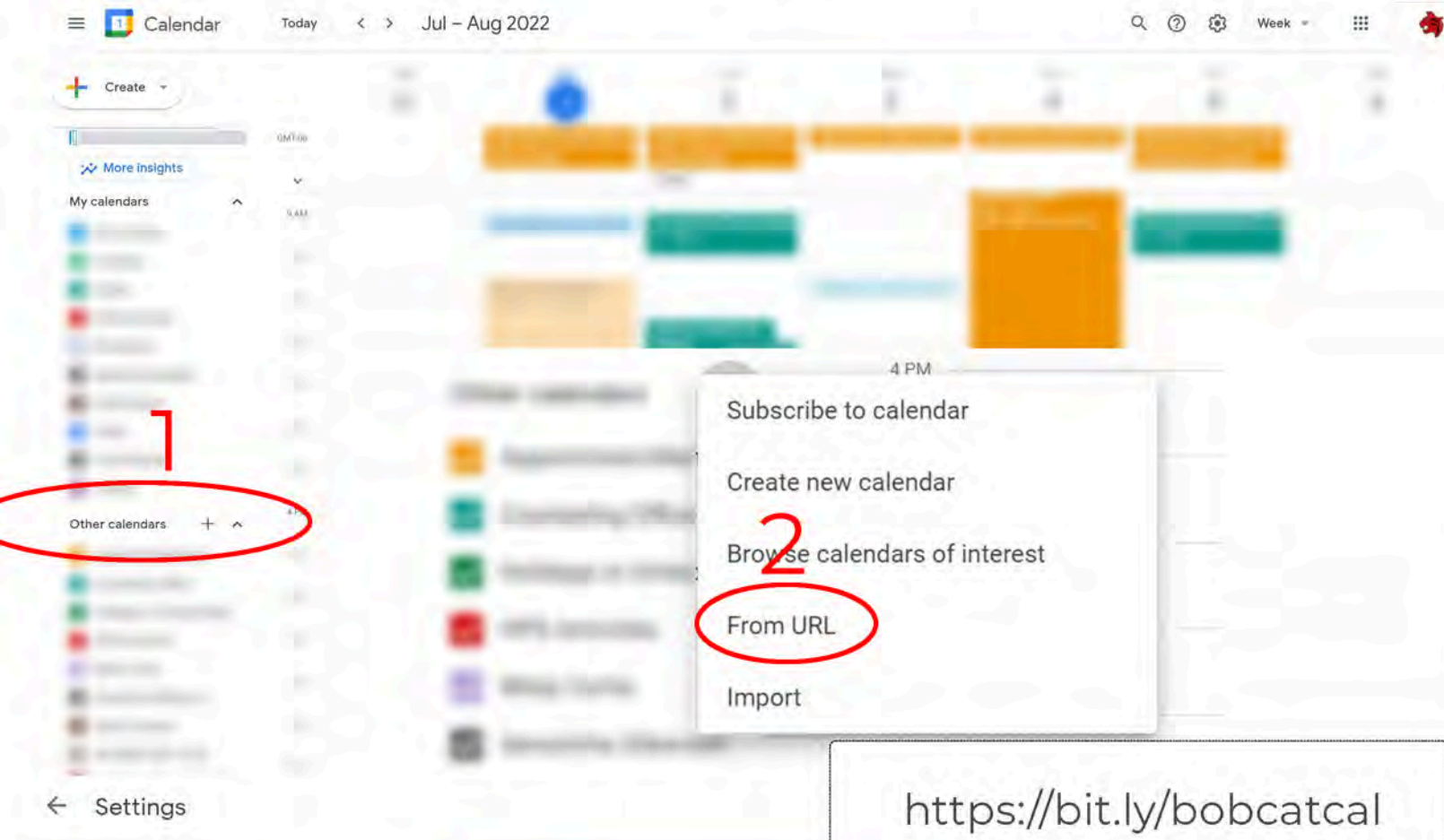
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# Google Calendar

If you use Google Calendar it is easier to complete on a computer instead of a phone. Navigate to Google Calendar while logged into your Google Account



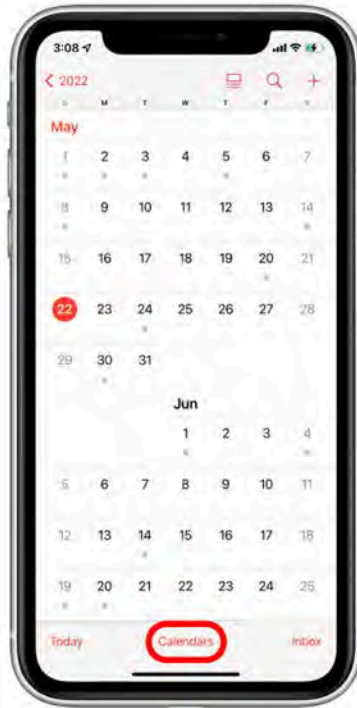
- 1 - Select the + sign by Other Calendars
- 2- Select From URL
- 3/4- Enter URL and click "Add Calendar"



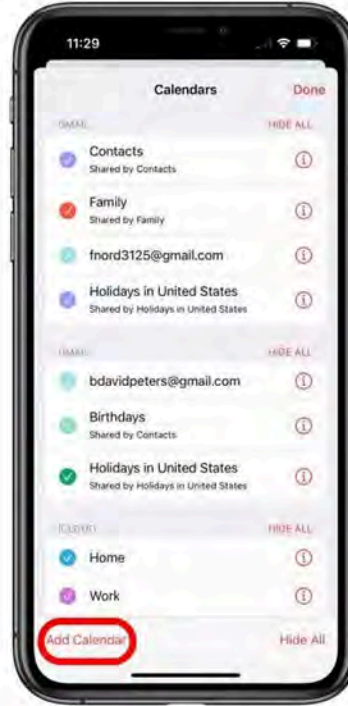
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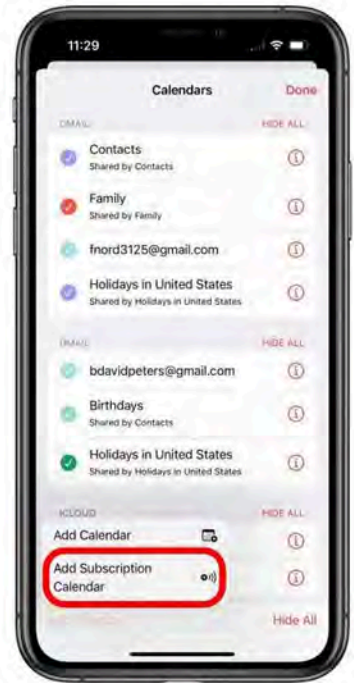
Open Calendar



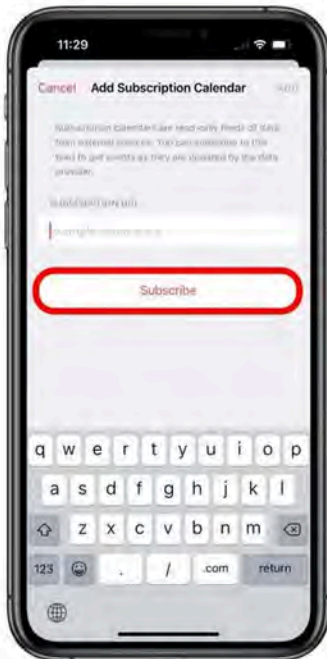
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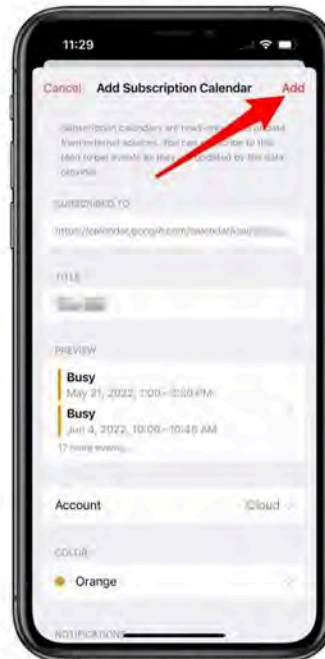
Tap Add Calendar.



From the small menu that opens, tap Add Subscription Calendar.



Type the URL:  
<https://bit.ly/bobcatcal>



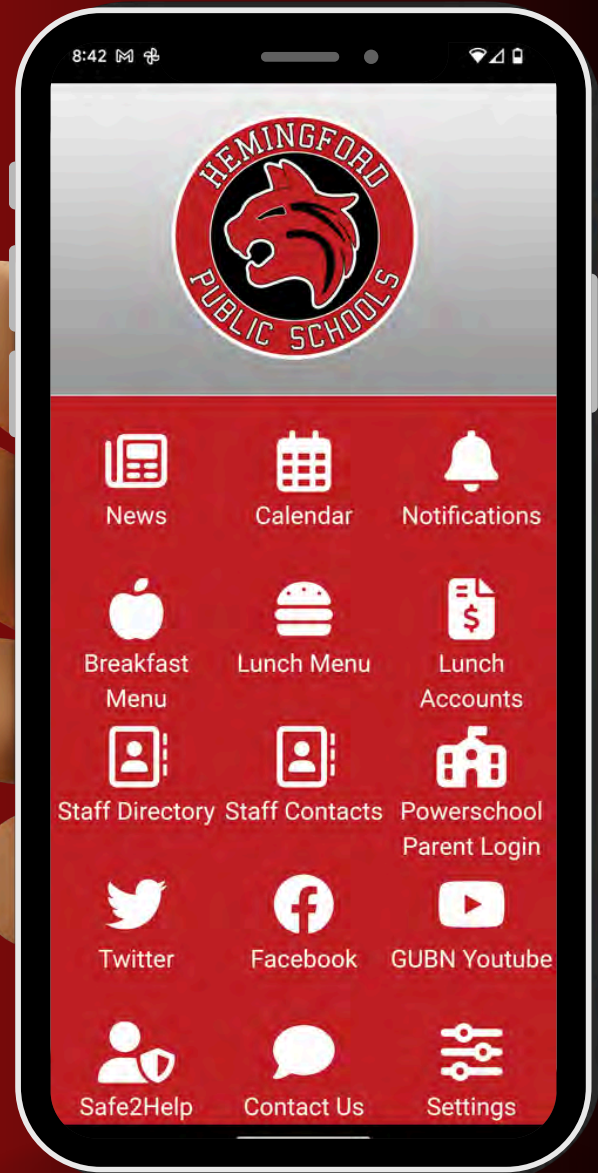
The Calendar app will show you some information on this specific calendar, to confirm the subscription, tap Add.

# Download Our app

Search for Hemingford Public  
Schools in the Apple App  
store or the Google Play store  
to download our app.

Google

Apple





# ELEMENTARY REMIND

Get information for **Hemingford Elementary School** right on your phone—not on handouts.

Pick a way to receive messages for **Hemingford Elementary School**:

**A** If you have a smartphone, get push notifications.

On your iPhone or Android phone, open your web browser and go to the following link:

[rmd.at/gubnes](http://rmd.at/gubnes)

Follow the instructions to sign up for Remind. You'll be prompted to download the mobile app.



**B** If you don't have a smartphone, get text notifications.

Text the message **@gubnes** to the number **81010**.

If you're having trouble with **81010**, try texting **@gubnes** to **(415) 749-9891**.

*\* Standard text message rates apply.*



Don't have a mobile phone? Go to [rmd.at/gubnes](http://rmd.at/gubnes) on a desktop computer to sign up for email notifications.

# HIGH SCHOOL REMIND

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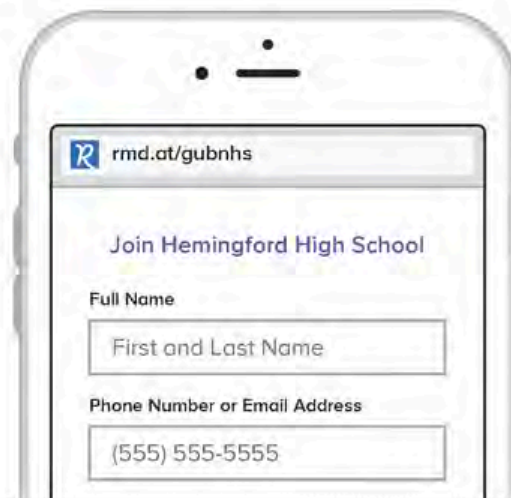
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## Nebraska Early Development Network

Babies can't wait



# MAKING A REFERRAL

## ANYONE CAN DO IT!

An infant or toddler should be referred if they have:

A suspected significant level of developmental delay in one or more developmental area(s): cognitive, adaptive, communication, social/emotional, and/or physical (including vision, hearing)

A diagnosed physical or mental condition that has a high probability of resulting in a significant developmental delay.

Referrals and questions regarding services for infants and toddlers birth to 3 years old with disabilities should be made to the local Early Development Network Referral Agency of the child/family or call:

Nebraska ChildFind at 1-888-806-6287 (toll-free)

## HIGHLIGHTED BENEFITS:

Free Developmental  
Evaluation

Free Services

Not Income Based

For Kids Birth - 3yrs

PRT 12 Coordinators  
can be contacted by  
Calling: 1-800-717-1231



Western Community  
Health Resources  
300 Shelton St.  
Chadron, NE 69337



# NEBRASKA TRANSITION



## 2024-2025 Parents Transition Series Agencies & Anxiety

Hosted by the Statewide  
Region Transition Facilitators  
Zoom Time: 6-7:30 PM CST

SCAN HERE TO REGISTER



OR Click Below to register!

<https://bit.ly/AgenciesAnxiety2425>

Date	Topic	Date	Topic
August 27, 2024	Overview of Transition	September 24, 2024	It's Never too Early to Think Transition!
October 29, 2024	College Supports and Services	November 19, 2024	Enable/Special Needs Trusts
January 28, 2025	Guardianship / Supported Decision Making	February 18, 2025	Benefits Analysis
March 25, 2025	Talking to your Teen about their Disability	April 29, 2025	SSI / Medicaid Benefits

[Click here to find the landing page.](#) This is where Zoom Links for each session can be found as well as any resources shared during each session.



# LET'S GO CASHLESS!!!



**You can now use your credit card, ApplePay, or GooglePay to buy tickets or at the concession stand.**



**You can also buy your tickets in advance using the GoFan app on our Activity Scheduler page.**  
**Card users will pay a convenience fee.**

REGISTRATION WILL BE COMING HOME SOON!

# MINI CHEER

## *Clinic*

BOWS & BLING IT'S A CHEER THING



11 OCTOBER 2024



FROM 2-4:30 pm

\$ 30.00 per cheerleader

HALFTIME PERFORMANCE

DURING THAT EVENINGS

VARSITY FOOTBALL GAME

KICKOFF @ 7 PM

# ONE ACT

Coaches:  
Bryner and  
Jespersen  
308-760-1120

*Auditions*  
*October 1 @ 7pm, Big Gym*

*Join HHS One Act Remind  
for updates!*

text @f66ea6  
to the number 81010

*Performers 9-12, Tech 7-12*

## Important Dates

Competitions

**Panhandle Conference**

11/21 in Hyannis

**Western Trails Conference**

11/26 in Kimball

**Public Performance/ Soup Supper**

12/1 at Home (Big Gym)

**Districts**

12/4 in Ainsworth

**State**

12/12 in Norfolk (must qualify)

**Auditions**

10/1 @ 7p (Big Gym)

**Parents Meetings / Read  
Thru**

10/8 @ 7p (Big Gym)

**Staging Rehearsals start**

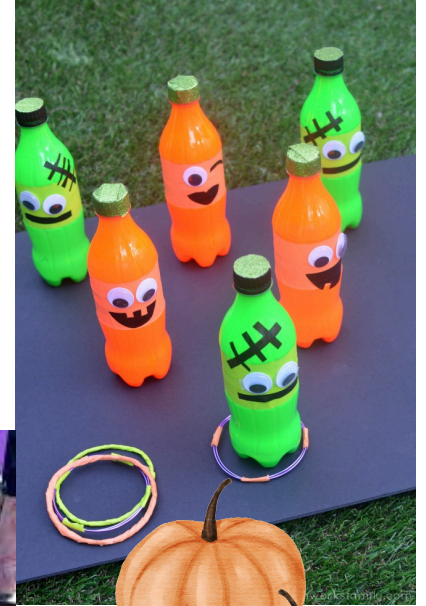
10/22 (Big Gym)

# THE LAST ILLUSION

**Synopsis:** Harry Houdini, one of the world's greatest illusionists, is honored in *The Last Illusion*, a play that captures his final performance through the memories of those who knew him. It reveals the man behind the magic, blending real events from Houdini's life with a heartfelt portrayal. With unique staging and an intimate atmosphere, the play stays true to his legacy, offering a captivating and personal glimpse into the life of this legendary magician.



# WORLDSTRIDES PENNY CARNIVAL



## GAMES

- FISHING FOR APPLES
- RING TOSS
- DUCK MATCH
- PUNCH-A-PRIZE
- PENNY TOSS
- GROSS SENSORY
- POP THE BALLOON
- KNOCK THE CANS
- CAKE WALK
- Prizes for winners!

## COST

- \$1-1 ticket
- \$5-7 tickets
- \$10-15 tickets

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO DONATE ANY BAKED GOODS FOR  
CAKE WALK CONTACT KRISTINA KRAMER (308) 629-7539

JOIN US AT THE HARVEST MOON FALL FESTIVAL ON  
OCTOBER 5, 2024 9AM-5PM  
LOCATED IN CHADRON, NE

## September Awards

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### Bobcat of the Month

Tayten Haas-

I have Tayten for two class periods a day. One of which, he works on his college class. He is always so positive and friendly to his peers. He works hard and makes the most of any situation, he is in. He is respectful to his teachers and peers, but most of all he is kind to everyone. Tayten is deserving of this award due to his resilience and the way that he treats other people.

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### Mini Bobcat of the Month

Aiden Hanig-

Aiden continues to display amazing friendship qualities in and out of the classroom. He is always willing to help a friend out. He is willing to include students with all abilities at recess, so that everyone can chat with other students. Aiden goes above and beyond to make other students feel included and tries his hardest to be a good friend to those around him. Go Aiden!

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### Bob Kitten of the Month

Grand Johnson-

Grand brings a level of excitement to class every day. From coming down the hallway, to the time, he leaves, he has a smile on his face, saying positive things, and what he does in class doesn't affect his behavior from class. It could be Grand's favorite thing or least favorite thing, no one would ever know, because he doesn't complain and brings his own positive energy every day. Grand makes others around him happier, and makes my day when working with him.

# Optimist Bobcat Club

