



Commerce High School

December 2009



Christmas Parades

The annual area Christmas parades were Saturday, December 2. The Pride of Commerce marched in the Quapaw, Commerce, and Miami Christmas parades.

The CHS Band received first place in the Miami parade.

The cheerleaders also marched in the Commerce parade.



DECEMBER ACTIVITIES

Welch Basketball Tournament	7-12
FCCLA District Star Event	8
Science Club Trip to the Christmas Train	10
Band Concert at NEO at 7:00 p.m.	14
Spanish Club Christmas Party 7-10 p.m.	16
Winter Semi-formal Dance 7-10 p.m.	5
Miss Merry Christmas Assembly	18

FCCLA District Star Event

Mrs. Bolles took five students to compete at the FCCLA District Star Event on Tuesday, December 8. Ethan Crow and

Shaylee Smith competed in Creed Speaking. Mia Loring and Chelsea Bonham placed second in Illustrated Talk Over

Finances. Josh Ward tested over new member facts. The event was held at the First Baptist Church in Miami.

Semester Tests:

2nd, 4th, and 6th hours - Wednesday, December 16

1st, 3rd, 5th, and 7th hours - Thursday, December 17

Miss Merry Christmas 2009

Congratulations to Mariah Hayes for being chosen to represent Commerce High School in the Christmas parades as our 2009 Miss Merry Christmas Queen. Mariah will be escorted by Stephen Turley at the Christmas Assembly on Friday, December 18 at 12:30. The senior girls who will be

her attendants are Shelbee Benigar who will be escorted Levi Forbess, Jazmin Pinales who will be escorted by Jose Pena, April Brock who will be escorted by Arturo Cordova, and Robin Morris who will be escorted by T.J. Arnold.



NHS Fundraiser

The Commerce High School NHS had a fundraiser to help support the Ronald McDonald House of Joplin. They raised one hundred and fifty-one dollars this year. Thank you to everyone who participated in this effort by giving of their time or money.

Some of the NHS members who participated in this fundraiser are pictured below.

Pictured below left to right: Mandy Watson, Jerrica Trease, Angel Zaragosa, Jacey Knight, Taylor Stevenson, and Courtney Watson.



January Activities:

Tuesday, Jan. 12:

Senior Panel Picture Retakes
High School and Middle School Basketball Pictures
Club/Organization Pictures

January Basketball Schedule:

Jan. 5 at Baxter Springs 6:30
Jan. 7 at Southeast 6:30
Jan. 11 at home vs. Afton 6:30
Jan. 12 at home vs. Welch 6:30
Jan. 15 at home vs. Fairland 6:30
(Basketball Homecoming 6:00)
Jan. 18-23 Sarcoxie Tournament
TBD
Jan. 19 at Bluejacket 6:30
Jan. 26 at home vs. Wyandotte
6:30