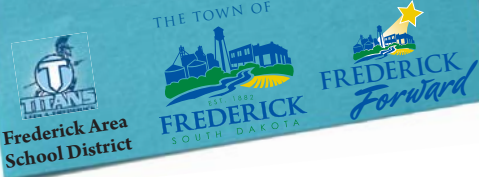


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What's coming up

SATURDAY, FEB 4

JH BBB at Ellendale, 10a.m.

Titans BB DH vs. Webster, 1p.m.
at Frederick

MONDAY, FEB 6

Miss SD Visits FASD,
10a.m. - 11a.m. at Frederick

JH BBB vs. Warner, 5p.m.
at Frederick

Westport & Frederick City Council
Meetings, 7p.m.

RURTB Community Meeting,
7:30p.m. at Frederick Cafeteria

TUESDAY, FEB 7

Titans BB DH vs. Edmunds Central,
4p.m. at Roscoe

WEDNESDAY, FEB 8

Region 4 Music Contest,
9p.m. at ARCC

THURSDAY, FEB 9

JH BBB vs. Northwestern,
4p.m. at Frederick

Titans BBB at Oakes, 6p.m.

FRIDAY, FEB 10

JH BBB vs. Edmunds Central,
5p.m. at Leola

MONDAY, FEB 13

FASD School Board Meeting, 6p.m.
at Frederick School Library

Half Way to Park Play

By KRISTI MIKKONEN
Frederick Forward

Over the Christmas Holiday a very large crate as well as boxes of parts and bags of bolts and screws were delivered to Frederick. Once put together with some much needed volunteers, the largest and most visible new piece of

equipment for Simmons Park will be available for the younger generation in and around Frederick. But that's only halfway to the goal.

What's needed to complete the other half of this project is of course MONEY. Approximately \$15,500 more is needed to complete the 2nd

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Kids Donate over \$600 to Simmons Park

Pictured are the Frederick Area 1st graders with money raised by the Penny Drive. \$673.82 was donated to the Simmons Park project while the rest of the money raised went to the local giving tree and student council expenses.



South Dakota Snow Queen Festival



Local 2017 winners Lauren Geranen, Jr. Snow Queen & Miranda Sumption, Sr. Snow Queen represented Frederick Area at the state competitions in January. Out of 28 contestants, Miranda Sumption took 1st Runner-up. Both girls represented our community beautifully. Since 2006 Frederick has had one South Dakota Sr winner, one Jr. Snow Queen winner, 6 Miss Congeniality winners and 2 first runner-ups at the state contest.

By DEMI TRUEBENBACH
FASD Journalism

The new year is here and thus brings the South Dakota Snow Queen Festival. On January 6th the Jr. Snow Queen contest was held where Lauren Geranen represented Frederick as Jr. Miss Frederick Area. The weekend was full of activities where Lauren had a lot of fun and made

See full article on page 11

Focus on the Positive

BY ASHLEY LARSEN
Frederick Area Counselor



We are back in the swing of things after quite the eventful Christmas Break gave us quite the storm to remember. Now that we are back in session these are the things at school we have been up to during counseling. We have been working on building our self-esteem, many of the students struggled with this as the activities we have been working on made them feel like they were 'bragging' about themselves. So we had a discussion between the difference of bragging and celebrating who we are and what we are proud of in our lives. Where I derived this idea from was that according to data

of all the things we think about ourselves 70% of them are negative and we are our biggest critics. With that in mind only 30% are uplifting and positive, so I wanted to really talk about the importance of focusing on the positives in life and creating projects that had not only positive thoughts about the student, but I had their class go around and write something positive about each student as well. For we are always going to have negative feelings or thoughts about ourselves at some point, so the students now have a visual of all the things they should be celebrating about themselves so they can pick themselves back up out of those negative feelings and move forward.

Our seniors are working very diligently this half of the school

year as many scholarship application deadlines are coming to a close and receiving this aid when going off to college will save them a lot of debt in the future. I share with all the seniors a calendar where I invite them to the application deadline date as well as attaching the application or website to reach it so that at any time they are able to access these scholarships and be reminded of impending deadlines. Remember seniors this is the only free money for your post education that will not have to be paid back at all, yet alone with interest. It is worth your time!



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School Board Appreciation

BY KNUTE REIERSON
Superintendent



**SUPERINTENDENT
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Being a School Board member is a tough job. There are various reasons a person gets on a school board, but regardless, some very important duties are carried out in the fulfillment of this task. Local control is a “buzz word” flying around the educational world these days. Every organization likes to have local control. One vital area of local control that school boards monitor is regulating what is being taught to our students.

Some good questions to ask are ... “What subjects and special electives are most interesting and unique (necessary) to the Frederick Area? How can these special electives add to the ability of our students to meet their needs as it relates to their future college decisions or career choices?” Another aspect of being a school board member is that they are responsible for approving staff contracts and policy so that the staff hired can carry out those mandates to the best of their ability.

School boards are also accountable to the public for the performance of the school and how they spend the local (77%), state (18.5%), and federal (4.5%) dollars entrusted to them. With a \$2.6 million budget being the watchdog of the local tax dollar is a very important job. The Frederick Area School Board does a very good job of being responsible with the finances entrusted to them.

Each year the ASBSD (ASSOCIATED SCHOOL BOARDS OF SOUTH DAKOTA) designates a week to recognize and honor our SD School Board members. The week of February 20 – 24 is the week to thank these men for their diligence and faithfulness while fulfilling this important public responsibility. So when you see Alex Hart, Eric Sumption, Dan Nickelson, Rich Schlosser, or Jon Ellwein, please say thank you for the extra efforts they put in to make the Frederick Area School a great place!

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Spirit of Community

BY JESSICA RINGGENBERG
K-12 Principal



**PRINCIPAL
CORNER**

I want to take this opportunity to give a big “thank you” to the Frederick Area community! Just before Christmas break, the school held a penny war to raise money for the local giving tree. The operation of the penny war was simple, students brought pennies to their class jar for a positive score and could bring silver coins or dollar bills to put in another class’s jar for negative points. There are some pretty proud first graders in the building, who had the best negative score; winning a pizza party.

After being in the district for over ten years now, one would think I would understand the generous spirit of this wonderful community, but as always, it continues to amaze me. In just two short weeks, the Frederick Area students had a blast raising \$1050.00! This is far more money than we could use for the giving tree, so in addition to making purchases for a couple of people on the local tree, it was also decided that the money raised should be used for another local community project. Therefore, I am happy to announce that the students of Frederick will be putting a large part of the money raised to the Simmons Park project currently being worked on by the Frederick Forward and Rise Up and Raise the Bar Committee. It is our hope that everyone will be able to take advantage of the equipment and the Frederick students are proud to be able to do their part in this project. Again, thank you so much for all that you do to support our students. This community partnership plays a key role in the success of our students and is something we all appreciate beyond words.



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Half Way to Park Play

By KRISTI MIKKONEN
Frederick Forward

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phase of Simmons Park. Additionally, the project has other needs if excess money isn't available for your business or family to donate.

☒ Volunteers to help put the equipment together and fix existing equipment

☒ Surface for soft play like sand, small gravel, real or artificial grass, wood chips

☒ Fitness Experts to help pick the most useful, effective and popular equipment for adult fitness

☒ Help Spread the word to neighbors, businesses, former

residents, alumni and others who can help make this happen

If you would like to donate money, time, materials or expertise to help bring this project to full completion, call Krysti Mikkonen at 605-380-3770.

Together we are Rising Up and Raising the Bar to make some major improvements to Simmons Park.



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Next Rise Up Community Meeting set for February 6th

BY HEIDI MARTILLA-LOSURE
RURTB Core Team Member

Get ready to take the next step in the Rise Up & Raise the Bar effort!

Another gathering of the community is planned for Monday, Feb. 6, from 7:30 to 9 p.m. at Frederick Area School.

All those who signed up for an initiative team at the November gathering are invited to come—and all those who didn't attend but are interested in moving the communities of Barnard, Elm Lake, Frederick, and Westport are invited to come. As before, the more people we have, the better the ideas will be, and the more we'll be able to accomplish.

The November community gathering identified 10 areas where people want to see progress: business, day care, infrastructure, school sustainability, arts, philanthropy, recreation, housing and health care.

One purpose of the gathering on Feb. 6 is to prioritize: Where do we want to put our energy first to see action? Focusing our efforts will help us accomplish more, and then we'll



be able to move down the list to other priorities.

The second purpose of the gathering is to help the people of the four communities to get to know one another a little better. If this project helps us build stronger connections

across the school district, that will be an accomplishment in itself, and it will help us do even bigger things in the future.

After this meeting, we'll divide into initiative teams and get to work.

Please plan to attend, and bring a friend!

Junior High Boys Basketball

BY SPENSER VETTER
EASD Journalism



The Junior high basketball squad is off and running, with only five practices during the first two weeks they are working for every opportunity

they get. There are thirteen boys out in grades 6-8 and only two are eighth graders. The younger kids need to step up and show their leadership. Knute Reierson is the Junior High boy's basketball coach. "We need to improve on shooting, dribbling, passing, catching, and boxing out." These are the key aspects they need to win more

games. Winning isn't everything he also said, "it's all about having fun and always doing your best. With a young team it is very hard to teach them everything right away." The main concerns for Coach Reierson are to make sure everyone gets the chance to play, that they realize what they need to improve on, and to show more confidence.



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Monday, Feb. 6

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FREDERICK AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT #6-2 January 9, 2017

The meeting was called to order on January 9, 2017 at 6:00 p.m. by Vice Chairman Eric Sumption. Members present were Jon Ellwein, Dan Nickelson and Alex Hart. Others present were Principal Jessica Ringgenberg, Deb Klapperich and Janel Wagner.

The meeting began with all present reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

Vice Chairman Sumption called for Conflict of Interest Disclosures. None were acknowledged.

Action 16-78 Motion by Hart second by Nickelson to approve the amended agenda. All aye, carried

Action 16-79 Motion by Nickelson second by Ellwein to approve the consent agenda which included the following items:

- A. Minutes
- B. Financial Statements as presented

	<u>GENERAL FUND</u>	<u>C.O. FUND</u>	<u>SP. ED. FUND</u>	<u>PENSION</u>
Beginning Checking Bal	\$43,271.41	\$1,110,696.62	\$374,001.31	\$100,342.86
RECEIPTS:				
<u>Taxes</u>	\$74,433.08	\$85,586.76	\$40,207.78	\$8,558.70
<u>Local Sources</u>	\$12,561.80			
<u>Interest</u>	\$65.68			
<u>Federal & State</u>	\$70,080.61			
<u>Investments</u>	\$837,241.07	\$40,429.40	\$256,175.05	\$45,189.23
<u>Disbursements</u>	\$142,186.73	\$6,769.44	\$22,692.74	
CLOSING BALANCE	\$895,466.92	\$1,229,943.34	\$647,691.40	\$154,090.79
	<u>TRUST & AGENCY FUND</u>	<u>ENTERPRISE DRIVERS ED</u>	<u>FOOD SERVICE FUND</u>	<u>UNEMPLOYMENT FUND</u>
<u>Beginning Balance</u>	\$83,889.92	\$275.09	-\$715.58	\$19,090.52
<u>Receipts</u>	\$4,852.33	\$0.00	\$7,166.52	
<u>Disbursements</u>	\$2,957.53	\$0.00	\$7,597.12	
CLOSING BALANCE	\$85,784.72	\$275.09	-\$1,146.18	\$19,090.52

C. Bills. All aye, carried.

See attached list for monthly claims presented.

Salaries: General: Adm. & Teachers, 108,358.83; Support, 15,866.99; SS & Med, 28,537.24. The following benefits and salaries are included in the above totals. General: SDRS, retirement, 10,689.44; Delta Dental, ins. 1,221.44; AFLAC, insurance, 598.02; SDRS Supplemental, retirement, 362.50; VSP, Vision, ins, 181.23; Security Benefit, retirement, 372.50; American Funds, retirement, 950.00; ReliaStar Life Ins., ins, 198.55; Wellmark, ins, 16,024.94. Laura Adema, sub 140.00; Justin Brotzel, driving 54.59; Jon Ellwein, board salary 171.72; Timothy Fugman, sub 80.00; Alex Hart, board salary 165.00; Anna Hegge, sub 100.00; Marty Morlock, snow removal 90.35; Dan Nickelson, board salary 275.00; Brock Pashen, driving 175.00; Caitlin Podoll, driving 104.48; Carma Ruenz, sub 500.00;

Richard Schlosser, board salary 171.30; Eric Sumption, board salary 175.08; Stephanie Sumption, sub 300.00. Special Ed: Teachers, 10,711.97; Support, 6,277.66; SS & Med, 4,159.00; SDRS, retirement, 1,615.26; AFLAC, insurance, 154.36; Delta Dental, ins, 154.36; Reliastar Life Ins, ins, 1.39; SDRS Supplemental, retirement, 250.00; VSP, insurance, 29.73; Wellmark, ins, 1339.06; Carma Ruenz, sub 200.00; Stephanie Sumption, sub 150.00. Food Service: Support, 4,176.60; SS & Med, 1,118.08; SDRS, retirement, 462.61; VSP, insurance, 22.64.

Action 16-80 Motion by Nickelson, second by Ellwein to set 2017 School Board Election date of June 6, 2017. All aye, carried.

Principal Jessica Ringgenberg presented the first draft of the 2017-2018 school calendar.

Enter Brock Pashen at 6:12pm.

Community gym access and building security was discussed.

Enter Marty Morlock at 6:34pm.

Vice Chairman Sumption called on Marty Morlock to present an update on the Eureka/Bowdle/Leola/Frederick football Co-op. Discussion followed.

Vice Chairman Sumption called on Marty Morlock to present information regarding the possibility of

hiring an additional 2017 Assistant Track coach.

The following reports were given at this time:

- A. Jessica Ringgenberg – Principal
Enter Knute Reierson at 6:47pm
- B. Jessica Ringgenberg – Maintenance
- C. Brock Pashen – AD – interviewing and hiring of 2017 football coaches will begin after the completion of the 2017 basketball season
- D. Knute Reierson – Superintendent
There were no Thank Yous or Congratulations acknowledged.

Action 16-81 Motion by Ellwein, second by Hart to enter into Executive Session at 7:20 pm.

Exit Brock Paschen, Marty Morlock and Janel Wagner.

Vice Chairman Sumption declared out of Executive Session at 8:05pm.

Action 16-82 Motion by Hart, second by Ellwein to adjourn. All aye, carried.

Business Manager

FREDERICK AREA SCHOOL

JANUARY CLAIMS GENERAL FUND

ABERDEEN SCHOOL DISTRICT #6-1	FEES			
4,876.80	CLIMATE CONTROL INC.	REPAIRS		
373.10	COMMUNITY STORE	FACS		
78.26	CWD-ABERDEEN	FFVP	FRUIT/	
VEG	291.66	DAKOTA SUPPLY GROUP		
SUPPLIES	101.64	DALLMANN, JENNIFER		
EDUCATION	90.00	DOWNES, RICK		
LABOR	591.08	ELLENDALE TRUE VALUE		
SUPPLIES	62.26	FOREMAN	SALES	AND
SERVICE	REPAIRS	130.44	GROTON	INDEPENDENT,
INC	PRINTING	104.09	HOLIDAY	
INN EXPRESS	LODGING	93.00	JAMES	
VALLEY COOP. TELE. CO.	TELEPHONE			
238.40	JM ELECTRIC INC.	REPAIRS	393.84	
KARL'S TV AUDIO APPLIANCES		REPAIRS		
89.00	MARC	SUPPLIES	284.94	MENARDS
ABERDEEN		SUPPLIES	240.22	MIDWEST
PEST CONTROL		PEST CONTROL	433.00	
MONTANA-DAKOTA UTILITIES CO.		ELECTRIC		
4,439.23	NORTH CENTRAL FARMERS ELEVATOR			
FUEL	3,862.98	O'REILLY AUTO PARTS		
REPAIRS	408.13	PANTORIUM CLEANER INC.		
FEES	156.80	PODOLL, LANCE	MILEAGE	
309.12	SD HIGH SCHOOL COACHES ASSN			
DUES	40.00	TRUST AND AGENCY FUND		
FEES	943.18	SUPER 8	LODGING	165.00
AMAZON.COM CORPORATE CREDIT		SUPPLIES		
299.75	UNITED STATE POSTAL SERVICE			
POSTAGE	3.40	CENEX ZIP TRIPFUEL	27.01	
BOSTON FERN, THE		FLOWERS	50.00	
COLE PAPERS, INC.		SUPPLIES	1,020.00	
DAKOTA ELECTRONICS		FEES	20.00	
ELLENDALE TRUE VALUE		SUPPLIES	19.93	
GREEN IRON EQUIPMENT		REPAIRS	145.96	
MENARDS	ABERDEEN	SUPPLIES	160.14	
TOWN OF FREDERICK		WATER	170.28	
CAPITAL OUTLAY FUND				
A&B BUSINESS SOLUTIONS		FEES	595.03	
PRECISION FLOORS & INTERIORS		CARPET		
INSTALL	2,497.00	INSTALLATION	SPECIAL	
EDUCATION	FUND	FIRST	NATIONAL	
BANK	POSTAGE	3.35	SUPER 8	
LODGING	165.00	UNITED	STATE	POSTAL
SERVICE	POSTAGE	6.07	FOOD	SERVICE
COMMUNITY STORE		FOOD SERVICE		
6.00	CWD-ABERDEEN	FOOD	2,286.60	
PANTORIUM CLEANER INC.		FEES	94.18	



TOWN OF FREDERICK

January 3, 2017

The Town of Frederick Board meeting was held Tuesday, January 3, 2017, in the Frederick Community Center beginning at 7PM. Chairman R. Scott Campbell began the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance. In attendance were Board Members Gary Schlosser and Troy Millard, Finance Officer Diane Bruns and Utility Manager/Maintenance Rich Bakeberg.

Minutes of December meeting were read and approved with motion by TM/GS. Motion Carried.

Financial Report for January was reviewed, discussed and passed with a motion by SC/TM. Motion Carried.

Approval of Accounts Payable after addition of USDA-RD was made with motion by GS/TM. Motion Carried.

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE:

Badger Meter fees Water \$113.92; R. Bakeberg exp Genl \$6; R. Bakeberg Sexton Cem \$230.87; R. Bakeberg, UT Mgr Dec wage St/Wtr/Sewer \$315.84; R. Bakeberg Veh Allow St/Wtr/Swr \$75; Brick's Roto-Rooter maint Wtr \$1833.07; D. Bruns supplies, mileage Genl \$119.10; D. Bruns Dec wages CC \$72.49; D. Bruns Dec wage FO \$1072.55; R.S. Campbell Dec wage Genl \$138.52; City of Ellendale Mosquito Fogging Genl \$3072; Community Store supplies CC/Genl/FO \$24.46; M. Cox Dec wage EBL \$533.96; Dependable Sanitation, Inc. 4th Qrtr garbage \$4190; FU Oil Co propane EBL \$248.19; FDC Econ Dev Feb \$1000; GDI legals Genl \$66.09; JM Electric, Inc. repair pump Wtr Twr \$45; JVT phones, services, Internets Genl, FO, Wtr, EBL \$303.33; MDU elect Pump Hse/FO/CC-Firehall/Wtr Twr/S Park/EBL/Lagoon-FB Fld/Fire Siren \$1448.22; T. Millard Dec wage \$46.17; G. Schlosser Dec wage \$69.26; G. Schlosser rewrite June wage Genl \$23.09; SD Dept Rev lab Wtr \$30; SD Dept of Rev Sales Tax Garb \$80.96; Unemployment Ins Div Genl 0.00; US Treasury 4th Qrtr EBL, FO, CC, FL, Genl, Sts, Wtr, Sewer \$1896.53; USDA-RD AP Wtr Repair \$475; WEB Water water (est) \$2200. Total A/P \$19,729.62.

OLD BUSINESS:

Utility Report, Rich Bakeberg, UT Manager... reported he and JM Electric, Inc., Troy Millard, worked on pump at Water Tower replacing a motor. Millard is checking on a new pump.

Overdue bills with shut offs coming was reviewed. No motion needed to shutoff as it is automatic when over \$200 past due. Bills are due monthly.

A motion was made by SC/TM asking Bakeberg to order Stainless Steel, pull behind, Salt Sander with a limit of \$2500. Motion Carried.

No representation from FF, HS, or EBL.

President Bakeberg mentioned the FDC/NE Farmers Coop gas station is very close to opening, gas has been delivered and most all is in order. Clearing of snow was discussed.

Old Business - Other:

Quick Claim property needed 3 appraisals from local citizens. Kelly Millard, Robert Campbell, and Roger Nixon were appointed to appraise the small parcel of property on RR Avenue; CC floor bids were tabled another month; discussed Solid Waste Application.

NEW BUSINESS:

4th Quarter EBL Report accepted with motion by TM/GS. Motion Carried.

Community Center Annual Report was approved with a motion by GS/TM. Motion Carried.

Vacated Streets and Alleys in Frederick, with questions from Brown County Equalization Appraiser Sarah Swenson, was tabled until February for further review.

Income and Expense Report for Water was reviewed.

Employee Salary Resolution was reviewed with a motion made to give Mavis Cox, Librarian, a 25 cent raise. Motion made by GS/TM. Motion Carried. Motion made to approve Resolution with Cox wage amended. Motion made by TM/SC. Motion Carried.

Discussion was held on generator Millard is looking into for Fire Department.

CORRESPONDENCE:

Jasco Electric Services, Light and Power was only correspondence received.

Millard is talking to EBL Board member about EBL new roof.

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further business to discuss, meeting was adjourned with motion by TM/SC. Motion Carried.

Next meeting is Monday, February 6, 2017.

Diane Bruns, Frederick Finance Officer

FREDERICK FORWARD

January 16, 2017

Attendees: Tracy Olson, Thersia Cox, Donna Sumption, Krysti Mikkonen, Judy Schultz, Leslie Sumption (Alumni), Richard Schlosser (Alumni)

Meeting called to order by Thersia Cox

Treasurer's report: See attachment. Checking account: \$11,650.39. CD is \$5209.11. Motion to approve report made by Krysti Mikkonen, seconded by Judy Schultz. Motion approved.

Old Business:

Snow Queen: Donna reported that there is a \$1,195.00 balance. Miranda Sumption got 1st runner up in SD Snow Queen. Banners: They are up and look very good. Thank you Donna Sumption! Park equipment: Krysti reported that the first round (children's equipment) is here and in storage. Questions were raised regarding the ground cover. The options given were foam, sand and wood chips. We are still accepting donations as there will be maintenance to consider and we are working towards

getting the adult equipment. Krysti suggested doing fundraisers to raise money, possibly once a month.

Movie Theater: It was suggested that it be used for the prom during the lockdown. Tracy suggested we put an article in the FYI to promote rentals. Krysti suggested we run ads in the FYI also. Wyatt and Mariah will be contacted regarding this and their continued involvement. Welcome wagon: There are new people in town that will need town information. Community engagement: Tracy reported that February 6th at 7:30 pm at the school, there will be a meeting with all teams. Year one cost was \$17,500.00. Dakota resources paid half and Frederick Forward will be billed a total of \$8750.00. The \$10,000.00 grant will cover this. The end of year one is August 30. Year 2 Frederick Forward share will \$6,000.00, \$2000.00 will be covered by the grant.

FYI: Krysti reported. The next due date is Monday January 23rd. We will be providing a financial report. Donna suggested we do this quarterly. We received a bill from the FYI for the Holiday Extravaganza.

New Business

Annual Meeting: Meeting will be on March 16th at 7:30 after the St. Urho's Day meal. Krysti suggested we do the travelling sauna at this time also. Krysti will check into the cost of renting the travelling sauna and also suggested that the vendor could charge and keep that money. Thersia will check with Bruce about having the meeting at Titan's.

The next Frederick Forward meeting will be February 20th at 7:00 pm at Titans

THREE RIVER RANCHERS 4-H CLUB

January 8, 2017

The Three River Ranchers 4-H Club met on January 8th at the Westport Church Hall. The meeting was called to order by President Hannah Sumption. The American pledge was led by Laura Sumption and Kaylin Achen led the 4-H pledge. The treasurer's report was given by Hannah Sumption. Old business: Online registration-new enrollment by end of May. BB Gun- Safety course begins January 9th 2017 at Northern Electric. This is for members who are new to the program. Practice will be held every Monday beginning on January 16th at 6:30. Archery practice is held every Tuesday beginning January 10th. Natural first aid kits will be made on January 30th at the Oil Room in Abereen. Registration deadline is January 15th. The Newshound was read and discussed. For new business we discussed Random Acts of Kindness- Friday February 17th is National Random Acts of Kindness Day. Brown County fruit sales will start February 1st. The meeting was adjourned. The next meeting will be February 19th at Westport. Talks and demonstrations were given by Milo, Howard and Laura Sumption and Ezra Feickert. The next meeting will be hosted by the Cox Family. Submitted by Sam Vetter, club reporter

Frederick Area Honor Roll - 2nd Quarter

Straight A Honor

Keely Podoll (11)
 Hannah Sumption (11)
 Brianna Kocher (12)
 Cory Murphy (12)
 Austin Sumption (12)
 Miranda Sumption (12)

Tyler Heilman (11)
 Cassandra Hinz (11)
 Michaela Podoll (11)
 Alex Sumption (11)
 Jessica Podoll (12)
 Zach Sumption (12)
 Demi Truebenbach (12)

Dakota King (11)
 Celina Gamrath (11)
 Trevor Goehring (11)
 Natalie Morales (11)
 Tucker Delzer (12)
 Jordan Haas (12)
 Daniel Ham (12)
 Wyatt Mittleider (12)
 Isabelle Podoll (12)
 John VanDover (12)
 Spenser Vetter (12)
 Hunter Walworth (12)
 Dakotah Witte (12)

A Honor

Mason Hinz (7)
 Katelyn Mehlhaff (7)
 Ethan Morlock (7)
 Kierah Nickelson (7)
 Sean Bickford (8)
 Simon Bickford (8)
 Isaac Sumption (8)
 Alexis Brotzel (9)
 Miranda Lai (9)
 Haydn Podoll (9)
 Olivia Ulmer (9)
 Zach Mikkonen (10)
 Brooklyn Podoll (10)

B Honor

Darin McGaugh (7)
 Wil Nordine (7)
 Marissa Sumption (7)
 Kaylin Achen (8)
 Hunter Bretsch (8)
 Jesse Geranen (8)
 Matthew Olson (8)
 Lauren Geranen (9)
 Jake Kenser (9)
 Isaac Morlock (9)
 Matthew Wilson (9)
 Maddie Nordine (10)
 Trevor Sumption (10)
 Alex Bowman (11)



Titans Girls Basketball Update

BY JOHN VANDOVER
FASD Journalism



The girls team is off to a fast start with a 7-2 record as of January 19. With a solid record the team has been playing a more focused game of basketball. "The girls are playing all four quarters and in the past we've had lulls in our play that have cost us." stated Coach Troy Podoll. So

what do the girls need to fine tune going into the last month and into the playoffs? "When we get tired or start building up a lead we start slacking with our techniques, we need to focus on being fundamentally correct all the time." said Troy Podoll.



COURTESY PHOTO

The Leola-Frederick Lady Titans gather for a picture after defeating Hitchcock-Tulare on Saturday, January 7th at the Redfield Classic. Pictured left to right (back row): Anna Lapka, Meza Myers, Cassandra Hinz, Maddie Nordine, April Hoffman, Taylor Geffre, Abby Berreth, Avery Wolff. Front row: Head Coach Troy Podoll, Hannah Sumption, Michaela Podoll, Keely Podoll, Brooklyn Podoll, and Assistant Coach Justin Brotzel.



SD Snow Queen Festival

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BY DEMI TRUEBENBACH
FASD Journalism

The new year is here and thus brings the South Dakota Snow Queen Festival. On January 6th the Jr. Snow Queen contest was held where Lauren Geranen represented Frederick as Jr. Miss Frederick Area. The weekend was full of activities where Lauren had a lot of fun and made new friends. The next weekend, on January 12th, the Sr. Snow Queen weekend began where Miranda Sumption represented Frederick as Miss Frederick Area. The weekend was jam packed with sponsor visits, games, and many more activities. On Saturday night was the coronation, where Miranda Sumption received first runner-up.

Yearbooks Available

February 20th - 23rd, yearbooks will be \$30.00 each and \$10.00 for each additional yearbook purchased for a sibling.



Frederick HS Class of 1966



Frederick HS Class of 1967

1966 & 1967 Class Reunion

The classes of 1966 and 1967 will be gathering on Friday, June 23rd at the Berheim lodge at Elm Lake. Classmates will be receiving more information. Mark your calendars!

What's coming up

TUESDAY, FEB 14

Titans BB DH vs. Britton-Hecla, 4p.m. at Frederick

THURSDAY, FEB 16

Titans BB DH at Eureka, 4p.m.

FRIDAY, FEB 17

Titans BBB vs. Herried-Selby, 6:30p.m. at Herried

SATURDAY, FEB 18

Titans BBB vs Florence-Henry, 4:30p.m. at Warner Classic

MONDAY, FEB 20

Frederick Forward Meeting

MONDAY, FEB 27

FAHS Meeting at The Museum

FEB 27,28, & MAR 2

Titans BBB Districts, at Civic Arena

Titans Boys Basketball

BY HUNTER WALWORTH
FASD Journalism

The boys are off to a rocky start this season coming out of the gates with a 2-5 record. Talking to Coach Brock Pashen (says), "We need to focus on playing the full 32 minutes of the game, one possession at a time. Being able to score points in our half court sets is something we need to continue to get better at as we can't rely on getting fast break points the entire game." The February schedule sees the boys and girls in Frederick on the 2nd, 4th, and 14th.



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IN THE COMMUNITY



PHOTO BY ETHAN MORLOCK

Alex Sumption goes up for a rebound against Waverly South Shore at the Pentagon in Sioux Falls.



PHOTO BY KRISTI MIKKONEN

The new addition to Frederick is a VERY welcome site for residents, visitors and even the passersby who are frantic and running low on fuel. Thank you to the Frederick Economic Development Corporation for your work and North Central Farmers Elevator for investing in our community.



PHOTO BY SPENSER VETTER

Michaela Podoll and Abbey Bereth look on as Hannah Sumption attempts a free throw during home action vs Groton.

Frederick Grades 4th,
5th, & 6th Attend Music
Appreciation Event

Frederick Elementary Students (pictured right) attend a music appreciation event held at the Aberdeen Theatre. The Forge musical group performed a brass and drum show for several area school's students who were also in attendance.



PHOTO BY JENNIE HOYLE