

**USD 224
Clifton-Clyde**



Eagle Express

News from the Superintendent

Dear Patrons,

Fall is squarely upon us. The weather has turned cooler, the storm windows have been closed, and the heater turned on. Most of the leaves in my neighborhood have dropped (which is good because we're tired of picking up). Thankfully, we had a great evening for Halloween and my family and I had a great time trick-or-treating.

Unfortunately, even though the season of fall is happening, the fall sports season is over for the Clifton-Clyde schools. The CCMS football and volleyball teams enjoyed successful seasons, respectively. They both had wins over very quality opponents and grew a lot during the season. The CCHS football, volleyball, and cross-country teams enjoyed success, too. The volleyball team won 20 matches which is the most wins for them since 1995. The football team made it to postseason while posting one of their best records at 9-1 in quite some time. The boys and girls cross country teams enjoyed success too with the girls team finishing 10th at the state meet. What great seasons for all groups. Thanks to students, coaches, and spectators for representing our communities with pride.

Even with the fall sports season coming to an end it doesn't mean there's a lack of things going on. The middle school basketball teams have already completed one evening of competition and went a combined 4-0 vs. Southern Cloud. The CCHS Scholar's Bowl competition season began last week as well with both JV and Varsity Scholar's Bowl competing. You'll find a small sampling of other activities that are happening in the schools with clubs and classrooms throughout this newsletter.

At the district level we're still continuing to move forward gathering info on high school science room and gym ceiling upgrades. On a smaller level we've had some brickwork completed at the middle school, we're looking at some changes to the grade school lunchroom, we're looking at upgrading our fleet, all the while continuing to try and meet the needs of all students. There are always exciting things going on.

As always if you ever have any questions feel free to call me at any time.

Sincerely,
Art Baker
-Clifton-Clyde Superintendent/HS Principal

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**Thanksgiving Break
November 21-23**



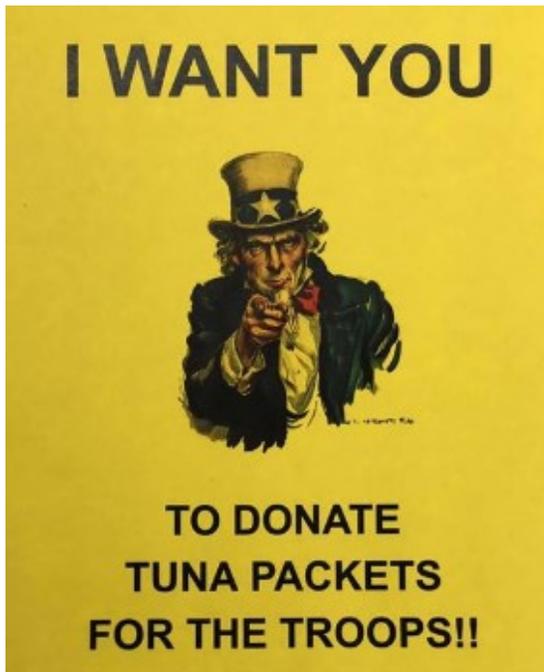
**November CCHS
Student of the Month,
Abigail Lee Petersen!**

Abigail Petersen is a Junior at Clifton-Clyde High School. She is the daughter of Shane and Brandi Petersen of Clyde. She has participated in Future Farmers of America (FFA), National Honor Society (NHS), Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA), Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), and Volleyball. Abigail has held the position of FFA Greenhouse Manager for the past 2 years. Abigail is very active in her youth group at the Brantfort Church as a Senior Co-leader. She has also been on the honor roll throughout high school. Abigail enjoys art, animals and working with plants. She plans on attending Kansas State University, majoring in Horticulture.

**All Twin Valley League
Volleyball Honors Announced**

Congratulations Olivia Nobert on receiving 1st team All TVL volleyball and Payton Girard on receiving 2nd team All TVL volleyball!

Here's what Coach Heldenbrand had to say about these two ladies, "I'm so, so proud. Thank you so much girls for all your hard work this season!! It definitely paid off!"



Clifton-Clyde FFA is collecting **2.6 ounce packets of tuna** for the North Central District FFA to send overseas to deployed troops from Fort Riley. Collections are due November 28.

Drop off at CCHS office
or ag room

CCGS and MS Celebrate Red Ribbon Week

Red Ribbon this week was celebrated October 23-31. This years theme was "Life Is Your Journey, Travel Drug Free"



Author Visits CCHS English Classes

Miranda Asebedo was born and raised in rural Kansas with a love of fast cars, open skies, and books. She carried that love of books to college, where she got her B.A. and M.A. in English, with an emphasis in Creative Writing and Literature. Her newest book, **The Deepest Roots**, was named a Young Adult BuzzBooks of Fall/Winter 2018!



2018 Haunted Hayrack Ride Complete

This year there were 831 riders which brought in approximately \$4000 to our students! Thank you to the approximately 130 volunteers that participated and everyone that came to support such a great community event!



Above: using the printer they were able to upgrade the ladies' restroom at CCHS. This will be a project that's a work in progress



Above: the "Rally Towels" were made for student council to sell at the CCHS football games and were a big hit!

Student Creations

Students in Mrs. Hinkle's Graphic Design class have been working to establish a class business they've named "High Street Eagle Apparel". They are working on many designs while learning how to use the newly purchased equipment. In time they'll have Eagle items for sale the public. Here are a few of their first completed projects.



Above and left: these are the first shirts the students are designing themselves. They're working learning how the program works, mixing the prints, how much print to use, and many other traits.



Above: These shirts are being made as an extra reward for the students that are awarded the CCHS student of the month.