

Ironmen Outlook

Nowata Middle School Newspaper

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Halloween

This year, Friday the 30th, the day before Halloween, we are dressing up as characters for our ELA classes throughout our middle school. The 7th and 8th grade are dressing up as characters from “The Wonderful Wizard of Oz.” The rest of the student body can dress up too. By: Hailey Gillman



Middle School Band and Choir Concert

Beginning Band

Jase Alba
Riley Branstetter
Jaden Bryer
Ryker Garner
Maria Gomez
Savannah Hultz
Kollin Ivie
Shelby Webster

MS Band

Tate Ashley
Tristan Murphy
Amelia Prince
Brysen Toth
Jackson Vanderpool
Molly Watts
Sequoia Workman

Middle School Choir

Bailey Belden
Ariel Bratt
Briana Deatherage
Hayden Foster
Nevaeh Foster
Rachel Harper
Haelee Hesslen
Destiny Hill
Fally Nicholas
Quinton Orand
Adam Oxford
Ella Sharp
Alexis Warner
Molly Watts

This year, the band and choir concert was on October 6th, 2020. The band and choir director is Jennifer Prince, and the accompanist is Marilyn Custer. The concert was in the old gym in the middle school. The beginning band played “Mary had a Little Lamb,” “Hot Cross Buns,” “Lightly Row,” and “An Clair De La Lune.” The middle school band played “Starsplitter Fanfare” and “Abandoned Treasure Hunt.” The middle school choir sang “Cripple Creek” and “This Is Me.”

By Kahlyn Reese



College Football

Week 5: The Tulsa Golden Hurricane beats number 11 UCF 34-26. The Oklahoma Sooners lose to Iowa State 37-30. Oklahoma State beats Kansas 47-7.

Week 6: The Oklahoma Sooners defeat the Texas Longhorns 53-45 in 4 OT by picking off Ehlinger's pass Oklahoma State has a bye week.

Week 7: Oklahoma State was postponed due to coronavirus and the Sooners had a bye week.

Week 8: Oklahoma State kept it tight with Iowa State and beat Iowa State 24-21. Oklahoma dominated TCU 33-14, and Tulsa beat South Florida 42-13.

Week 9: Oklahoma State has a controversial loss to Texas in OT 41-34, Oklahoma Sooners beat Texas Tech 62-28.



NBA Finals

The 2020 NBA finals have sports fans on the edge of their seats, as the Miami Heat and the Los Angeles Lakers have been battling back and forth. The Lakers are up 2 to 1 on the Heat in the series. The Heat won the last game 115 to 104. Jimmy Butler is an absolute beast on the court, as he scored a 40 point triple-double. I see why they call him Jimmy Buckets. He didn't do it alone; he also had help from 3 partners: Duncan Robinson, Kelly Olynyk, and Tyler Herro. Duncan Robinson put up 13 points and Tyler Herro and Kelly Olynyk put up 17 points to take down the Lakers 115 to 104, keeping LeBron to 25 points and Anthony Davis to 15. Davis is normally 30-per-a- game scorer. By: Talon Thompson



The Finals

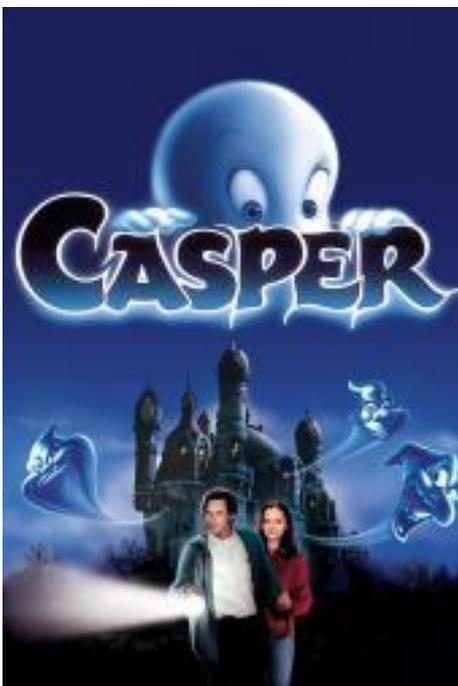
NFL

The Bears and the Rams play each other at 9pm central time, Jared Goff, the quarterback for the Rams, versus the quarterback for the Bears, Nick Foles. Jared Goff looks to recapture his rhythm. While the Browns play the Raiders Sunday at 12:00 pm, Baker Mayfield versus Derek Carr. Odell Beckham Jr. is out with an ACL tear. The Buccaneers played the Raiders and Tom Brady and his team won 45 to 20, winning by 25 points. The cowboys vs the Giants the Cowboys out score the Giants by three points 34 to 37 with Dak Prescott out the back up QB, Andy Dalton for the Cowboys had to stand up and take charge to lead the team to victory over the New York Giants. By: Talon Thompson



Movie and TV Review

Joe Oriolo and Seymour Reit, the authors of “Casper the Friendly Ghost” produced the movie in the late 1930’s for the first time. Throughout time, there have been multiple different movies produced and multiple books. The original was based on a children’s book and was also turned into a cartoon series. All of the movies are pretty similar, meaning they all begin with a one parent and a teenager moving into a haunted house. There were four ghosts in the total, Casper the friendly ghost, and then the three bad ghosts. Fatso, Stinkie, and Stretch do their best to torture the people living in the house and Casper. It is important for parents to know that there are deaths and some scenes where they talk about grieving the loss of parents. In my opinion, Casper the friendly ghost is an amazing halloween movie that is severely underrated. By: Kennedy Newsom

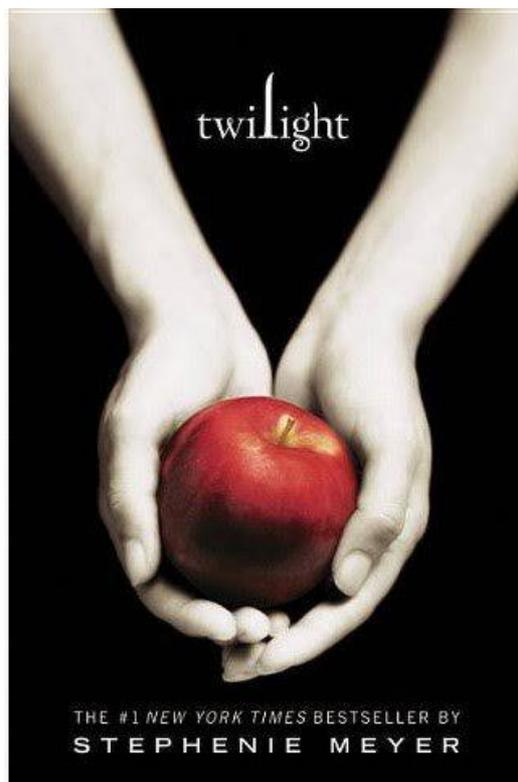


In the series, Umbrella Academy, each of the children have their own superpowers. 43 women, who were not pregnant the day before, gave birth to kids with supernatural powers. Sir. Reginald Hargreeves adopted seven of the children, but in a misfortunate event number six, Ben, died. After Ben and his mother died, most of them left the Umbrella Academy. Each child, when adopted, was given a number, but as time went by and they moved out to have normal lives, and gave themselves normal names. Number one, Luther, has super strength because when he was younger, got an injection put in him to give him his power. Number two, Diego, has perfect aim, so when he throws his knives, he can control where they go with his mind. Number three, Allison, has mind control. When she says, “I heard a rumor,” whatever comes out of her mouth next, the person does. Number four, Klaus, can talk to the dead. After his brother, Ben, died, he could still see and talk to him. Number five is the only one without a name, and he can space and time travel. When he was younger he got into an argument with his adopted father and traveled years back in time. Number six, Ben, could summon tentacles before he died. Number seven, Vanya, can harvest sound and turn it into energy; her power is also connected to her emotions. The show is about an extraordinary group of siblings who try to stop the world from ending. They have to find out why it is going to end and what is the cause. They try multiple things to stop it from happening, but most of those things don’t seem to work out. In my opinion, the Umbrella Academy is an amazing show and it is very interesting. By: Kennedy Newsom



Book Review

Twilight was written by Stephenie Meyer. It was published in 2005. The first book is about a girl, Bella, who falls in love with an undercover vampire. She later finds out, but doesn't care. Bella also finds out her childhood best friend is a werewolf that's in love with her. I've read this book only once, but I really like it. It's entertaining, and I recommend it to teens and young adults who like romance and drama. I'd give it a 4.5 star rating. It kept my attention throughout the entire book, and surprised me at every plot twist. By: Addyson Patton



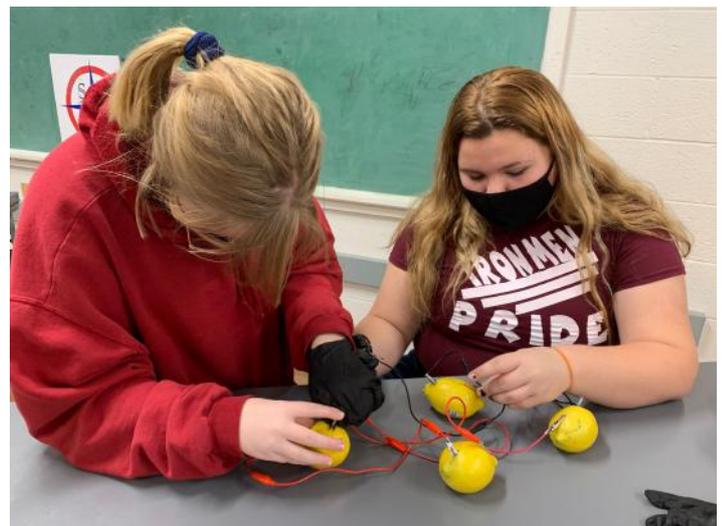
Teacher of the Month

The teacher of the month is Mrs. Sanco. She is the english teacher for the 7th grade. She was born on December 9th, and her favorite color is yellow. Mrs. Sanco's favorite time of year is fall and spring, as she, "Loves all the flowers and colors, and the baby calves on her farm." Her favorite place to eat at is the pioneer woman's restaurant, she likes anything there. Her favorite sport is cheerleading , she wants everyone to know that "Yes, it's a sport." Mrs. Sanco's favorite book is "The Great Gatsby," and her favorite plays are "Macbeth" and "Romeo and Juliet." The best advice she's been given about teaching is to, "Say what you mean, and mean what you say." Mrs. Sanco's favorite part of teaching is that she loves getting to know students on a personal level, she also likes to teach students things they thought were too difficult. Late work is her worst enemy.
By Kendra Sellers



Seventh Grade PLTW

This past month in Magic of Electrons, Mrs. Hollingshed taught us about circuits. We made batteries out of lemons and potatoes by taking a copper wire and a galvanized nail and sticking them around halfway into each energy source. After both pieces of metal were inserted into the potatoes and lemons, we took alligator clips and attached them to each piece of metal. We then attached the alligator clamps to a tiny red LED light to try to get the LED to light up. However, even after we had three or four lemons attached to each other, we could not get the LED to work correctly. We attached two potatoes together, which have a higher voltage than the lemons, but the LED still didn't light up. By: Molly Watts



Restaurant Review

Wise Beans Coffee Shop

Need a coffee or drink? Then go to Wise Bean's coffee shop for a delicious chocolate milk or coffee. Or try the exclusive Italian Cream Sodas or macchiato flavors, such as the new Snickerdoodle Macchiato.

Wise Beans coffee shop was founded by Sam Wisely on October 22, 2019. Sam decided on a coffee shop because he enjoys good coffee. He came up with the name by combining his last name and coffee beans.

Since opening, they have grown by 75% from opening day and have several regular customers. He knows some of his regular customers by their drinks and starts making their favorite drink as soon as they enter the store. By: Tristan Scarmado



Red Ribbon Week

October 26th through the 30th is Red Ribbon Week! Red Ribbon Week is when we get to dress up at school for drug awareness. By attending the dress up days below, we will help raise awareness for underage drug use. By Jackson Vanderpool and Brooklyn Malone



Monday- PJ Day



Tuesday- Favorite Hat Day



Thursday- Favorite Team Day



Wednesday- Camo Day



Friday- Halloween Costumes