

TIGER TALK



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Dear Parents,

Thank you for attending your child's activities throughout the school year. The combined effort of our staff, parents and community members results in a meaningful learning environment for our students. Attending activities allows our staff and students the opportunity to share many of the exciting learning experiences that take place at school. It also gives you an opportunity to show your child the importance of education and what it means to you.

Please remember that we ask all parents & visitors to enter the building through the front main entrance when bringing necessary items for your children. I visited with students and gave them permission to not open the outside doors for anyone. I want them to know that our school will be a safe place for learning. We are constantly looking at ways to keep our building as secure as possible and your assistance is greatly appreciated.

Also, posted in this newsletter are the Emergency Procedures for Paxton Consolidated Schools. Please read and be informed of procedures to follow in case of an emergency.

The school district staff with the help of local law enforcement and fire/rescue personnel will continue to conduct safety drills throughout the school year. Some of these drills may require parental participation.

Sincerely yours,

Del F. Dack
Superintendent



Emergency Procedures for Paxton Schools:

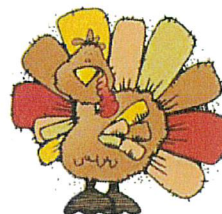
The Paxton School District has developed a Response Plan that is designed to minimize danger to anyone occupying our school should an emergency occur. Our main objective is to attend to the health and welfare of your child/children in the event of a crisis.

In most emergencies, your child/children will remain and be cared for at the school he/she attends. In the rare event of an emergency affecting your child's school that prohibits re-entry to the building (such as a broken gas or water main, a fire, or a toxic chemical spill), students will be moved to an alternate site. An alternate dismissal time will be determined, as appropriate, and announced.

We ask that you follow this procedure if you hear of any school emergency:

1. **TURN ON YOUR RADIO OR TELEVISION.** We will keep the media informed of an emergency.
2. **PLEASE DO NOT TELEPHONE THE SCHOOL.** We have limited phone lines. These **MUST** be used to respond to the emergency.
3. **PLEASE DO NOT COME TO THE SCHOOL UNLESS REQUESTED TO PICK UP YOUR CHILD AT SCHOOL.** Any emergency involving your child's school may mean emergency vehicles and workers must be able to get to the building. If the emergency necessitates relocation of staff and students, you will be informed via the media.

We appreciate your help and support to make our school a safe place for everyone.



Happy
Thanksgiving!

Tiger Pride - Mrs. Chittenden, Secondary Principal

It's November, the month of Thanksgiving! Our staff and our students in grades 6-12 are certainly thankful for each other! Be sure to check out what's happening at paxtonschools.org Live Feed!

Congratulations to senior Damin Luedke for competing at the State Cross Country Meet this year! Damin earned a 9th place medal at the State Meet! Damin was also the RPAC Conference Champion and the District Champion this year! So proud of Damin, Coach Lindsey Jorgensen and Assistant Coach Tyler Cassell for their great season! Rylin Johns, Haley Holzfaster, Jasper Brewster and Noah Connick also had a great XC season!

Coach Lisa Mitchell, Assistant Coach Erin Kuenning and the Tiger Volleyball Team ended their season in Subdistrict action in a four set loss to a tough Wauneta-Palisade team. Special thanks to seniors, Josie Callihan, Trista Detmer, Sierra Hicks and Emma Vasquez for their leadership this year!

Our Tiger football team also worked hard this season. Congratulations to our senior leaders, Caden Holm and Cody Kennicutt, the entire Tiger football team, Coaching Staff: Scott Jorgensen, Matt Fox and Brian Neilsen for all of their efforts this season!

Our Jr. High students also competed well this year in volleyball, football and cross country!

Best of luck to our One Act Team and Coaches Tomás England, Tania Fox, and Linda Drews as they compete in the RPAC West Division Play Production Contest @ 11 AM Sat. Nov. 20 @ Southwest High School in Bartley and in District Competition Mon. Nov. 29 @ North Platte High School. The Night of the One Acts performance of *Sherlock Holmes* will be Sat. Dec. 4 @ 7 PM at Paxton School.


Virtually ALL Paxton students participate in extracurricular activities ranging from fine arts to sports to academic programs. Being part of a team is another great way to be successful in school and to build critical life skills. One of our goals this year is to show gratitude for our school and community. Students and staff continue to think of ways to model positive behavior, be kind and support our Paxton Tiger Family.

We appreciate all of the efforts of our students and staff in the classroom and in extracurricular activities. Our entire Paxton Consolidated Schools Tiger Family is AWESOME! We look forward to sharing more examples of Tiger Pride as we go through the school year!
#We Are Paxton!

GO TIGERS

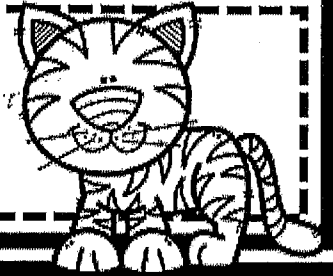
Paxton School Activity Calendar

November 2021
Happy Thanksgiving

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
				JH Wrestling @ Sutherland @ 1:00	NO SCHOOL	
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
FFA District Livestock Judging Contest @Curtis 7am	JH Wrestling @ Hershey @ 1:00	10:00 AM Late Start	Veteran's Day Program 10:30			
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
		11 th Grade ASVAB Test			JH Wrestling @ Med Valley @ 11:00	RPAC One Acts @ Southwest @11:00am
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
Senior Class pictures @ 10:30	JH Wrestling @ Perkins CO @ 1:30 G/B V Jamboree @ Paxton w/ Leyton & Sandhills Thedford@ 4:30 & 6:00	NO SCHOOL Thanksgiving Break	NO SCHOOL Happy Thanksgiving 	NO SCHOOL Thanksgiving Break		
28	29	30				
Districts One Acts @ NPHS	JH/HS Winter Sports Pictures @ 2:00					



Tiger News



November 2021

Dear Parents,

Fall is finally upon us, and the 2nd Quarter has begun! Thank you all so much for attending our Elementary Family Night on October 28. It was a pleasure to see all of you and have some time to share our Reveal Math and Second Step Curriculums with you. We are always happy to share more with families about our Title 1 programming as well, and would be happy to answer any questions you might have about Title 1 services.

November will find us busy, as always, learning new content and exploring new ways to collaborate and learn from each other. We will also be quite busy this month preparing for our Christmas Program, which will be held on Thursday, December 9.

Happy Fall Everyone!

I am thankful for all of my wonderful students, their families and our remarkable staff here at Paxton Schools!

GO TIGERS!!!!

Mrs. States

BRR!

Now that we are in the month of November, we are starting to see a drop in temperatures. It is very important that your child comes to school prepared for the appropriate conditions. Please remember that our students go outside year-round, and now is the time to pack or bring extra layers, coats, hats, gloves, and mittens. THANK YOU!

Tigers are....

Positive

Respectful

Responsible

Safe

#paxtontigerpride

Important Dates To Remember.....

**The PK-5th Grade Holiday Concert will be
December 9, at 6:30PM, in the East Gymnasium.
Christmas Break- December 22, 2021-January 3, 2022**




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PAXTON SCHOOLS BREAKFAST AND LUNCH MENU

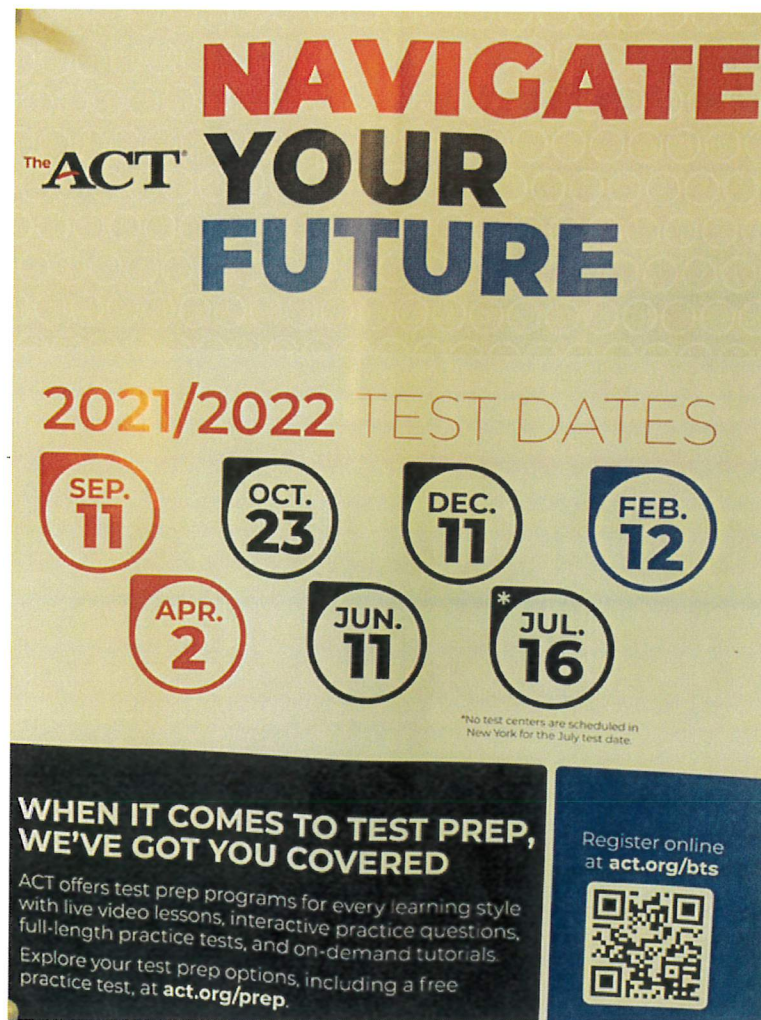
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Scrambled Eggs Squares & Buttered Toast Hot Dogs On a Bun & Chips	2 Donuts & Buttered Toast ★ Hamburger Gravy Over Mashed Potatoes, Roll & Butter	3 Pancakes & Syrup French Bread Pizza & Corn	4 Cinnamon Rolls Sub Sandwich & Waffle Fries	5 NO SCHOOL	6 THIS IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY PROVIDER
7 BREAKFAST IS SERVED WITH MILK, FRUIT OR FRUIT ALTERNATE CEREAL & TOAST IS AVAILABLE EVERYDAY	8 Sausage & Buttered Toast ★ Bacon Cheeseburger Soup & Crackers	9 Stuffed Sausage Waffles Breakfast For Lunch	10 10:00 Late Start ★ Hamburger or Cheeseburger On A Bun & French Fries	11 Raspberry Filled Churro ★ Super Nachos, Sour Cream & Rice	12 Grab & Go Corn Dogs & French Fries	13 LUNCH IS SERVED WITH MILK AND CHOICE OF VEGETABLES AND FRUITS
14	15 French Toast Sticks & Syrup ★ Sloppy Joes On A Bun & French Fries	16 Yogurt Parfait & Buttered Toast Flatbread Pizza & Corn	17 Sausage Gravy Over Biscuits White Bean Chili, Corn, Bread & Butter	18 Donuts Thanksgiving Dinner	19 Grab & Go ★ Flying Saucers, Breadstick & Baked Beans	20
21	22 Muffins & Buttered Toast ★ Chili, Cinnamon Roll, Cheese Stick & Crackers	23 Unrustable Pizza & Corn	24 NO SCHOOL	25 NO SCHOOL 	26 NO SCHOOL	27
28 ★ DESIGNATES DONATED BEEF OR PORK, DONATED BY THE TIGER BEEF AND PORK CLUB.	29 Eggs, Sausage & Buttered Toast Grilled Cheese & Tomato Soup	30 Pancakes & Syrup Chicken Fajita In a Tortilla & Rice				

Counselor's Corner

-Mrs. Jean Spencer

In our Natural High lessons for Red Ribbon week we discovered how your passions can give you a natural high that lasts forever. Some of the role models natural highs were helping people, competing, music, or a specific sport.

It is time for students interested in taking dual credit classes through MidPlains Community College to get registered for their Spring semester classes.



**NAVIGATE
YOUR
FUTURE**

The ACT

2021/2022 TEST DATES


Month	Day
SEP.	11
OCT.	23
DEC.	11
FEB.	12
APR.	2
JUN.	11
JUL.	16*

*No test centers are scheduled in New York for the July test date.

WHEN IT COMES TO TEST PREP, WE'VE GOT YOU COVERED

ACT offers test prep programs for every learning style with live video lessons, interactive practice questions, full-length practice tests, and on-demand tutorials. Explore your test prep options, including a free practice test, at act.org/prep.

Register online at act.org/bts



NHS NEWS

MEMBERS: JAYDEN GARTNER, ALLY JAY, JACOB HOLZFASTER, AND DAMIN LUEDKE

- Our National Honor Society Chapter hosted a blood drive on October 21. Our next donation is December 21 from 10:30-4:30 at the **Community Building!!** Contact a member to schedule an appointment! You can also schedule one on the Blood Donor app!
- Greenery orders will be delivered on November 22 & 23rd, just in time for the holidays!
- Damin's project is the Caring Rose week on November 8-13. Donate 2 cans of food and \$10 you'll receive a dozen roses. This takes place at Henhke's.
- Jayden worked on the project Team Runge for Pinkout, raising money to help the Runge family.