

## **Community Update from Mr. Hlasko**

November 21, 2014

### **Weather**

It certainly has been a brisk start to winter this week! With the snow, ice, and bitterly cold temperatures coming so early in November, many of the county schools were proactive in being cautious with young drivers and buses on the road early in the morning. Certainly, as winter sets in, this type of weather may very well be the norm if all the talk of another harsh winter comes true. We hope that our increased communication coverage for delays has helped prevent any issues with the Ohio Alert notifications. There is no update yet from our computer/internet cooperative site on any final plans for revamping this service or moving to another, more robust solution. We do expect, though, that a long-term solution will be in place sooner rather than later.

### **In-service Day**

Don't forget that Monday, November 24<sup>th</sup> is an in-service day for our staff. Our staff will participate in various professional development focused on helping us to continue to comply with ever-changing laws, as well as working to improve our assessment and data analysis efforts in conjunction with the District Leadership Team goals aimed at academic improvement for this school year (DLT goals are available online at the superintendent's website).

### **Parent/Teacher Conferences**

Thanks to all those parents who have scheduled parent teacher conferences. With the advent of Progress Book and email conferences, in some cases, can be less well attended but they still represent a great way of ensuring communication regarding, and support for, your child's success in school. We value your input and insight and with so many of our students spending countless hours at school with academics and extracurricular activities we hope we can continue to create a combined effort between school and home to foster their growth into responsible and successful citizens!

### **Congratulations to our Fall Athlete award winners!**

**Senior Fall All-Academic Athletes** Ian Moser, Danielle Badertscher, Kendra Tuttle, Matthew Alspach, Megan Ritter, Adrienne Erford, Jaden Stahl, Kyle Sands, Rachel Welch, Bekah White, Jacob Edwards,

#### **Girls' Soccer**

Becca Schutz (Jr)-First Team NCOSA  
Ally Huether (Jr)-Second Team NCOSA  
Brooke Shoemaker (So)-Honorable Mention NCOSA  
Haley Waltz (Fr)-Honorable Mention NCOSA

#### **Boys' Soccer**

Kyle Sands (Sr)-Second Team NCOSA  
Austin Schaller (Sr)-Honorable Mention NCOSA  
Ryan Stuckey (So)-Honorable Mention NCOSA

#### **Volleyball**

Megan Ritter (Sr)-Third Team BVC

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Adrienne Erford (Sr)-Honorable Mention BVC

Kendra Tuttle (Sr)-Honorable Mention BVC

**Football**

Matthew Alspach (Sr)-First Team BVC, Defensive Back

Ryan Forney (Sr)-Third Team BVC, Offensive Line

Ian Moser (Sr)-Third Team BVC, Receiver

Skyler Arnett (Jr)-Honorable Mention BVC

Jayden Hall (Jr)-Honorable Mention BVC

Zach Ream (Jr)-Honorable Mention BVC

Bryce Tuttle (So)-Honorable Mention BVC

**Have a relaxing and enjoyable Thanksgiving Break!!!**