



# Hartington-Newcastle Public Schools

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*Mission Statement: To develop students of character while empowering them to achieve personal success.*

Teachers, Students, Parents, Guardians, & Community Members –

Hartington-Newcastle Public Schools is continuing to monitor the COVID-19 situation in our community and in the surrounding area. We are in constant discussion about the potential for postponing and/or cancelling events. Please keep in mind the difference between the two words:

**Postponement** – The event will not be held on the originally scheduled date, but it may be moved to a later date.

**Cancellation** – The event will not be held and will not be rescheduled.

**SCHOOL HAS BEEN SHUT DOWN FROM MARCH 17 TO MARCH 30. WE WILL REASSESS THE SITUATION AT THAT TIME.**

At this time, we would like to announce the following **cancellations** for events:

- \*Tuesday, March 17 – Track & Field Parent Meeting and Dinner
- \*Thursday, March 19 – FFA Labor Auction
- \*Friday, March 20 – WSC Indoor Track & Field Meet
- \*Wednesday, March 25 – Dress Up Dinner @ School
- \*Thursday, March 26 – FFA State Convention Parent Meeting
- \*Saturday, March 28 – All-State Band & Jazz Band @ Kearney
- \*Monday, March 30 – NECC Jazz Festival
- \*Wednesday, April 1-Friday, April 3 – State FFA Convention
- \*Saturday, April 4 – Prom
- \*Sunday, April 5-Tuesday, April 7 – State FCCLA Convention
- \*All Elementary Field Trips for the Remainder of the Year
- \*All State Testing (ACT & NSCAS) Cancelled by the Nebraska Department of Education

The following events are being **postponed** for the time being:

- \*Wednesday, March 18 – NSAA District Speech Competition
- \*Friday, March 27 – NSAA State Speech Competition
- \*Thursday, April 2 – Pre-School & Kindergarten Round

We will continually update this list to keep it as current as possible. If you have questions about the status of an event, please feel free to contact the school for that information.

Thank you for your understanding as we move through these uncertain times.

Sincerely,

Corey Uldrich  
7-12 Principal

**\*\*\*New Information from previous letters will always be highlighted in GREEN.**