## TIGER TALK



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Happy New Year!

Can you believe it is time to welcome in the New Year? It must be true "time fly's when you are having fun". We had a great first semester and I can't wait to see what the second semester has in store for our Paxton School Family.

Winter is coming!! Please make sure your children come dressed appropriately for the weather. We have had an unusually warm winter up to this point, but winter is coming. Students traveling to and from school each day on the bus, driving themselves or riding with parents should always be prepared and have enough clothing to protect them in the event of an emergency. Each year we have local organizations donate winter clothing items for students. Please let us know if you need any of these items for your children. Having coats, gloves and hats for winter is something we can help with.

School Closings are always a possibility with winter coming. Whenever there is a school closing or late start, you will be notified through our school notification system. If you are not notified of a closing, please let the school know so we can make sure your phone number is correct in our system. We also notify local radio and TV stations of any closings and post it on District Livefeed and Facebook.

Here at Paxton Consolidated School we make the safety of our students and staff a top priority. We continue to educate ourselves on ways to prevent tragedies. Thank you for participating in the recent evacuation drill. Safety will continue to be a priority for us and we appreciate your help when noticing something out of the ordinary. We will continue to have safety drills during the upcoming second semester.

Your continued support of student activities is always appreciated and never more appreciated than this year. Whether you are supporting in person or by watching events on the Paxton Schools YouTube channel we know you are here for our students. Thank you!

With the New Year come new and exciting challenges for students, staff, and parents. Paxton Schools looks forward to these challenges and working with our school community to have a successful spring semester. Go Tigers!!

Stay Safe and Warm!

Educationally yours,

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Paxton Schools







## Tiger Pride - Mrs. Chittenden, Secondary Principal

As 2021 begins, we find ourselves halfway through the school year! We hope that the new year is filled with opportunities to set goals and celebrate success! Our staff and our students in grades 6-12 prove that Tiger Pride remains a powerful force at Paxton Consolidated Schools! Be sure to check out what's happening at paxtonschools.org Live Feed!

What a tribute to our Paxton students in grades 6-12 who have done so well academically this year while participating in so many extracurricular activities! Here are just a few highlights:

Play Production: RPAC Conference & District D2-5 Runner-Up

Paxton One-Act Team placed 2nd @ RPAC and District D2-5 competition with several students recognized as outstanding actors for their performance of *Sherlock Holmes*:

Best RPAC Actor: John Fricke

RPAC Honorable Mention: Damin Luedke, Joe Eakins, Jacob Holzfaster, Jasmine Burch, Sierra

Hicks, Josie Callihan, John Fricke, Trista Detmer and Jayden Gartner

D2-5 Outstanding Actor Awards: Damin Luedke, Jacob Holzfaster, Miles Rogge, Ally Jay, Miah Fox,

Josie Callihan, Jayden Gartner, and John Fricke

Special thanks to Director Tomás England, Assistant Directors Tania Fox & Linda Drews, Make-Up Assistant Dawn Fox, Bus Driver & Set: Matt Fox, Trailer Driver & Set: Michael Holzfaster.

## Sing Around Nebraska

Congratulations to Mrs. Peters and the following students for their selection to the Sing Around Nebraska program January 17, 2021 at North Platte High School! Concert @ 3 PM MT!

Gr. 4: Tristen Connick, Conner Curtis, Brynn Kuenning, Makayla Runge

Gr. 5: Brayden Dancer, Julia Flaming, Addison Holm, Lorelei Sitorius

Gr. 6: Jesse Connick, Alex Jenkins, Kaydence Mullen, Andi Spurgin

## **Honor Choir**

Paxton Music Instructor Tara Peters recently announced that Jasmine Burch, Ally Jay and Damin Luedke have been accepted to the UNK honor choir to be held at UNK on Monday, January 24, 2021! Congratulations! Concert @ 4:30 PM MT!

## Middle School Honor Band

Congratulations to Madilynn Mullen, Reece Glinn, Preston Runge, Marlee Gleason and Jaleigh Hansen for their selection to the Nebraska Middle School Honor Band Feb. 5, 2022 @ NPHS. Concert @ 2 PM.

FFA - District Leadership Development Event Contest was held Dec. 1, 2021 at North Platte.

## **Creed Speaking**

John Fricke (purple ribbon)
Noah Coppersmith (blue ribbon)

Junior Public Speaking

Ainsley McConnell (blue ribbon)

## Senior Public Speaking

Jasmine Burch (blue ribbon)
Josie Callihan (blue ribbon)

Sierra Hicks & Kobe Florom helped coordinate the Junior

**Public Speaking Competition** 

## **Group Ag Demo**

Caden Holm, Ashton Krab, Easton Finch, Tommy Markusson, Brenden Jenkins (red ribbon)

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

Positive Respectful Responsible Safe

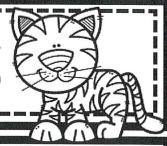
## January

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	Perkins Co. Speech Meet G/B V BB RPAC Tourny Consolation/Finals	22 G/B V BB RPAC Tourney @MHC TBA	Wallace Speech Meet @ 7:00am Student Council Snowball Semiformal Dance MS 7:00-8:30 HS 9:00-11:00	00	Hanning 1	Paxton Consolidated Schools Activity Calendar



## Tiger News



## January 2022

Dear Parents,

Happy New Year!! I hope you all had a wonderful holiday break! I am so glad to have students back in the classrooms and hallways, and I am looking forward to a busy and successful 2<sup>nd</sup> semester.

As the 2<sup>nd</sup> semester begins, please remember that my door is always open and I'm happy to answer any questions, or help with any concerns, you might have.

Thank you for sharing your wonderful children with the staff of Paxton Schools. Our students make each day exciting and fun!

GO TIGERS!!!! Mrs. States



## BRR!

Now that we are in the month of January, we are starting to see a dramatic drop in temperatures. It is very important that your child comes to school prepared for the appropriate conditions. Please call the school office if your child needs a winter coat, boots, gloves, or a hat. We would be happy to help! THANK YOU!

Tigers are...

Positive

Respectful

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Safe

#paxtontigerpride

## Important Dates To Remember....

January 4- First day of 2<sup>nd</sup> semester
January 10- 10:0AM Late start for students
January 31- NO SCHOOL



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# HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL

## PAXTON SCHOOLS BREAKFAST AND LUNCH

30	23	16	. 9	BREAKFAST IS SERVED WITH MILK, FRUIT OR FRUIT ALTERNATE CEREAL & TOAST IS AVAILABLE EVERYDAY	Sunday
NO SCHOOL	Donuts & Buttered Toast  Cheeseburgers On A Bun & Vegetables	Scrambled Eggs & Buttered Toast Chili, Cheese Stick, Cinnamon Roll & Crackers	Muffin Monday & Buttered Toast  Sloppy Joes on a Bun & Chips	NO SCHOOL	Monday
	Uncrustables & Buttered Toast Soups, Bread Stick & Crackers	Sausage & Buttered Toast  Tater Tot Casserole & Bread Sticks	Donuts & Buttered Toast Pizza & Corn	Sausage Patty & Buttered Toast Turkey Gravy Over Mashed Potatoes & Green Beans	Tuesday
	Yogurt Parfaits & Buttered Toast Ham & Au Gratin Potatoes, Bread Stick	19 Pancakes & Syrup Pulled Pork On a Bun & Baked Beans	12 10:00 Late Start NO BREAKFAST Teriyaki Chicken over Noodles & Bread Stick	Eggs & Buttered Toast  Super Nachos &  Carrots	Wednesday
	Raspberry Churro Chicken Nuggets, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy & Green Beans	20 Combo Bars & Buttered Toast Hot Ham And Cheese on a Bun & Chips	Egg, Bacon & Cheese Casserole & Buttered Toast Breakfast for Lunch	Waffles & Syrup Chicken Patty on a Bun & Cheesy Broccoli	Thursday
	28 GRAB & GO	GRAB & GO Corn Dogs And French Fries	GRAB & Go Tacos & Rice	GRAB & GO Hot Dogs on a Bun & Mac and Cheese	Friday
	29  M DESIGNATES DONATED BEEF BYTHE TIGER BEEF CLUB	LUNCH IS SERVED WITH MILK AND CHOICE OF VEGETABLES AND FRUITS	THIS IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY PROVIDER	co	Saturday