

JANUARY 2025

## BOBCAT BITS

Hemingford Public Schools





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Empowering
individuals to become
Resourceful,
Respectful, and
Responsible lifelong
learners.

THERE WILL BE NO
SCHOOL FROM
DECEMBER 23RD
THROUGH JANUARY
7TH CHRISTMAS
BREAK

## FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT'S STANDPOINT JANUARY 2025

By Dr. Travis MIller

#### Strive and Thrive in '25!

As we turn the page to a new year, I want to challenge our students, families, and staff to reflect on what they've accomplished and to envision what lies ahead. A new year brings new opportunities, and I encourage everyone to think about what striving and thriving means to them in 2025.

The start of a new year offers an ideal time to reflect, dream, and plan. I encourage everyone in Bobcat Nation—students, staff, and families alike—to set ambitious yet attainable goals for the year ahead. What do you hope to accomplish? How can you turn your aspirations into reality? Visualizing success and taking the first step toward achieving it can make all the difference. Let's embrace 2025 with optimism and determination, knowing that the future is full of possibilities.

For our staff, this is a time to recommit to our shared mission of empowering individuals to become resourceful, respectful, and responsible lifelong learners. As educators, we have the privilege and responsibility to guide, inspire, and support our students as they pursue their dreams. Let's continue to foster a culture of high expectations and unwavering support throughout the new year.

For families, I encourage you to partner with us in helping your children reach their potential. Take time to have conversations with your children about their goals and dreams, and work together to create a plan for success. Your involvement is invaluable, and together, we can create an environment where students thrive.

As we step into 2025, I am filled with hope and excitement for what lies ahead for Bobcat Nation. Let's make this a year of progress, growth, and achievement for all. I am confident that with our collective efforts, we can accomplish great things.

As always, I welcome your thoughts and ideas on how we can continue to make this school year exceptional. Please don't hesitate to reach out—whether by phone, email, or a visit to the office. Your input helps us grow and improve every day.

Keep up the outstanding work, Bobcat Nation, and let's make 2025 a year to remember!





#### **JANUARY 7, 2025**

FIRST DAY OF SECOND SEMESTER

#### **ELEMENTARY EXCERPTS**

I hope everyone had a wonderful holiday break and some much-needed time off.

With colder temperatures, please have students dress appropriately at school. We have recess outside as often as possible and would like to keep our students comfortable in all kinds of weather.

Even though we haven't had a lot of snow this year, there will probably be some during the third quarter. Having students keep an extra pair of pants in their backpacks can help keep them warm and dry if they get wet outside. In mid-January, we will again administer the NSCAS Growth and MAP Growth test to our students. The best thing for the students to do is get a good night's sleep and eat some breakfast in the morning. I know our students will do well and thank you for encouraging them to do the best they can.

A few weeks ago, Keep Alliance Beautiful announced the winners of their recycling scavenger hunt. The winners were: Kimberlee Ansley, Kevin Sorensen, and Cecilia Arneson. Way to go and keep recycling!





## MUSIC NOTES

BY MRS. ARNESON

K-12 Music Teacher

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#### 2025 DATES OVERVIEW

Mon, Jan 6 - Oregon Trails Honor Band - Congratulations to Aurora Hinman, Emily Johnston, Cash Keane, Cody Penaluna

Fri, Jan 10 & Fri, Jan 17th
Band Grades 7-12 Play for Varsity Girls and Boys
Basketball Games

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Mon/Tues, Feb 3-4 CSC High Plains Honor Band Congratulations to Emily Johnston & Cody Penaluna!

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Sat, Feb 8 Singing Youth of NE - Bridgeport Gr7-9
Mon, Feb 24 Panhandle Choral Fest
Tues, March 18 - WTC Honor Band at Hemingford
Sat, March 29 - Class C All-State Band - Kearney
Mon, March 31 - PANCO Contest - Morrill
Weds, April 23rd - District Music Contest - Alliance
Mon, April 28th 6pm Spring Concert - Band &
all 5th/6th Grade

Thurs, May 1st - K-4 Elementary & HS Vocal Sat, May 10th - Grades 7-12 Band at Graduation





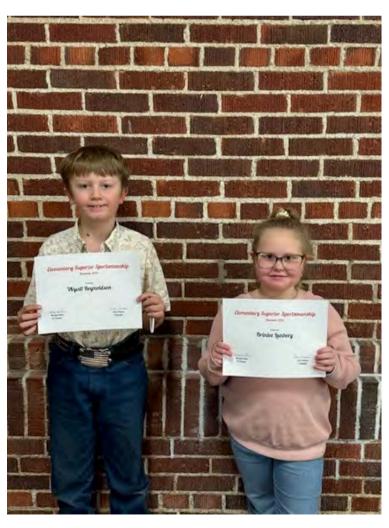


#### **ELEMENTARY PE NEWS**

DURING THE MONTH OF DECEMBER THE STUDENTS COMPLETED A UNIT WORKING WITH SCOOTERS AND HOCKEY. STUDENTS WILL START A UNIT ON BASKETBALL UPON RETURNING FROM CHRISTMAS BREAK. STUDENTS HAVE ALSO HAD SOME TIME TO PLAY GROUP GAMES FOCUSING ON TEAMWORK, SPORTSMANSHIP, AND PLAYING BY THE RULES.

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.

## DECEMBER SUPERIOR SPORTSMANSHIP WINNERS WYATT REYNOLDSON & BRINLEE LUNBERY



#### **November Awards**

#### **Bobcat of the Month**

#### -Emma Hitchcock

EMMA IS THE KIND OF STUDENT WHO BRIGHTENS EVERYONE'S DAY. SHE'S ALWAYS SMILING, LENDING A HAND, AND PUTTING OTHERS BEFORE HERSELF. HER **OUTSTANDING** SPORTSMANSHIP, BOTH ON AND OFF THE COURT, IS TRULY ADMIRABLE. EMMA IS A WONDERFUL ROLE MODEL FOR STUDENTS OF ALL GRADES, SHOWING KINDNESS, PERSEVERANCE, AND POSITIVE ATTITUDE. SHE'S A RAY OF SUNSHINE AT HEMINGFORD HIGH SCHOOL, AND THESE **AMAZING QUALITIES ARE SURE** TO TAKE HER FAR IN LIFE!

#### Mini Bobcat of the Month

#### -Tuff Dubs

TUFF HAS BEEN DOING AN AMAZING JOB THIS YEAR! HE COMES TO CLASS WITH A **GOOD ATTITUDE AND** ALWAYS COMES PREPARED. TUFF HAS BLOWN ME AWAY WITH THE QUALITY WORK HE IS DOING IN CLASS AND HE'S PROVING TO BE A GREAT ADDITION TO THE FRIENDSHIPS IN THE CLASSROOM. HE IS A MODEL STUDENT AND MAKES **TEACHING HIM** ENJOYABLE EVERY DAY! KEEP **UP THE AWESOME WORK** TUFF!

# Optimist Bobcat Club



#### **Bobkitten of the Month**

#### -Everly Wood

EVERLY WOOD EXEMPLIFIES
EVERYTHING THAT A PERSON
WOULD WANT FROM AN OVER THE
TOP 1ST GRADER! SHE IS ALWAYS
ON TASK AND WILL DO WHATEVER
IS ASKED OF HER. SHE IS A LEADER
FOR HER PEERS IN ALL THAT SHE
DOES! SHE IS ALWAYS CHEERFUL
AND EXCITED TO LEARN! SHE IS A
SWEET LITTLE GIRL AND SUCH A JOY
TO HAVE IN CLASS!

#### **Veteran Bobcat of the Month**

#### -Bailey Branson

SINCE DAY I OF ARRIVING AT HPS THIS MAN HAS CREATED POSITIVE RELATIONSHIPS WITH STUDENTS AND STAFF ALIKE. HE IS A TEACHER, A COACH, A SPONSOR, A DJ, THE VOICE OF THE BOBCATS, THE LIST GOES ON AND ON. I ADMIRE COACH **BRANSON'S ENERGY, HIS** WILLINGNESS TO HELP ANYONE IN ANY WAY THAT HE CAN, AND HIS BOBCAT SPIRIT. HPS IS A BETTER PLACE TO WORK BECAUSE OF HIM! THANKS FOR YOUR COMMITMENT TO BOBCAT NATION COACH BRANSON! **BLESSED TO HAVE YOU!** 



#### **December Awards**

## Bobcat of the Month -Bailey Sellman

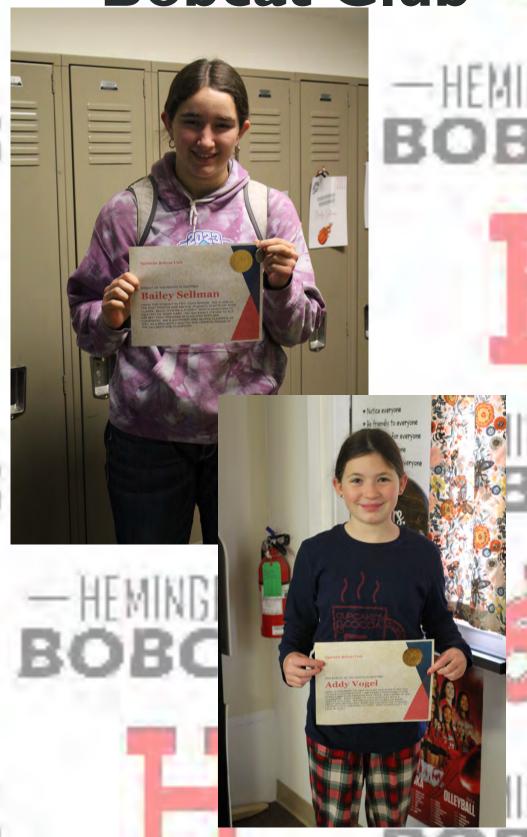
I HAVE THIS STUDENT IN TWO CLASS PERIODS. SHE IS ONE OF THE MOST POSITIVE AND HELPFUL STUDENTS IN BOTH OF THESE CLASSES. BAILEY IS NEVER A STUDENT WHO IS UNWILLING TO HELP OUT OR WORK HARD. SHE HAS AWAYS STRIVEN TO PUT HER BEST FOOT FORWARD IN CLASS AND WITH HER CLASSMATES. SHE IS AN HONEST AND HELPFUL CLASSMATE AS WELL AS A BRILLIANTLY POSITIVE AND CHEERFUL PERSON IN THE HALLWAYS AND CLASSROOM.

#### Mini Bobcat of the Month

#### -Addy Vogel

ADDY IS A PLEASURE TO HAVE IN CLASS AND ALWAYS WILLING TO HELP A **CLASSMATE OUT. SHE EXHIBITS RESPONSIBILTY** AND RESPECT AND IS AN AWESOME ROLE MODEL AND LEADER IN THE CLASSROOM. **ADDY COMES TO CLASS EVERYDAY WITH A POSITIVE** ATTITUDE. SHE HAS SUCH **FUN STORIES TO SHARE** ABOUT HER SIBLINGS AND WHAT SHE DID OVER THE WEEKEND, I ALWAYS LOOK FORWARD TO THEM. ADDY IS SUCH A JOY TO HAVE IN CLASS!

# Optimist Bobcat Club



#### **Bobkitten of the Month**

#### -Marley Skinner

MARLEY BRINGS SUCH A POSITIVE ATTITUDE TO CLASS. SHE SHARES HER SMILE WITH EVERYONE. I'VE REALLY ENJOYED SEEING MARLEY'S EXCITEMENT WHEN SHE COMPLETES SOMETHING CHALLENGING IN CLASS. SHE HAS BEEN PUTTING IN A LOT OF EFFORT INTO HER WORK, AND IT SHOWS. PROUD OF YOU MARLEY! MUCH RESPECT AND GUBN!

#### **Veteran Bobcat of the Month**

#### -Dena Paris

**ANYTIME I AM ANYWHERE** THROUGHOUT THE BUILDING AND I SEE MRS. PARIS, SHE IS HARD AT WORK AT WHATEVER HER DUTY IS AT THE TIME. I CAN TELL SHE TAKES A LOT OF PRIDE IN WHAT SHE DOES, SHE HAS HIGH STANDARDS, AND I **BELIEVE THE STUDENTS RESPECT THOSE HIGH** STANDARDS AND WILL BE BETTER STUDENTS BECAUSE OF THOSE EXPECTATIONS. MRS. PARIS TRULY WANTS THE BEST FOR THE HEMINGFORD STUDENTS AND WANTS THEM TO REPRESENT HEMINGFORD THE RIGHT WAY, MUCH LIKE SHE DOES, WITH A HARD **WORKING MENTALITY AND** RESPECT. MUCH RESPECT AND **GUBN!** 



## JANUARY EVENTS

Calendar events are subject to change. Please see our <u>website calendar</u> for the current calendar of events.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Sunday	Monday  Teacher Inservice - No School for Students  3:00pm: Basketball: Girls JV vs. Niobrara County (Away)  4:30pm: Basketball: Boys JV vs. Niobrara County (Away)  6:00pm: Basketball: Girls Varsity vs. Niobrara County (Away)  7:30pm: Basketball: Boys Varsity vs. Niobrara County (Away)	Tuesday  7 Start of 3rd Quarter  Red Day	Wednesday  1 No School - Christmas Break  8 White Day  FFA: District Contest	Part of the state	Priday  No School - Christmas Break  9:00am: Wrestling: Girls Varsity vs. Winnebago (Away)  10  White Day  2:00pm: Wrestling: Girls Varsity vs. vs. Sterling Perkins County Southwest Public Schools Paxton Bridgeport Gering Alliance Ogallala Chase County Hay Springs Public Bayard Morrill">Multiple Schools (Away)  3:00pm: Basketball: Girls JV vs. Lingle-Fort Laramie School (Home)  4:30pm: Basketball: Boys JV vs. Lingle-Fort Laramie School (Home)  6:00pm: Wrestling: Boys Varsity vs.	Saturday  4  9:00am: Wrestling: Boys Varsity vs. vs. Hyannis Sandhills Valley CO-OP Perkins County Hay Springs Public Dundy County Stratton Kimball High School Sutherland Bayard Minatare Crawford High School Holyoke Sedgwick County Morrill Sioux County Schools Wauneta-Pal  9:00am: Wrestling: Girls Varsity vs. Garden County Schools (Away)
					Gordon- Rushville">Multiple Schools (Away)  6:00pm: Basketball: Girls Varsity vs. Lingle- Fort Laramie School (Home)  7:30pm: Basketball: Boys Varsity vs. Lingle- Fort Laramie School (Home)	

## JANUARY EVENTS CONT.

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Red Day  White Day  Red Day  White Day  Red Day  White Day  Sandhills Thedford Knights (Away)  Red Day  PFA: State Degree Interviews  White Day  Red Day  9:30am: Wrestling: Boys Varsity vs.  Sandhills Thedford Knights (Away)  10:00am: Basketball: All: Boys JH (Date & Time Changed from 01-18-25) vs. Hav Springs  10:00am: Basketball: 10:00am: Ba		42	44	45	46	47	40
	1	Red Day  3:00pm: Basketball: Boys JH vs. Crawford High School (Home)  5:00pm: School Board	3:00pm: Basketball: Girls JV vs. Chadron (Away)  4:30pm: Basketball: Boys JV vs. Chadron (Away)  6:00pm: Basketball: Girls Varsity vs. Chadron (Away)  7:30pm: Basketball: Boys Varsity vs.	FFA: State Degree	2:00pm: Basketball: Boys JH (Date & Time Changed from 01-18- 25) vs. Hay Springs Public (Home)	3:00pm: Basketball: Girls JV vs. Bayard (Home)  4:30pm: Basketball: Boys JV vs. Bayard (Home)  5:00pm: Wrestling: Boys Varsity vs. Hyannis">Multiple Schools (Away)  6:00pm: Basketball: Girls Varsity vs. Bayard (Home)  7:00pm: Basketball: Boys Varsity vs. Bayard	Boys Varsity vs. Sandhills Thedford Knights (Away)  10:00am: Basketball: Boys JH (Date Changed to 01-16-25) vs. Hay Springs Public (Away)  11:00am: Wrestling: Girls JH vs. Gering (Away)  12:30pm: Wrestling: Girls Varsity vs. Gering (Away)  1:00pm: Basketball: Girls JV (Cancelled) vs. Sioux County Schools (Away)  1:00pm: Basketball: Boys JV (Time Changed) vs. Sioux County Schools (Away)  2:00pm: Basketball: Girls Varsity (Time Changed) vs. Crawford High School (Away)  3:30pm: Basketball: Boys Varsity (Time Changed) vs. Crawford High School (Away)

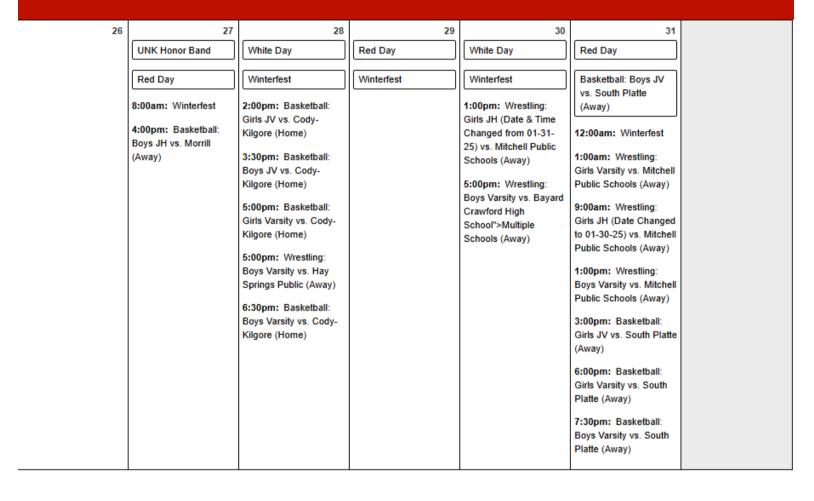
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		Schools (Away)			Girls JH vs. TBD	
					(Home)	
		Red Day			10:00am: Wrestling:	
					Girls JH vs. Lingle-Fort	
		9:00am: Life First			Laramie School	
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					Girls JH vs.	
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					SrChadronChase	
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					RushvilleHay Springs	
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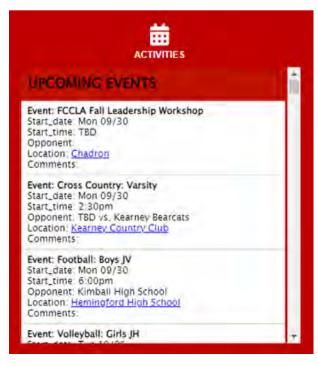
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## NEW ACTIVITY WIDGET

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

#### **JANUARY**

Milk is served with all meals

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		1 CHRISTMAS BREAK	CHRISTMAS BREAK	3 CHRISTMAS BREAK
6 CHRISTMAS BREAK	7 Pancakes PB&J Fruit or Juice	Breakfast Casserole Cold Cereal Fruit or Juice	9 Omelet Hash Brown Patty PB&J Fruit or Juice	Cinnamon roll Cold Cereal Fruit or Juice
Waffles Cold Cereal Fruit or Juice	Scrambled Eggs w/Hash Browns PB&J Fruit or Juice	Breakfast Sandwich Cold Cereal Fruit or Juice	Biscuit w/gravy PB&J Fruit or Juice	17 Breakfast Pizza PB&J Fruit or Juice
Bagel Twist Cold Cereal Fruit or Juice	French Toast Casserole PB&J Fruit or Juice	Tater Tot Breakfast bowl Cold Cereal Fruit or Juice	Dutch Waffles w/Strawberries PB&J Fruit or Juice	Blueberry Breakfast Cake Cold Cereal Fruit or Juice
Pancake Wrap Cold Cereal Fruit or Juice	French Toast Sticks PB&J Fruit or Juice	Burrito Cold Cereal Fruit or Juice	Blueberry Bagel With Cream cheese SausagePB&J Fruit or Juice	Yogurt w/muffin Cold Cereal Fruit or Juice

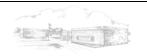
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USDA is an equal opportunity provider & employer.

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

#### **JANUARY**

Milk is served with all meals

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		1	2	3
	Christmas Break	Christmas Break	Christmas Break	Christmas Break
6 Christmas Break	7 Beefy Nachos Fruit Corn	8 Chicken Nuggets Fruit Green Beans	Spaghetti and Meat sauce Fruit Peas	Hamburgers Chips Fruit Carrots
Corn dogs Mixed Veggies Fruit	Pizza Fruit Corn	15 Chicken Strips Peas fruit	Chicken Bacon Ranch Pasta Bake Broccoli Fruit	Hot Ham and Cheese Sandwich Carrots Fruit
20	21	22	23	24
Chicken Bowls Fruit Corn	Bosco Sticks Fruit Green Beans	Grill Cheese Tomato Soup	Crispito With cheese sauce Peas and Carrots Fruit	Ready Rib sandwich Mixed Vegs Fruit
27	28	29	30	31
Calzone Corn Fruit	Chicken Patty on a bun Green Beans fruit	Mac and Cheese Fruit Peas	Chicken & Noodles over Mashed Potatoes	Sloppy Joe Sandwich Fruit Mixed Vegs

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#### **Hemingford Public Schools** 2024-2025 Calendar

Get Up Bobcat Nation!

https://www.hemingfordschools.org/

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Preschool will not be in session on half days and on Parent-Teacher Conference Days. Preschool sessions will be shortened during late starts or early outs due to inclement weather.

Breakfast will not be served on late starts due to inclement weather.

NOTE: This calendar does not allow for any inclement weather days as forgiven days. Depending on time of year and calendar status, days missed due to inclement weather, contagious disease, pandemic flu, or other Acts of God, may or may not be rescheduled as make-up days, subject to administrative discretion. If make-up days are added to the end of the year, the last day for students (May) and last day for teachers (May) will be later than noted herein.

## COMMUNICATION SOURCES

#### Contact us

Dr. Travis Miller - Superintendent/Secondary Principal
Mr. Eric Arneson - Elementary Principal
Mrs. Mandy Plog - Director of Student Services

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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: <a href="http://www.hemingfordschools.org">http://www.hemingfordschools.org</a>

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** 

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Youtube

## SCHOOL INFORMATION

#### Lunch Account System

Access your current account information online at <a href="https://foodservice.edutrak.com/">https://foodservice.edutrak.com/</a> 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. SAFE 2 HELP What you know matters. Make an anonymous report." Download App Or Call 833-980-7233

Android App

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 ADULTS

Use appropriate safety strategy for the hazard

Hazard Tornado Safety Strategy

Evacuate to shelter area

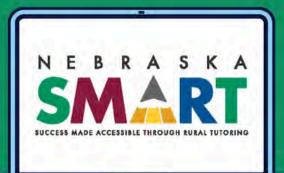
Hazmat Seal the room

Earthquake Drop, cover and hold Tsunami Get to high ground

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.





#### **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.



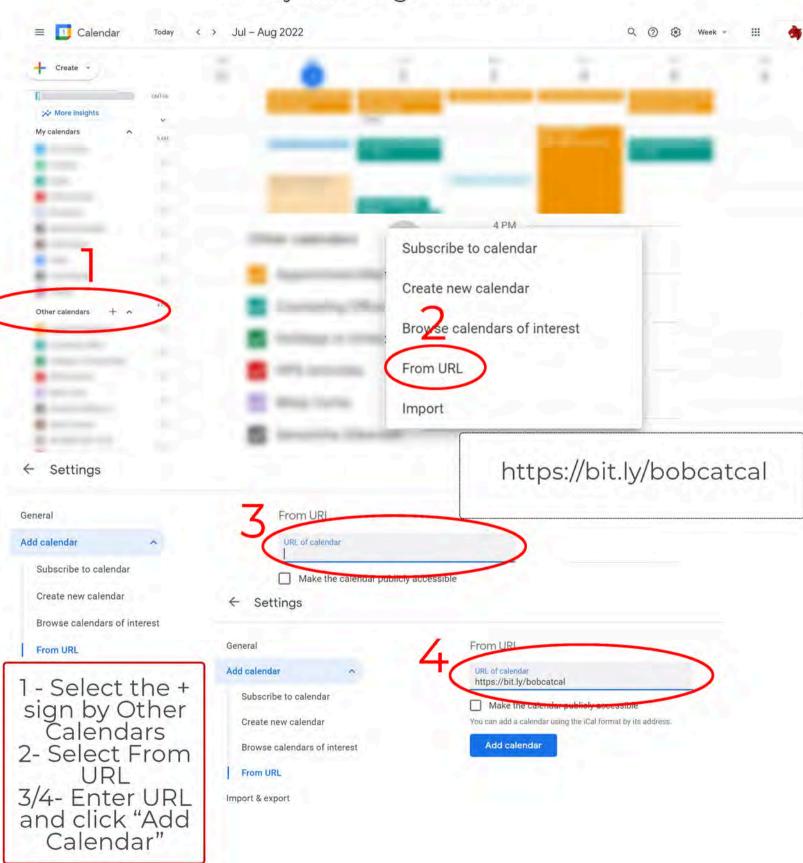
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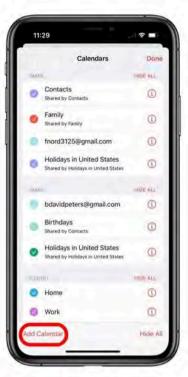
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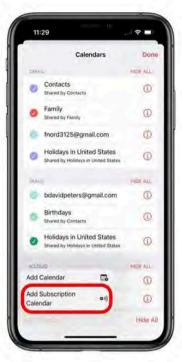


#### iOS Built in Calendar









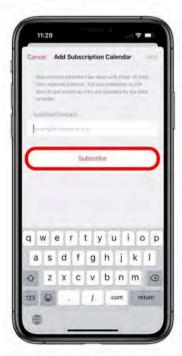
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Tap Calendars.

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

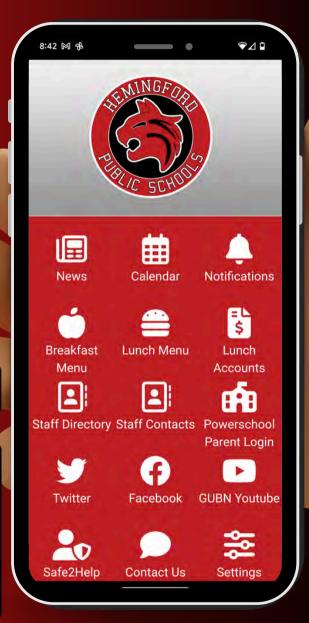
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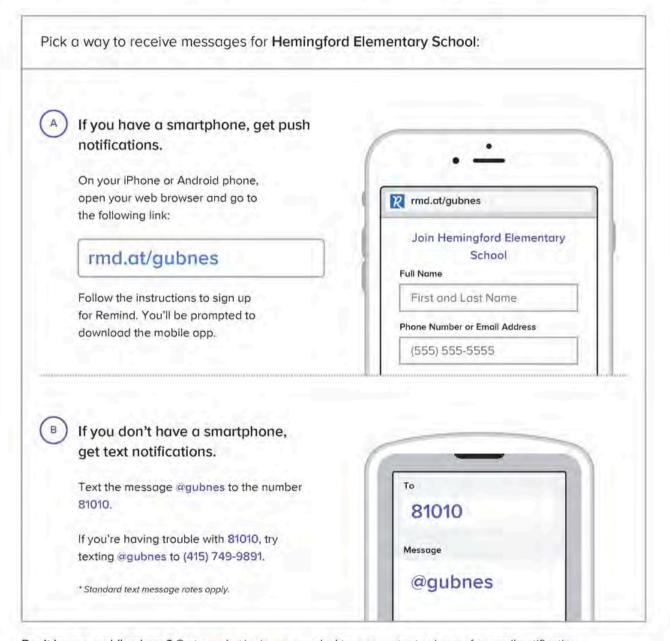






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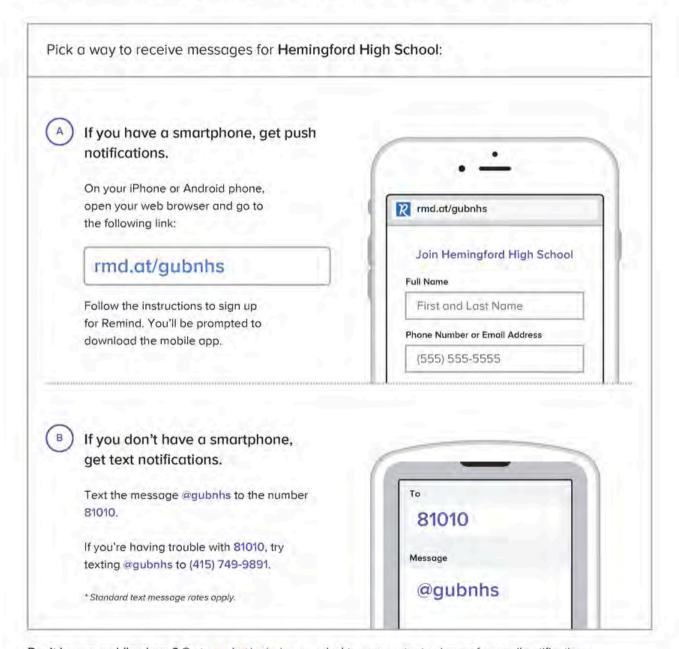
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## LET'S GO CASHLESS!!!



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.

## Help Your Son/Daughter Before, During & After Competition

#### **Before:**

- Know their goals, roles & needs accept them
- Release them to the game, their coach & team

#### **During:**

- Model poise, confidence & correct behavior
- Focus on all our team members

#### After:

- Give them time & space
- Be a builder of confidence & your relationship

Six Powerful Words: "I Love to Watch You Play"



