

In the news . . .

Prom Preparations

By Jordan Ludwig

It's already spring which means that both students and staff are making preparations for prom. Girls are buying their dresses, boys are renting tuxes, and everyone is looking forward to that one night. The theme this year is Nifty Fifties. The decorations and even the food will match the theme.

The food being served is traditional fifties diner staples right down to the milkshake. As far as decorations go, our art teacher Miss Bonnell has played a central role in creating these. She told me, "we've kind of made a bunch of them ourselves. The juniors are very eager and ready to help create something that they can be proud of. We're making a record arch for the grand march. We're also having an authentic diner with a candy bar, jukeboxes, burger signs, and people dancing. So hopefully, it'll be just like you're stepping back into the fifties. Even our prom servers are going to be dressed to match the era."

Whether you're going for the experience, décor, or even the food our nifty fifties dance looks very PROM-ising



In the
Spotlight

Beth McCarter

By Mariya Streck

Beth McCarter has been working in this district for 17 years. She went to college in Des Moines at AIB, which is no longer a thing. She always has wanted to do something secretarial. In the past, she has worked in law offices. Her favorite part of the job is working with people and having an accounting type job. One task she doesn't like is sorting the mail.

Beth does several things for the students and teachers of the school. She, along with Becky, are the people who get messages to students, along with deliveries and letting people in the school. For the teachers, Beth hands out keys and information from the main office. She sends out the notifications to let teachers know about changes in the schedule. Beth is a great staff member at SCC!

SENIOR SPOTLIGHT

Aliyah Taylor

by Makayla Patterson

In the fall of 2017, Aliyah plans to attend the University of Northern Iowa. As of right now, she plans to study athletic training. Aliyah's favorite high school memory is going to football games with her friends and cheering on the football team.

Aliyah was involved in volleyball, basketball, and track during her four years in high school. She is going to miss her friends the most when she graduates high school, although she is super excited to make new friends at the University of Northern Iowa.

In 10 years, Aliyah sees herself owning a home, possibly married with children, and maybe staying in Iowa. Her father is her biggest inspiration because he's a very fun, successful, and awesome person. In her free time, Aliyah likes to watch Netflix and hang out with her friends.

Aliyah's advice to incoming freshman is to find your group of friends and stick with them, have fun, and not care what people think. Aliyah also wants everyone to know that she absolutely loves dogs .

Upcoming Events . . .

- 4-17 SPRING BREAK
- 4-17 SCHOOL BOARD MEETING @ ROCKWELL CITY 7:00 PM
- 4-18 NO SCHOOL
- 4-18 HS CO-ED TRACK @ GOWRIE 4:30 PM
- 4-19 TOP TEN BANQUET 12:00 PM
- 4-20 CO-ED DUAL GOLF VS. SEV @ LAKE CITY
- 4-20 HS GIRLS TRACK @ MANSON 4:30 PM
- 4-21 GIRLS GOLF @ SEV TOURNAMENT (DAYTON) 4:00 PM
- 4-21 BOYS TRACK @ POCAHONTAS 4:40 PM
- 4-22 PROM!
- 4-24 CO-ED DUAL GOLF @ MANSON 4:00 PM
- 4-24 GIRLS TRACK @ HOLSTEIN 4:30 PM
- 4-25 BOYS TRACK @ MANSON 4:30 PM



Brooklin McKinney

By: Alex Campbell

This fall, Brooklin plans to attend the University of Iowa for nursing. Brooklin plans to change to get her Bachelor of Science in nursing, then become a certified registered nurse and anesthetist.

Brooklin's favorite high school memory was cheering at football games on Friday nights. During high school, she was involved in football cheerleading, basketball cheerleading, dance team, FFA, speech, and band. Brooklin attended Shrine

Bowl her junior and senior year and was selected as part of the Iowa honor squad for cheerleading her senior year.

Brooklin is going to miss her friends the most, but she's looking forward to becoming a nurse and having the opportunity to make a positive impact on patients' lives each and every day. In 10 years, Brooklyn sees herself working in the hospital as a CRNA, being married, and having children, too.

Brooklin is inspired by the rewarding feeling that comes from helping others. She plans to devote her life to

helping others as a nurse. During her free time, Brooklin loves to hang out with her friends, watch Netflix, and travel. In time, Brooklin would like to travel to a third world country and go to Bora Bora for vacation.

Brooklyn's advice to underclassmen is, "although sometimes in high school, it can seem like the world is ending, everything does actually get better and work out for the better."



Nia Goodman

by Anastasia Sackfield

Naia Goodman, a senior at SCC, has some big plans for the future. She intends to go to University of Iowa and major in human physiology. Her dream is to become a surgeon.

In school, Naia is involved in

vocal and band. In her free time, she likes to sing go to Ames, HuHot, and work at Casey's General Store. Her favorite high school memory is when Hallee puked in Mr. Handlos' class.

With college so close, she's excited to meet new people, mainly her two roommates. She is still going to miss her

high school friends, and she will try to see them often in college.

Naia's advice to underclassmen is keep your head down, pay your dues, and sprint to the finish line

Sidney Kelly

by Makayla Patterson

After high school, Sidney plans to go to college to become a photographer. Sidney is going to miss seeing her friends after high school is over. Sydney is most looking forward to getting a house. In

10 years, she sees herself married with 3 kids and working as a photographer.

Music painting and nature are the two things that inspire Sidney. Her favorite hobbies include painting and taking pictures. If Sidney could travel anywhere, she would go to

Japan. Sidney's advice to underclassmen is, "don't have babies yet. They're not always cute and cuddly."

Eric Williamson

by Caleb Reiss



Eric Williamson is a senior at South Central Calhoun. He spends most of his days working with turkeys. He enjoys this. He wants to be a welder. He says he enjoys this and is good at it.

In 10 years, Eric sees himself living on a farm being a welder. He also wants cattle and a big family. If he could travel anywhere, it would be back to

Colorado. His favorite memory is getting pulled over for “reckless driving” in the school parking lot. He likes riding dirt bikes. He also likes watching Netflix and hanging with friends.

Eric’s advice to underclassmen is to stay focused on your schooling and avoid the drama. If he could change anything, he would change how he looked at school. His favorite class is Ag mechanics. If a book were to be written about his life, Eric

would like it to be about being placed in foster care.

Rebecca Woolsey

by Austin Wiskus



Rebecca Woolsey is a senior at South Central Calhoun High School. She plans on going to college at Iowa Central, then Iowa State later. She's going to college to be a vet. Her favorite memory is Miss Bonnell telling jokes in class. Her advice to underclassmen is never give up.

She will never forget lunch

with her friends. Her favorite part of the day is getting to see her friends. She is very excited to graduate. She's going to miss her friends a lot and is going to try to keep in touch. One thing she will never forget is Trevor pranking her.

In 5 years, she sees herself at Iowa State almost done with college. She will also miss the teachers. In her free time, she locks and listens to music. Rebecca's most memorable class

is Advanced Ceramics. She wouldn't change anything during her years at school.

Megan Hardy

After high school, Megan plans to attend South Dakota State University. She plans on majoring in pre-pharmacy and will continue at South Dakota State to enroll in the pharm-ed program after two years.

In high school, Megan has been involved with various activities. She is student body secretary-treasurer, FFA reporter, track captain, and has partici-

pated in cross country, band, club, National Honor Society, and speech. Her favorite thing to do is spend time with family and friends.

The thing she will miss most about high school is being so far away from her family and friends and not being able to see them daily. Megan’s advice to underclassmen is to get ahead and stay ahead because it can be really hard to catch up.

Her biggest pet peeve is people who constantly lick their fingers and then touch other food. Her best high school memory would be attending various events with her friends. In the future, Megan sees herself working a small town hospital as a clinical pharmacist.



